

Surviving British Tankettes, Light and Medium Tanks

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Listed here are the British tankettes, light and medium tanks that still exist today.



Jorma Hokkanen, August 2012 - <http://www.panoramio.com/photo/79156785>

Carden-Loyd Mk IV – Finnish Armour Museum, Parola (Finland)



<http://ki43.on.coocan.jp/oversea/thairas/thairas.html>

Carden-Loyd Mk IV – Royal Thai Army School, Bangkok (Thailand)



"Mistifarang", January 2011 - http://www.flickr.com/photos/toni_uni/5362763909/

Carden-Loyd Mk IV – Hall of Railway Heritage, Bangkok (Thailand)



David Barlow, February 2022



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Jim Goetz, February 2023

Three Carden-Loyd Mk IV – The Cavalry Centre, Fort Adisorn, Saraburi (Thailand)



http://www.shutterstock.com/pic-82619041/stock-photo-old-tank-in-the-park.html?src=same_artist-82390966-2

Carden-Loyd Mk IV – Artillery Museum, Mueang District, Lopburi Province (Thailand)



“feelthai”, September 2018 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VwBKmhhopF0>

Carden-Loyd Mk IV – Royal Thai Army Special Forces Museum at Ft. Narai
Lopburi province (Thailand)



http://www.cavalrycenter.com/former-tanks/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=129:4&catid=102:2021-05-25-03-15-28

Carden-Loyd Mk IV – Cavalry Squadron 2, Ban Phra, Prachin Buri (Thailand)



<http://ki43.on.coocan.jp/oversea/nakhon/nakhon.html>

Carden-Loyd Mk IV – Wirathai Monument, Nakhon Si Thammarat (Thailand)



<http://ki43.on.coocan.jp/oversea/huahin/huahin.html>

Carden-Loyd Mk IV – Hua Hin Konoe Corps, Thanarat Camp, Prachuap Khiri Khan
(Thailand)



http://holidayhatyaisongkhla.blogspot.com/2010/06/blog-post_9865.html

Carden-Loyd Mk IV – Historical Park, Songkhla, Songkhla province (Thailand)



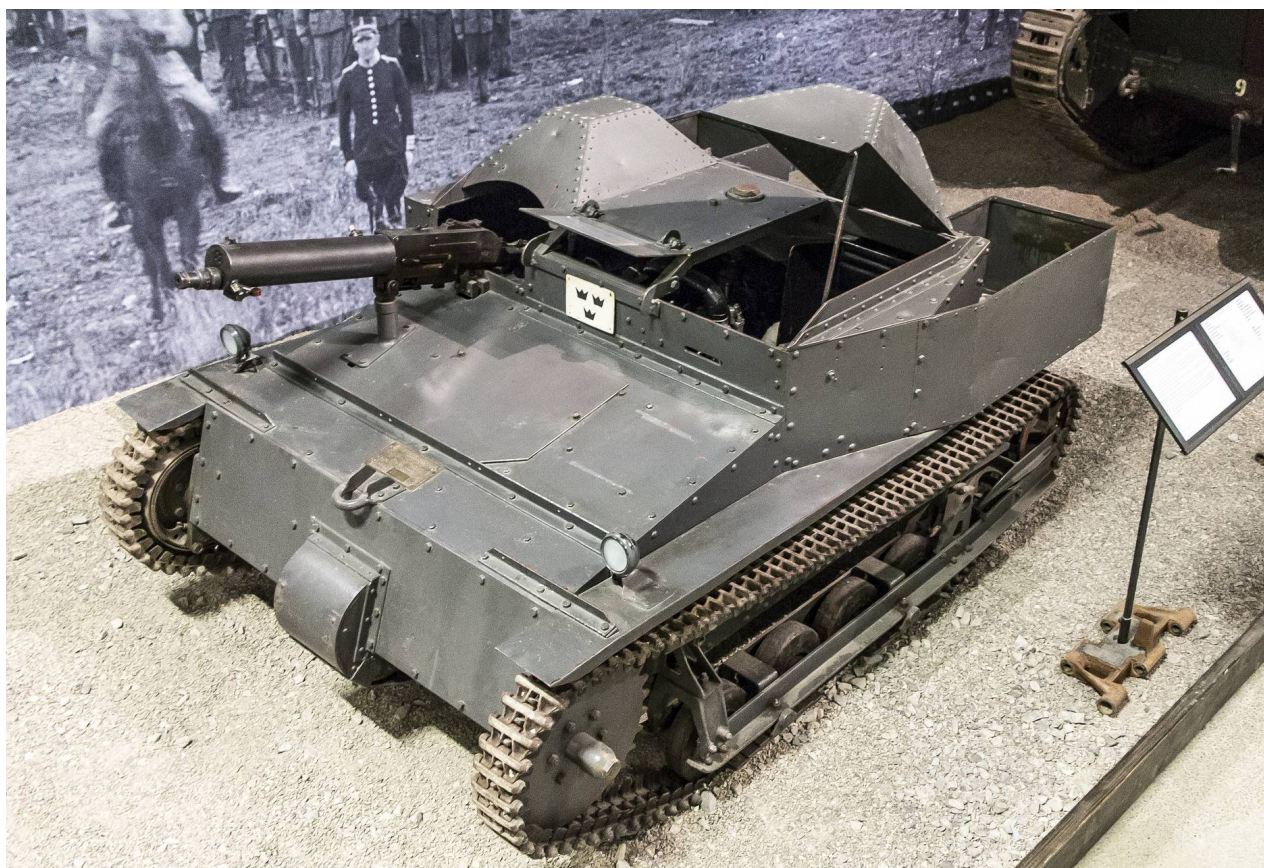
Björn Bellander, 2007 - <http://www.bjorns-story.se/private/axvallapanzarhtm/pansarmuseum.htm>

Carden-Loyd Mk V – Arsenalen Tank Museum, Strängnäs (Sweden)



Massimo Foti, August 2015 - <https://www.flickr.com/photos/massimofoti/30620753123/>

Carden-Loyd Patrol Car Mk VI (FP 5) – Tøjhusmuseet, Copenhagen (Denmark)



Massimo Foti, August 2014 - <https://www.flickr.com/photos/massimofoti/sets/72157646628902666>

Carden-Loyd Mk VI b – Arsenalen Tank Museum, Strängnäs (Sweden)

This tankette was bought in 1933 for testing purposes, but never used in combat. It was used for training purposes instead (<http://www.jaegerplatoon.net/TANKS1.htm>)



"f0rbe5", April 2009 - <http://www.flickr.com/photos/67307569@N00/3709598364/in/set-72157617097696996/>

Carden-Loyd Mk VI – Bovington Tank Museum (UK)

The vehicle cost about £400 when it was built in 1928. It would have served with many British regiments before WW2. It probably ended its career as a training vehicle at Bovington Camp (Museum)



Ahmad Salameh, January 2018 - https://www.facebook.com/permalink.php?story_fbid=584521068563166&id=100010158343490

Carden-Loyd Mk VI – Royal Jordanian Tank Museum (Jordan)

This vehicle is possibly a replica



Sylvain Protois, July 2019

Carden-Loyd Mk VI b – Museo de Tanques del Arma Caballeria Blindada, Iquique (Chile)

After 70 years in Quillota, the School of Armored Forces of Quillota moved to Iquique in 2008



Mikko Lipponen - <http://mailer.fsu.edu/~akirk/tanks/finland/finland.html>

Vickers Carden-Loyd Model 1933 – Finnish Armour Museum, Parola (Finland)

This tankette, with 3 others, was bought in 1933 for testing purposes, but never used in combat. It was used for training purposes instead (<http://www.jaegerplatoon.net/TANKS1.htm>)



Alain Le Métayer, April 2018 - <https://www.flickr.com/photos/httpwwwflickrcomphotosalem/albums/72157694451684172>

Vickers Carden-Loyd Tractor Truck – Museu Militar de Elvas (Portugal)



Pierre-Olivier Buan, August 2008 - <http://good-times.webshots.com/album/566360245euEIJQ?start=12>

Vickers Carden-Loyd T.13 B2 – Royal Museum of the Armed Forces, Brussels (Belgium)

Most if not all T13s were sent to the eastern front as radio guided mobile explosive devices and hence destroyed. Ours was found by one of our tank museum volunteers in the cellars of the Army Museum in Vienna. After some protracted negotiations, a Belgian C130 dropping some SF troops in Bavaria, 'flew by' Vienna and loaded up our T13. When arriving at Royal Army and Military History Museum we discovered the original battery was still plugged in. Even more astonishingly it still carried it's original camo paint and markings of the 'Limburgse Grenswielrijders' of May 1940. This was a border protection regiment and when we officially presented the vehicle to the Museum, they formed up an honour guard whilst it drove by with some very poignant scenes of emotion. Since being fragile and original, it stays on static display inside the museum (Museum staff member via Craig Moore). Still in Brussels in May, 2016



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<https://disk.yandex.ru/d/06ygjLZr6y7swv>

Vickers Carden-Loyd Amphibious Tank – Kubinka Tank Museum (Russia)



Luis Curran, July 2007 - <http://www.pbase.com/lcurran/image/110144022>

Vickers Carden-Loyd Amphibious Tank – Kokopo (East New Britain, Papua New Guinea)

This vehicle is most probably a Vickers Carden-Loyd M1931 Amphibious Tank that was captured in China with some others and used by the Imperial Japanese Army (IJA). An IJA document states that one Vickers Light Amphibious Tank equipped with a Japanese machine gun was tested at Rabaul in 1943, and it could be this one (Akira "Taki" Takizawa)



Massimo Foti, March 2010 - <http://www.com-central.net/index.php?name=Forums&file=viewtopic&t=12543>

Vickers Carden-Loyd Model 1934 – Sammlung Historische Panzer, Thun (Switzerland)

SN 825, RN M-7305. It has been stored indoor in the last few years. The tank's engine has been removed, so that some parts can be used to make the other tank below a runner (Massimo Foti). Its data plate states it was built at the Vickers-Armstrongs Elswick Works in August 1934 (Trevor Larkum)



Massimo Foti, March 2010 - <http://www.com-central.net/index.php?name=Forums&file=viewtopic&t=12543>

Vickers Carden-Loyd Model 1934 – Panzermuseum, Thun (Switzerland)

SN 824, RN M-7304. It has been stored outside for a very long time, and was still outdoor until last summer. Right now it is stored at Swiss Army's workshop in Thun and planned to be returned to running condition, using some parts from the tank above (Massimo Foti). Its data plate states it was built at the Vickers-Armstrongs Elswick Works in August 1934 (Trevor Larkum)



"Megashorts", October 2009 - <http://www.flickr.com/photos/megashorts/3972171556/in/set-72157609057315170/>

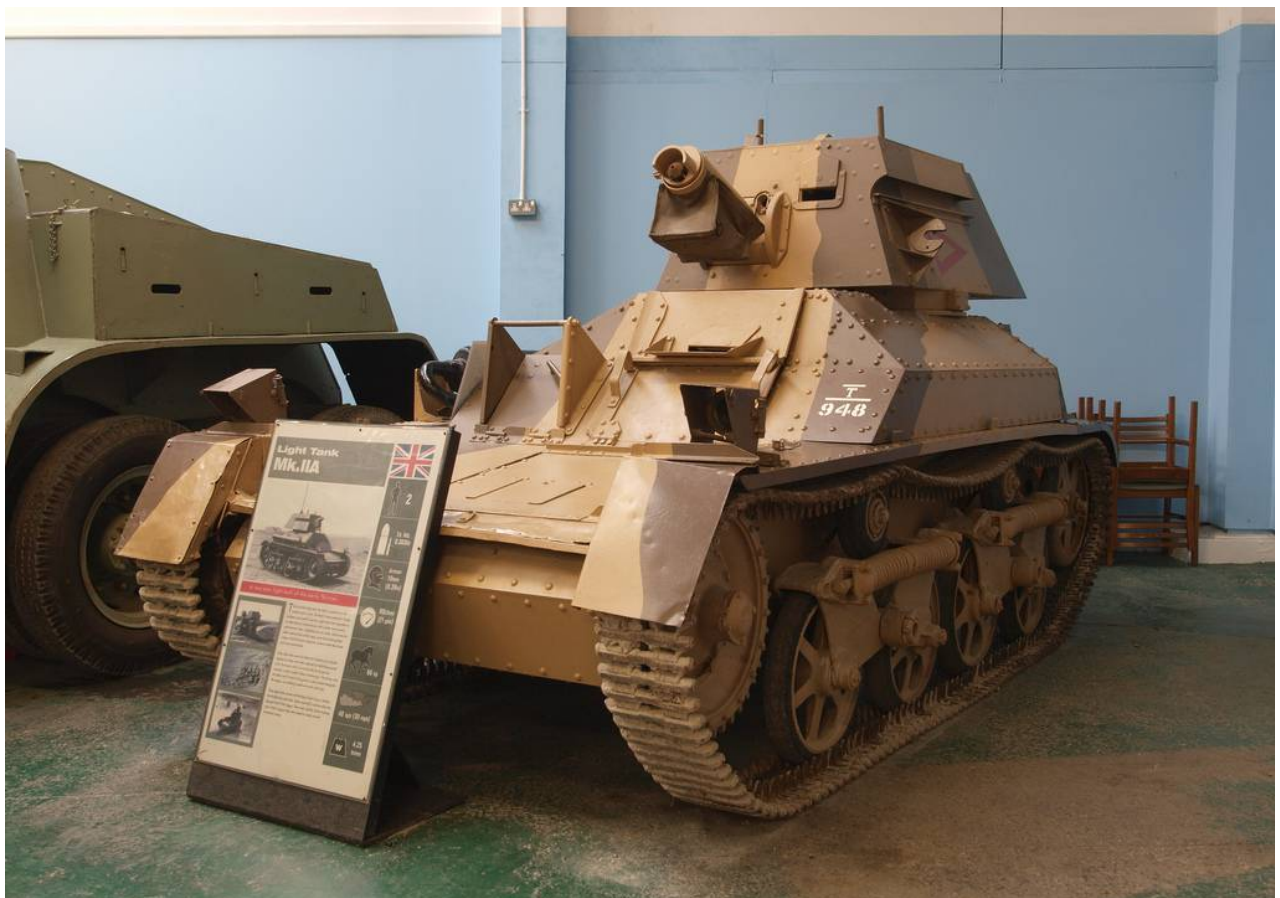
Vickers Carden-Loyd Model 1936 – Bovington Tank Museum (UK)

This tank is known as "commercial" or "export" version (Neil Baumgardner)



Yuri Pasholok, November 2021 - <https://www.facebook.com/100006243103648/posts/3009493112602096/>

Vickers Carden-Loyd Model 1937 – Kubinka Tank Museum (Russia)



"Megashorts", November 2008 - <http://www.flickr.com/photos/megashorts/3031632187/in/set-72157609057315170/>

Vickers-Carden-Loyd Light Tank Mk IIA – Bovington Tank Museum (UK)



Photo from Google Maps

Vickers-Carden-Loyd Light Tank Mk IIB Indian Pattern – Pakistan Army Museum, Lahore (Pakistan)



<https://www.google.be/maps/>

Vickers-Carden-Loyd Light Tank Mk IIB Indian Pattern – Kharian Cantonment, near Kharian (Pakistan)



Pierre-Olivier Buan, June 2017 - <https://www.flickr.com/photos/13963542@N08/albums/72157683304840411>

Vickers-Carden-Loyd Light Tank Mk IV – Bovington Tank Museum (UK)

Has been restored to running condition in 2016-2017. WD N° T 1344, built in 1935



Massimo Foti, October 2014 - <https://www.flickr.com/photos/massimofoti/32134365865/>

Vickers-Carden-Loyd Light Tank Mk VI – Imperial War Museum Duxford (UK)

This tank was used with eleven others prior to WW2 at the Singleton Military Training Area in New South Wales, Australia, and then at the Bandiana Military Training Area, Victoria, Australia. They did not see service outside Australia during WW2 but they were used as targets for small arms fire after the war. In 1947, the owner of a rice farm in Griffith, New South Wales, Australia purchased two Mk.VI light tanks directly from the Australian Army base auction at Bandiana. A private Australian collector purchased the tank from that owner at another auction in 1977 but later sold it to the Budge Collection in 1987. It was shipped to the UK and later sold to the Imperial War Museum (Gina Wilson via Craig Moore)



"f0rbe5", April 2009 - <http://www.flickr.com/photos/67307569@N00/3554668346/in/set-72157617097696996/>

Vickers-Carden-Loyd Light Tank Mk VI – Bovington Tank Museum (UK)

This tank probably never saw combat. It was used as a training tank at a time when it was crucial for soldiers to learn how to live and fight in tanks (Museum)



Pierre-Olivier Buan, March 2019

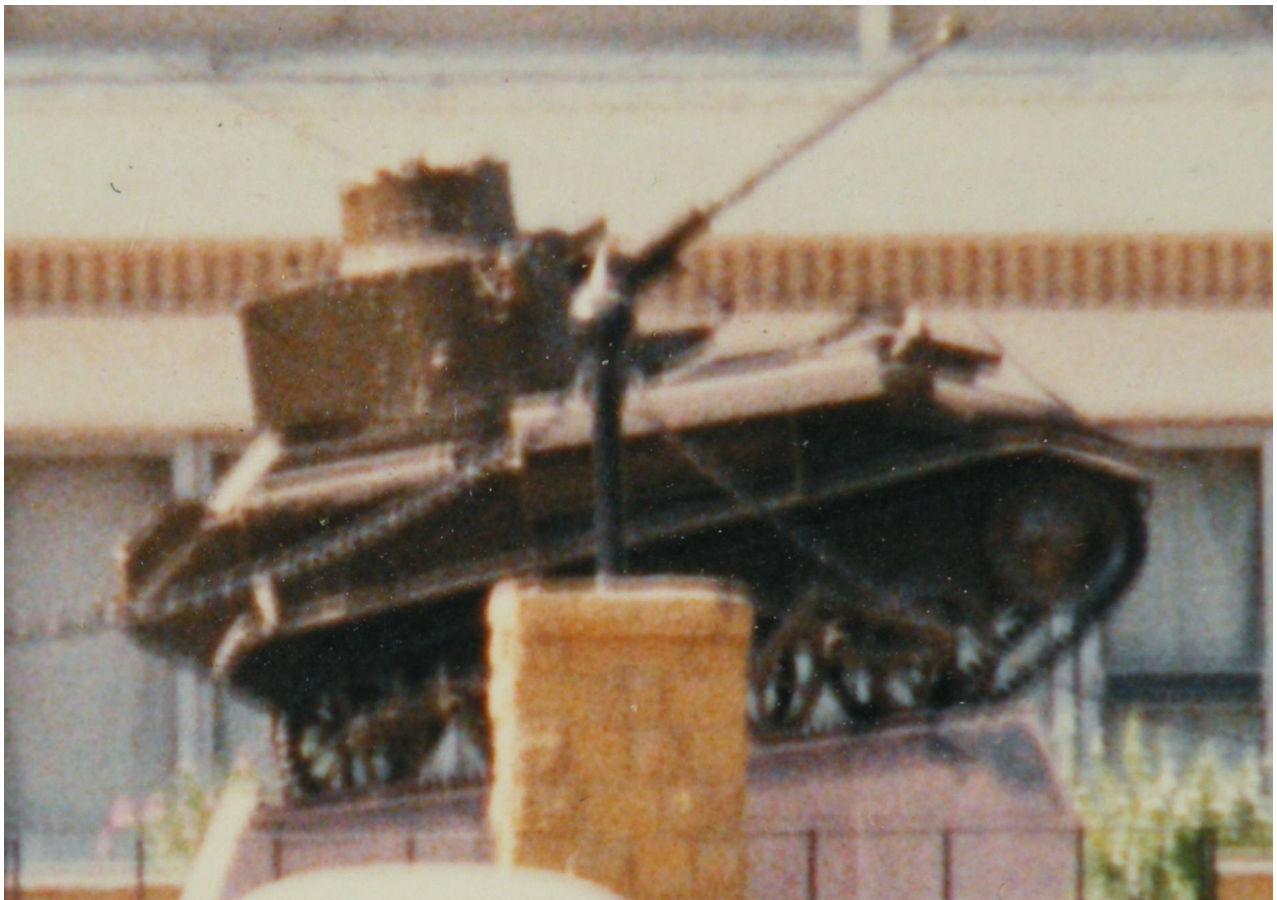
Vickers-Carden-Loyd Light Tank Mk VI – Musée des Blindés, Saumur (France)

WD N° T-2097 (France AFVs register)



Pierre-Olivier Buan, November 2019

Vickers-Carden-Loyd Light Tank Mk VIA – El-Alamein War Museum (Egypt)



Unknown source

Vickers-Carden-Loyd Light Tank Mk VI – In front of the Ministry of Defence, Cairo (Egypt)



<https://i.hizliresim.com/86gob1.jpg?fbclid=IwAR0uiYnJqQhAZ-lAvjd4Y9YXm6yYn47mMeY4qgd7Vu8wFGWvSzrFYuBidJl>

Vickers-Carden-Loyd Light Tank Mk VI – Etimesgut Tank Müzesi, Ankara (Turkey)



Jim Goetz, March 2017 - <https://www.facebook.com/>

Vickers-Carden-Loyd Light Tank Mk VI – Yad la-Shiryon Museum, Latrun (Israel)



http://www.ammssydney.com/content/CntRefFeat_PH_LostFound.html#MarkVI

Vickers-Carden-Loyd Light Tank Mk VI – former Iraqi army base, Taji (Iraq)



Pierre-Olivier Buan, September 2019

Vickers-Carden-Loyd Light Tank Mk VI – American Heritage Museum, Hudson, MA (USA)

This vehicle was part of Jacques Littlefield Collection in California. The entire Littlefield collection was donated to the Collings Foundation, and only 80 of the 240 vehicles of the collection will be displayed in a new museum, which will be built in Massachusetts and is expected to open its doors in late 2018. The other vehicles were sold in an auction in August 2014



<https://www.facebook.com/100009323262545/videos/1673588969641715>

Vickers-Carden-Loyd Light Tank Mk VIB – U.S. Army Armor & Cavalry Collection, Fort Benning, GA (USA)



"GRB_Ott", August 2009 - http://www.flickr.com/photos/ottcan_520/sets/72157622097376432/

Vickers-Carden-Loyd Light Tank Mk VI – Canadian Forces Base, Borden (Canada)



"Bukvoed", January 2005 - <http://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/Image:Puckapunyal-Vickers-Light-MkVIA-2.jpg>

Vickers-Carden-Loyd Light Tank Mk VI – Royal Australian Armoured Corps Tank Museum, Puckapunyal, VIC (Australia)



<http://www.zimmerliweb.ch/events/content/view/48/9/>

Vickers-Carden-Loyd Light Tank Mk VI hull – Colin Jones Collection, Adelaide (Australia)
Ex-John Belfield collection



<http://www.riaudailyphoto.com>

<http://www.riaudailyphoto.com/2011/07/tank-baja-eks-peninggalan-belanda-di.html>

Vickers-Carden-Loyd Light Tank Mk VI wreck – Unknown exact location, Kuantan Singingi Regency (Indonesia)



Pierre-Olivier Buan, May 2023

Light Tank Mk VII Tetrarch – Bovington Tank Museum (UK)

This tank has been converted to a Close Support Tetrarch, replacing the standard 2 pounder gun with a 3" howitzer. It has serial number T9274 and was built in November, 1940. It was used for training by the Gunnery Wing of the Armoured Fighting Vehicle School of Lulworth, then came to the Tank Museum in 1949 (Museum)



Yuri Pasholok, July 2021 - <https://www.facebook.com/100006243103648/posts/2919355301615878/>

Light Tank Mk VII Tetrarch – Kubinka Tank Museum (Russia)



"Megashorts", October 2009 - <http://www.flickr.com/photos/megashorts/3971408621/in/set-72157609057315170/>

Light Tank Mk VIII Harry Hopkins – Bovington Tank Museum (UK)

More information about the story and the restoration of this vehicle here : http://www.tankmuseum.co.uk/collectionworkshop_0108.html



"alcantur", September 2011 - <http://www.elgrancapitan.org/foro/viewtopic.php?f=35&t=15856&p=609638>

Vickers 6-Ton Tank Type A – Military Academy Museum, La Paz (Bolivia)

The name of the tank is "Ina" and it was built in 1932 with the SN VAE 532 (<http://foro.elgrancapitan.org/viewtopic.php?f=35&t=15856>). Captured by the Paraguayans in their war with Bolivia (the Gran Chaco war), it was displayed for several years at Asuncion's main plaza as a war trophy. In 1990, the tank was returned to Bolivia as a sign of friendship. The turret of the Vickers Type B destroyed at Nanawa battle is displayed on the rear deck of the tank (Rodrigo Rosa)



"f0rbe5", April 2009 - <http://www.flickr.com/photos/67307569@N00/3671683001/in/set-72157617097696996/>

Vickers 6-Ton Tank Type B (or Vickers Mk E) – Bovington Tank Museum (UK)

Vickers-Armstrongs was building this tank for export to Siam when WW2 broke out. It was seized by the British Army for use as a training tank (Museum)



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Jarkko Vihavainen - <http://derela.republika.pl/vae2.htm>

Vickers 6-Ton Tank Type B (# Ps. 161-7) – Finnish Armour Museum, Parola (Finland)
The tank is equipped with a 37mm Bofors anti-tank gun (<http://derela.republika.pl/vae2.htm>)



"Deep Blue Sea", May 2017 - <https://twitter.com/WassanaNanuam/status/868725632305315840>

Vickers 6-Ton Tank Type B – Royal Thai Army School, Bangkok (Thailand)



"rudy.rijen Dav", March 2008 - <https://plus.google.com/photos/110835723186713435585/albums/5456695858092323745?banner=pwa>

Vickers 6-Ton Tank Type B – Artillery Museum, Mueang District, Lopburi Province
(Thailand)



"feelthai", Septembr 2018 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VwBKmhhopF0>

Vickers 6-Ton Tank Type B – Royal Thai Army Special Forces Museum at Ft. Narai
Lopburi province (Thailand)



"Balcer", June 2006 - http://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/Image:Vickers_45mm_parola_1.jpg

Vickers 6-Ton Tank T-26E (# Ps. 161-9) – Finnish Armour Museum, Parola (Finland)

This British tank was upgraded by the addition of a Russian T-26 turret armed with a 45mm gun (Wikipedia)



postcard from the museum - <http://www.flickr.com/photos/fightingforward/5565734896/>

Vickers 6-Ton Tank T-26E (# Ps. 161-6) – Suomenlinna War Museum, Helsinki (Finland)

This British tank was upgraded by the addition of a Russian T-26 turret, armed with a 45mm gun (Wikipedia)



http://www.rajajoki.com/kuvat/Savpr_viku.jpg

Vickers 6-Ton Tank T-26E (# Ps. 161-?) – Savon Prikaati garrison, Mikkeli (Finland)



<http://ki43.on.coocan.jp/oversea/thairas/thairas.html>

Thai Type 76 AA Vehicle – Royal Thai Army School, Bangkok (Thailand)
 26 Type 76 AA vehicles were sold to Siam [Thailand] in 1933. They were not sold as AA vehicles and were more likely to be fire support ("Jimweb")



Thai Type 76 AA Vehicle – Reserves Training Center Territorial Defense Department
Vibhavadi Rangsit 4 Alley, Din Daeng, Bangkok (Thailand)



Jim Goetz, March 2023

Thai Type 76 AA Vehicle – The Cavalry Centre, Fort Adison, Saraburi (Thailand)



Google Maps image

Thai Type 76 AA vehicle – 1st Aircraft Artillery Battalion, Chaeng Watthana Road
Khet Lak Si, Bangkok (Thailand)
Formerly known as the 6th AA Regiment



"P. Klykoom", May 2007 - <http://www.network54.com/Forum/330333/message/1177990155/Vickers+AA+Carrier>

Thai Type 76 AA Vehicle – Near the 35th Military District HQ / army base, Tha Sao, Mueang Uttaradit District (Thailand)



"rudy.rijen Dav", March 2008 - <https://plus.google.com/photos/110835723186713435585/albums/5456695858092323745?banner=pwa>

First Thai Type 76 AA Vehicle – Artillery Museum, Mueang District, Lopburi Province (Thailand)



"rudy.rijen Dav", March 2008 - <https://plus.google.com/photos/110835723186713435585/albums/5456695858092323745?banner=pwa>

Second Thai Type 76 AA Vehicle – Artillery Museum, Mueang District, Lopburi Province (Thailand)



"feelthai", September 2018 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VwBkmhhopF0>

Thai Type 76 AA Vehicle – Royal Thai Army Special Forces Museum at Ft. Narai, Lopburi province (Thailand)



Ian Garnett, July 2018

Thai Type 76 AA Vehicle – Infantry Museum, Thanarat Camp, Khao Noi
Pran Buri Province (Thailand)



Stephen Tegner, April 2019

Vickers Medium Tank Mk I – Special Services Battalion Museum, Bloemfontein
(Republic of South Africa)

Two Vickers Medium Mk I tanks arrived at East London (South Africa) from England on 26 September 1934. Together with the Whippet, these were the only tanks available to the Union Defense Forces at the outbreak of the Second World War



Neil Baumgardner, June 2006 - <http://www.com-central.net/index.php?name=Forums&file=viewtopic&p=28049>

Vickers Medium Tank Mk II* – Bovington Tank Museum (UK) – running condition

This Medium Tank Mark II* is shown in the markings of 5th Battalion Royal Tank Corps with whom it served before WW2. By 1940, it was being used for driver training at Bovington Camp. The asterisk or star, in its name, shows that this tank underwent an official modification (Museum)



Charlie Webb, June 2013 - <https://www.flickr.com/photos/cmwebbjr/9437169543/in/set-72157634934823018>

Vickers Medium Tank Mk IIA – U.S. Army Armor & Cavalry Coll., Fort Benning, GA (USA)

Previously displayed at Aberdeen proving ground museum



Jim Goetz, June 2016

Vickers Medium Tank Mk II – Royal Australian Armoured Corps Tank Museum,
Puckapunyal, VIC (Australia)



"Sierra Gris", May 2009 - <http://www.flickr.com/photos/24946595@N06/3517544508/sizes/o/in/set-72157617928188600/>

Vickers 6-Ton Tank Type B turret – Military Academy Museum, La Paz (Bolivia)
The turret of the Vickers Type B destroyed at Nanawa battle is displayed on the rear deck of a Type A tank (Rodrigo Rosa)



"Karl H", July 2010 - <http://picasaweb.google.com/finarvas/WarPeaceShow2010#5498668328319035986>

Carden-Loyd Mk VI **reproduction** – Private collection,
possibly Shaun Mitchell (UK) – running condition



<http://www.elgrancapitan.org/foro/viewtopic.php?p=651249>

Thai Type 76 AA Vehicle – Unknown location (Thailand)



[oknation.net/blog/jarinasa](http://www.oknation.net/blog/jarinasa)

<http://www.oknation.net/blog/jarinasa/2014/02/02/entry-1>

Thai Type 76 AA Vehicle – Unknown location (Thailand)



<https://www.facebook.com/photo.php?fbid=10201285350361709&set=o.100114940137768&type=3>

Light Tank Mk VI – Unknown location (Iraq)

Any information about the current location, and any recent picture of this tank are the most welcome

I'm looking for photos of those tanks :

information about the Light Tank Mk VI at the former Iraqi army base, Taji (Iraq)
Thai Type 76 AA Vehicle – The 7th AA Regiment in Pathum Thani (Thailand)

any British tankettes, light or medium tank that I forgot....

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