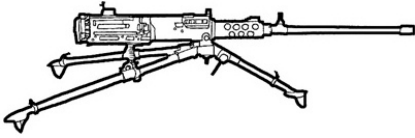


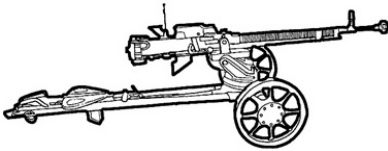
## CONTEMPORARY HEAVY MACHINEGUNS

A machine gun is rated heavy when it cannot be carried and operated by a single man. The most common fire team is three men, one for the weapon itself, one for the mount and the last for ammo... The class can be extended to all machineguns with a recoil too powerful (because of caliber or rate of fire) to be controllable without a mount. Generally those weapons are mounted on military vehicles, in bunkers or on a tripod for defense or cover. But in 2020 cybernetically-enhanced troops and linear frame drastically extended the realm of what can be carried and operated by a single man...

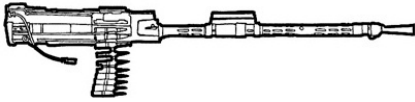
Any of those weapons is one of the worst things a character can meet. An opponent firing during five rounds a bunch of bullets, each of them able to go through a car or cut a man in half should be a rare encounter. This class of weapon, extremely heavy, expensive and illegal is rarely seen outside of the military field.



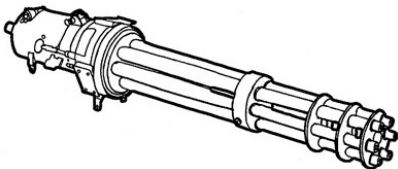
Browning M2HB	
Type : Heavy machinegun	Cartridge : .50 BMG (6D10)
Accuracy : +1	Reliability : very reliable
Availability : Common	Range : 600 meters
Concealability : Non concealable	Cost : 900 eb
Magazine : 100 (bande)	Description : Cyberpunk 2021
Rate of fire : 2/25	Length : 165 cm
	Country : USA
The M2HB features a heavy barrel and an improved .50 cal round, improving accuracy and power. The gun can only be fired from a tripod or pintle mount, because of its weight. It is a cumbersome weapon, but has tremendous firepower.	



DShK	
Type : Heavy machinegun	Cartridge : .50 BMG (6D10)
Accuracy : 0	Reliability : standard
Availability : Poor	Range : 550 meters
Concealability : Non concealable	Cost : 850 eb
Magazine : 50 (bande)	Description : Cyberpunk 2021
Rate of fire : 2/25	Length : 163 cm
	Country : USSR
This weapon is so heavy it must be used on a heavy mount featuring two wheels to facilitate movement. Can be easily converted to an anti-aircraft weapon.	



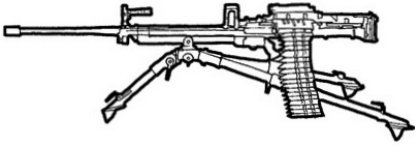
KPV	
Type : Heavy machinegun	Cartridge : 14.5 mm S (8D6 AP)
Accuracy : +2	Reliability : very reliable
Availability : Poor	Range : 3000 meters
Concealability : Non concealable	Cost : 1200 eb
Magazine : 40 (bande)	Description : Cyberpunk 2021
Rate of fire : 2/30	Length : 198 cm
	Country : USSR
The KPV is one of the heaviest HMGs ever made. It comes close to being called a light autocannon it is so large. Is a very reliable anti-aircraft MG, but performs well on vehicular mounts or battlefield tri or bipods.	



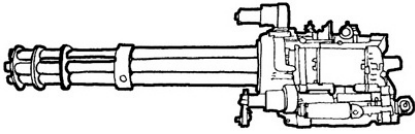
M134 Minigun	
Type : Gatling machinegun	Cartridge : 7.62N (5D6+2)
Accuracy : 0	Reliability : standard
Availability : Rare	Range : 800 meters
Concealability : Non concealable	Cost : 3000 eb
Magazine : 2000 (bande)	Description : Cyberpunk 2021
Rate of fire : 250	Length : 100 cm
	Country : USA
With such fire power, this weapon can only be controlled when mounted on a vehicle.	



NSV-12.7 Utes	
Type : Heavy machinegun	Cartridge : .50 BMG (6D10)
Accuracy : +1	Reliability : very reliable
Availability : Poor	Range : 800 meters
Concealability : Non concealable	Cost : 1050 eb
Magazine : 50 (bande)	Description : Cyberpunk 2021
Rate of fire : 2/50	Length : 156 cm
	Country : USSR
Although it generally mounted on a tank, it can also be mounted on a tripod.	



ST Kinetics .50 MG	
Type : Heavy machinegun	Cartridge : .50 BMG (6D10)
Accuracy : +1	Reliability : standard
Availability : Poor	Range : 500 meters
Concealability : Non concealable	Cost : 1075 eb
Magazine : 2x100 (bande)	Description : Cyberpunk 2021
Rate of fire : 2/25	Length : 114 cm
	Country : Singapore
This heavy MG was deigned by ST Kinetics of Singapore to replace old M2HB in service with Singapore military. The STK .50 features quick changeable barrel with fixed headspace and a dual feed system (left or right, selectable) for quick change of type ammunition fired. Currently in service in Singapore and offered for export.	



XM214 Microgun	
Type : Gatling machinegun	Cartridge : 5.56 (4D6)
Accuracy : -1	Reliability : standard
Availability : Rare	Range : 600 meters
Concealability : Non concealable	Cost : 2800 eb
Magazine : 2000 (bande)	Description : Cyberpunk 2021
Rate of fire : 500	Length : 89 cm
	Country : USA
With such fire power, this weapon can only be controlled when mounted on a vehicle.	