

## THE NEW DRAGOON BUDDY SYSTEM

Prior to the Civil War the two regiments of U.S. Dragoons were responsible for protecting nearly the entire western frontier of the United States. These were hardy soldiers capable of being self sufficient for long periods of time. They depended upon their fellow Dragoons, their "buddies", and shared not only the hardships of the field but also their weapons, equipment and other gear. The Dragoon Vehicle of today continues the tradition of its namesake. It too shares with its buddies, but today it's interchangeability and commonality that is shared.

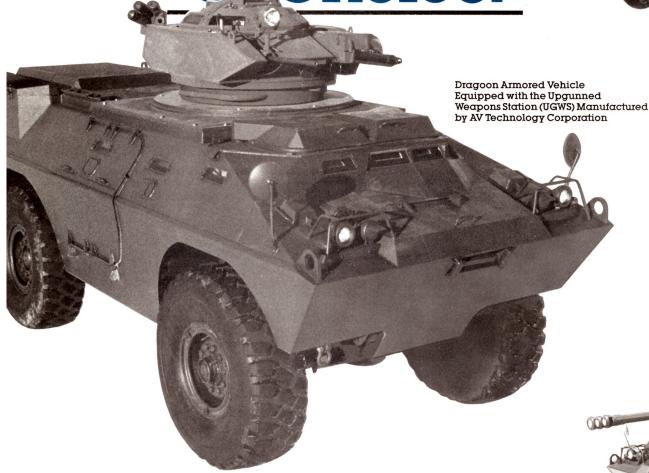
These Major Components
Are The Heart Of The Buddy System:

- Diesel Engine
- Automatic Transmission
- Front and Rear Axle
- Central Tire Inflation System
- Starter and Alternator
- Lighting and ElectricalWheels and Tires
- Weapons Systems
- MS Standard Parts

The Dragoon Armored Vehicle makes maximum use of standard military parts and components that are common to a variety of field proven tactical vehicles such as the M113A Series Armored Personnel Carrier, the M809 and M939 Series Five-Ton Trucks and the U.S. Marine Corps Light Armored Vehicle. More than seventy percent of the serviceable parts and components used in the manufacture of the Dragoon Armored Vehicle are interchangeable with these other vehicles. This is the heart of the Dragoon Buddy System.

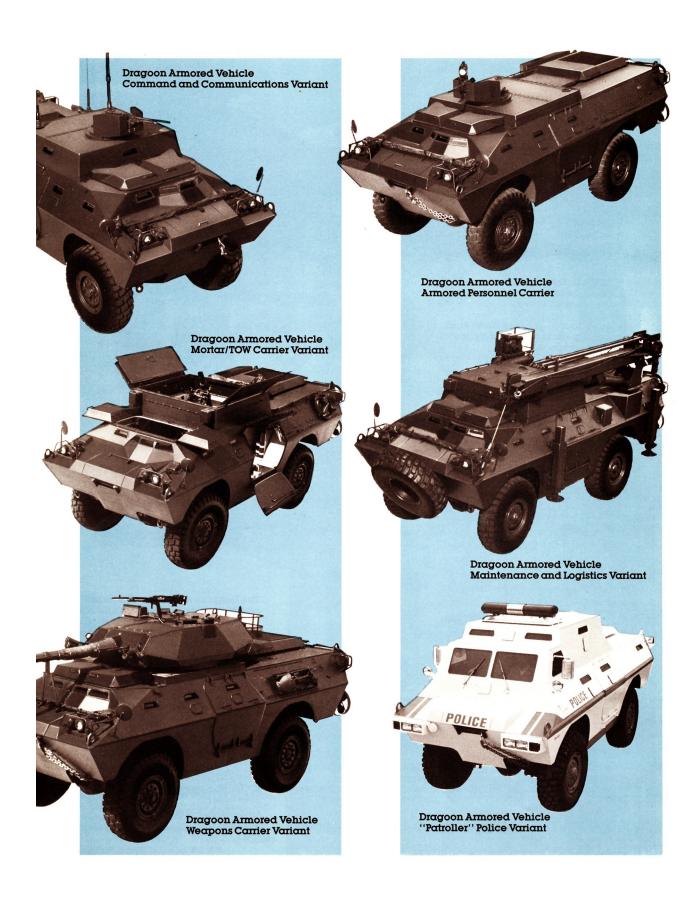
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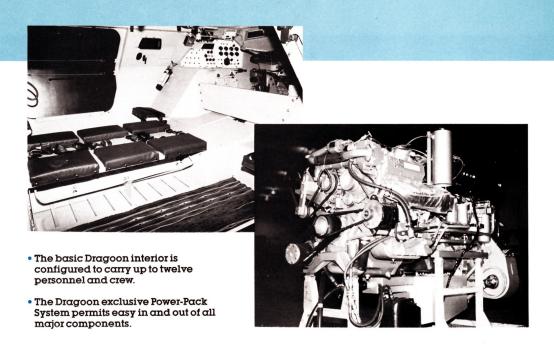
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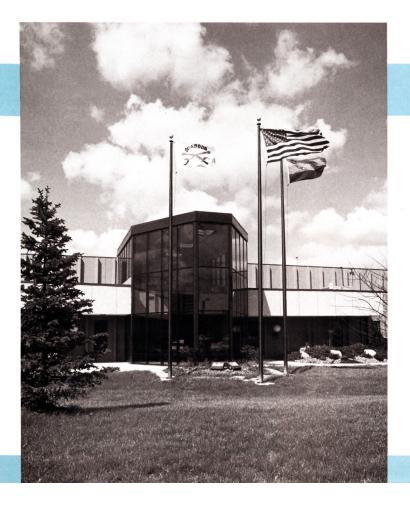


There are few differences in the basic performance characteristics of most wheeled armored vehicles. What really sets them apart is reliability and maintainability. The Dragoon is a proven performer with the added advantages of simple field maintenance and logistics commonality. Features like the Dragoon's

exclusive Power-Pack System that permits the field removal of the engine, transmission, cooling system and hydraulic system as a single unit in less than one half hour, and simplified on-board diagnostics make the Dragoon the Vehicle of Choice for a growing number of military users and civilian agencies.







The Dragoon Armored Vehicle and its associated weapons system and variants are manufactured and assembled at our modern and spacious facilities. For more information on the Dragoon Buddy System, please contact.

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