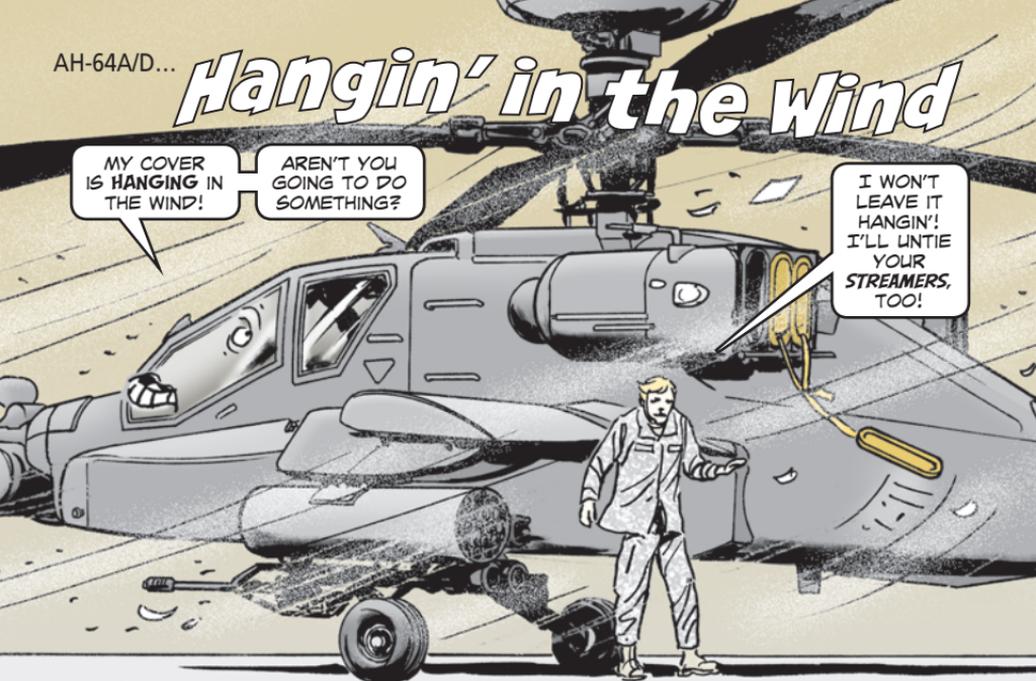


Hangin' in the Wind

MY COVER IS HANGING IN THE WIND!

AREN'T YOU GOING TO DO SOMETHING?

I WON'T LEAVE IT HANGING! I'LL UNTIE YOUR STREAMERS, TOO!



Mechanics, if you tie together the REMOVE BEFORE FLIGHT streamers to prevent losing your AH-64 exhaust covers, you'll get damage you don't want. You must leave the streamers untied after the exhaust covers are tightly secured.

Tying streamers together causes problems. If a cover falls out on a windy day, it will hang in the wind and bang against the airframe, causing unnecessary damage.

To make matters worse, the wind can also blow hanging covers into the EFAB and the environmental control system (ECS) exhaust vents. To prevent damage, leave the streamers untied after the covers are installed. This will keep your aircraft from being on the NMC list.

