

## DefenCell blast and crash test reports available at DSEi 2007

## DefenCell Force Protection System has completed two vital independent test evaluations.

- The first report by TRL, covers the successful completion of DefenCell in vehicle crash tests, stopping a 7.5t truck.
- The second report by Advantica covers a series of blast tests successfully completed at Advantica's Spadeadam test site in Cumbria, UK. A range of DefenCell walls, Sangars and firing positions were subjected to attacks of up to 15kgs C4 in cased and shaped charges to simulate mortar, RPG and IED threats.

These results are available on request from J & S Franklin or: J & S Franklin DefenCell stand Stand No: 378 at DSEi Excel from 11-14 September

DefenCell is a lightweight, compact, easily deployed range of defensive protection systems, which can be used in a variety of roles, including defensive structures such as walls, sangers, bunkers, anti-terrorist crash barriers and even flood defences.

DefenCell combines established geocell design with the latest geotextile construction technology to provide an innovative, practical and versatile multipurpose system. DefenCell has been successfully used to provide force protection to military personnel and facilities in a number of demanding operational situations.

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