

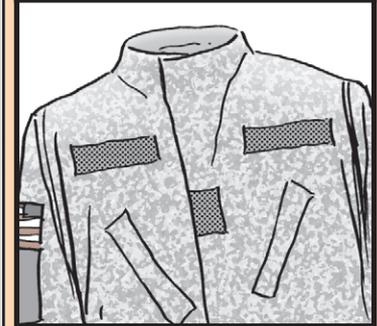
# OPTICAL BRIGHTENERS GET THE GREEN LIGHT



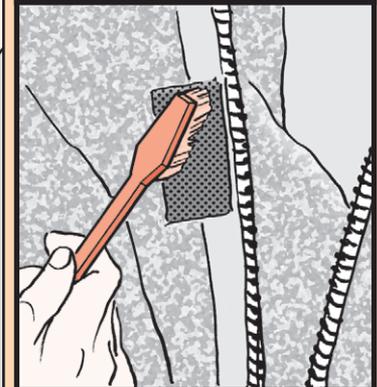
## Laundering

### Coat and Trousers:

- Remove all patches and tapes from the coat and all items from pockets.



- Lightly brush the hook-and-loop fasteners with a toothbrush to remove debris.



- Close all hook-and-loop fasteners to prevent snagging.
- Close the zipper and knot the waistband tie strings.
- Turn the coat and trousers inside out. That prolongs the life of the hook-and-loop fasteners and keeps them from catching on other items.

- Machine wash on the permanent press cycle, or hand wash, in cold water and a mild detergent that does not contain bleach. Cold water doesn't fade or wear out the ACU as fast as hot water.



- Rinse completely, but do not wring or twist.
- Hang dry or machine dry on low to medium setting only (between 140-160°F).

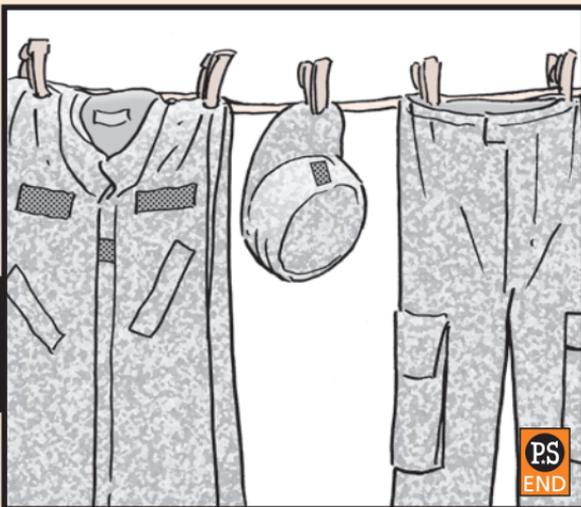
- DO NOT dry clean, starch, use chlorine bleach or have the ACU commercially pressed. All will cause permanent damage.



- DO NOT apply heat or a hot iron to any hook-and-loop fastener or to the infrared tab. That will cause permanent damage.

### Patrol Cap

- Machine wash on the permanent press cycle, or hand wash, in cold water and a mild detergent that does not contain bleach.
- Rinse completely, but do not wring or twist.
- Hang dry or machine dry on low setting only (no higher than 130°F).
- DO NOT starch or use chlorine bleach. They'll damage the cap.



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