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Transparency in the global reported arms trade.

Reporting country: United Kingdom

Calendar year: 2020

Report of international conventional arms transfers (according to United Nations General Assembly resolutions 46/36 L and 58/54)

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Exports

Category	Trading partner	Number of items	State of origin (if not exporter)	Intermediate location(s)	Description of items	Comments on the transfer
I. Battle tanks	Canada	1	None		Chieftain	Museum display
I. Battle tanks	Poland	1	None		T34/85	Museum display
I. Battle tanks	United States	1	None		M4 Sherman Tank	Private collection
I. Battle tanks	United States	1	None		Chieftain	Museum & public display
I. Battle tanks	United States	1	None		G13	Museum display
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Australia	1	None		Vector Pinzagauer 718	Private collection
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Belgium	1	None		LAV 700	Returned to manufacturer
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Canada	1	None		CVR(W) Fox	Private collection

II. Armoured combat vehicles	Canada	1	None	Ferret Scout Car	Private collection
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Djibouti	8	None	AFV SPartan CVR(T)	Law enforcement agency
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Djibouti	9	None	Iveco 168M11	Law enforcement agency
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Estonia	1	None	Saracen	Private collection
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Estonia	4	None	Supacat HMT Extenda	Government
II. Armoured combat vehicles	India	2	None	Warthog all terrain protected mobility vehicle	Government
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Italy	2	None	Warthog all terrain protected mobility vehicle	Government
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Luxembourg	1	None	Alvis Shielder	Private collection
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Malaysia	1	None		Government
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Mozambique	2	None	Land rover Defender 110	Logistics support
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Netherlands	1	None	NL Boxer PT46	Returned to owner
II. Armoured combat vehicles	New Zealand	1	None	Spartan APC	Private collection
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Saudi Arabia	2	None	RapidRanger	Personal Protection
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Spain	1	None	Fox reconnaissance vehicle	Private collection
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Sweden	2	None	Armoured Ford F-550	Law enforcement
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	1	None	Loyd Carrier	Private collection

II. Armoured combat					
vehicles	United States	1	None	CVR(T) Spartan	Private collection
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	1	None	Replica panzer tank	Museum display
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	1	None	FV103 Spartan	Private collection
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	1	None	Stormer	Museum display
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	1	None	FV439 APC	Museum display
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	1	None	Flyer 72	Private collection
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	1	None	FV105 sultan	Returned to owner
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	1	None	FV432	Private collection
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	1	None	Ferret Scout car	Private collection
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	1	None	Land rover 110 Tithonus	Personal use
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	1	None	Saracen APC Mk5	Private collection
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	1	None	FV433 Abbott SPG	Corporate use
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	4	None	Vector	Public displays
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	3	None	CVR(T) Sabre	Private collection
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	1	None	Ferret Scout Car	Private collection
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	1	None	Saracen APC	Private collection

II. Armoured combat					
vehicles	United States	1	None	FV433 Abbott SPG	Private collection
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	2	None	FV433 Abbot SPG	Public displays
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	1	None	CVR(T) Spartan	Public displays
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	4	None	Ferret Scout Car	Public displays
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	3	None	FV432	Public displays
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	1	None	Saxon	Public displays
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	1	None	CVR(W) Fox	Public displays
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	3	None	CVR(T) Sabre Tank	Museum displays
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	2	None	Stormer	Museum displays
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	4	None	Ferret Scout Car	Museum displays
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	1	None	CVR(T) Sultan	Museum displays
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	2	None	Dingo Scout Car	Museum displays
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States	2	None	Glover Webb Tactica	Museum displays
III. Large calibre artillery systems	Belgium	1	None	105mm Canon CV	Returned to manufacturer
III. Large calibre artillery systems	United States	1	None	120mm MOBAT	Museum display
III. Large calibre artillery systems	United States	1	None	FH70 155mm Howitzer	Private collection

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III. Large calibre artillery systems	United States	1	None		French 75mm Field Gun	Private collection
III. Large calibre artillery systems	United States	1	None		M1 155mm Howitzer	Private collection
IV. (a) Combat aircraft	Czech Rep.	1	None		Blackburn Buccaneer	Public display
V. Attack helicopters	Brazil	5	None			
V. Attack helicopters	Italy	1	None			
V. Attack helicopters	Portugal	5	None			
VI. Warships	United States	1	None		DCS2 Submersible	
VII. (a) Missiles and missile launchers	India	344	None			
VII. (a) Missiles and missile launchers	Saudi Arabia	144	None			
VII. (b) Man-Portable Air-Defence Systems (MANPADS).	Brazil	56	None			
VII. (b) Man-Portable Air-Defence Systems (MANPADS).	Rep. of Korea	33	None			
VII. (b) Man-Portable Air-Defence Systems (MANPADS).	Malaysia	21	None			
VII. (b) Man-Portable Air-Defence Systems (MANPADS).	Saudi Arabia	1	None			
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Imports

Cotogony	Trading partner	Number of	State of origin (if	Intermediate	Description of items	Comments on the transfer
Category	Trading partner	items	not exporter)	location(s)	Description of items	Comments on the transfer

Military holdings

Category	Number of items	Description of items	Comments on the transfer
I. Battle tanks	302	Challenger 2	
II. Armoured combat vehicles	10	AJAX	10 AJAX 4 of these vehicles are at Oakdale, Merthyr Tydfil or Bovington and are owned/controlled by GD at the moment. 6 of these vehicles are at Merthyr Tydfil undergoing acceptance for deliver at the moment
II. Armoured combat vehicles	6	APOLLO	2 of these vehicles are at Oakdale, Merthyr Tydfil or Bovington and are owned/controlled by GD at the moment. 1 vehicle is at Merthyr Tydfil waiting to enter he acceptance process for delivery to the Army. 3 vehicles have been delivered to the Army
II. Armoured combat vehicles	7	ATLAS	1 vehicle is at Oakdale, Merthyr Tydfil or Bovington and is owned/controlled by GD at the moment. 3 of these vehicles are at Merthyr Tydfil waiting to enter the acceptance process for delivery to the Army. 3 vehicles have been delivered to the Army
II. Armoured combat vehicles	5	ATHENA	1 vehicle is at Oakdale, Merthyr Tydfil or Bovington and is owned/controlled by GD at the moment. 4 of these vehicles are at Merthyr Tydfil waiting to enter the acceptance process for delivery to the Army
II. Armoured combat vehicles	14	ARES/ARGUS	2 of thse vehicles are at Oakdale, merthyr Tydfil or Bovington and are owned/controlled by GD at the moment. 5 of these vehicles are at Merthyr Tydfil and are undergoing retrofit activity. 8 vehicles have been delivered to HQ Army
II. Armoured combat vehicles	159	CVR(T) Scimitar (Mk1)	42 vehicles marked for disposal
II. Armoured combat vehicles	28	CVR(T) Scimitar (Mk2)	

II. Armoured combat vehicles	202	CVR(T) Spartan (Mk1)	38 vehicles marked for disposal
II. Armoured combat vehicles	17	CVR(T) Spartan (Mk2)	
II. Armoured combat vehicles	72	CVR(T) Sultan (Mk1)	9 vehicles marked for disposal
II. Armoured combat vehicles	4	CVR(T) Sultan (Mk2)	
II. Armoured combat vehicles	25	CVR(T) Samson (Mk1)	8 vehicles marked for disposal
II. Armoured combat vehicles	5	CVR(T) Samson (Mk2)	
II. Armoured combat vehicles	31	CVR(T) Samaritan (Mk1)	3 vehicles marked for disposal
II. Armoured combat vehicles	2	CVR(T) Samaritan (Mk2)	
II. Armoured combat vehicles	882	FV430 Series (Bulldog)	Category II Armoured Combat Vehicles 882 FV430 Series (Bulldog) 115 vehicles marked for diposal
II. Armoured combat vehicles	395	Panther	3x vehicles are now Static Training Aids (STAs)
II. Armoured combat vehicles	120	Viking	Includes 21 Watchkeeper VIKING variants
II. Armoured combat vehicles	767	Warrior	3 vehicles pending disposal 2x vehicles are now STAs
II. Armoured combat vehicles	412	Mastiff	25 vehicles pending disposal
II. Armoured combat vehicles	165	Ridgback	15 vehicles CAST pending disposal
II. Armoured combat vehicles	316	Husky	6 x Training Aids, 1 x Imperial War Museum
II. Armoured combat vehicles	125	Wolfhound	

III. Large calibre artillery systems	89	AS90 155mm SP Howitzer	47 vehicles in the disposal process
III. Large calibre artillery systems	126	105mm Light Gun	This includes 4 Light Gun that aren't fitted with the Automatic Pointing System, and are only used as training aids
III. Large calibre artillery systems	35	MLRS	
IV. (a) Combat aircraft	4	P-8A-Poseidon	
IV. (a) Combat aircraft	9	Reaper	
IV. (a) Combat aircraft	21	F35B- Lightning	3 remain in the US
IV. (a) Combat aircraft	137	Typhoon	
V. Attack helicopters	34	Apache Mk1	34 in Total Fleet; 28 in Forward Fleet; 4 in Sustainment Fleet; 1 in Trials; 1 in Storage; 12 taken out of service into E-Model remanufacture programme
V. Attack helicopters	34	Wildcat AH Mk1	34 in total Fleet; 25 in Forward Fleet; 3 in maintenance; 2 undergoing upgrades/modifications; 4 held in storage
V. Attack helicopters	28	Wildcat HMA Mk2	28 in Total Fleet; 20 in Forward Fleet; 4 in trials; 2 in maintenance; 2 undergoing upgrades/modifications
V. Attack helicopters	38	Merlin HM Mk1/2	38 in Total Fleet; 19 in Forward Fleet; 3 in Trials Programme; 3 in Modification Programme; 5 in Depth Maintenance and 8 inactive (Mk1) Sustainment aircraft held in storage
V. Attack helicopters	28	Merlin HC Mk4/4A Mk3/3a/3i	28 in Total Fleet; 14 in Forward Fleet; 9 in Modification Programme, 2 in Depth Maintenance and 3 inactive (Mk3). sustainment aircraft held in storage
VI. Warships	2	QEC Aircraft Carrier	HMS Queen Elizabeth, HMS Prince of Wales

VI. Warships	19	Frigates and Destroyers Type 45 and Type 23	Type 45 x 6 (Dragon, Defender, Daring, Dauntless, Duncan, Diamond) Type 23 x 13 (Westminister, Lancaster, Kent, Iron Duke, St Albans, Portland, Montrose, Sutherland, Monmouth, Somerset, Richmond, Northumberland, Argyll)
VI. Warships	2	Amphibious ships	Landing Platform Dock x 2 Albion, Bulwark
VI. Warships	13	Mines Coutermeasures Vessels	Sandown Class x7 (Grimsby, Blyth, Bangor, Ramsey, Shoreham, Pembroke, Penzance) Hunt Class x 6 (Chiddingford, Ledbury, Brocklesby, Cattistock, Hurworth, Middleton)
VI. Warships	7	Offshore Patrol Vessels	Tyne, Mersey, Trent, Tamar, Forth, Medway
VI. Warships	1	Primary Casualty Receiving Facility/Aviation Training ship	Argus
VI. Warships	12	12 Royal Fleet Auxiliares/Replenishment	Fleet Tanker x 6 (Wave Knight, Wave Ruler, Tidespring, Tiderace, Tidesurge, Tideforce) Fleet Replenishment Ship x 3 (Fort Victoria, Fort Rosalie, Fort Austin) Landing Ship Dock x 3 (Lyme Bay, Mounts Bay, Cardigan Bay)
VI. Warships	4	Survey Vessels	Ocean Survey Vessell x 1 (Scott) Coastal Survey Vessel x 2 (Echo, Enterprise) Inshore Survey Vessell x 1 (Magpie)
VI. Warships	1	Ice Patrol Vessel	Protector
VII. (a) Missiles and missile launchers	22536	Guided or unguided rockets, ballistic or cruise missiles capable of delivering a warhead or weapon of destruction to a range of 25 kilometres	
VII. (b) Man-Portable Air-Defence Systems (MANPADS).	2109		

Procurement

Category	Number of items	Description of items	Comments on the transfer
VII. (a) Missiles and missile launchers	12		

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