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## **Groupement Industriel Des Armements Terrestres, France**

## FAA-73 (Fusil Automatique d'Assault-2273)

The FAA-73 was the standard French infantry weapon until the introduction of the FAM-90 in the early 2290's. As such, it saw an awful lot of combat including the Central Asian War and the German War of Reunification. It can still be found in the hands of French Militia units up and down the French arm as well as in the armies of French Allies

The FAA-73 is a conventional rifle firing the well-regarded 7.5x40mm caseless round—indeed even now the old Grognard's of the Legion can be heard comparing the poor knockdown performance of the gauss round compared to their old rifles. It is in the common bullpup layout and has a fold down monopod affixed to the front of the stock which can also be used as an aiming handle when using the weapon in close quarters. The monopod does however prevent a bayonet from being affixed and several foreign users have modified the rifles, removing it altogether. A 3.5x sight was fitted as standard, but most militia units have removed these as they were vulnerable to shock and slow to realign—very few militia units have the logistical support base to provide a full time weaponsmith.



Caliber	7.5x40mm
Length	83cm
Weight	3.0kg (empty)
Magazine	25 — 0.5kg
Reload	3 turns

					Fire	Hands	Eff		
Weapon	Subskill Used	Speed	IA	Recoil	rate	req'd	range	Action	Price
FAA-73	Longarm/Auto	11	25	-19/-/-33	4/10	2S	700	auto	Lv 510

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Type: 7.5mm conventional assault rifle Country: France Weight (empty): 3kg Length: 83cm (Bulk=2) Action: Single shots or bursts Ammunition: 7.5x40mm fixed cartridge ball Muzle Velocity: 910mps Magazine: 25 rounds Magazine Weight: 0.5kg ROF: 2 Aimed Fire Range: 800m Area Fire Burst: 10 (AFV=1) Area Fire Range: 600m DP Value: 0.7 Price: Lv510 (Lv3 for 100 rounds)

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