LASER WEAPON SYSTEMS

TURNING UP THE HEAT WITH SPEED-OF-LIGHT RESPONSE

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Lockheed Martin has specialized in laser weapon system development for 40 years, with advancements in areas such as precision pointing and control, line-of-sight stabilization and adaptive optics – essential functions in harnessing and directing the power of a laser beam – and in compact, robust, spectrally beam-combined fiber laser devices that provide unmatched performance.

Lockheed Martin's directed energy (DE) laser program draws upon our proven expertise across a broad range of capabilities, as well as our spirit of innovation. Our experience includes:

- The beam-control/fire-control system for a megawatt-class laser that destroyed a ballistic missile in flight
- High-power spectrally beam-combined fiber lasers that provide the most efficient conversion of platform prime power into lethal power on target
- Unique SWIR component capabilities that significantly extend the ISR (intelligence, surveillance, and reconnaissance) range of the DE laser system
- Widespread weapons-system and platform integration experience across all DoD services

REVOLUTIONARY TECHNOLOGY

Laser weapons are a revolutionary technology because of the advantages of speed, flexibility, precision and low cost per engagement that are only possible with lasers.

These advantages apply to stand-alone DE laser systems as well as to weapon systems that combine DE and kinetic energy capabilities. In these cases, DE operates as a force multiplier, enabling the warfighter to counter a growing range of emerging threats.

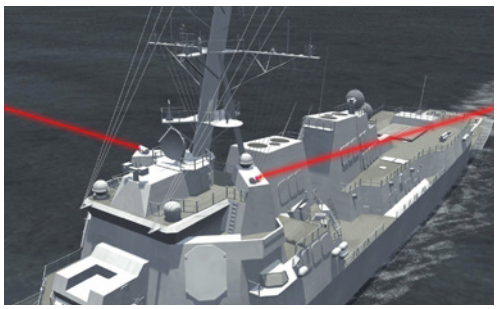
DE weapons are characterized by:

- Very deep magazine
- Extremely low cost per engagement
- Speed of light delivery

These strengths mean that they are well-suited to countering large numbers of inexpensive, highly maneuverable threats that might otherwise exhaust the magazines of our current defensive kinetic energy (KE) weapons. By using DE and KE weapons together, the warfighter will be able to neutralize emerging swarming threats while reserving our most capable kinetic weapons to defend against our adversaries' largest and most hardened threats. DE weapon systems support multi-mission scenarios, and can be readily augmented by communications functions, as well as unprecedented intelligence, surveillance and reconnaissance range, and precision.

In addition, Lockheed Martin's directed energy weapons bring some important and unique advantages to the warfighter:

- A robust and highly-maintainable laser architecture that is designed to minimize life-cycle cost and to maximize up-time
- Output laser power that can be rapidly adjusted between low and maximum power to support disrupt, disable, and destroy capabilities
- Highly parallel laser architecture that supports graceful degradation by eliminating almost all single points of failure



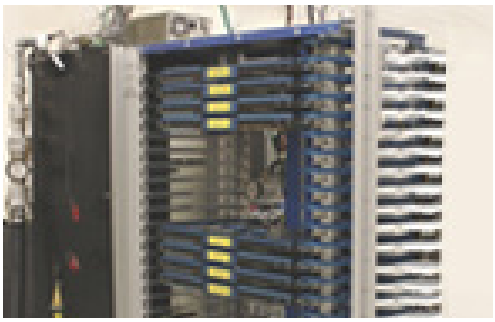
- Highest system efficiency demonstrated in any DE laser system; minimizing size weight and power requirements for DE platforms such as Army and Marine Corps ground vehicles, Navy DDG and LCS ships, and SOCOM AC-130
- Highest lethality laser to minimize engagement time

LOCKHEED MARTIN IS ADVANCING AND DEMONSTRATING A RANGE OF LASER WEAPON SYSTEM TECHNOLOGIES:

ADAM (Area Defense Anti-Munitions)

- Autonomous operations for rocket threats; accepts external sensor cue when required; capable of continuous operation
- Successfully engaged constrained and free-flying rockets, an unmanned aircraft systems (UAS) target in flight, and a small boat
- Affordable commercial-off-the-shelf (COTS) based system with very low cost-per-kill; deep magazine; scalable precision effects
- Capable of close-in defense (1-4 km)

ALADIN (Accelerated Laser Demonstration Initiative)



- 30-kilowatt laser made by combining many fiber lasers into a single, near-perfect-quality beam of light
- Uses approximately 50 percent less electricity than alternative solid-state laser technologies
- Spectral Beam Combining sends beams from multiple fiber laser modules, each with a unique wavelength, into a combiner that forms a single, powerful, high-quality beam

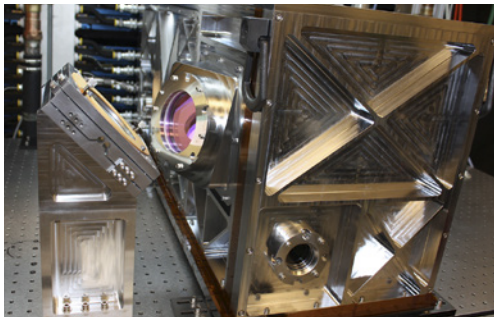
ATHENA (Advanced Test High Energy Asset)

- Represents highest power level documented by a laser weapon system of this type, while retaining excellent beam quality and electrical efficiency
- First field testing of an integrated 30-kilowatt single-mode fiber laser weapon system prototype
- Uses the proven high-energy laser weapon system architecture from our ADAM system, and incorporates the 30-kilowatt ALADIN laser

ABC Turret (Aero-adaptive Aero-optic Beam Control)

- Prototype turret with the ability to fire in any direction mounted on tactical aircraft
- First turret to demonstrate a 360-degree field of regard for laser weapon systems on an aircraft flying near the speed of sound
- Validated performance with nearly 60 flight tests conducted in 2014 and 2015 using a business jet as a low-cost flying test bed

RELI (Robust Electric Laser Initiative) for Army HELMTT (High Energy Laser Mobile Test Truck) Demonstrator



- Modular 60-kW laser in development for the U.S. Army
- Proven affordable weapon architecture that supports size, weight and power constraints for air, sea and land platforms
- Scalable design combines multiple kilowatt lasers to attain various weapon power levels
- Modularity results in a reliable and low maintenance laser system that minimizes single points of failure

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