

BRADLEY BATTERY CHARGING REVISITED

Page 5 of PS 674 (Jan 09) didn't give enough info about keeping the Hawker batteries charged in your M2/M3-series Bradley. Remember to follow the warm-up procedures in the -10 TMs before going to high idle for battery charging. Then, run the engine at low idle for 15 minutes before shutdown so the turbocharger can cool down. Both steps are important to avoid engine and transmission failures.

Improved HMMWV Tires Available To All Units

On page 10 of PS 665 (Apr 08), we told you that there was a limited supply of Goodrich Baja and Goodyear MT/R tires, NSN 2610-01-541-4090. Now they are available to all units, CONUS and OCONUS.

Remember, Goodrich Baja and Goodyear MT/R tires or tire and wheel assemblies can be mixed with each other. But DO NOT mix them with the Goodyear MT tires or tire and wheel assemblies. And make sure the spare tire on your HMMWV is compatible with the tires on the vehicle.

M240H MWO Solves Bipod Problems

An MWO corrects problems with bipod mounting on the M240H machine gun and with the forward folding bipod.

MWO 9-1005-313-23-1 contains a shorter replacement pin for the gas tube, two new pins for holding the upper legs together, two new pivot shoulder screws with lock nuts, and a new clamp to limit bipod rotation on the gas tube.

The MWO can be applied by field support.

Units in SWA should contact the Small Arms Support Center in either Balad, Iraq, or Bagram, Afghanistan.

The Balad POC is _____, DSN (312) 987-5130
(ext 6203) or email:

[@mmcs.army.mil](mailto:_____@mmcs.army.mil)

The Bagram POC is _____, DSN (312) 987-5130
(ext 6050), or email:

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All other units should contact their MWO coordinator.

For more information on the MWO, contact TACOM-RI's MWO coordinator _____ at DSN 793-6539, (309) 782-6539, or email:

[@us.army.mil](mailto:_____@us.army.mil)

For technical questions on the M240H, contact TACOM-RI's _____ at DSN 793-5943, (309)782-5943, or email:

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