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Our weekly update focuses on new discussions, content and members. The Ammo CoP offers members a chance to connect and collaborate with, quality content and discussions available, all specifically for all professionals who work with and/or around ammunition (Military, Civilians and Contractors alike)! Pass this newsletter on to your friends and peers that may not have heard about the Ammo CoP and invite them to join us at: <https://acc.dau.mil/ammo>

Feature Requests...

In a continued effort to improve on this Newsletter and make it serve the purpose of the CoP, if you have something you would like to see highlighted in this newsletter (people, activities, ammo items, etc...), or if you have any pictures and/or bits of information you would like to include in future newsletters, please send them to me.



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Questions and Answers



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Apps

Do you have questions for your peers and fellow Ammunition Professionals? If so logon to: <https://acc.dau.mil/ammo> and post your question so that our members can share their experience, knowledge and expertise with you. Before using the "Ask an Expert" feature please table your questions in the forum.

EP 200-1-2

Process and Procedures for Shipping Hazardous Wastes and other Hazardous Materials

This [document](#) was originally published on 31 March 1994 and later updated in April 2000. This new update includes EPA and DOT regulatory changes. In addition, the appendix reflects the most current USACE policy and guidance pertaining to the shipping of hazardous materials, including hazardous wastes, PCBs, asbestos, wastes containing munitions and explosives of concern (MEC) and munitions constituents (MC), and low level radioactively contaminated soils from FUSRAP sites.

Contributed by Mr. Tibbetts

EM 385-1-97

Explosives Safety and Health Requirements Manual

Purpose: This [manual](#) prescribes the safety and health requirements for all Corps of Engineers activities and operations that involve explosives related work.

EM 200-1-15

Technical Guidance for Military Munitions Response Actions

This [manual](#) provides the United States Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) Project Delivery Team (PDT) with the processes for executing the technical aspects of munitions response (MR) projects. The foundation of Corps of Engineers environmental work is the Environmental Operating Principles as specified in ER 200-1-5. These seven tenets serve as guides and must be applied in all Corps business lines as we strive to achieve a sustainable environment.

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Remember this forum is for collaboration and knowledge sharing among all of us within the ammunition community. If you have a question that we may be able to help you answer, or if you have developed an SOP, best practice, or TTP that helps you do your job, post it to Ammo CoP. The few minutes you take to upload something could save someone else hours of work. If you're not sure how or need assistance just send me a note or visit the user training site available at: <https://acc.dau.mil/usertraining>

Army Directive 2016-21 (Interim Policy for Serialized Item Management)

This directive establishes policy for identifying items that require unique item-level traceability. It also identifies the roles and responsibilities of Army organizations to support Serialized Item Management (SIM) as outlined in [Army Directive 2016-21](#).

The Army will serially manage an item when statute, regulation, policy, or business value require unique item-level traceability. Army materiel developers and their provisioning entities will ensure that they correctly provision SIM items with the serial number and unique item identifier when available. Until changes implementing item unique identification are complete, the Army may track SIM items by serial and type identifying information, such as national stock number or manufacturer and part numbers.

Many munitions are adequately tracked and accounted for by lot number. Munition to be tracked include those munitions of the highest sensitivity, security risk category I, as well as select munition in security risk categories II and III. Munitions items considered for SIM must be in supply class V and have controlled inventory item code 1, 5, or 6. Contributed by Mr. Garcia

MIN 16-20

SOUTHWEST ASIA (SWA) TOW MISSILES

This [MIN](#) is intended to clarify AMCOM instructions for TOW missiles exposed to the extreme combat conditions in SWA.

[FY16 Automatic Returns List \(ARL\)](#)

Disposition of Used Packing Material and Certain Specified Ammunition Components; FY16.

AIN 052-16

Cartridge, 40mm; HEDP, M430, M430A1 (1310-B542) with M549 Fuze

Request this [AIN](#) be disseminated to all Users that fire DODAC 1310-B542 with the M549 fuze.

Throughout the history of the M430 there have been reports of airburst detonations. The USMC has reported many airbursts over the years. The M430A1 with the M549A1 fuze alleviated fuze causes of the airbursts.

Due to the possibility of fragments from airbursts while firing the M430/M430A1 with the M549 fuze, it is required that all personnel within 75 meters must wear a helmet, body armor, eye protection and single hearing protection. Sleeves shall be rolled down and gloves worn.

AIN 053-16

USE OF 9MM JACKETED HOLLOW POINT (1305-A260), NSN 1305-01-357-8488 AND 1305-01-333-3929

This [AIN](#) provides guidance to the User of subject ammunition. A260 9MM JHP ammunition is designed with open hollow point to minimize probability of over-penetration (pass through) of targets to minimize collateral damage of sensitive equipment or injury to innocent bystanders.

NSN 1305-01-357-8488 has a restriction code of B38 which means: (B38) restricted to CONUS use by U.S. government civilian and military law enforcement and security personnel and by U.S. government civilian and military augmentation personnel involved in augmented security operations only.

NSN 1305-01-333-3929 has a restriction code of B58 which means: (B58) restricted from Army use.

Don't Forget...

This is our community and it'll only be as good as we make it. I'm always interested in hearing any ideas you may have in reference to suggested improvements to this newsletter or the CoP— if you have any suggestions, please send them to me.

Send your Questions, Submissions, Comments and/or Suggestions to:

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