

Ordering Modular Artillery Charge System Propellant

Modular Artillery Charge System (MACS) propellant charges (M231 and M232/M232A1) must be ordered by the number of increments required ("each"), not by the number of canisters required. This is similar to the M3A1 "green-bag" charge (DODIC: D540) that is packaged two charges to its canister (M14A2). The M231 (DODIC: DA12) is packaged four increments to its canister (PA161). For example, if a unit wants 25 canisters of M231 (DODIC: DA12), then they must order 100 increments of DA12. The M232/M232A1 (DA13) is packaged five increments to its canister (PA103A2). For example, if a unit wants 25 canisters of M232/M232A1 (DA13), then they must order 125 increments of DA13. Units should always order a number divisible by four for M231 and a number divisible by five for M232/M232A1 to preclude receiving partially filled canisters. Note: M232A1 cannot be issued until AFATDS Blk II is released.