

## 5.7cm. H.E. SHELL

This cartridge and projectile were used in a WWI German tank weapon.

The projectile was 2.75kg steel and filled with .16kg of cast TNT. It would appear that this was a hasty introduction as the early specimens were provided with a Belgian cartridge case. The projectile was 192mm long with a 3.1 c.r.h.

The cartridge case base was painted red with a black “V” stenciled on it. This stood for “Verzogerung” or “Delay”. Somewhere on the cartridge case body was a red ring.

