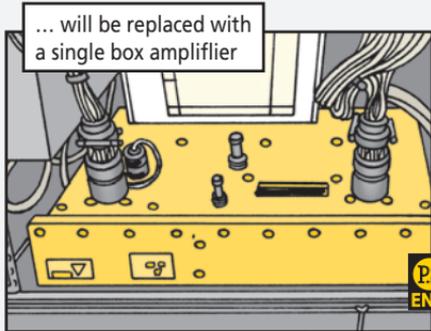
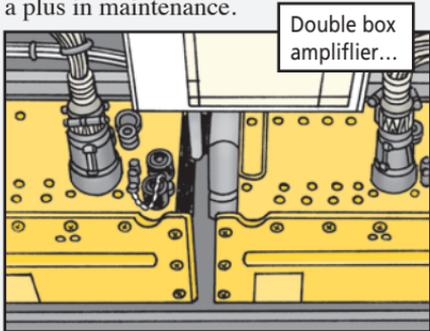


The improved maintenance features and modern electronics will increase fleet readiness and improve mission performance. Reducing aircraft downtime is always a plus in maintenance.



The Chinook airframe has recessed handholds and footholds to help you reach the top of the aircraft for necessary maintenance.

You must be cautious, especially in cold or hot weather, when you're climbing while wearing gloves.

Make sure your gloves don't snag or get caught when you insert your gloved hand into the recessed handhold. Make sure the glove comes out along with your hand as you reach for the next handhold.

A slip of the hand or losing your grip can cause you to fall. So take your time when heading topside.