

PRACTICAL MEASURES TO IMPROVE TANK PROTECTION FROM DRONES PART I Compiled by LTC (Ret) A.Amirzadyan, ICDS

The main types of drones

- 1. **"Bomber" drones** of the quad and multicopter type are designed to destroy open hatches, upper part of military equipment and personnel by hitting them from the upper hemisphere by dropping fragmentation ($P\Gamma \Pi$ -5, Φ -1, grenades, $BO\Gamma$ -17 projectiles) or HEAT ($PK\Gamma$ -3, Mk118 and BLU-77 (USA), KV-44 DM1244 (Germany), M42/M46 and M77 (USA) ammunition. "Unmanned bombers" are most effective against stationary/low-speed targets.
- 2. Kamikaze-type quadcopter drones are equipped with a built-in cumulative or high-explosive warhead (РПГ ПГ-7Л, ПГ-7М, ПГ-9С, ПГ-18 warhead) and are designed to defeat airborne and 1/s by the method of destruction (ramming) from the upper hemisphere.

Methods of attack drones combat use

- 1. Strikes on areas of deployment, positions of units, places of military equipment concentration.
 - 2. "Free hunting" in the rear areas, as well as communication routes.

The main ways to protect against attack drones

- 1. Equip additional protection modules in the upper part of the tank turret with a protective shield and nets:
- 2. Equip tanks with electronic jamming devices that will disable the electronic control and navigation systems of attack drones.

Some of attack drones





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