

HMMWV...

OOCH! OW! MY POOR BATTERIES ARE GETTING BOUNCED ALL OVER THE PLACE!

BEWARE OF BOUNCING BATTERIES

IF THE BATTERIES IN YOUR HMMWV ARE DOING THE OLD SHAKE, RATTLE AND ROLL, YOU COULD HAVE A PROBLEM, OPERATORS.



The batteries are held in place with four J-hooks. But if the nuts that lock down the J-hooks come loose, your batteries will be bouncing all over the place. That leads to spilled electrolyte, shorts and maybe even a cracked battery!

When checking the batteries during PMCS, take a close look at the J-hooks, too. If the nuts are loose, tighten them. If the J-hooks are missing, you'll probably find them in the bottom of the battery box. If not, order new ones.

J-hook loose?
Tighten it



NSN 5306-01-190-2193 brings the larger J-hook. The smaller one comes with NSN 5306-01-185-7071. NSN 5310-00-880-7744 brings 100 replacement nuts.