The GuardianTM System from CAYLYM

A significant advance in aerial firefighting. The GuardianTM is a CDSFF (Containerized Delivery System Firefighting) capability which enables hundreds of mission ready cargo aircraft to work in tandem with ground crews and the existing fleet.





Resolution #37 to 'Develop and procure new system to disperse fire retardant and air drop capability, generic to all C-130 units.' The GuardianTM is already certified by European aircraft manufacturer Alenia, and is slated for significant role in the EU's Civil Protection Mechanism with Romania as the lead country.



- Standard CDS Load
- Compact Shipping & Storage
- No aircraft modification required

Each unit measures 4ft x 4ft x 4ft delivering 264 gallons of retardant per unit. (122cm x 122cm x 122cm delivering 1000 L)





SAFE

- Safe flight profile Delivery altitude 4+ times higher than current systems
- · Greater maneuverability, increased reaction time and better terrain avoidance
- All the benefits of CDS deployment: Speed Altitude Loading Deployment
- Standard aircraft configuration No aircraft modification required
- Standard CDS load Pilots and crews are already trained to these published standards
- Internal vertical restraints hold units secure in-flight Clean load/Clean delivery
- Industry standard, sturdy, seven-layer, continuously wound, corrugated box construction
- No seams or glued edges Sturdy for all handling and loading Stands up to in-flight conditions and preserves cargo integrity
- No metal, pyrotechnic, or other hazardous components for improved personnel safety

EFFECTIVE

- · Hundreds of mission ready aircraft available
- Increases load capacity per payload. More gallons of retardant = increase saturation
- Enables 24hr firefighting operations take back the night
- Retardant to System weight ratio 23:1
- No longer have a single use aircraft



	Aircraft		Gallons per Payload	Liters per Payload
The Guardian TM	C-130	16	4,224	16,000
System	C-27J	6	1,584	6,000
Advantage	C-17	40	10,560	40,000
	C-295	8	2,112	8,000
	C-235	5	1,320	5,000
	CH-47	6	1,584	6,000

RELIABLE AND AVAILABLE

- Over 76 successful test drops (110,000 gal) from C-130, C-27I, and C-123 aircraft
- Guardian's patented design, manufactured and supplied by reliable US corporations Responsive production times – Paired with the #1 manufacturer of corrugated cardboard, International Paper
- Exceeds industry standards with rigorous ISO 9001-2008 compliant quality controls

COST EFFECTIVE

- No additional aircraft maintenance, service, retrofitting, cleanup for corrosion control
- GuardianTM System compatible with hundreds of a/c worldwide
- Simple logistic requirements allow for rapid response and attack
- Increased payload capacity and 24 hour capabilities may reduce overall fire event losses

