

## Man-Portable Antitank Weapons in the Third World: Increasing Availability and Lethality

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	Group	Weapons		Group	Weapons
Africa			Guatemala	EGP (Guerrilla Army of the	RPG-2
Angola	UNITA (National Union for the Total Independence of Angola)	RPG-2/RPG-7 M72 LAW APILAS		Poor) FAR (Rebel Armed Forces)	RPG-2/RPG-7
				ORPA (Organization of the People in Arms)	RPG-2/RPG-7
Ethiopia	EPLF (Eritrean People's Liberation Front)	RPG-2/RPG-7	Nicaragua	RN (Nicaraguan Resistance)	RPG-2/RPG-7 M72 LAW
	TPLF (Tigrean People's Liberation Front)	RPG-2/RPG-7		Near East/South Asia Afghanistan Mujaheddin RPG-2/	
Mozambique	RENAMO (Mozambican National Resistance)	RPG-2/RPG-7	Alghanistan	Mujaheddin	RPG-2/RPG-7 RPG-16
Namibia	SWAPO (South-West Africa	RPG-7	Iraq	Kurdish rebels	RPG-7
	People's Organization)		Sri Lanka -	LTTE (Liberation Tigers of Tamil Eclam)	RPG-7
Somalia	SDSF (Somali Democratic Salvation Front)	RPG-2/RPG-7	East Asia		
	SNM (Somali National Movement)	RPG-2/RPG-7	Burma	BCP (Communist Party of Burma)	RPG-2/RPG-7 M72 LAW
South Africa	ANC (African National Congress)	RPG-7		SSA (Shan State Army)	RPG-2/RPG-7 M72 LAW
Sudan	SPLA (Sudanese People's Liberation Army)	RPG-7 (maybe RPG-2)		KNU (Karen National Union)	RPG-2/RPG-7 M72 LAW
Uganda	UPF (FOBA) (Uganda People's Front [Force Obote	RPG-2 or RPG-7	-	SUA (Shan United Army)	RPG-2/RPG-7 M72 I.AW
	Back Again])			KIA (Kachin Independence	RPG-2/RPG-7
	UPDM (United Peoples Democratic Movement [Army]	RPG-2 or RPG-7	Cambodia	Army) ANS (Sihanoukist National	M72 LAW RPG-2/RPG-7 (have
Latin America		-	Army)	requested	
Colombia	M-19 (19th of April Movement)	M72 LAW		· .	M72 LAW and Carl Gustaf M3)
	FARC (Revolutionary Armed Forces of Colombia)	M72 LAW	Philippines	KPNLF (Khmer People's National Liberation Front)	RPG-2/RPG-7
	EPL (Popular Liberation	M72 LAW		KR (DK) (Khmer Rouge [Democratic Kampuchea])	RPG-2/RPG-7
	Army) ELN (National Liberation Army)	M72 LAW		MNLF (Moro National Liberation Front)	RPG-7
El Salvador	FMLN (Faribundo Marti National Liberation Front)	RPG-2/RPG-7 M72 LAW		NPA (New People's Army)	Seeking RPG-7

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