

Connie's POST SCRIPTS

Training for Legacy Equipment

Need some help running older equipment? TACOM's Unit Training Assistance Program (UTAP) newsletter can help. Each issue now features a "Throwback Section" that covers training for those older pieces of equipment still in use. Look under the newsletters/posters tab at:

<https://utap.army.mil>

For training info on old and current equipment, contact UTAP's customer assistance team at DSN 786-4276, (586) 282-4276, or e-mail: usarmy.detroit.tacom.mbx.ilsc-utap@mail.mil

TEST SET NEEDS CALIBRATION?

Do you have a TS-3920C/ASM computer test set (CTS), NSN 6625-01-529-3346, for your Black Hawk? If it needs calibration, send it directly to the manufacturer, Ultrax Aerospace Inc., at the address below:

Ultrax Aerospace Inc.
4200 NE Sun Court
Lee's Summit, MO 64064

For more information, contact the CECOM item manager, Eugene Lloyd, at DSN 648-1258, (443) 395-1258 or email:

eugene.m.lloyd.civ@mail.mil

or Jay Horting at 816-594-4451 or email:

j.horting@ultraxinc.com

STE-M1/FVS Not Needed With Some Bradleys

If your unit now has Bradley A3 or ODS-SA variants, you'll no longer need STE-M1/FVS test equipment. These vehicles come equipped with embedded diagnostics. Excess STE-M1/FVS sets can be turned in by contacting TACOM LCMC's Angela Zender at DSN 786-7431, (586) 282-7431, or by e-mail at:

angela.m.zender.civ@mail.mil

The STE-M1/FVS should be complete and include all critical test sets. Do not remove any items prior to turn-in.

BHL Maintenance Video

A backhoe loader (BHL) maintenance video is available through the Unit Training Assistance Program (UTAP) at TACOM LCMC. The video covers engine components, how to find top dead center (timing chain and valve train system) and timing of the injector pump. Check it out before you replace or service BHL components. To view or download the video, go to: <https://utap.army.mil>

Once you've logged in, click the button on the Home Page titled BHL Finding Top Dead Center & Injector Pump Timing. Then download the .wmv file on that page.

BHL Secondary Air Filter

Get a new secondary air filter for your backhoe loader (BHL) with NSN 2940-01-566-5009. It replaces NSN 2940-01-546-4655, which is shown as Item 2 in Fig 5 of TM 5-2420-231-24P (Jun 13). That NSN is a terminal item.

LEAK TEST FIXTURE PART NSN INCORRECT

Get a new push-type air hose fitting for the one-man life raft with NSN 4730-00-516-3826. NSN 4730-00-416-3826, which is listed as Item 33 on WP 0392 00-2 in TM 1-1680-377-13&P-4 (Mar 12, w/Ch 1, May 13), is the wrong NSN.

6K FORKLIFT BATTERY STRAP

Get the rubber retaining strap for the battery box on your 6K variable reach rough terrain forklift with NSN 2540-01-152-7764. NSN 5340-01-156-6776, which is shown as Item 2 in Fig 68 of TM 10-3930-660-24P (Aug 12), brings the wrong strap.

HYEX Fuel Filter Interval

Item 9 in WP 0310-6 of TM 5-3805-294-23-2 (May 12) says the HYEX's lubricity filter should be replaced every 500 hours. That's wrong. Replace the filter every 250 hours like it says on the side of the filter. Make a note until the TM is updated.

Hooking Up ESSS Wings To UH-60A

When you hook up the extended stores support system (ESSS) wings to your Black Hawk A-model and find you don't have the small electrical lead that attaches to the airframe, order NSN 6150-00-811-4540. Use NSN 6150-01-167-9104 as an alternative in a pinch.

GCSS-Army Reminder

Remember to check the GCSS-Army website for alerts, updated fielding and training schedules and other important info. Visit:

<https://gcss.army.mil/>

Or sign up to get automatic notifications at: <https://gcss.army.mil/Support/register.aspx>

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