



**CHIMERA**  
CERBAIR

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**PORTABLE AND INTEGRATED  
ANTI DRONE SOLUTION**



CHIMERA fights the widespread drone threats by offering security operators a complete, high performing, integrated, extremely mobile and highly configurable solution. Pioneering a unique integrated and dynamic operational concept, CHIMERA is the interoperable anti drone « Swiss knife ».



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### Drones: a growing concern

Because drones can guarantee the **anonymity and impunity of their pilots**, they have become the perfect tool for malevolent actors. **Small, nimble, inconspicuous, affordable, easy-to-use** and able to transport diverse payloads with increasing levels of autonomy, drones today bypass all traditional security measures and put all critical sites at risk. Risk of attack or collision, vector of espionage or contraband: malevolent drone intrusion scenarios are numerous.

### Our mission

Since 2015, CERBAIR has **secured its clients' near airspace** with high-tech solutions. To cope with the **asymmetrical threat** posed by drones, CERBAIR aims at **democratizing high performing solutions** to protect the many with its unique approach:

- Highest Cost-Efficiency on the market
- Mobility and Simplicity of use
- Modularity and Upgradability

### CHIMERA

It is the real **anti drone « Swiss knife »**. Similar to the fantastic creature, CHIMERA is the long-dreamt **fusion of detection, location and neutralization technologies into a unified portable format** for demanding security operators. This highly configurable platform provides flexibility to larger C2 it can connect with.



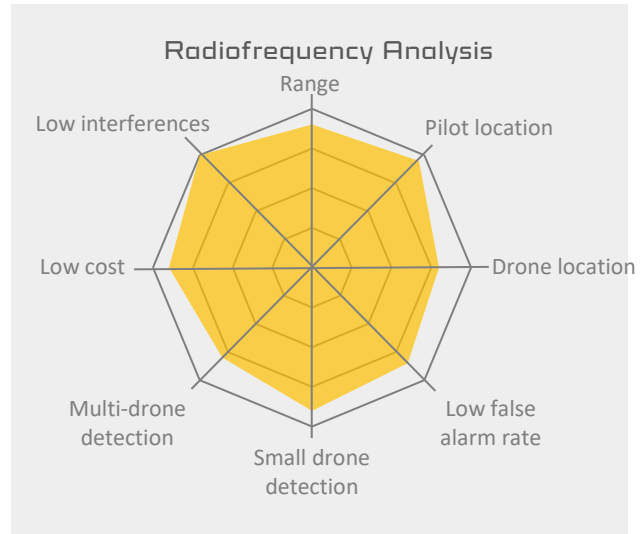
### Key takeaways

- Detection of drone and pilot
- Location of drone/pilot via direction finding  $\pm 15^\circ$
- Neutralization via BVLOS directional jamming
- Average range > 1 km
- High portability
- Stealth: passive and non interfering detection
- Possible integration into larger C2 via tablet
- Evolutive and interoperable platform

1st GENERATION

### Why not a mere dronegun?

Droneguns have **real ranges limited to the visual and acoustic senses of their operators** as they need to be aimed at the drone since they are highly directional to protect the operators from emissions. Consequently, their **real ranges do not exceed 100m**, which is **way too short** to counter popular attack scenarios in which malevolent actors fly they drones high so as to not be detected. By combining detection, location and neutralization, **CHIMERA increases the operator reaction time and allows him to engage a rogue drone Beyond his Visual Line Of Sight (BVLOS) or even arrest the pilot.**

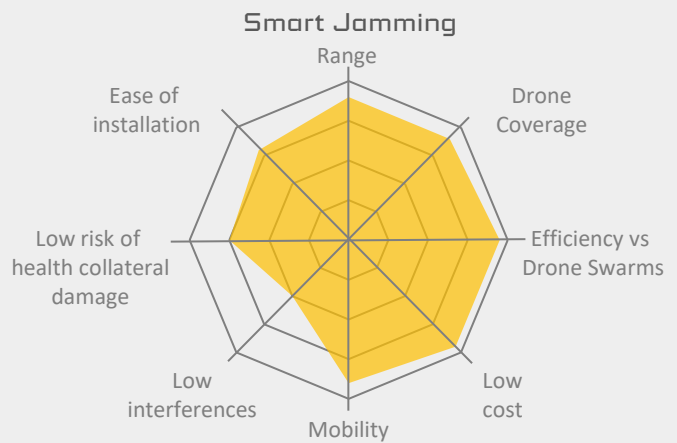


**Radiofrequency analysis** is the most balanced detection technology in order to:

- Give early warnings thanks to long ranges.
- Detect and locate drones and their pilots.
- Limit false alarm risks.
- Stay stealthy and non-interfering since passive.

**Smart jamming** also is the most balanced drone countermeasure thanks to:

- Long range.
- High drone coverage.
- Instantaneous effect.
- Efficiency against drone swarms.



### CHIMERA solutions composition

#### Hardware

- Manpack for omni and passive detection.
- Rugged tablet for alert, tracking and connectivity.
- Effector for direction finding and neutralization.

#### Software

- Perpetual software license:
  - Dashboard: alerts in real time.
  - Direction finding on drone and pilot.
  - Control of manpack and effector.
  - Alert history.

#### Service

- Training.
- Hardware warranty and software maintenance.

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Why radio technologies?

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CHARACTERISTICS

## CHIMERA 100

### MANPACK

OMNI DETECTION RANGE	1 km
ACTION ON RF SPECTRUM	Omnidirectional and passive detection on 2.4/5.8 GHz
INSTALLATION	On tactical vest
DIMENSIONS	28 x 31 x 8.5 cm
WEIGHT	8 kg
NORMS	IP65, MIL STD 810G and MIL STD 461G
OPERATION TEMPERATURE	-20°C to +49°C (-4°F to 120°F)
POWER SOURCE	Standard militarized battery with hotswap compatibility (4h detection / 1h jamming)
AUDIO	Jack port for audio alerts



### RUGGED SMARTPHONE

MODEL	PROTECTED S10
CONTROL	Tactile
OPERATING SYSTEM	Android 7
DIMENSIONS	L187 x l95 x h20 mm
WEIGHT	400 g
NORMS	IP-68
OPERATION TEMPERATURE	0°C to +35°C (32°F to 95°F)



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### EFFECTOR

DIRECTION  
FINDING RANGE

2 km

ACTION ON RF  
SPECTRUM

Passive direction finding on 2.4 / 5.8 GHz  
Jamming on 2.4 / 5.8 GHz / L

ACTIVATION

Manual

DEGRADED  
MODE

Integrated control panel with key functions

WEIGHT

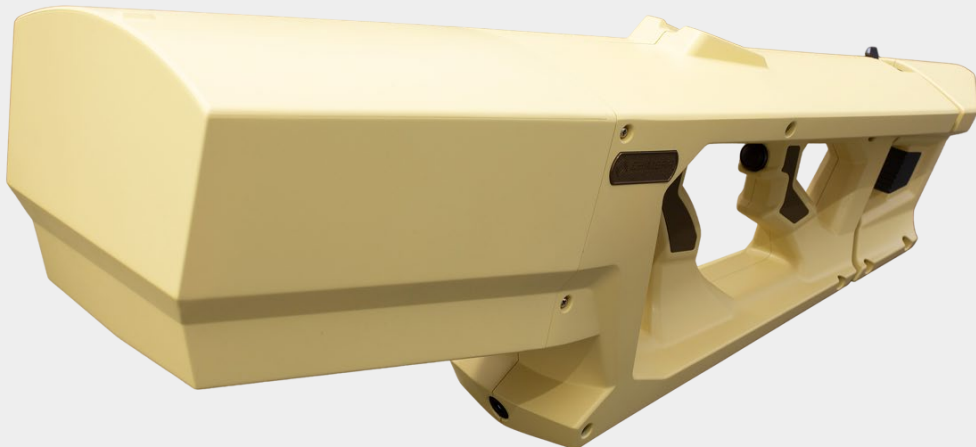
5 kg

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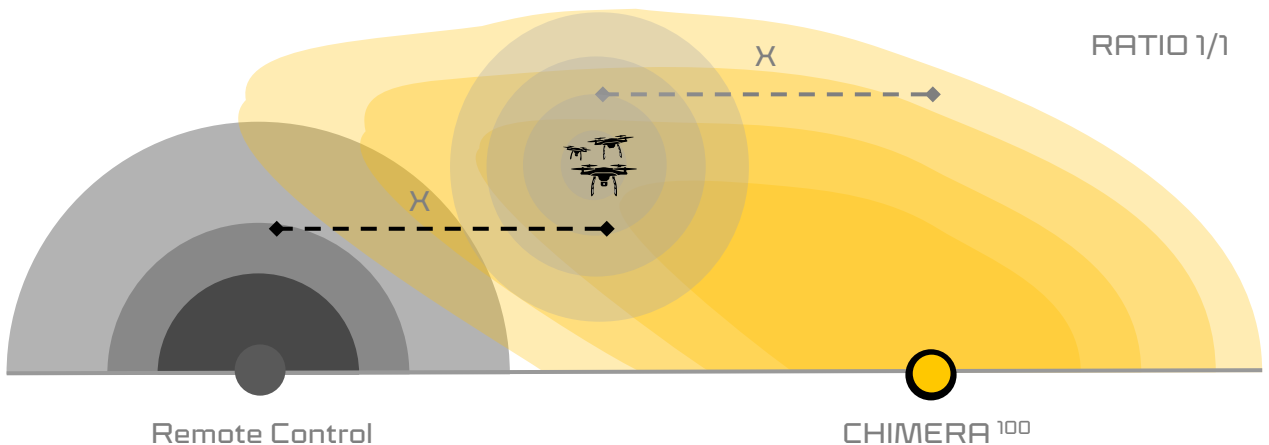
### How jamming affects drones

- Jamming **interferes with the communications** that drones rely on, namely the uplink, downlink and GNSS reception.
- Once one or several of these channels is jammed, the drone automatically triggers its **emergency procedure** that its pilot chose before take-off:
  - Safe landing.
  - Return to Home.
  - Hover until battery is depleted, then safe landing.
- If GNSS reception is also saturated, the drone will not be able to Return To Home and will therefore trigger its safe landing by default.



### Range

Several factors can impact neutralization ranges such as the distance ratio [CHIMERA – Drone] / [Drone – Remote Control], the drone model, local RF pollution, topography, surrounding constructions or weather conditions.



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Included accessories



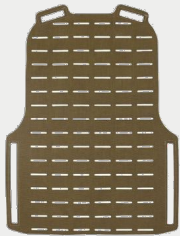
### Battery

- BT-70757BV
- Li-Ion
- Certified by US DoD
- 105 x 37 x 99 mm
- 0.54 kg
- Capacity: 24 V / 3.4 Ah



### Battery Charger

- BTC-70791-MR
- Powered in 100 – 240 Vac, 200 VA, 50/60 Hz
- 84 x 56 x 51 mm
- 0.50 kg



### MOLLE conversion plate

- Mounts the manpack on the tactical vest
- Quick release
- MOLLE attachment points



### MOLLE clips and Sling

- Clips to attach the plate to the tactical vest
- Sling to transport the effector



### Smartphone mounting

- Armor Mounted 5 Series
- Compatible with Juggernaut Sleeves



### Transport cases

- Transport case for CHIMERA and its accessories



### Long endurance battery

- BB-2590/U
- Li-Ion
- Certified by US DoD
- 112 x 61 x 127 mm
- 1.40 kg
- Capacity: 24 V / 7.5 Ah



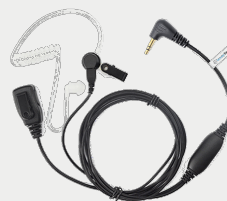
### Multi-battery charger

- BTC-70819-1
- Powered in 22 V – 33 V DC, 13 A, 90 – 260 Vac, 47 to 440 Hz
- 349 x 261 x 194 mm
- 5.90 kg



### Tactical Vest

- Material: Nylon 500D
- Water resistant
- Can hold 2 SAPI plate
- GrabDrag handle
- MOLLE attachment points



### Earpiece & maintenance cable

- Earpiece to hear audio alarms
- Maintenance cable for remote update

Customization options

Client references



French Ministry of Defense

CERBAIR is proud to equip several units of the French Army with its anti drone solutions.

G7 in Biarritz

CERBAIR was honored to take part in securing the 2019 G7 summit from drone threats.



Colombian Air Force

CERBAIR actively protects some bases of the Colombian Air Force from potential drone attacks.

Client testimonies



“ CERBAIR proved to be a company that perfectly understood the drone threats and the means to protect from them. [...] Their deep knowledge of anti drone technologies involved in detection, identification and neutralization [...] their toolbox approach [...] are key assets to secure your near airspace from malicious drones with the highest level of professionalism.

Stéphane Durand, CEO



CERBAIR’s radiofrequency based technology detects the vast majority of civilian drones in the air today. It is easy to install, integrates seamlessly into existing security systems and is controlled by a user-friendly interface that allows its operations to be up and running quickly, saving time and money.

Jean-Michel Aulas, Chairman ”



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CERBAIR is supported by several prestigious investors including MBDA (European leader in missile and missile guidance system), ensuring the sustainability of the company. Together, we work hard on designing complete anti drone solutions for armies.