

# Armored Security Vehicle (ASV)

Supports the entire spectrum of military police missions, as well as protects convoys in hostile areas.



## DESCRIPTION AND SPECIFICATIONS

The M1117 Armored Security Vehicle (ASV) is a turreted, light armored, all-wheel drive vehicle that supports military police missions, such as rear area security, law and order operations, convoy protection, battlefield circulation, and enemy prisoner of war operations, over the entire spectrum of war and operations other than war.

ASV provides protection to the crew compartment, gunner's station, and the ammunition storage area. The turret is fully enclosed with both an MK-19 40mm grenade machine gun and a .50-caliber machine gun, and a multi-salvo smoke grenade launcher. The ASV provides ballistic protection for its four-person crew against up to .50-caliber armor-penetrating, blast protection against 12-pound mines to the wheels and 4-pound mine to the underbody, and overhead protection against 155mm artillery rounds. The ASV has a payload of 3,360 pounds and supports Army transformation with its 400 miles plus range, top speed of 70 miles per hour, and C-130 deployability.

The ASV program had been scheduled for termination in FY06. However, recent combat operations in support of the War on Terror have proven the effectiveness of this system and therefore the Army has revived production to meet operational needs in theater. The ASV was recently selected by senior Army leaders as the end-state convoy protection platform, and production of the ASV is being accelerated to meet this as well as military police requirements.

## PROGRAM STATUS

- **FY04–05** Continued fielding of ASV to corps support military police companies

## PROJECTED ACTIVITIES

- **1QFY06** Complete current fielding



## CONTRACTORS

Textron Marine and Land Systems  
(New Orleans, LA)

## INVESTMENT COMPONENT

## ACQUISITION PHASE

- Concept and Technology Development
- System Development and Demonstration
- Production and Deployment
- Operations and Support

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