

HAWKEI LIGHT PROTECTED VEHICLE

Named after a species of the Death Adder, Hawkei is a 7 tonne, 4x4, highly mobile, Protected Mobility Vehicle (PMV) that can be optimised to meet the demanding needs of expeditionary forces world wide.

Hawkei delivers unparalleled levels of blast and ballistic protection and performance to meet the needs of the modern warfighter across a diverse range of mission profiles including troop movement, command and control, electronic warfare, liaison, surveillance and reconnaissance.

As a prime contractor and design authority in the construction of protected vehicles, Thales has developed a team with significant experience and a proven track record across a variety of disciplines to deliver the Hawkei vehicle. This includes partnerships and collaborations with international companies such as Plasan and Boeing in addition to numerous small to medium sized Australian enterprises such as Keech 3D.

Keech 3D prints numerous parts for the Hawkei using their 3D printer such as gun clips, dash panels, fuse box covers and visualisation/demonstration models.

THE HAWKEI RANGE

- HAWKEI COMMAND
- HAWKEI SOV
- HAWKEI BORDER PROTECION
- HAWKEI UTILITY

To date the substantial testing has been completed to guarantee the level of protection, mobility and performance. Testing included 100,000 kilometres in all types of terrain, 150,000 man hours of design and development and several blast and ballistic tests.

The Hawkei joins the Thales family of Protected Mobility Vehicles alongside the Bushmaster and Fireking Vehicles.



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BUILT TO MEET DEFENCE FORCE NEEDS
USING 3D PARTS**