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Emerging Weapons in Ukraine/Russia Conflict

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Thermobaric Weapons – Russian TOS-1 (“Buratino”)



- Tracked Vehicle
- 24 thermobaric rockets
- Each weighs 217kg
- Described as a “heavy flamethrower”



Hypersonic Weapons – Russian Kinzhal



- **Launched from Modified MiG-31 Fighter**
- **Conventional Warhead but also nuclear capable**
- **Fielded in 2017**
- **It is 8m in length and 1m diameter**
- **Range: 1500 to 2000 km**
- **480 kg payload**



Unmanned Aerial Systems – Russia



Shahed-136 drone

Max range: 1,550 miles
(2,500km)
Max speed: 115 mph
(185 kmph)

Wingspan: 8.2 ft (2.5m)
Warhead weight: 66-110 lb
(30-50kg)



Source: Defence Express, Getty Images



DJI Mavic 3

Max altitude: 19,685 ft (6,000m)
Max flying distance: 18.6 miles (30 km)
Max speed: 42.5 mph (68.4 kmph)
Wingspan: 11.1 inches (28.3cm)



Source: DJI, Getty Images



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Unmanned Aerial Systems – Ukraine



Switchblade 300



Bayraktar TB2

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