

AK-47 Automatic Rifle

Kashan Industries, one of the leading blaster manufacturers in the Palvar Sector, recently introduced their first slugthrowing weapon, the AK-47, in an attempt to steal some of the business away Mestic Munitions, who has been quite successful in selling their M-series line of automatic weapons along with a variety of other slugthrowers, missiles, and bombs.

The AK-47 is nothing more than a cheap rip off of the M-16. Kashan Industries purchased several dozen M-16s from Mestic through several agents posing as merchants. Kashan's research and development department studied the weapons and incorporated many of its aspects into their own AK-47 design. However, Kashan Industries, having no real experience with any sort of hand-held weapons other than blasters, finally released the AK-47 on the open market, taking heavy losses due to its inferiority to the cheaper and proven M-16.

The AK-47 itself doesn't resemble an M-16 in anyway. This was to make sure that Mestic didn't notice the rip-off of their design quickly. The most distinguishing features of the AK-47 are the bent ammunition clip and the wooden stock.

Model: Kashan Industries A-series Kashan-47 Automatic Rifle

Type: .47 caliber automatic slugthrower rifle

Scale: Character

Skill: Firearms: auto-rifle

Ammo: 115

Cost: 2,500 credits (clips: 35)

Availability: 3, R

Range: 3-10/30/120

Fire Rate: 2 (semi-auto)

Damage: 4D+2 (semi-auto), 5D+1 (burst of 3 rounds)

Game Notes: On constant-fire mode the Ak-47 fires a burst of 5 rounds per shot. Once a hit is established, all following shots against nearby (1 meter) targets are one difficulty lower.

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