



PIMPF - The German Hard Target Fuze is ready

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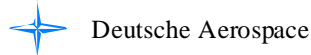


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Short History on TDW's Hard Target Fuzes



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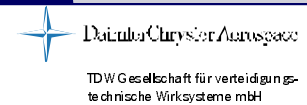
Layered Hard Target Detection - Made Simple

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Intelligent Hard Target Fuze



*„Flexibility In Fuzing“
&
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in Munitions Manufacturing“*

**PIMPF:
The Intelligent Hard Target Fuze
for the
MEPHISTO
Multiple Warhead System**

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What is PIMPF?

Programmable
Intelligent
Multi-
Purpose
Fuze

PIMPF (as it is ready for use today)

= Intelligent Hard Target Fuze

for the **MEPHISTO** Penetrating Multiple Warhead System (MWS)

of the German **TAURUS KEPD 350** Stand-Off Weapon System



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Overview

1. Introduction / Key Features of PIMPF

2. PIMPF - The German Hard Target Fuze is ready

- Qualification Testing
 - Summary of Environmental Testing
- Experimental Results against
 - hard reinforced concrete layers
 - steel structures
- Application in a modern Anti-Ship Missile

3. The Way to a 2" PIMPF



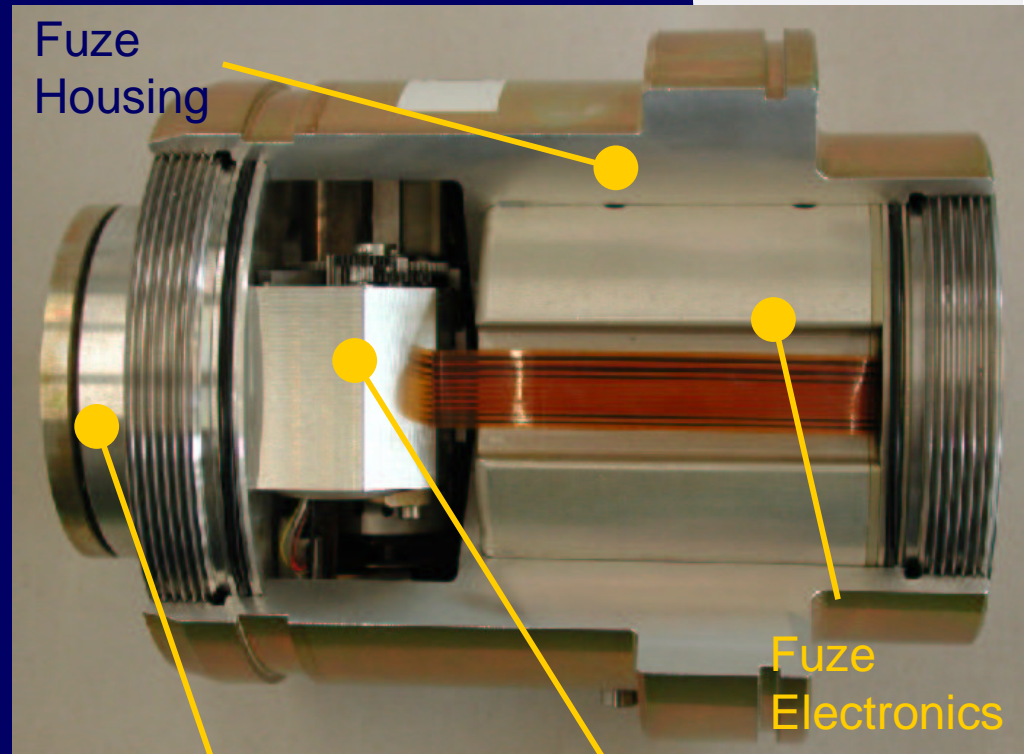
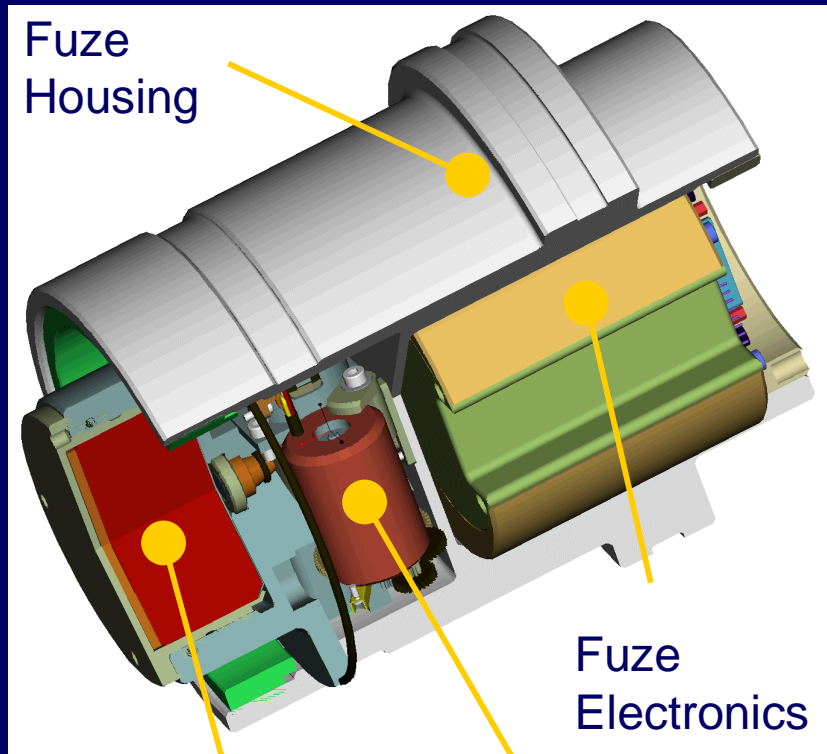
1. Introduction / Key Features of PIMPF



Key Features of PIMPF

- Shock sensing and intelligent signal processing
- Detection of hard and soft layers:
⇒ *event detection and layer counting capability*
- Void detection
- Programmable pre-selection of target types
- Optimum fuzing point determination according to actual target structure and mission planning
- Built-in-Test capability
- High g-load resistance

PIMPF for MEPHISTO Overall Design



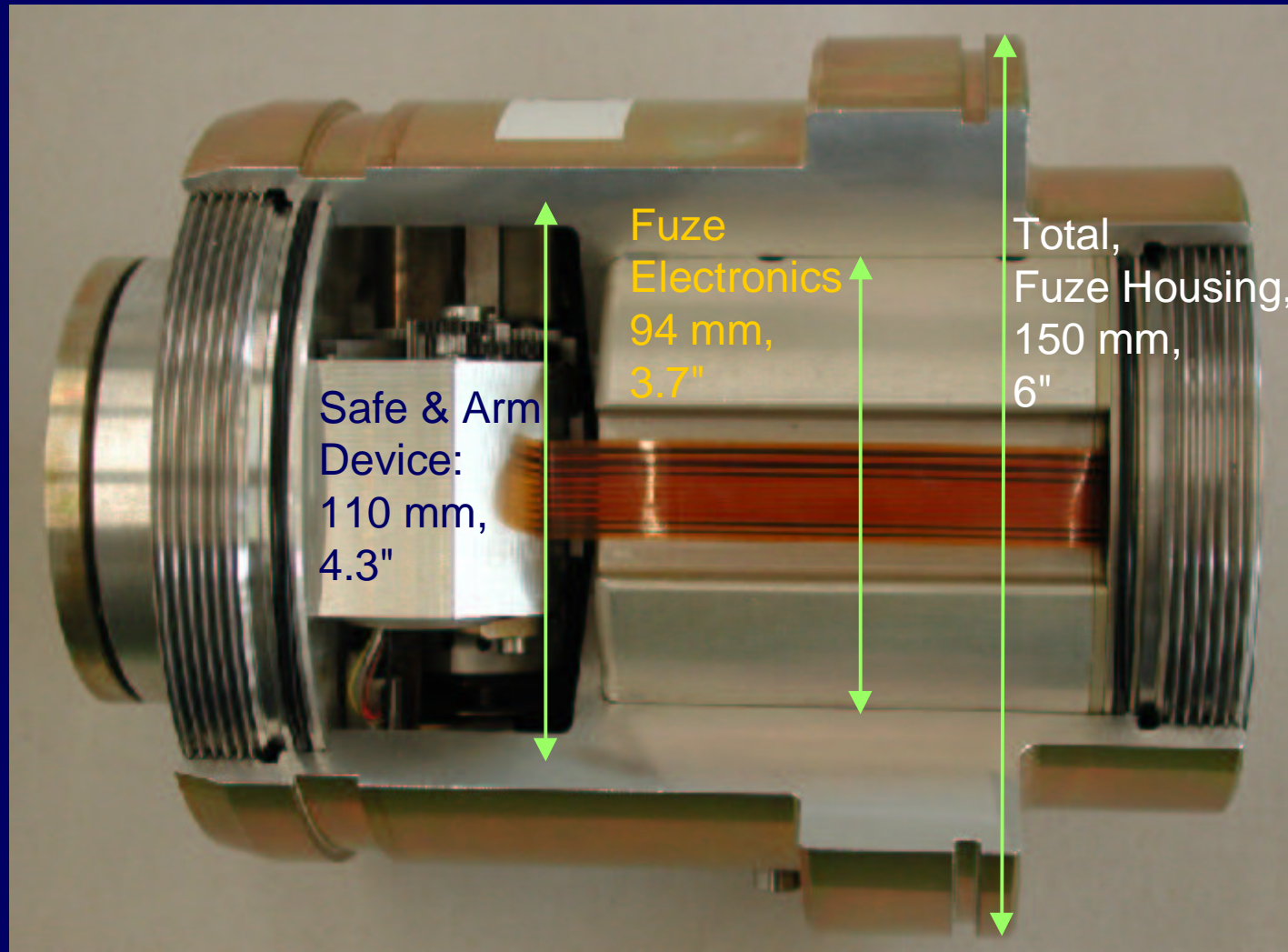
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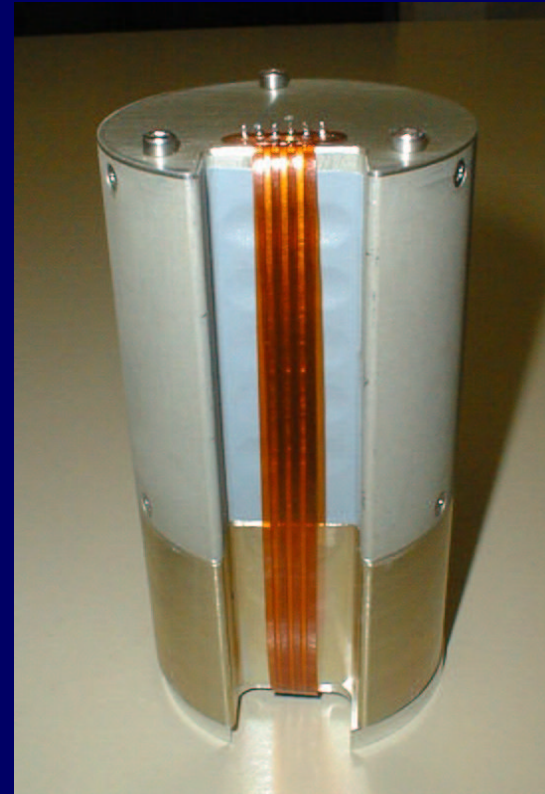
PIMPF for MEPHISTO Diameters



PIMPF Fuze Electronics / Realized Variants



- Diameter: 94 mm / 3.7"
- Length: 78 mm / 3"



- Diameter: 64 mm / 2.5"
- Length: 120 mm / 4.7"



Key Features of PIMPF for MEPHISTO

	PIMPF Fuze (compl., incl. SAD)	PIMPF Electronics (SPU + Batteries)	
• Diameter :	150 mm (~6")	94 / 64 mm	(3.7" / 2.5")
• Length :	175 mm (~7")	78 / 120 mm	(3" / 4.7")
• Total mass :	appr. 5 kg	appr. 0.9 kg	
• Shock resistance: (demonstrated)	10.000 g / 10 msec axial 8.000 g / 5 msec lateral		
• Operating temperature :	- 40 °C to + 63 °C		
• Storage temperature :	- 54 °C to + 71 °C		
• Power Consumption:	12 VDC - 15 W max. (Electr. Supply) 28 VDC - 1 W (Firing circuit)		
• Environmental Resistance:	acc. to MIL-STD-331 and 810		
• EMC Requirements :	EUROFIGHTER and TORNADO		

PIMPF Fuze Electronics / Characteristics

Self-sufficient
Power Supply

Signal Processing
Unit (SPU)



- Shock sensor
(range: 60.0000 g)
- Microprocessor-based
Signal Processing Unit (SPU)
- Self-sufficient Power Supply
(Lithium-Battery)
- Firing circuit
- Serial Interface, TTL-Level,
(RS 422)



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Qualification Testing and Experimental Results



Qualification Testing / Successfully Performed

- Transportation Vibration: MIL-STD-810D, Method 514.3, Procedure I
- Flight Vibration: MIL-STD-810D, Method 514.3, Procedure IV
- Mechanical Shock: MIL-STD-810D, Method 514.3, Procedure I+V
- High Temperature: MIL-STD-810D, Method 501.2, Procedure II
- Low Temperature: MIL-STD-810D, Method 502.2, Procedure I+II
- Temperature Shock: MIL-STD-810D, Method 503.2, Procedure II
- Humidity: MIL-STD-810D, Method 507.2, Procedure II
- Transportation Vibration: MIL-STD-331B, B1
- Temperature and Humidity: MIL-STD-331B, C1
- One and One-Half Meter Drop: MIL-STD-331B, A4.1
- Temperature Shock: MIL-STD-331B, C7
- Primary Explosive Component Safety: MIL-STD-331B, D1



Qualification Testing / Formal Validation (to be finalized)

- *Jolt: MIL-STD-331B, A1*
- *Jumble: MIL-STD-331B, A2*
- *Twelve Meter Drop: MIL-STD-331B, A3*
- Transportation Vibration: MIL-STD-331B, B1
- Temperature and Humidity: MIL-STD-331B, C1
- One and One-Half Meter Drop: MIL-STD-331B, A4.1
- Temperature Shock: MIL-STD-331B, C7
- Humidity: MIL-STD-331A, PV 108
- Primary Explosive Component Safety: MIL-STD-331B, D1

MIL-STD 331B: FUZE COMPONENTS, ENVIRONMENTAL AND PERFORMANCE TESTS FOR
MIL-STD 810D: ENVIRONMENTAL TEST METHODS AND ENGINEERING GUIDELINES

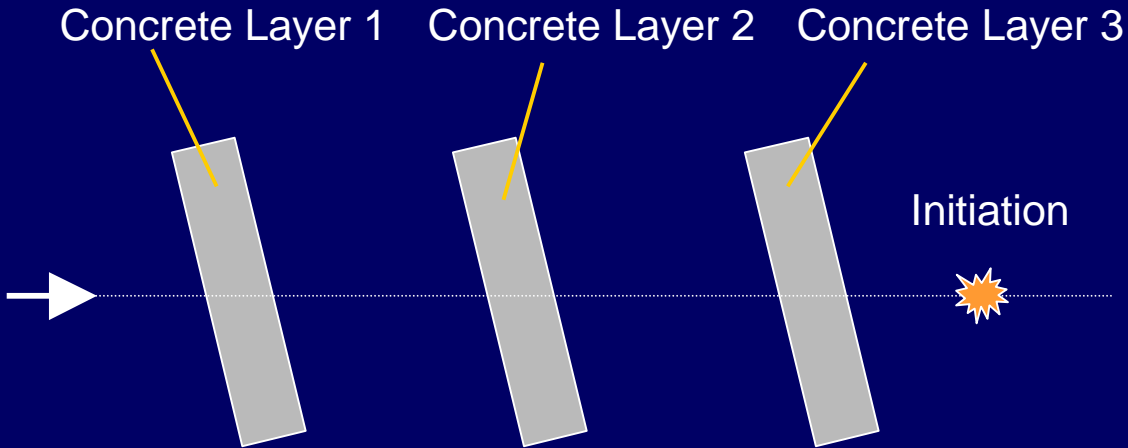


Experimental Results / "Full-Scale Tests" (1)

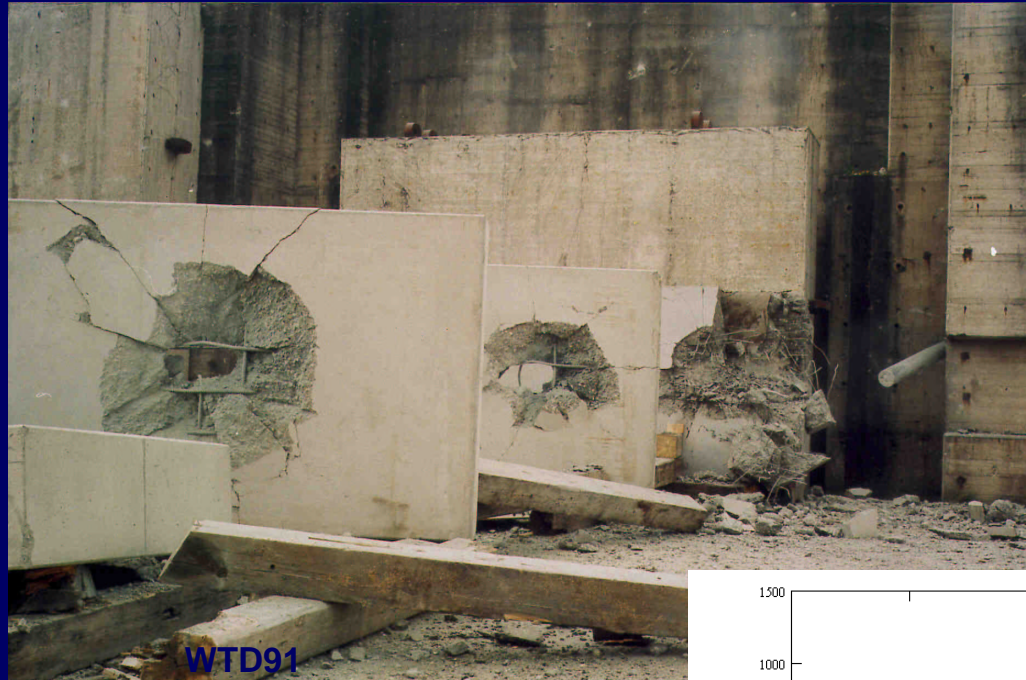
Test Set-up: 1:1 Penetrator + PIMPF + Precharge (Tandem WH)

Target Type	No. of Tests	
		with Precharge
"Bunker" 3 layers of reinforced concrete	2	+ 1
"Shelter" (Sand / reinforced concrete / gravel / reinforced concrete)	1	+ 3
"Heavy Bunker" (one massive layer of reinforced concrete)	1	+ 1
"Ship" (2 steel plates)	3	
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	Total (full-scale):	12 (plus 8 half-scale)

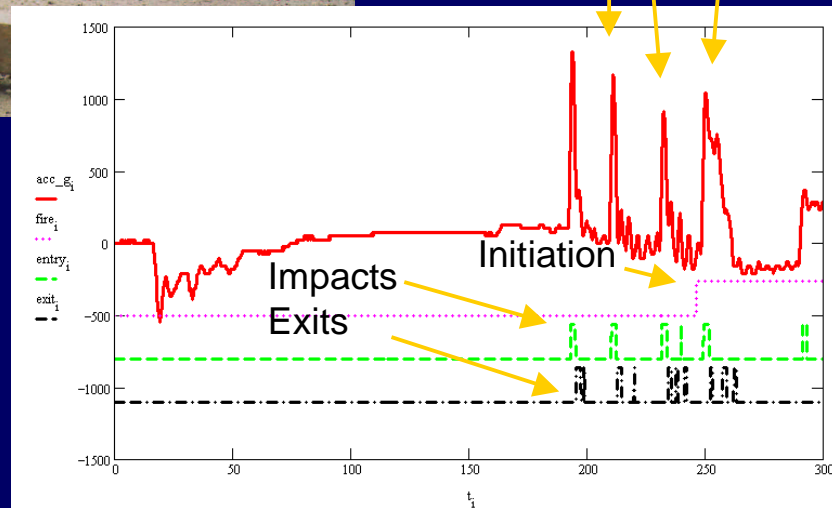
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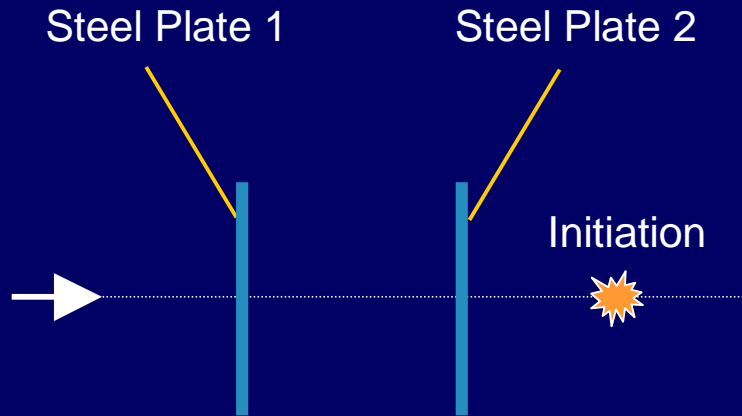
Test Results - "Bunker" Target (2)



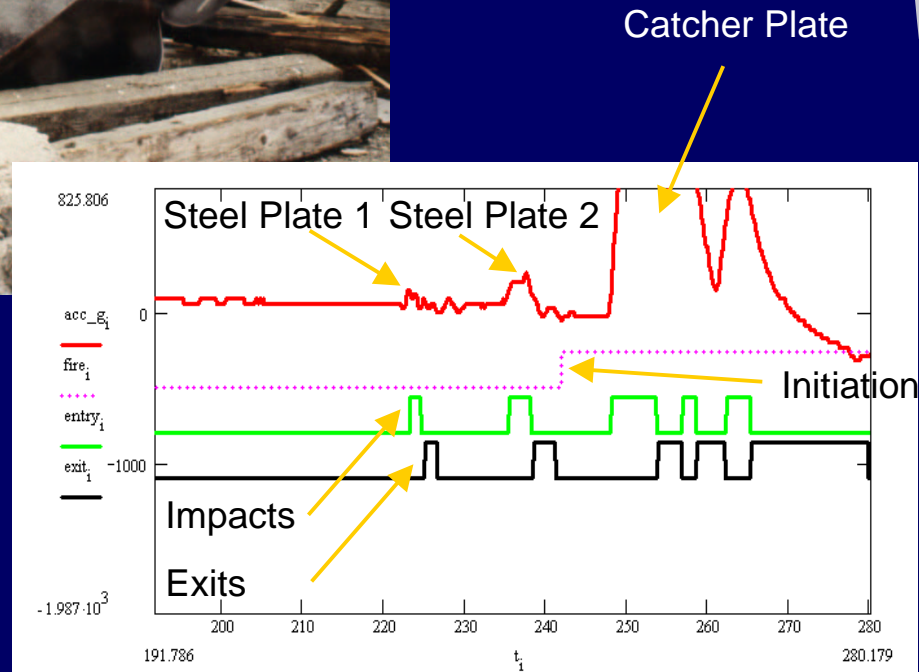
3 Concrete Plates
Catcher Plate



Test Results - "Ship" Target (1)



Test Results - "Ship" Target (2)

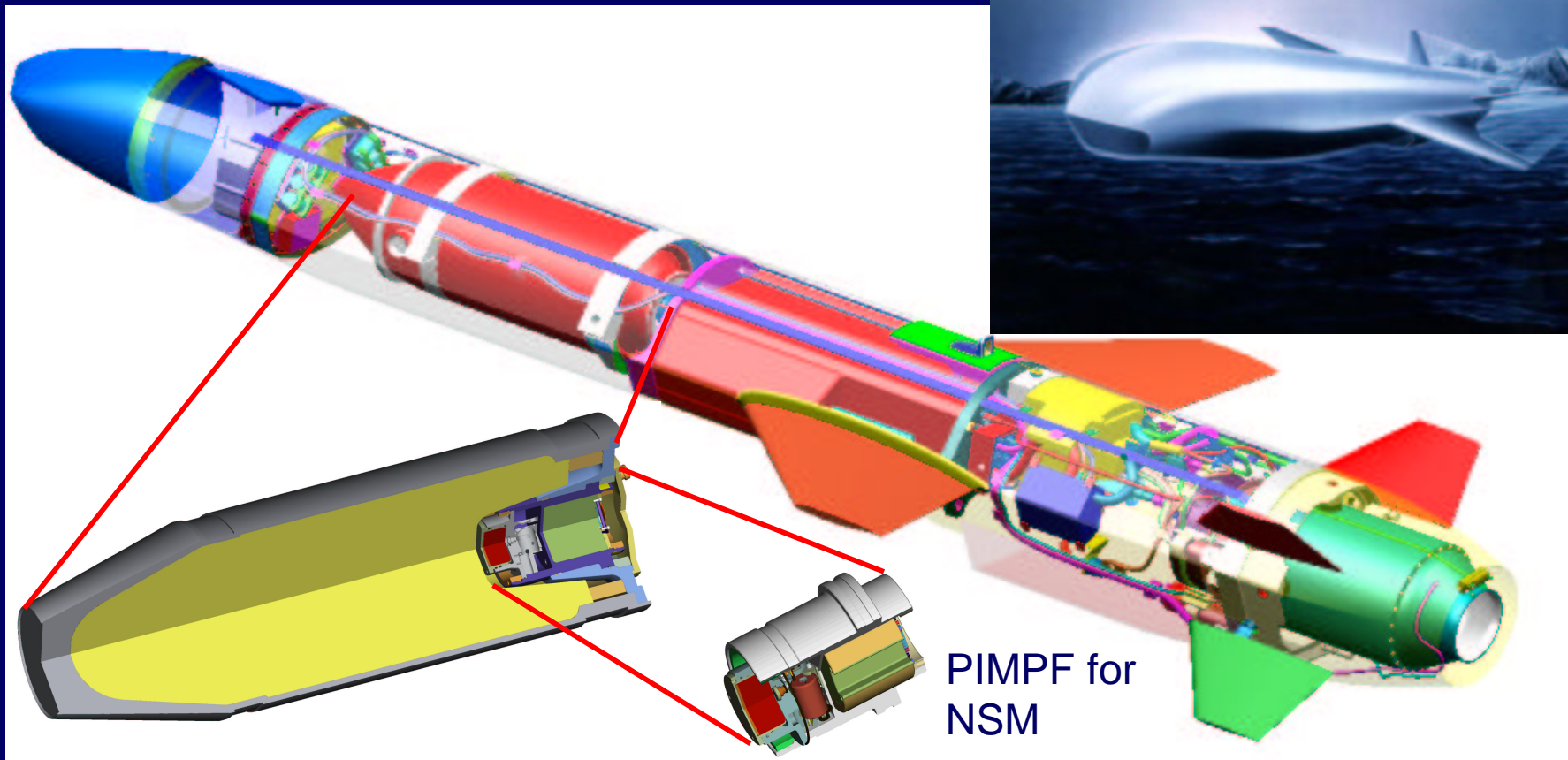




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Application in a modern Anti-Ship Missile

PIMPF's second Application: NSM - The new Anti-Ship Missile from KONGSBERG



3. The Way to a 2" PIMPF



The miniaturized PIMPF

Solution:

Combination of a **miniaturized** PIMPF Fuze Electronics / Signal Processing Unit with

→ A

a **miniaturized** shock resistant, 2" compatible SAD (electro-mechanical SAD or ESAD)

→ B

Result : **Smart 2" Programmable Hard Target Fuze**

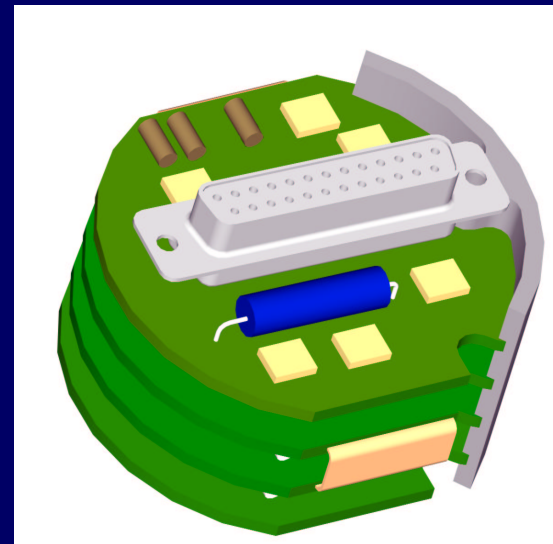
Time frame (for Validation): 1.5 - 2 years

The miniaturized PIMPF

→ A Miniaturized Fuze Electronics / Signal Processing Unit

- Realization is initiated by TDW (self funded)
- Area / space determining elements are identified
- Alternative PCB layout with smaller sized components is completed
- Two Connectors are reduced to one

Envisaged Diameter : **1.8"**





The miniaturized PIMPF

→ B Miniaturized 2" compatible Safe & Arm Device

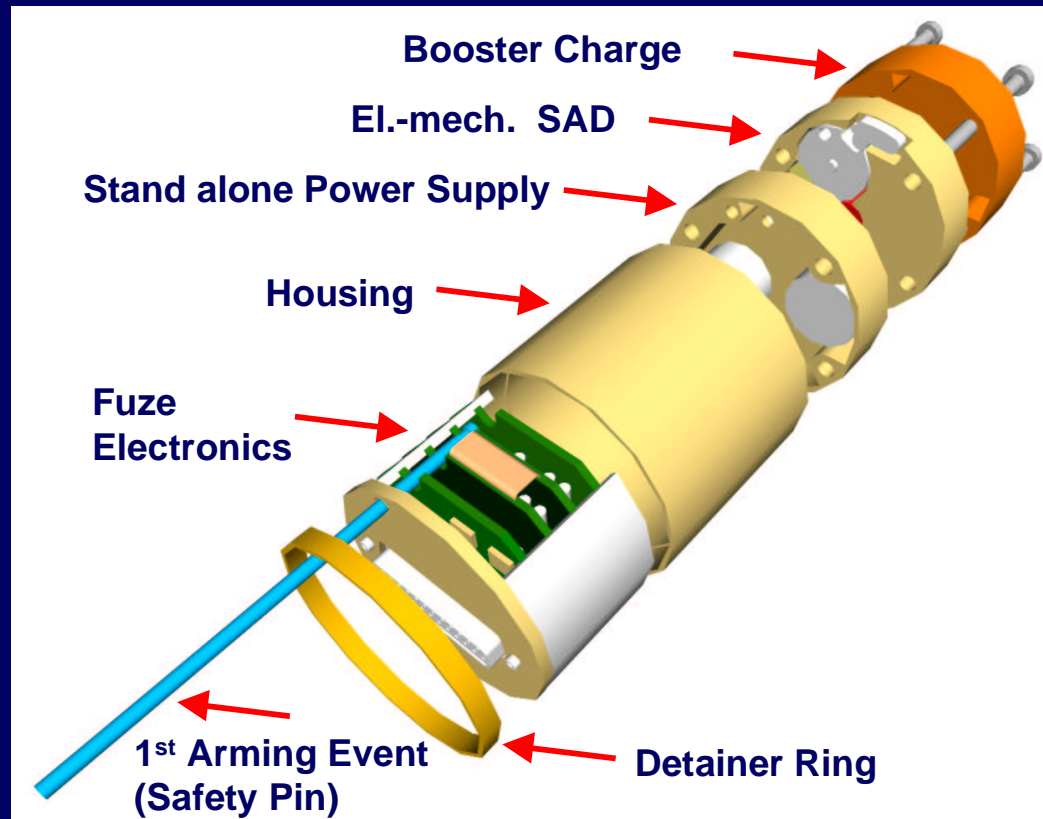
1:

Electro-mechanical version derived from TDW's proven 2.8" SAD

2:

existing and qualified SAD provided by somebody else (electro-mechanical or shock proof ESAD) and integrated by TDW (or partner)

The miniaturized PIMPF



Result : **2" Smart, Programmable Hard Target Fuze**

with low risk, because it is derived from existing, qualified fuzes with moderate modifications

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