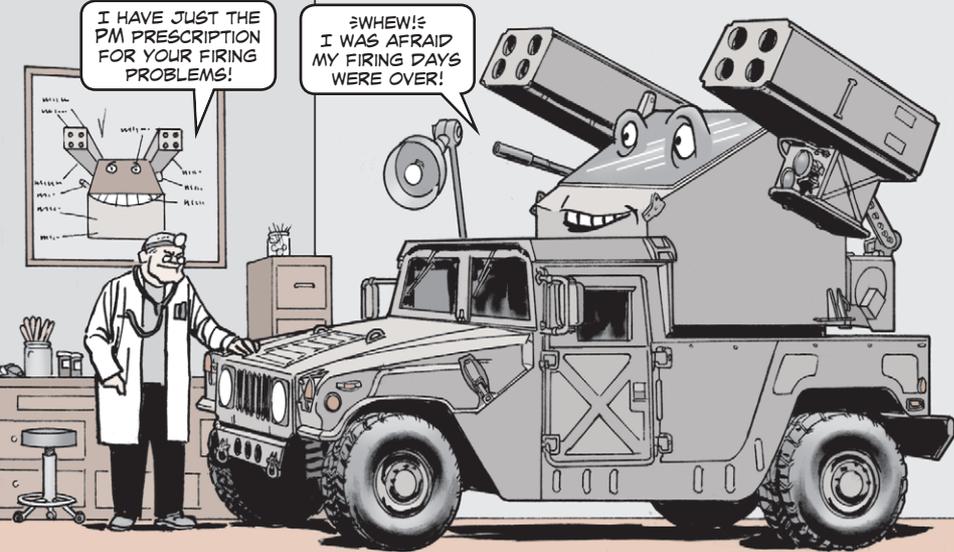


Rx FOR AVENGER PM

I HAVE JUST THE PM PRESCRIPTION FOR YOUR FIRING PROBLEMS!

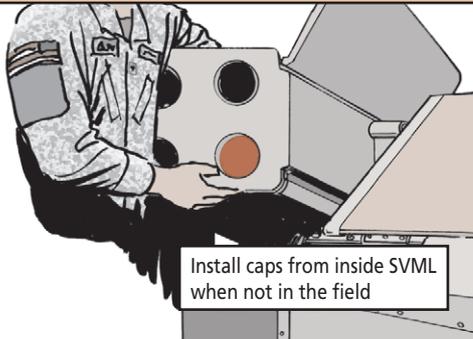
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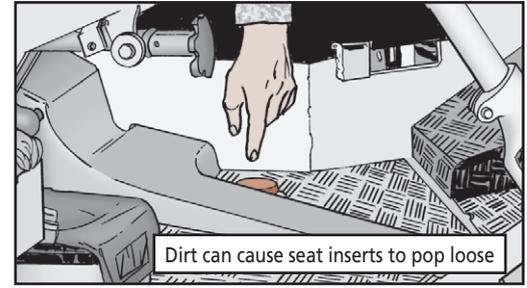
TRY THIS PM MEDICINE TO KEEP YOUR AVENGER ON ITS TOES AND READY FOR SERIOUS FIRING...



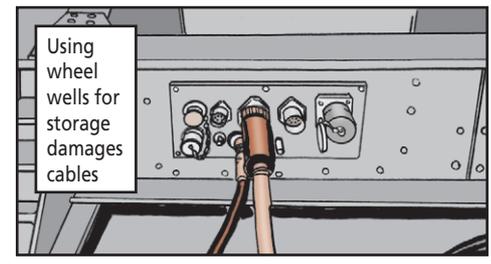
• When your Avenger is going to just sit in the motor pool, install the SVML (standard vehicle mounted launcher) caps from inside the launcher. That way the caps can't fall out and disappear. If you're in the field, though, and there's a chance you might be firing, install the caps from the outside. That way they blow right off during a launch.



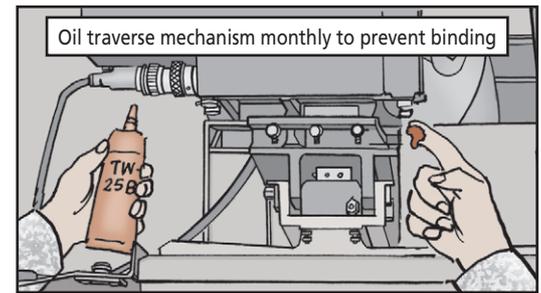
• Use your unit's shop vac to clean inside the turret as often as needed. If you let dirt build up on the turret floor, it can get in the seat inserts. Then when you tighten the seat, the inserts pop out. Vacuuming is much easier than replacing those inserts.



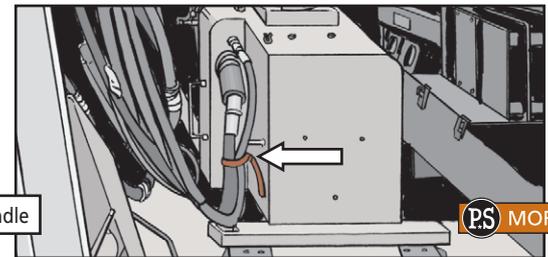
• Don't use the wheel wells as storage space for coats or radios or packs. That almost guarantees the W80 and video cables will be damaged. If your Avenger has a bustle box, use that for storage. You can also use the Avenger support vehicle to put stuff in.



• Monthly, give the M3P machine gun's traverse mechanism a few dabs of TW-25B. Work the traverse mechanism back and forth to spread the lube. That keeps the traverse mechanism from binding and making boresighting difficult.

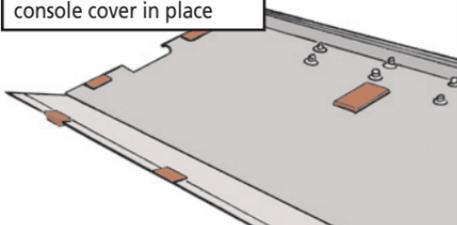


• Tie off the cables to the RCU (remote control unit) to the RCU carrying handle. That keeps the cables from being jerked out if they are pulled on.



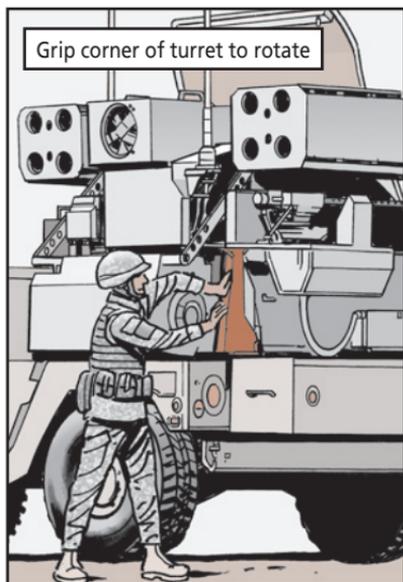
- If you have trouble with the console cover screws disappearing or you often have to remove the cover, use hook and pile to secure the cover. Glue strips of hook and pile around the bottom edges of the cover and the matching areas on the console. Then you can just lift off the cover without worrying about all those screws.

Use hook and pile to hold console cover in place



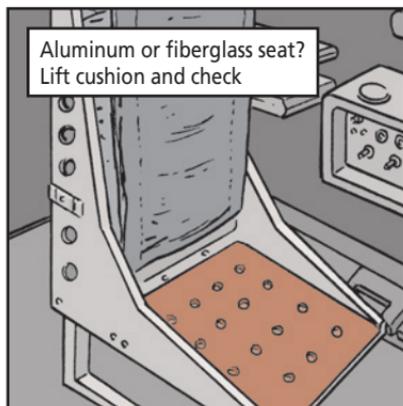
- Grip the corner of the turret to turn it. Pushing on the PPU can damage its rubber mounts.

Grip corner of turret to rotate



- If your Avenger has an aluminum seat, step on the left side of the seat when climbing in and out of the turret. If you step on the center of the aluminum seat, you can collapse it. But if you have the newer fiberglass seat, it's OK to step in the center—it can take your weight. Not sure which seat you have? Lift the cushion and look.

Aluminum or fiberglass seat? Lift cushion and check



- Tightening the cable to the M3P machine gun usually can't be done with your fingers, unless you have very long fingers. But don't try tightening the cable with regular pliers or your multi-purpose tool. They're too short and can damage the cable's connector. Then you need a new cable. Use needle-nosed pliers to tighten the M3P cable. They're long enough to do the job.



Using wrong tool damages M3P gun cable