



“High Performance Glass Fibers”

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INNOVATIONS FOR LIVING™



OCV™ Reinforcements

DELIVERING SOLUTIONS | TRANSFORMING MARKETS | ENHANCING LIVES



OCV Reinforcements 70 Year History of Leading Innovation



- E glass in 1939
- C glass in 1943
- W1 and W2 in 1965
- S glass in 1968
- R glass in 1968
- AR glass in 1974
- ECR glass in 1980
- High alkali E glass in 1984
- Advantex glass in 1997
- H glass in 2004
- **HPG glass in 2007**

Glass and Melting Technology Innovation



- **1939: OCV invented E-glass**
 - Boron added to glass for electrical properties
- **1968: OCV developed S-2 Glass®**
 - High Performance Glass (high melting power needed)
 - Small capacity furnaces due to limits in melting technologies
- **1980: OCV developed ECR Glass®**
 - Acid Corrosion resistant glass.
- **1997: OCV developed Advantex® Glass and Technology**
 - Boron free E-glass (higher melting power than traditional E-Glass)
 - ECR-glass (Superior corrosion resistance to traditional E-glass)
 - Breakthrough in melting technology for large capacity furnaces
- **2006: OCV developed High Performance Glass Technology**
 - Combines High-Performance Glass and Melting Technology
 - Production of High-Performance Glass in large capacity furnaces



High Performance Glass

- **Breakthrough in advanced Glass Melting Technology**

- Up to 40% increased strength

- Up to 20% increased modulus

- Up to 30% lower coefficient of linear thermal expansion

- Up to 10x better fatigue properties

- Superior corrosion resistance

- Higher temperature resistance

- **With Environmental Stewardship**

- Reduced Emissions during Glass Production**

- Less Particulate - No Boron

- Less CO₂, NOx, HF

- No Scrubbers => Eliminating Secondary Waste Stream

- Less Energy consumption**

- Advanced Glass Manufacturing Techniques

- Batch Formulation

- Longer Life for Composite Structure**

A demonstration of industry leadership



High Performance Reinforcements Product Line

WindStrand™ Reinforcements
FliteStrand™ Reinforcements
ShieldStrand™ Reinforcements
XStrand™ Reinforcements

**Available as single end
rovings or fabrics.**



**Fiber glass
filament**



Roving



Fabric



Final Applications



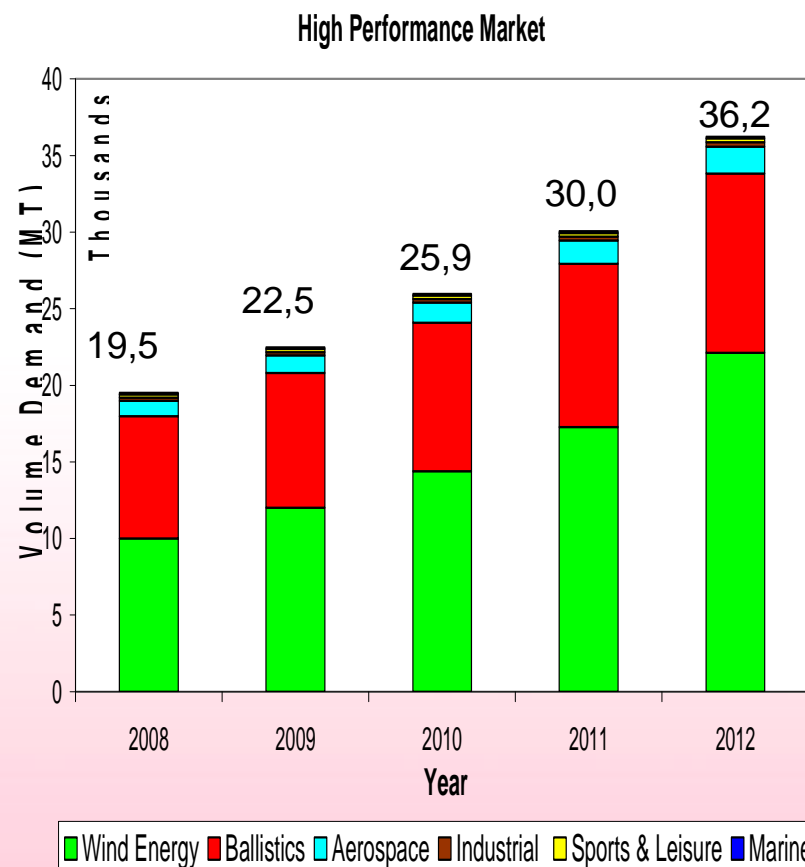
Product Offerings by Market

Owens Corning High Performance Reinforcement Platform

<i>Markets</i>	<i>Wind Energy</i>	<i>Ballistics</i>	<i>Aerospace</i>	<i>Industrial/Pressure Vessels</i>
<i>Trademarks</i>	WindStrand™	ShieldStrand™	FliteStrand™	XStrand™
<i>Direct Rovings</i>	24μ - 2400 tex 17μ - 2400 tex 17μ - 1200 tex 17μ - 600 tex 12μ - 300 tex	12μ - 600 tex	12μ - 600 tex 12μ - 300 tex	24μ - 2400 tex 17μ - 2400 tex 17μ - 1200 tex 17μ - 600 tex 12μ - 300 tex
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High Performance Market Trends

Segment	Estimated Growth %	Growth Drivers
Wind Energy	20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Need for clean renewable energy (reduction of GHG) Increase global energy consumption
Ballistics	10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increase in global warfare & terrorism Light weight solutions to combat increasing threat
Industrial	10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clean efficient fuel source Increasing safety standards
Aerospace	15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increase cost of fuel
Sports & Leisure	4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lower cost High Performance solutions
Marine	4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High cost of fuel



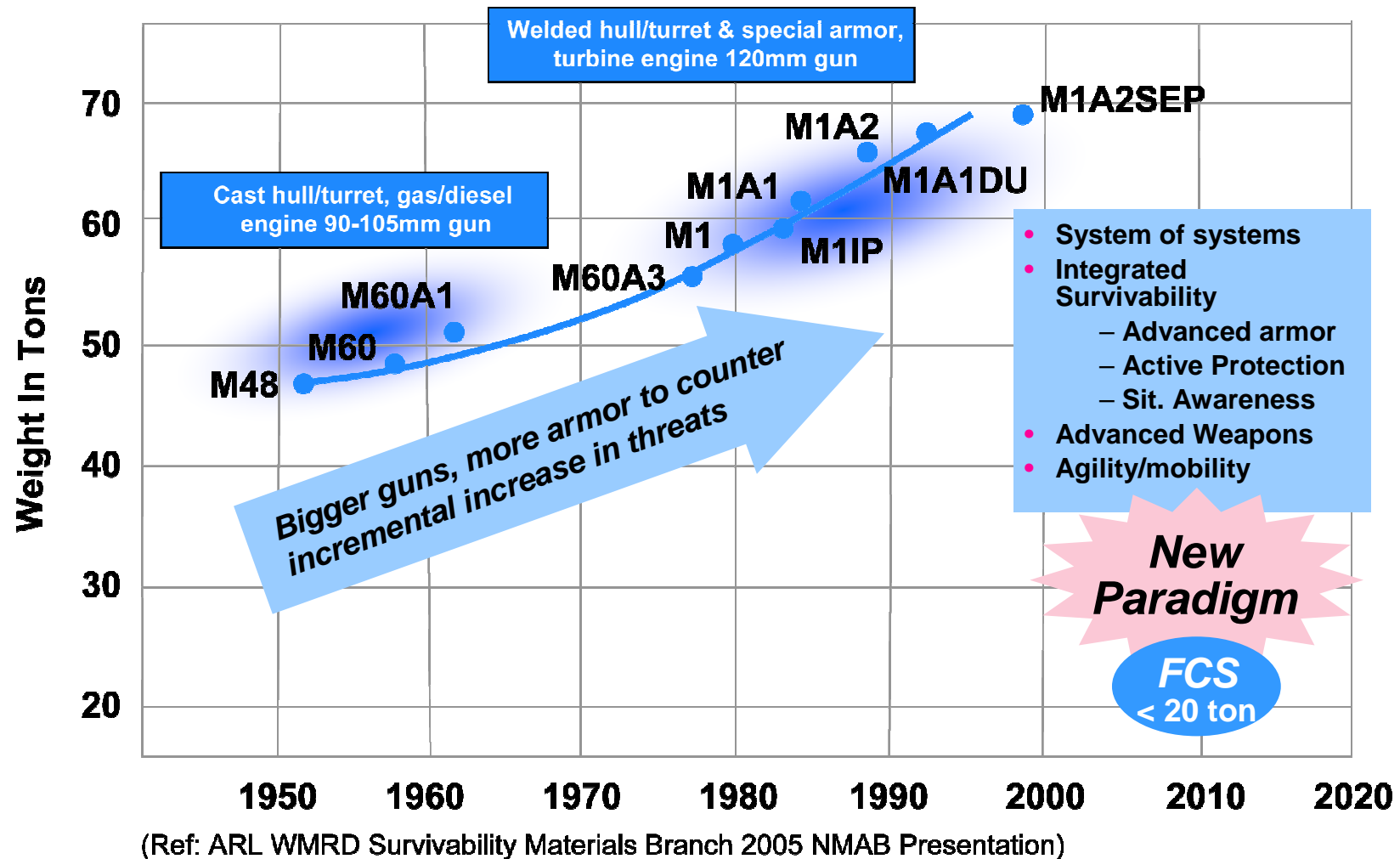
An emerging opportunity growing at 16% CAGR

Lightweight Composite Armor Market



Application Mobility and Ballistic Lethality Drives Performance

Rapid Deployment and High Mobility Drives Need for Paradigm Shift





Key Message to Meet Warfighter Needs

Save life and limb

Warfighter Mission

- Protection against blast and fragmentation
- Performance improved with vehicle mobility
- Payload capacity increased

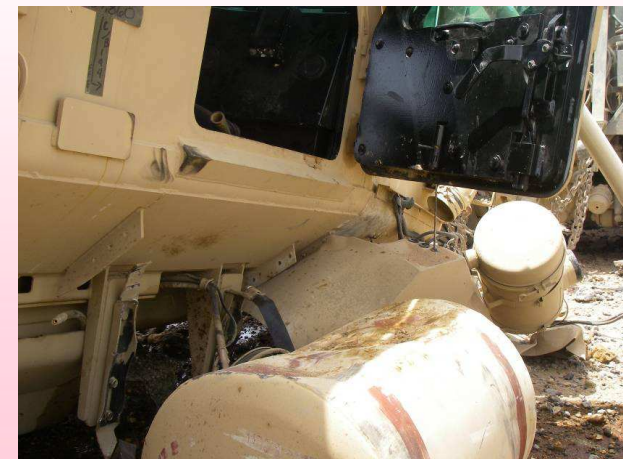
Supports Future Combat Systems

- Lighter, faster, more fuel efficient vehicles
- Higher survivability at a reasonable price

ShieldStrand™ Composite Armor Solution



Warfighter Needs Solution for Mine, IED and EFP - Blast and Fragmentation Protection



Ref: BAE Systems, AMGeneral₁₁



Benefits of ShieldStrand™ Armor Solutions

Tangibles - Mitigates Behind Armor Debris from Fragmentation and Overmatch Threats of IED, EFP

- **Stronger**
- **Lighter**
- **Thinner**
- **Durable**
- **Affordable**
- **Consistent Supply Chain**
- **Phenolic Fire Resistance**
- **Ballistic Performance to Specifications for Composite Armor Systems MIL-PRF-64154**
- **Qualified for Spall Liner, Frag 5, Frag 6 and EFP**



Benefits of ShieldStrand™ Armor Solutions

Intangibles – Heritage of Proven Spall Liner Field Performance and Prototype Structural Armor Hull Performance for Aluminum and Steel Substitution

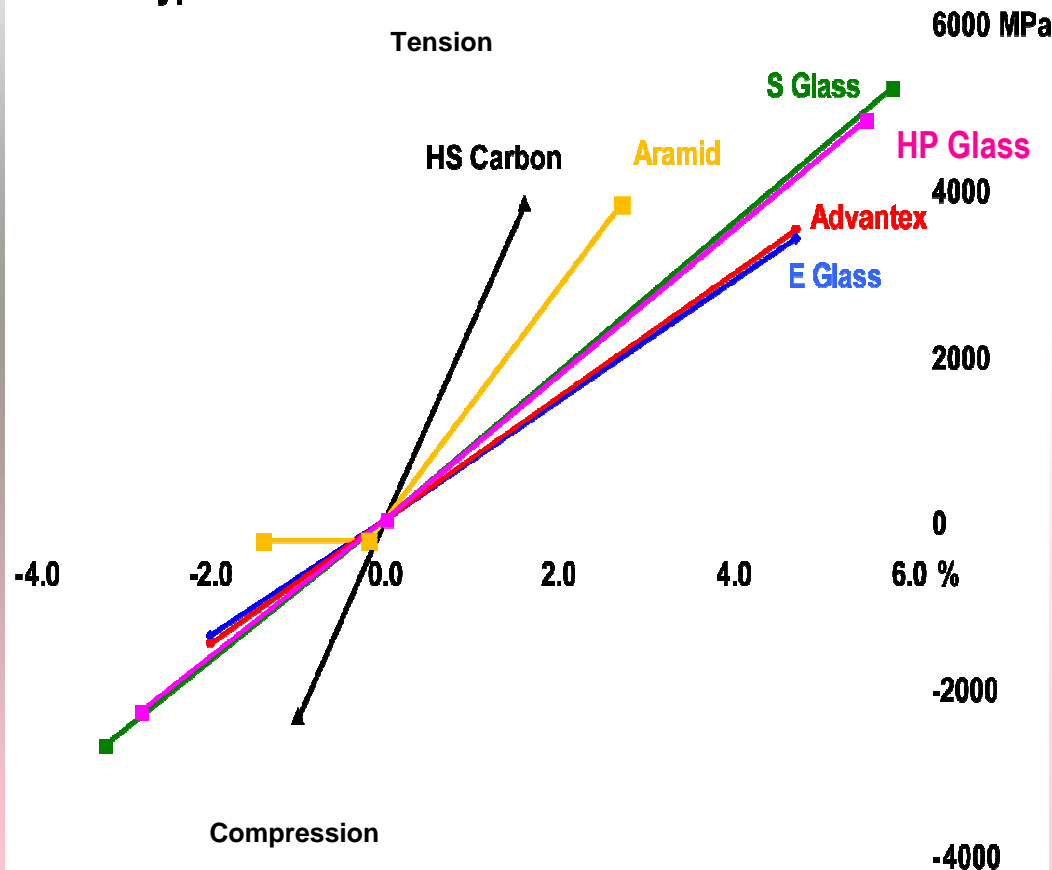
- **Depot / Field Installation Capable**
- **Battle Damage and Repair Field Maintenance Capable**
- **Flat or Curved Plate or Complex Shape Demonstrated**
- **Installs with Fastener Systems typical to Metals**
- **Surface ready for CARC or adhesive for Metal and/or Ceramic Bonding / Joining**
- **No Corrosion or galvanic corrosion**
- **Good Durability to Vehicle Environment**
- **Complies with FMVSS 302 Flammability**



ShieldStrand™ Higher Strength Fiber

Introduced in 2007 HP Glass ShieldStrand™ Improves Composite Armor Performance and Affordability

Typical Stress-Strain Curves of Fibers



Improvement over E Glass

- Up to 40% higher strength
- Up to 20% higher modulus
- Better impact energy
- Better fatigue properties
- Superior corrosion resistance
- Higher temperature resistance
- Up to 30% better CTE

Improvement over other high performance fibers

- Affordable
- Availability, higher volume

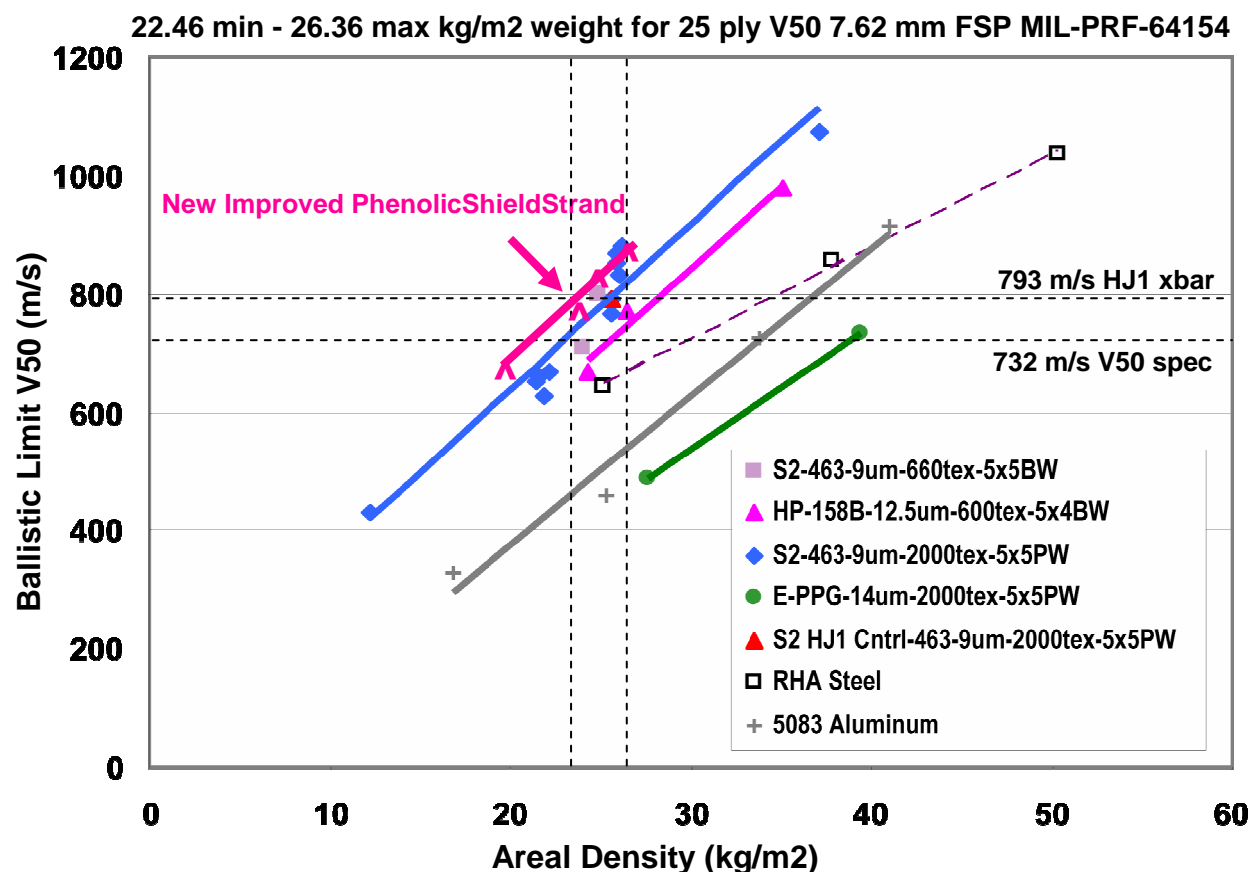


Approved to MIL-PRF-64154 for use in Lightweight Composite Armor



ShieldStrand™ Armor Solutions spall liner similar in weight and 30% thinner than K29 aramid

Similar Weight and Thinner than K29 Aramid Spall Liner->

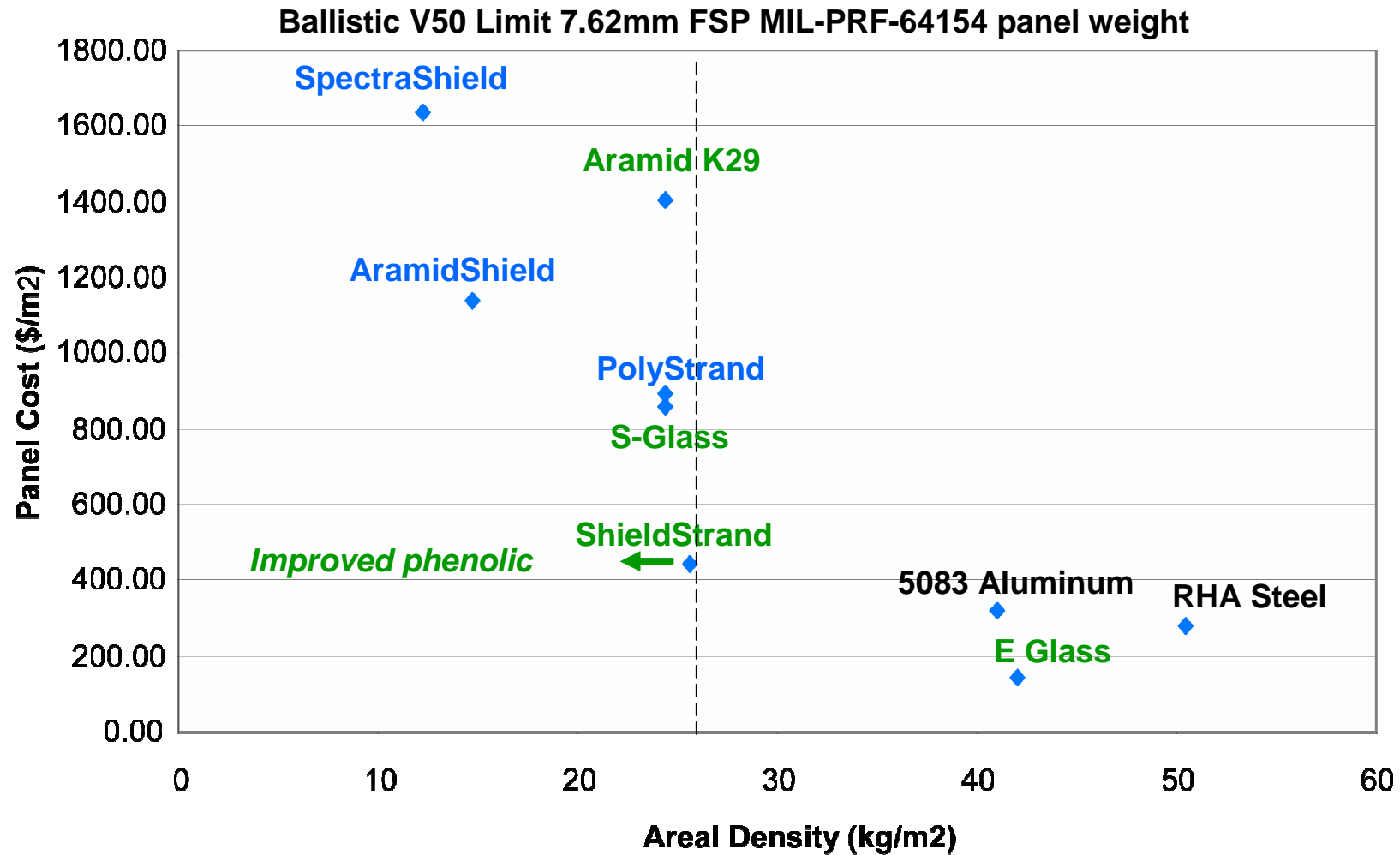


Ref: UDRI, ARL and HP White testing



ShieldStrand™ Armor Solutions

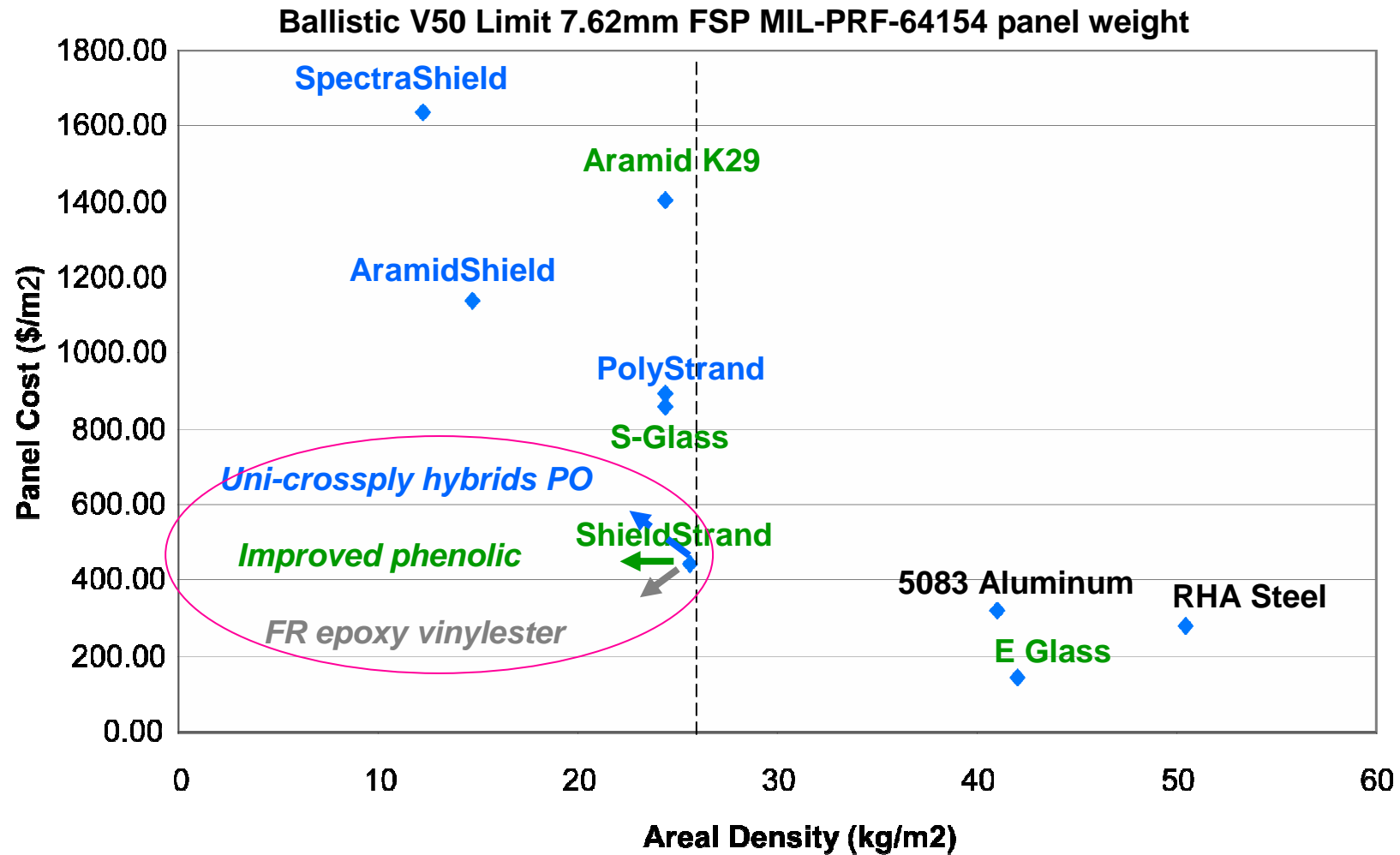
Lighter and Affordable





ShieldStrand™ Armor Solutions

Lighter and Affordable



Cost Substitution Comparison Spall Liner Lighter Weight Basis

- **ShieldStrand™ Armor Solutions Cost Performance**
 - Similar in cost to Aluminum and Steel with up to 30% reduced weight potential in typical installation kit
 - Up to 50% reduced cost for S-Glass or Aramid substitution
 - Substitution for E glass depends on value of weight savings
- **Spall Liner Cost Performance**
 - E glass, steel and aluminum do not meet current weight criteria
 - Significant cost savings to S-Glass, Aramid and HMPE which meet weight criteria, overall savings depends on value of weight savings to mission payload.





ShieldStrand™ Armor Solutions Mitigate Behind Armor Effects of Fragmentation

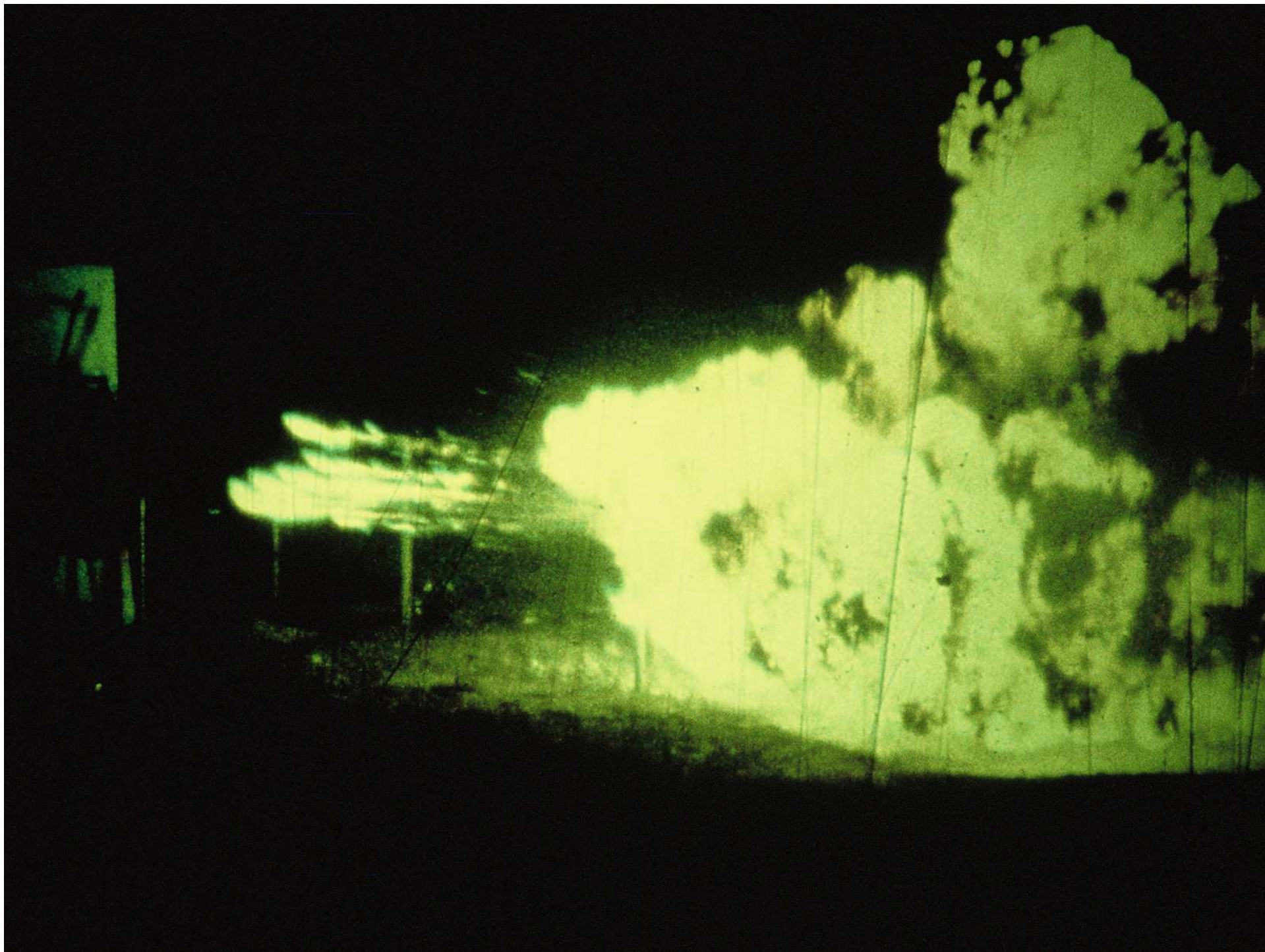
Overmatch Fragment Simulation Behind Armor Debris

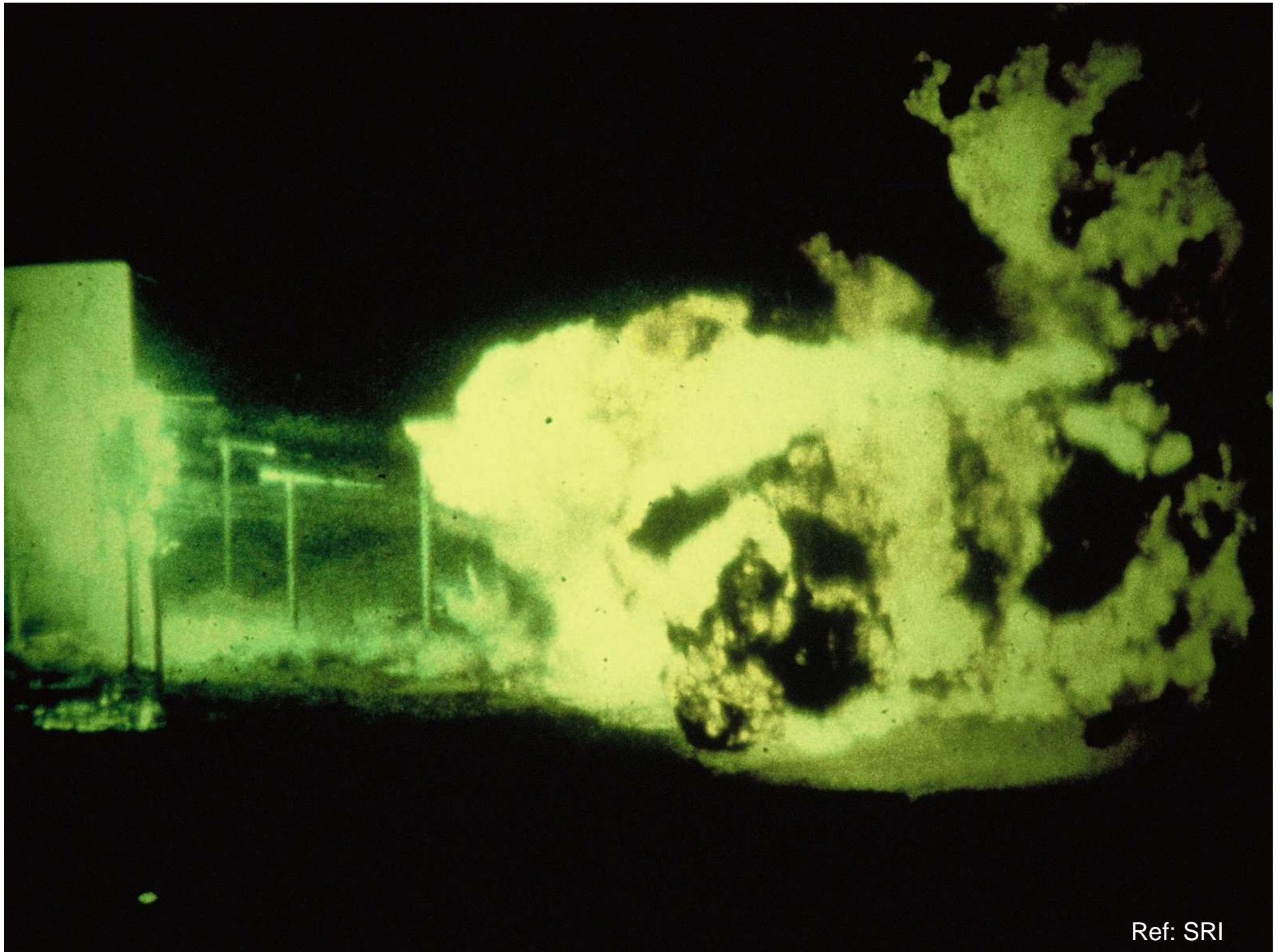
High Hard Steel
VS
ShieldStrand™ Armor Solutions

Source: H P White



ShieldStrand™ Armor Solutions Mitigate Behind Armor Effects of Fragmentation





Ref: SRI

Up Armored HMMWV (UAH) Requirements Increased to meet U.S. Congressional Order

Characteristics

- **360° protection against:**
 - Small Arms projectiles
 - Fragments from artillery
 - Anti-tank/
anti-personnel mines



Requirement

- **Current Total Requirement: 18,669 vehicles**

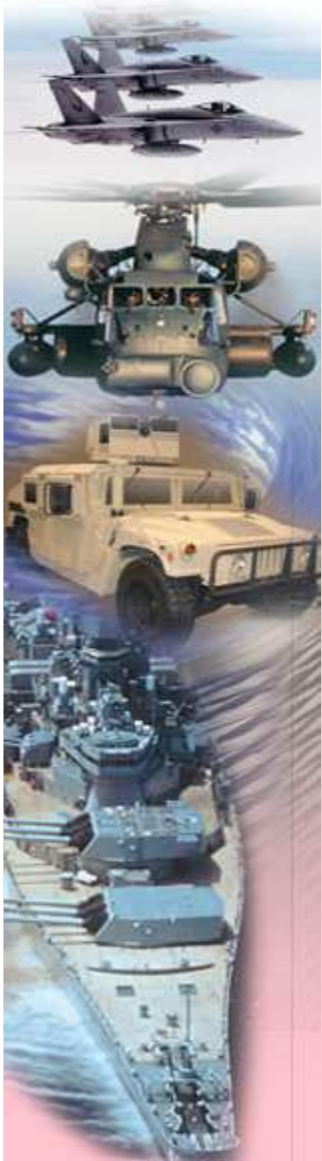
Status

- **As of 19 Apr 06, 12,800 UAH in the CENTCOM AOR**
- **Adding MRAP vehicles for higher protection**

No Soldier leaves a base in an unarmored vehicle...

ShieldStrand™ Armor Solutions for HMMWV Fragmentation Kit Comparison with Aluminum

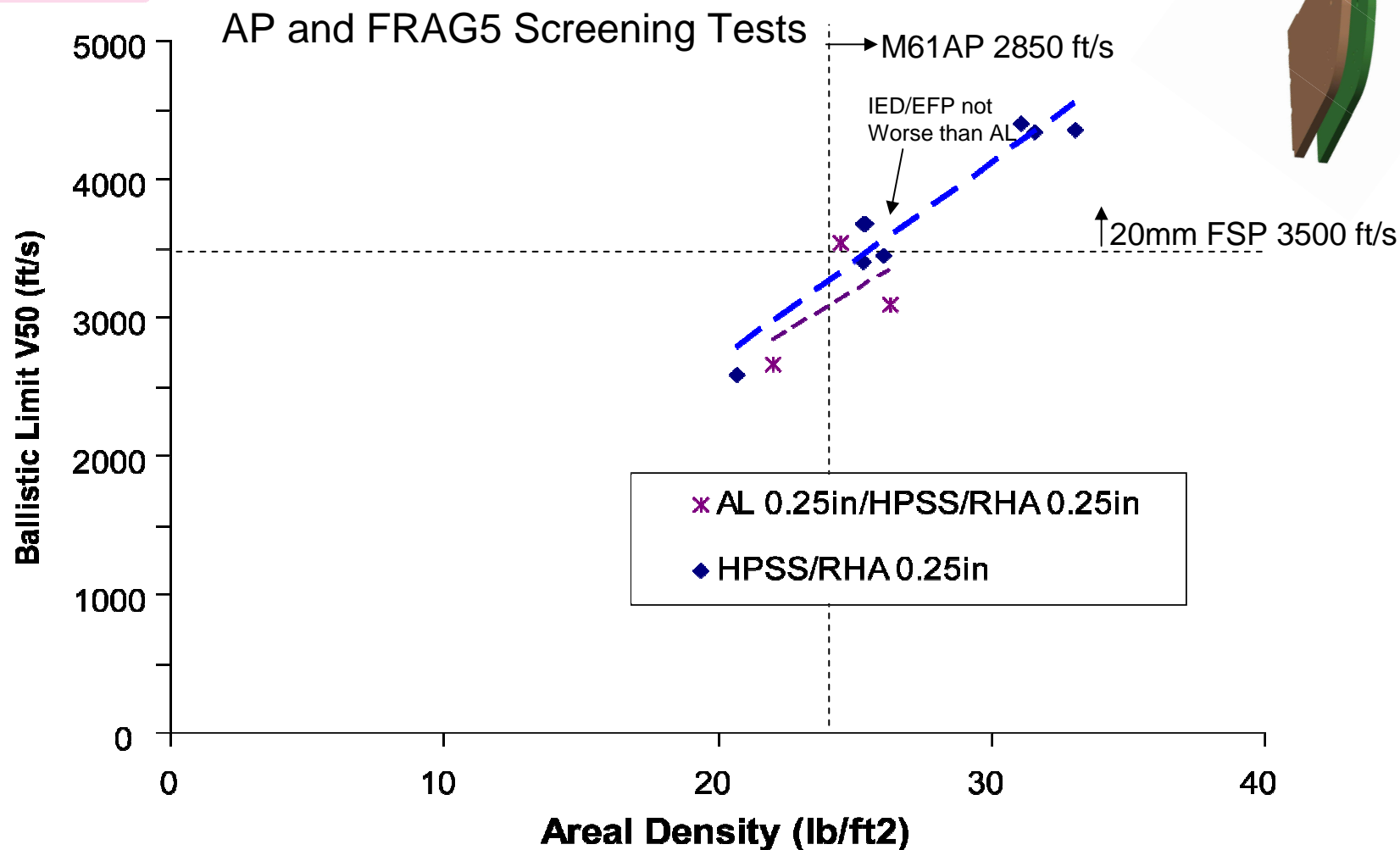
- **Drivers for substitution of Frag 5 kit**
 - Shortage of Aluminum
 - Cost of 5083 Aluminum
 - Spall reduction behind armor
 - Potential for reduced weight
 - Build more kits faster
 - Reduce dependency on foreign sources
- **Two options per ARL**
 - Substitute full thickness of aluminum (risk: edge effect, attachment)
 - Substitute for half thickness of aluminum (risk: behind armor effect)
- **Other options depending on overmatched threat**
 - Substitute full thickness aluminum and additional for Frag 6
 - Exceed FMVSS 302 fire requirements
- **Cost performance versus 5083 Aluminum**
 - Depends on weight saved after installation up to 20% savings





ShieldStrand™ Armor Exterior Modules

Ballistic Multi-threat Performance



Areal Density Includes 10.5 lb/ft² RHA Steel Door Skin



ShieldStrand™ Armor Solutions Weight Saving Benefits

- Up to 30% weight savings versus metals
- Up to 50% cost savings versus S-Glass and Aramid
- Weight and cost savings depend on the MRAP or HMMWV vehicle kit - M1114, M1152 or M1165





Evolution of Composite Armor from flat plate to complex shapes for integration with steel



HMMWV



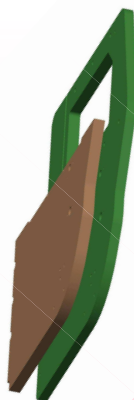
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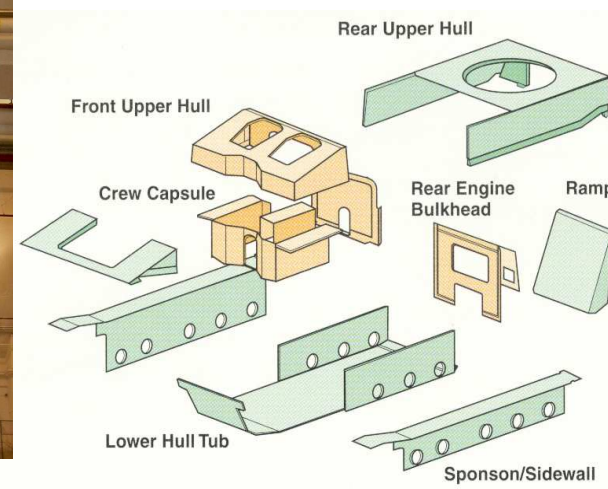
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Composite
V-hull



spall liners

exterior armor modules

v-hull

structural components

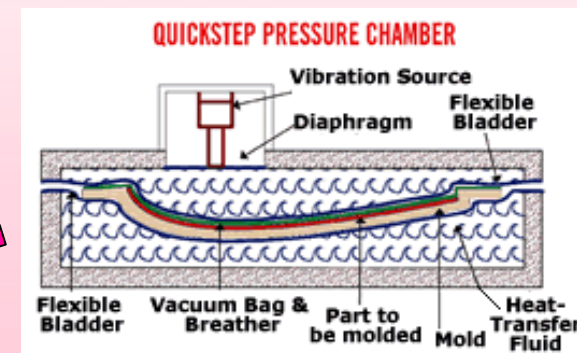
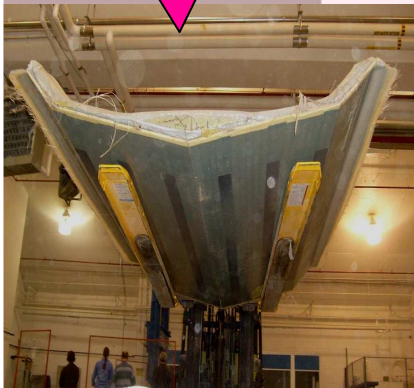
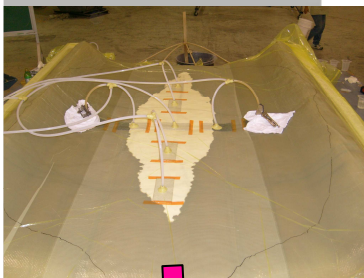
Compression Molded **Phenolic**

Infusion Molded **FR Epoxy Vinylester**



Evaluation of ShieldStrand™ Material and Process Parameters for Complex Shapes

- Resin Infusion of large V-hull structure of ShieldStrand, TYCOR foam and metal inserts resulted in good structural, blast and fragmentation performance.
- Nano FR synergists allowed excellent vinylester resin infusion process resulting in good fire performance.
- QuickStep process consolidation of phenolic prepreg in complex shapes gave 90 - 95% of the ballistic performance of compression molded phenolic.
- QuickStep demonstrated capability to produce 4 inch thick complex parts with reasonable process time at the National Composites Center.

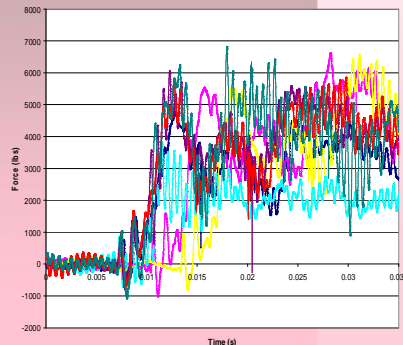




ShieldStrand™ Armor Solutions for Blast and Multi-hit Fragmentation Performance

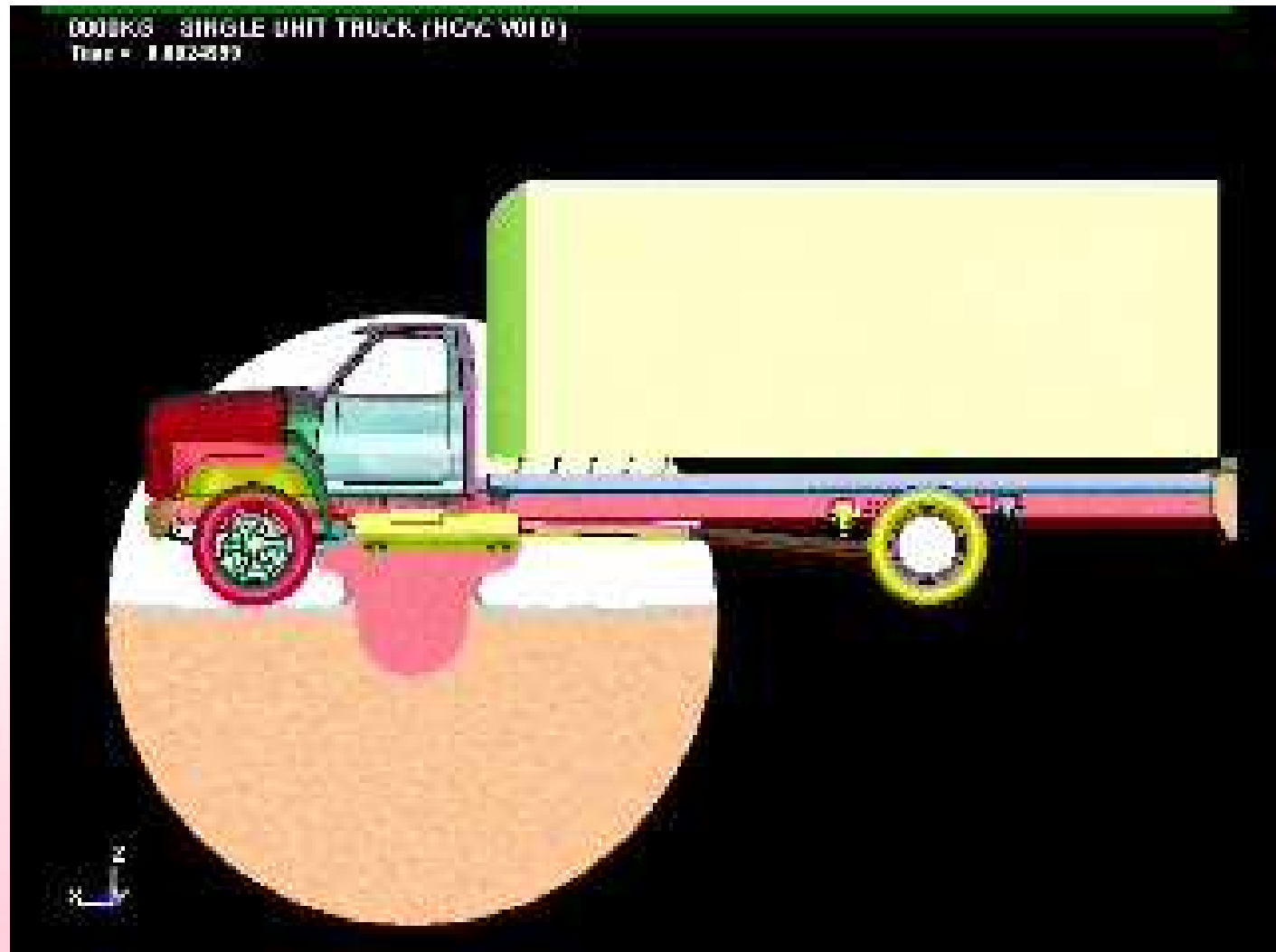


Force vs. Time



- **Effective Blast Management** – structurally good with minimal global deflection for up to 20lbs C4 or equivalent CB with 18 and 32 inch standoff.
- **Local Deflection with Large Fragment** > 94 percentile.
- **FR Vinylester ShieldStrand V-hull Passed 155mm mortar buried flush with standoff at 32 inch... V-hull was then subjected to full scale diesel fuel fire test and Passed.**
- **Minimal Secondary Effects Behind Armor** – V-hull vents Blast, Composite stops fragmentation, while structure absorbs Blast energy and dissipates shock.
- **Blast Simulation Modeling at UDRI and OSU for Composite Structures with comparison to LS Dyna with Johnson Cook parameters.**
 - (Ref: SwRI, BAE, AMG, ARL/ATC pending reports, DAAL04-92-C-0014, DAAL04-86-C-0079 armor reports)

Blast Resistance Simulation with LS Dyna FEA Tools for Design and Integration in Vehicles



Up Armored Add-on Vehicle Armor Kits



OGH HMMWV Kit

Produced By:
Armor Holdings Inc.
BAE Systems



ARL HMMWV Kit

Produced By:
GSIE/ARL



Troop Carrier Kit

Produced By:
ArmorWorks



**M1114 UAH
Gunners Protection Kit**

Produced By:
Armor Holdings Inc.
BAE Systems



FMTV RACK Kit

Produced By:
ESSI Inc.
(Radian/SEI)



FMTV LSAC Kit

Produced By:
Stewart & Stevenson



Add-on Armor Kits for Medium Weight Tactical Vehicle Platforms



M939 Kit

Produced By:
GSIE



HEMTT Kit

Produced By:
Armor Holdings Inc.
BAE Systems



PLS Kit

Produced By:
Armor Holdings, Inc.
BAE Systems



HET Kit

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BAE Systems



M915A2/3/4 Kit

Produced By:
Armor Holdings Inc.
BAE Systems



M969 FTSS

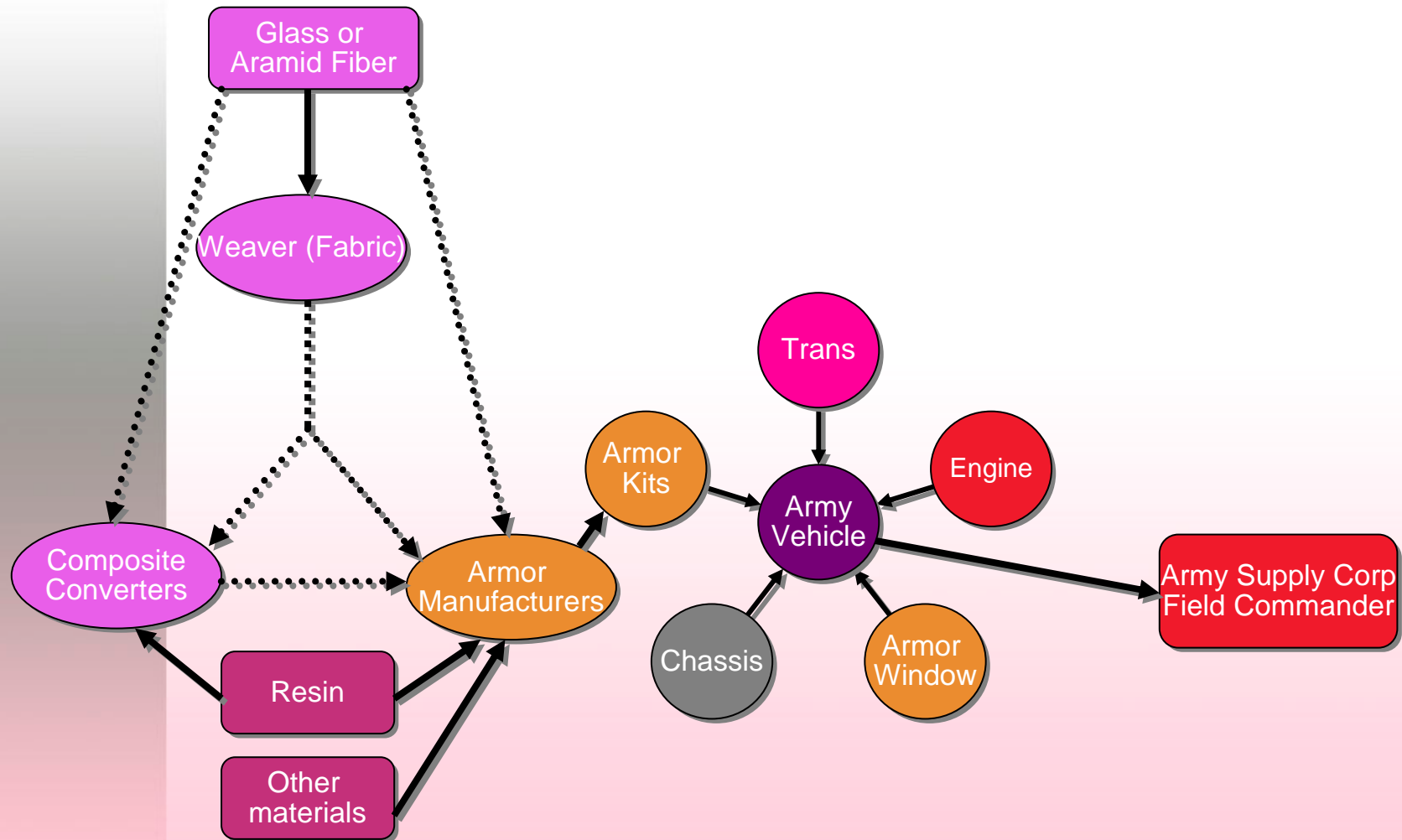
Produced By:
VSE Corp



ASV

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Vehicle Armor Proven Supply Chain



ShieldStrand™ Armor Solutions Summary

- **ShieldStrand™ Armor Solutions**

- Affordable Lightweight Performance**

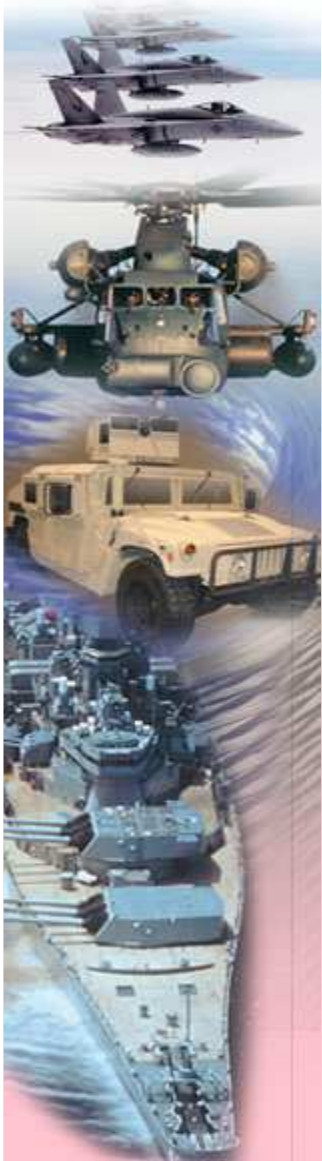
- High strength, high modulus glass fiber available in large quantities
 - Comparable ballistic performance to S-Glass in HJ1 phenolic plates at about half the cost.
 - Substitution for S-Glass/K29 Aramid in spall liners – lower cost lightweight solution
 - Replace or combine with aluminum, steel and E-glass – where weight is critical and over match threat levels exist

- **Drivers for Substitution of Aluminum or Steel**

- Shortage of metal
 - Recent cost increases
 - Spall reduction behind armor
 - Build more kits faster
 - Reduce dependency on foreign source

- **ShieldStrand™ Armor Validated Supply Chain Performance**

- Ballistic performance data qualified in the existing supply chain
 - Fibers & fabrics are available to the existing supply chain for processing in low-cost pultrusion, continuous lamination or compression molding of flat plates and compression or infusion molding of complex shapes



Owens Corning Military Innovations



- **E-glass – First continuous filament glass reinforcement developed.**
- **Insulation for Warships (1939) – U.S. Navy Bureau of Ships specified OC insulation for new ships.**
- **Structural Aircraft Parts (1942) – OC partnered with U.S. A.A.F. to develop plastic laminates.**
- **Beta® yarn (1963) – OC develops fiber for aerospace applications and use in NASA spacesuits.**
- **S-Glass® (1959-63) – Developed by OC under contract with U.S. Navy.**
- **Piedmont Products, Inc. (1979) – OC manages reinforcements plant under government contract**
- **OC Armor (1989) – Product specified for NATO and US Military personnel carriers and first-aid trucks.**
- **ShieldStrand™ High Performance Reinforcements (2007)**