Type: Carrier, Weapons Nomenclature: 2P32 (AT-2a Swatter Carrier)

Country: Russia Date of Introduction: 1962

Physical Data:

Weight empty 11600 lb (5266 kg) Wgt loaded (est) 12846 lb (5832 kg) Length (OA) 220.5 in (5600 mm) 88.5 in (2250 mm) Width (OA) Height (closed) 74.8 in (1900 mm) Ground clr 12.4 in (315 mm) Wheel base 110 in (2800 mm) 65.3 in (1660 mm) Wheel tread **Drive** 4x4 plus 4x4 aux .16 to .39 in Armor (4 to 10 mm)

NBC protection Overpressure

Armament:

(4) AT-2a Swatter AT Main

missiles Power

Elev & traverse Fire control Radio guided Crew side arms Aux wpns

Capacity:

Gasoline Fuel Ammo/Qty 4 ready Crew/Pass

Cargo Vol/Wgt 500 lb (227 kg)

Engine:

Type Gasoline HP at Rev/Min 90 hp (66.4 kW) @ 3400 rpm

Model GAZ

Mfr State Factory

No. of Cyls Location

Front Cooling Liquid

Transmission:

Type Manual

Gear Fwd/Rev 4/1 w/2-spd transfer Model GAZ

Mfr State Factory

Suspension System:

Type Leaf spring Steering Front axle Turning radius unk

No/wheels 4+4 **Tire Size** 12.00x18

General Data:

24V Elec voltage

Radio As fitted by user

Night Vision: as fitted by user

Performance:

Speed/Land 50 mph (80 km/h) Speed/Water 5.5 mph (9 km/h) Range 310 mi (500 km) Fording depth Amphibious Max grade 52.4 %

Trench 48 in (1220 mm) Step 15.8 in (400 mm)



Above and top: Soviet/Russian 2P32 missile carriers. Fitted with powered (non-armored) cover panels, the top could also be supplemented with a tarp to keep out the weather. (Photos: Author's collection)

Remarks: A direct conversion of the BRDM-1 armored reconnaissance vehicle, the 2P32 mounted the AT-2a Swatter anti-tank missile. Specifications for the AT-2a included: Missile length: 3.67 ft (1100 mm). Body Dia: 5.9 in (150mm). Launch Weight: 59.5 lbs (27 kg). Power: (1) solid fuel rocket. Max Speed: 492 ft (150 m) per sec. Warhead: HEAT. Minimum range: 1312 ft (400 m). Maximum range: 8202 ft (2500 m). Guidance: Radio guided command to line-of-sight with Active Homing. Control by elevons on trailing edge. Launcher designator: 2P32.

2P32 Carrier Usage: Soviet Union.

Manufacturer: GAZ, Soviet State Factories, USSR.

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