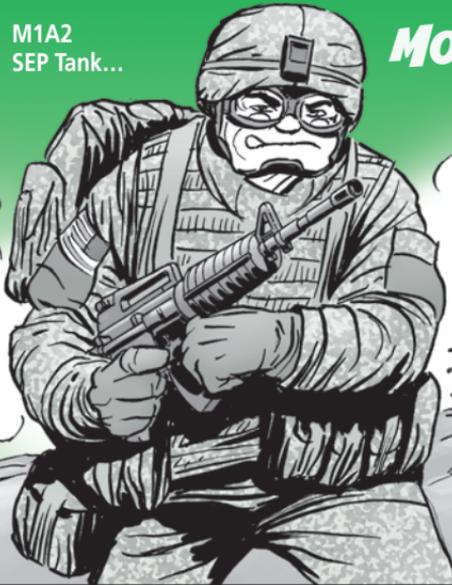


Move BFT Connector or Lose it!



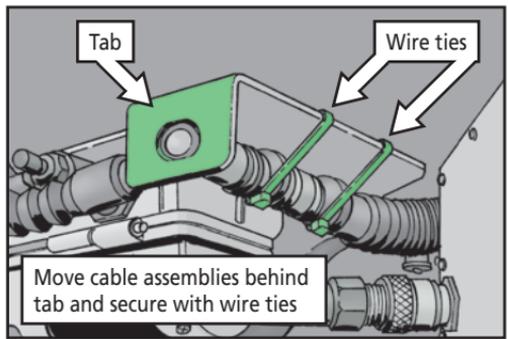
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The 1W102-7 P8 connector for the Blue Force Tracker (BFT) system is mounted to the turret roof next to the gunner's dome light. That puts it right smack in the way of the recoil path of the main gun when it's fired at maximum depression.

The 1W102-7 P8 connector bracket is being redesigned to eliminate this interference. But until that happens, you'll need to move the connector out of harm's way. Here's how:

1. Disconnect the 1W102-7 P8 connector from the 1W352-7 J1 harness connector.
2. Remove the harness connector from its current position on the bracket tab.
3. Connect the 1W102-7 P8 and 1W352-7 J1 connectors back together.
4. Move the reconnected cable assemblies **behind** the mounting bracket's tab.
5. Secure the cable assemblies to the mounting bracket using two cable ties.



FOR THE FULL SCOOP ON THIS FIX, CHECK OUT
TACOM MAINTENANCE ACTION MESSAGE 11-011:
[https://tulsa.tacom.army.mil/
safety/mam/tacom_wn/ma11-011.html](https://tulsa.tacom.army.mil/safety/mam/tacom_wn/ma11-011.html)