Battle-proven Performer

The 25mm Bushmaster® automatic cannon is a battle-proven performer featuring dual feed Chain Gun® technology. ATK Medium Caliber Systems has delivered more than 10,500 M242s to the U.S. Army and forces around the world. Its design simplicity, external power, round control, ease of maintenance and constant velocity ammunition feed make it the most reliable automatic cannon on the modern battlefield.

Feature and Benefits

- Demonstrated reliability, accuracy and safe operation under all firing conditions
- Primary armament on the U.S. Army’s Bradley Fighting Vehicle and the U.S. Marine Corp’s Light Armored Vehicle
- Easily integrated with multiple variants
- Combat-proven system with multiple allied nations
- Operational success during Operations Desert Storm, Iraqi Freedom and Enduring Freedom
- Adapts to many naval applications
- Fires NATO Standard 25mm x 137mm ammunition
- Dual feed linked system
# M242 Bushmaster

## Dimensions

![Dimensions diagram](image)

## Specs

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<td>Recoil</td>
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- **Rate of Fire**: Cyclic, 200 rounds per minute
- **Power Required**: 1 horsepower for 200 rounds per minute
- **Clearing Method**: Cook off safe, open bolt
- **Safety**: Absolute hangfire protection
- **Case Ejection**: Forward

*Includes gun barrel, drive motor, recoil system, and integral dual feeder

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