

Wasp AE Overview

The Wasp AE Micro Air Vehicle (MAV) is the all environment version of AeroVironment's (AV) battle proven Wasp III. With special design considerations for maritime and land operations, Wasp AE delivers exceptional features of superior imagery, increased endurance, and ease of use that is inherent in all AV UAS solutions.

Operating virtually undetected, Wasp AE's mechanically stabilized EO/IR gimbaled payload transmits advanced imagery even in high winds for mission effectiveness. It also features hand-launch capabilities, with a deep-stall landing in confined areas on land or water.

Wasp AE uses system components common to AV's other UAS platforms, including AV's Ground Control Station utilized for Wasp III, Raven B and Puma AE.



Features

Man Packable

Hand-launched

All Environment

50 Minute Endurance

Digital Data Link

Deepstall Landing in a Confined Area

Gimbaled EO & IR Payload

Quiet to avoid detection

Operates autonomously providing persistent ISRT (Intelligence, Surveillance, Reconnaissance and Targeting data)

Specifications

Range
Endurance
Speed
Operating Altitude (Typ.)
Wing Span
Length
Weight
GCS
Launch Method
Recovery Method

Payloads

Gimbaled payload with pan and tilt stabilized high resolution EO & IR camera in a compact aerodynamic modular payload. 5 km Line-of-Sight, 5+km with DDL relay 50 min 20 knots cruise, 45+ knots dash

500 ft AGL, 150 m AGL; max 3.3 ft (102 cm) 2.5 ft (76 cm) 2.85 lbs; 1.3 kg Compatible with FoS (Raven DDL, Puma DDL) Hand-launched in a confined area with remote launch capability Deep-stall landing in a confined area

