

Surviving BT series Tanks

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Listed here are the BT-5 and BT-7 fast tanks that still exist today.



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BT-2 – Vadim Zadorozhny Museum, Arhangelskoe, Moscow Oblast (Russia)



Yuri Pasholok, September 2016 - <https://www.facebook.com/>

BT-5 (with BT-2 turret) – Patriot Park, Kubinka (Russia)
Serial Number 209-70 (Yuri Pasholok)



Yuri Pasholok, August 2018 - <https://www.facebook.com/photo.php?fbid=2136385269912889&set=pcb.2136387166579366>

BT-5 – Patriot Park, Kubinka (Russia)
Serial Number 209-68 (Yuri Pasholok)



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**BT-5 – Breakthrough of the Siege of Leningrad Museum, Kirovsk
Leningrad Oblast (Russia)**

This tank was recovered from the Neva River on 18 June 2007, just opposite of Nevskij Bridge-head. It was placed in this museum after having been cosmetically restored, in September 2007. More details here : http://www.nortfort.ru/np/foto_tbt1_e.html



"sany4", February 2016 - <http://sany4.tourister.ru/photoalbum/26411>

BT-5 – Museum of military equipment "Battle Glory of the Urals", Verkhnyaya Pyshma, Sverdlovsk Oblast (Russia) – running condition



"vololo", April 2010 - <http://fotki.yandex.ru/users/vololo/view/198106?page=0>

BT-5 – Exhibition in park ODORA SibVo, Chita, Zabaykalsky Krai (Russia)

This tank seems to carry a T-26 turret



"sjashford", August 2009 - <http://s204.photobucket.com/albums/bb210/sjashford/Mongolia/?action=view¤t=DSCF5327-1.jpg>

BT-5 – National Army Museum, Ulan-Bator (Mongolia)



http://www.mongolia.mid.ru/en/press_08.html

BT-5 – Öndörhaan, Khentii province (Mongolia)



"Nosov D" - http://www.railfanclub.spb.ru/gallery2/main.php?g2_view=core.ShowItem&g2_itemId=126

BT-5 – Choybalsan, Dornod province (Mongolia)



"sjashford", August 2009 - <http://s204.photobucket.com/albums/bb210/sjashford/Mongolia/?action=view¤t=DSCF5589.jpg>

BT-5 – Yakovlev Memorial, Khalkin Gol, Dornod province (Mongolia)



"marg", August 2009 - <http://picasaweb.google.com/marg.chamberlain/KhalgolVictoryCeremoniesAug29th#5378236186680010450>

BT-5 – Khalkhgol, Dornod province (Mongolia)



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Vitaly Kuzmin, April 2020 - <https://www.facebook.com/media/set/?set=a.2609824352477954&type=3>

BT-5A SPG – Museum of military equipment "Battle Glory of the Urals", Verkhnyaya Pyshma, Sverdlovsk Oblast (Russia) – running condition



<http://wwwboards.auto.ru/retro/429256.html>

BT-7 m1935 – "Stalin Line" Museum, Zaslavl', Minsk Voblast (Belarus)



<http://fotki.yandex.ru/users/necovi4/view/150323?page=1>

BT-7 m1935 – Malyshev Factory (former HPZ), Kharkov, Kharkiv Oblast (Ukraine)



Vladimir Yakubov - <http://svsm.org/gallery/bt-7>

BT-7 m1935 – Central Armed Forces Museum, Moscow (Russia)



"vololo", April 2010 - <http://fotki.yandex.ru/users/vololo/view/198111?page=0>

BT-7 m1935 – Exhibition in park ODORA SibVo, Chita, Zabaykalsky Krai (Russia)



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BT-7 m1935 – Khalkhgal Museum, Dornod province (Mongolia)



http://www.mafengwo.cn/photo/poi/7383025_470338603.html



http://www.mafengwo.cn/photo/poi/7383025_470338583.html



http://www.mafengwo.cn/photo/poi/7383025_7505362.html



http://www.mafengwo.cn/photo/poi/7383025_349353836.html

About 10 BT-7 m1935s – Chinese Site of Battle of Nomonhan, Amugulang County, New Barag Left Banner, Inner Mongolia (China)



https://www.facebook.com/story.php?story_fbid=403066195160017&id=100063699180632

BT-7 m1937 – Victory Park at Poklonnaya Gora, Moscow (Russia)

The running gear comes from a T-34 tank and some parts were rebuilt and then added to the tank during its restoration (Alex Pankov)



Unknown source

BT-7 m1937 or BT-7M – Technical museum, Tolyatti, Samara Oblast (Russia) (Russia)
 The tank is not in running condition, the restoration lasted 2 years



"sany4", February 2016 - <http://sany4.tourister.ru/photoalbum/26411>

BT-7 m1937 – Verkhnyaya Pyshma, Sverdlovsk Oblast (Russia)

The internal road wheels and the rear driving wheels come from a T-34 tank. The front idler wheels are not original ones and come from an unknown vehicle (Alex Pankov). Reconstruction process : http://www.sporf.ru/Наши_Работы/Реставрация



Igor Nesterov - http://www.thetankmaster.com/ENGLISH/AFV/BT7-1938_01r.asp

BT-7 m1937 – Military History Museum, Khabarovsk, Khabarovsk Krai (Russia)

The road wheels and the front idler wheels come from a T-34. The rear driving wheels come from an unknown vehicle (Alex Pankov)



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BT-7M m1939 – Museum of military equipment "Battle Glory of the Urals", Verkhnyaya Pyshma, Sverdlovsk Oblast (Russia) – running condition



"Balcer", July 2006 - http://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/BT_tank

Finnish BT-42 Assault Gun – Finnish Armour Museum, Parola (Finland)

Finnish BT-42 assault gun, created by placing a turret armed with a 114 mm gun on the chassis of the Soviet BT-7 fast tank. As all the BT tanks captured by Finland were scrapped soon after 1945, this is the only surviving example of this family of tanks (Wikipedia)



Jim Goetz, August 2015

T-46-1 prototype – Victory Park at Poklonnaya Gora, Moscow (Russia)

This tank was used as a bunker during the war, found by the association "Vysota" in the Karelian Isthmus near the village of Sosnovo, Leningrad Oblast and given to the Kubinka Tank Museum in 2001. It was reconstructed by the museum and placed there in 2004-2005 (information from the museum)



<https://www.facebook.com/photo.php?fbid=498716780248138&set=a.217630268356792.47629.217403635046122&type=1&theater>

T-46-1 prototype – Kubinka Tank Museum (Russia)

This Tank was donated to the museum by Dmitry Bushmakow. In early 1941, the Soviet government ordered the T46/1 prototype to be sent to Kubinka collection but, with start of the war, it was not done. More than 70 years later, Dmitry Bushmakow purchased it and donated to Kubinka state museum, completing the “year 1941” display in the museum



http://legion-afv.narod.ru/BT-5_Salpa_3.html

Finnish bunker (BT-5 partial hull with T-26 turret) – Salpa Line, Kouvola (Finland)

The three following bunkers are located in a wood near Kouvola, along the road N° 6 “Lappeenranta – Kouvola”



http://legion-afv.narod.ru/BT-5_Salpa_1.html

Finnish bunker (BT-5 partial hull with early BT-5 turret) – Salpa Line, Kouvola (Finland)



http://legion-afv.narod.ru/BT-5_Salpa_2.html

Finnish bunker (BT-5 partial hull with early BT-5 turret) – Salpa Line, Kouvola (Finland)



Petri Mäkelä, October 2018 - <https://www.instagram.com/p/BpM7CjJnrFw/>

Finnish bunker (BT-5 partial hull with BT-5 turret) – Salpa Line, Lappeenranta (Finland)



http://vkontakte.ru/album133162938_147494520

BT-5 restoration project – Private collection, near St. Petersburg (Russia)

This restoration project seems to be very complete, an engine, gearbox and some roadwheels seem to be part of it.
The owner would like to sell it for 100.000 or 150.000 euros (Dmitry Bushmakow)



http://odkrywca.pl/forum_pics/picsforum27/17_copy16.jpg

BT-7 hull – Storage yard, Kubinka Tank Museum (Russia)



"nomonhan2001", 2009 - <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4tERH6v03F4&feature=related>

First BT-7 wrecked hull – Khalkin Gol area, Dornod province (Mongolia)



"nomonhan2001", 2009 - <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OIne6m-Q7LY&NR=1>

Second BT-7 wrecked hull – Khalkin Gol area, Dornod province (Mongolia)



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BT-2 turret – Museum of the National Military History, Padikovo, Moscow Oblast (Russia)



"Stalker" - <http://www.roadplanet.ru/home/reports/111/>

BT-2 turret – Museum of military archeology, Search association "Northwest"
Petrovsky Island, St. Petersburg, Leningrad Oblast (Russia)

This turret previously served as a weapon emplacement on a defense line near Setroretsk (Kurortny District, St. Petersburg)



Timur Pakuro, April 2016 - <https://www.facebook.com/>

BT-2 turret – Breakthrough of the Siege of Leningrad Museum, Mar'ino
Leningrad Oblast (Russia)



Vladimir Yakubov - <http://svsm.org/gallery/turrets>

BT-5 turret – Victory Park at Poklonnaya Gora, Moscow (Russia)



"panzermehaniker", September 2006 - <http://panzermehaniker.borda.ru/?1-6-0-00000014-000-10001-0-1190816426>

BT-7 turret – Mga, Leningrad Oblast (Russia)



Simon Ashford, 2009 - <https://www.facebook.com/>

BT-7 turret – Khalkhgol, Dornod province (Mongolia)



<http://technic-memorial.narod.ru/BT-7/BT-7.htm>

BT-7 main gun – “T-34 History” Museum, Sholohovo, near Moscow (Russia)



<https://reibert.info/threads/fragmenty-texniki-identifikacija-i-obsuzhdenie.17968/page-24>

BT-7 turret – Unknown location



<https://fotki.yandex.ru/next/users/grinnols/album/202370/view/424907>

BT-7 turret – Unknown location



Alexey Rassypnov - <https://www.facebook.com/photo.php?fbid=2000969166611568&set=gm.2286167664943396>

BT-7 turret – Unknown location

I'm looking for photos of those tanks :

any BT-2, BT-5 or BT-7 tank that I forgot....

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