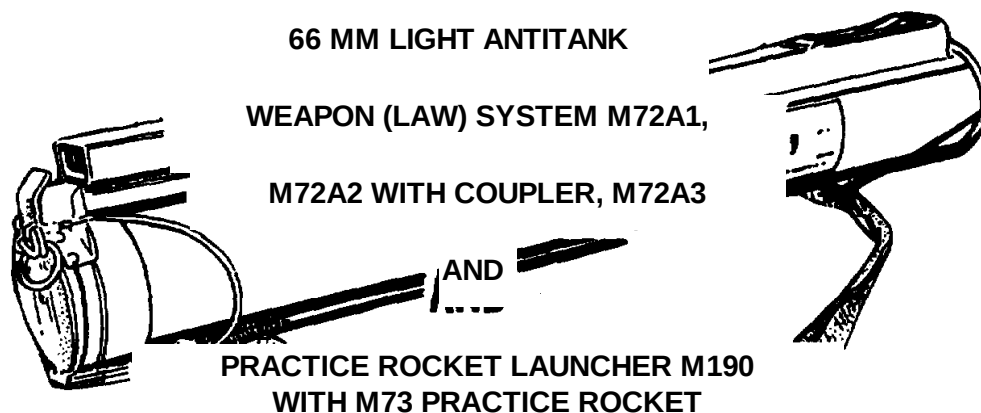




OPERATORS MANUAL
FOR
66 MM LIGHT ANTITANK
WEAPON (LAW) SYSTEM M72A1,
M72A2 WITH COUPLER, M72A3
AND
PRACTICE ROCKET LAUNCHER M190
WITH M73 PRACTICE ROCKET

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INTRODUCTION

SECTION I

GENERAL

1-1. SCOPE

THIS MANUAL CONTAINS A DESCRIPTION OF AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR OPERATIONS OF THE 66-MM LIGHT ANTITANK WEAPON (LAW) SYSTEM M72A1, M72A2 WITH COUPLER, AND M72A3.

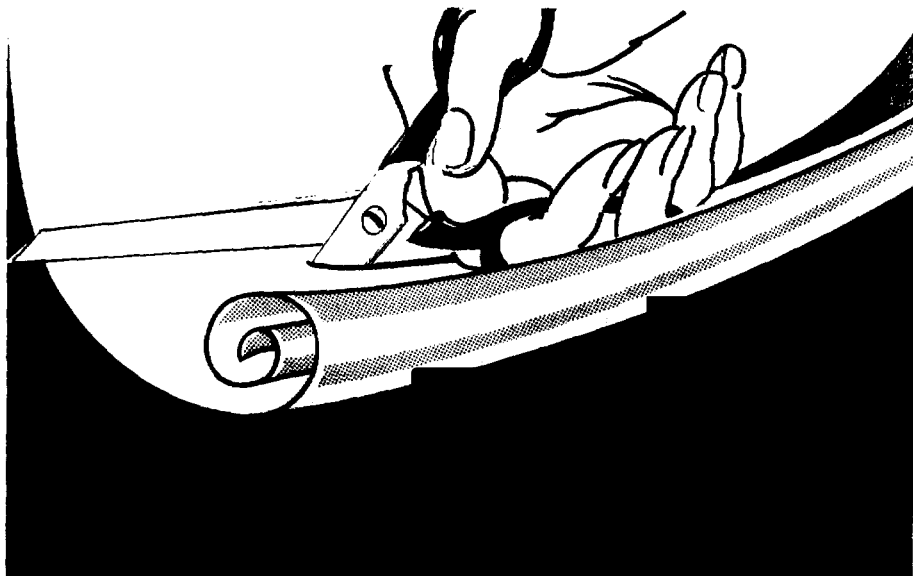
THE OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE TACTICAL AND PRACTICE WEAPONS ARE IDENTICAL.

THE PRACTICE LAUNCHER, M190 WITH M73 PRACTICE ROCKET, IS A MODIFIED M72A1 LAUNCHER CONVERTED TO FIRE A 35-MM M73 ROCKET. THE ROCKET, WHICH CONTAINS A SPOTTING CHARGE, SIMULATES THE FIRING OF THE TACTICAL WEAPON. SEE TM 91340-224-12 FOR OPERATOR AND UNIT MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS.

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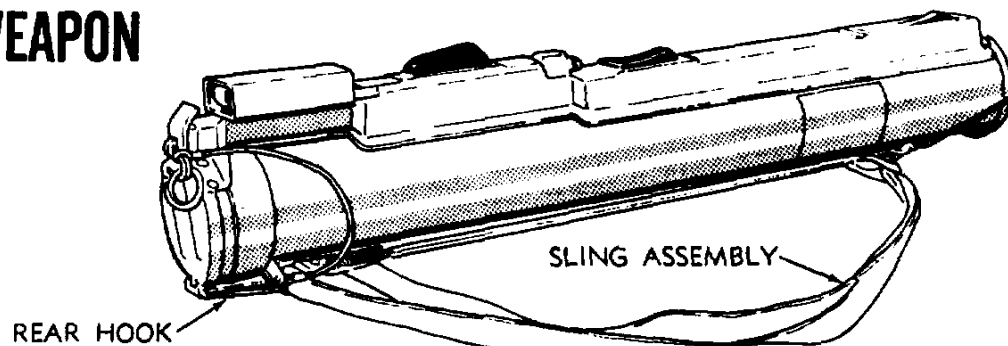
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CONSISTS OF A LIGHTWEIGHT SHOULDER-FIRED HEAT ROCKET PREPACKAGED IN A LAUNCHER. END COVERS PROTECTS ROCKET AGAINST DIRT AND MOISTURE. THE WEAPON IS CARRIED SLUNG OVER THE SHOULDER BY AN ATTACHED SLING ASSEMBLY.

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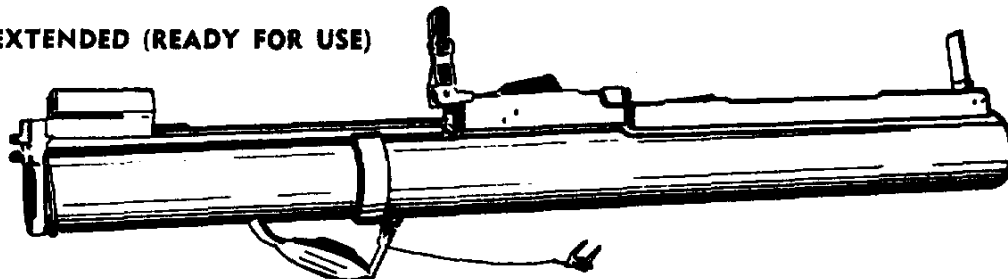
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WEAPON



EXTERNAL VIEW AS ISSUED (NOT EXTENDED)

EXTENDED (READY FOR USE)



NOTE: EXTERNAL VIEW OF TACTICAL AND PRACTICE WEAPON ARE IDENTICAL

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SECTION III

DATA

WEAPON DATA

	Tactical		Practice
	M72A1	M72A2, M72A3	Launcher M190 w/Rocket M73
Weight	5.1-Lb	5.1-Lb	5.-Lb
Color Identification			
Launcher	OD	OD	OD
Firing Instruction Label	OD Background White Printing	OD Background White Printing	OD Background White Printing
Model, Lot			
No, Date	OD W/Yellow	OD W/Yellow	OD W/ Yellow
Mfg Label	Printing	Printing	Printing
Warhead	M72 (Heat)	M72A1 (Heat)	Spotting Charge
Complete Length			
(Closed) Nominal	24.7-In.	24.7-In.	25.3-In.
(Open) Nominal	34.7-In.	34.7-in.	35.4-In.
Diameter	4.9-In.	4.9-In.	4.9-In.

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