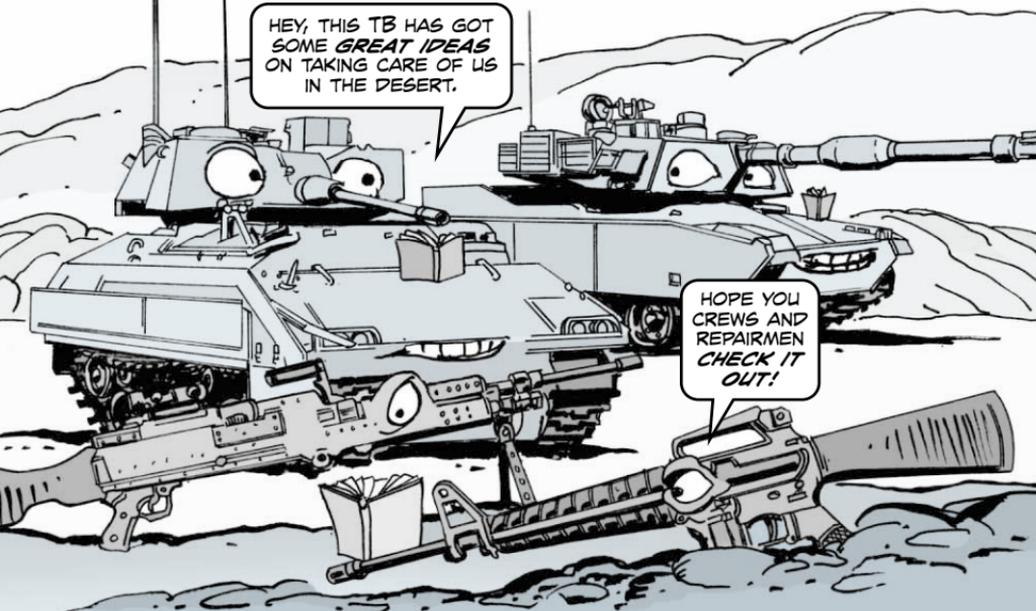




Need Desert Help? See Desert TB



HEY, THIS TB HAS GOT
SOME *GREAT IDEAS*
ON TAKING CARE OF US
IN THE DESERT.

HOPE YOU
CREWS AND
REPAIRMEN
*CHECK IT
OUT!*

Dear Editor,

As one of the TACOM logistics assistance representatives in Kuwait, I assist units in preparing their equipment for desert operations.

I've found a valuable tool for fighting the desert PM battle is TB 9-1000-262-DT, *Operation Desert Thunder Material Readiness*. The TB covers desert PM for almost all weapons, combat vehicles, and ammunition. Every unit deploying to Iraq or any desert environment should get a copy of the TB and study it for ideas on how to get the most out of their equipment. It could mean the difference between success and failure.

The TB is on EM 0065, the small arms EM, which your pubs clerk can order for you. Or you can access EM 0065 at

<https://www.logsa.army.mil/etms/online.htm>

Once you get to this ETM site, you'll need a password to read this TB.

Robert Foley
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(Editor's note: Excellent tip, Mr. Foley. We weren't aware of the TB and I'm sure many soldiers aren't either. Thanks for clueing us in. Soldiers also might check out TB 43-0239, a collection of PS articles on operating in the desert. It's also on the EM site.)