

One hundred ninety-two years of continuously manufacturing their original product – the firearm, sets Remington Arms Company apart from any other American manufacturer, but of equal significance, is a company whose history is intermingled with the history of our nation and our military. From those early barrels forged in Ilion, New York, for flintlock rifles to today’s enhanced M24 Sniper Weapon Systems and versatile Model 870 MCS combat shotguns which are still manufactured at that original site on the Erie Canal, Remington has been and continues to be a major source of firearms and ammunition for military, governmental and law enforcement agencies as well as the sporting and hunting communities.

With unwavering focus on core products, Remington has maintained the title of largest firearms (long guns) manufacturer in the U.S. for an unprecedented six years straight and holds the unique position of the only U.S. manufacturer of both firearms and ammunition products. With facilities located across the country, from their worldwide headquarters in Madison, North Carolina; firearms manufacturing plants in Ilion, New York, and Mayfield, Kentucky; ammunition manufacturing plant in Lonoke, Arkansas; and a free-standing research and development facility in Elizabethtown, Kentucky, Remington is not relying solely on its history but continues as a dominant and growing, market-driven brand. With a renewed commitment, millions of dollars have been invested in the company with focus on manufacturing processes and efficiencies, R&D efforts and optimized operational procedures to enhance and adapt products to the individual customers’ needs or specifications.

History often speaks for itself and Remington has served as an essential and critical supplier of firearms and ammunition throughout modern day wartimes. Dating back to the Civil War, Remington was a major source of rifles and pistols; during World War I, five separate Remington facilities employed nearly 35,000 workers to produce firearms and munitions, with the company’s entire UMC ammunition production directed toward the war efforts; and during World War II, Remington returned to full military production and was the largest supplier of firearms and ammunition to our military forces while supporting our European allies with critical firepower.

The Remington of today remains a dominant force in our wartime efforts with the M24, serving as the standard issue sniper system for the U.S. Army since 1988 and later adopted by the U.S. Air Force in the mid 90s, has been utilized in every conflict since its implementation including Desert Storm, Operations Enduring Freedom and Iraqi Freedom. Recognized for its reliability, the M24 is based on the venerable Remington Model 700 action and on average, has a service life of 8 to 12 years and can fire more than 10,000 rounds before requiring any major repairs. With today’s ever-changing battlefields, the Model 870 pump-action shotgun serving with the Navy SEALs since 1969, has been adopted in its newest configuration – the Model 870 MCS (Modular Combat Shotgun) by U.S. Special Operations and the U.S. Air Force as their standard.

With nearly 200 years of history, an on-going tradition of supplying our military forces and allies with reliable, high quality firearms and ammunition products and a renewed focus on delivering customer-driven products, the Remington name stands apart from the competition.