Basic Brigade Tactical Unmanned Aircraft System (TUAS) consists of:





Two Ground Control Stations with Ground Data Terminals





Vehicles

Two GCS Support Two Equipment Trailers with 10-Kilowatt Generators









One Air Vehicle Transport (AVT) with Hydraulic Launcher

One AVT Support Vehicle with Equipment Trailer



Four Aircraft with Payloads





One Portable Ground Control Station (PGCS)/ One Portable Ground Data Terminal (PGDT)

Maintenance Section:









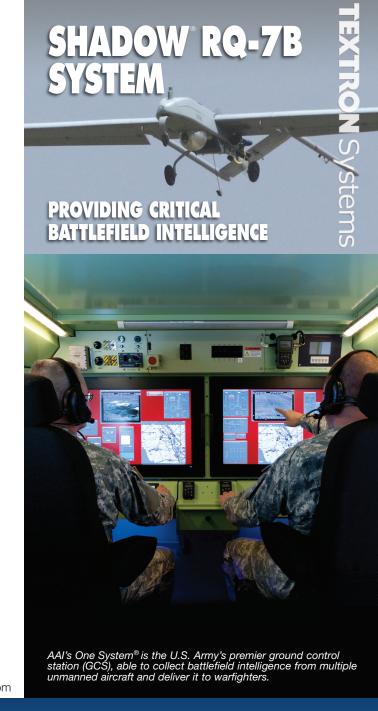
Maintenance Section Multifunctional (MSM) with Equipment Trailer

MSM Support Vehicle with Equipment Trailer

RQ-7 TUAS Features and Accomplishments

- Deployed in Operations Iraqi Freedom and **Enduring Freedom**
- More than 470,000 hours flown worldwide
- More than 90 systems delivered
- More than 115 systems under contract
- Worldwide performance based logistics support
- Automatic launch and recovery from small clearings
- Trainer embedded in GCS
- Emplace or displace in less than one hour
- Flexible design facilitates future enhancements
- In operational use by U.S. Army and Marine Corps

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SHADOW TACTICAL UNMANNED AIRCRAFT SYSTEM

One System Ground Control Station

- Common systems integration, or CSI
- Command and control for various aircraft
- Modular software
- Based on commercial, off-the-shelf components
- Redundant hardware
- Embedded training
- Joint variable message format/NATO format compatible





Air Vehicle Operator (AVO) Display

- Flight and situational awareness
- Full mission and payload planning
- Integrated automatic launch and landing
- Electronic pre-flight and aircraft status monitoring



Mission Payload Operator (MPO) Display

- Autosearch, point-at-coordinates, rate/position and autotrack
- Automated marking of searched areas
- Integration into any C4I system
- Artillery adjust-fire feature
- Laser designator control
- Searchable digital archive and retrieval system



Plug-In Optronic Payload (POP-300)

- Electro-optici/nfrared/laser designation, or EO/IR/LD
- Day/night capability
- Target detection slant range 10 km
- Target recognition slant range 7 km
- Artillery adjustment feature
- Target autotrack feature
- Laser designator for laser-guided weapons
- Laser range finder and laser pointer



- Hydraulic launcher mounts on standard HMMWV trailer
- Four 10-foot sections fold for transport
- One-man deployable in less than 10 minutes
- Launches in sustained 20-knot crosswinds

Shadow RQ-7B with Extended Wings

- Length 11.8 feet (ft.)
- Wingspan 20.4 ft.
- Maximum gross weight 460 pounds (lb.)
- Payload capacity 45-80 lb.*
- Data link range 125 kilometers (km)
- Tactical Common Data Link, or TCDL, secure upgrade
- Single Channel Ground and Airborne Radio System, or SINCGARS, communications relay
- Maximum speed 110 knots
- Loiter speed 65 knots
- Cruise speed 90 knots
- Maximum altitude 15,000 ft. mean sea level, or MSL*
- Endurance eight to nine hours
- 38 brake horsepower, or bhp, engine with electronic fuel injection upgrade
- More than 85 percent composite material
 *depending on mission profile and payload options

Tactical Automatic Landing System (TALS)

- Inclement weather and day/night performance
- Meets U.S. Army field requirements for automatic recovery, mobility and two-person transportability
- System components:
 - Portable ground tracking subsystemSmall airborne transponder
- Recovery in sustained 20-knot crosswinds



Shadow TUAS Arrested Landing



