

Israel Missile Design Characteristics

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The following tables provide information based on the best available open source estimates of Israel's missile program, compiled by the James Martin Center for Nonproliferation Studies for the Nuclear Threat Initiative. See also, the accompanying Israel Missile Overview:

http://www.nti.org/country-profiles/israel/delivery-systems/.

Table 1 – Design Characteristics of Israel's Ballistic Missiles

	Other	Length	Diameter	Payload	Range	Accuracy -	Propellant	Status
	name	(m)	(m)	(kg)	(km)	CEP (m)		
Jericho-1 [1]	YA-1	13.40	0.8	450	500	1,000	Solid	Obsolete
Jericho-2 [2]	YA-3	14.0	1.56	1,000	1,500- 3,500	n/k	Solid	Deployed
Jericho-3 [3]	YA-4	15.5	1.56	750	4,800- 6,500	n/k	Solid	Development
LORA [4]		5.2	0.62	440-600	200	10	Solid	Deployed
EXTRA [5]		4.0	n/k	120	150	10	Solid	Development
Lance [6]	MGM-52	6.41	0.56	100	130	150	Liquid	Decommissioned

Table 2 - Design Characteristics of Israel's Cruise Missiles

	Other name	Length (m)	Diameter (m)	Payload (kg)	Range (km)	Accuracy – CEP (m)	Propulsion	Status
Popeye-1 [7]	Have Nap, AGM- 142	4.82	0.53	350	80 (A/B/C/D) or 90 (E/F)	3 (A/B/C/D) or 1(E/F)	Solid	Deployed
Popeye-2 [8]	Have Lite	4.25	0.53	350	75	n/k	Solid	Not Deployed
Popeye Turbo [9]				895	200-350	n/k	Turbojet	Unknown
Gabriel Mk 2 [10]		3.42	0.34	180	35	n/k	Solid	Deployed
Gabriel Mk 3 [11]		3.85	0.34	150	35	n/k	Solid	Deployed
Gabriel Mk 4 LR[12]		4.7	.44	240	200	n/k	Solid	Deployed?
Delilah [13]	STAR-1	2.71	0.33	30	300	n/k	Turbojet	Deployed
Harpoon [14]		4.64	0.34	222	130	n/k	Solid	Deployed

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Table 3 – Design Characteristics of Israel's Defensive Missiles

	Length	Diameter	Warhead	Guidance	Range	Propulsion	Status
	(m)	(m)			(km)		
Tamir (Iron Dome)	3.0	0.16	HE	Inertial	18	Solid	Deployed
[15]			Fragmentation				
			[16]				
Stunner/David's Sling	n/k	n/k	KV [18]	n/k	n/k	Solid	Development
(Magic Wand) [17]							
Arrow-2 [19]	6.95	0.8	HE	Inertial	100	Solid	Deployed
			Fragmentation				
Arrow-3 [20]	5.6	0.55	KV [21]	Inertial	250	Solid	Development

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