

HELP For Your M777A2 Howitzer



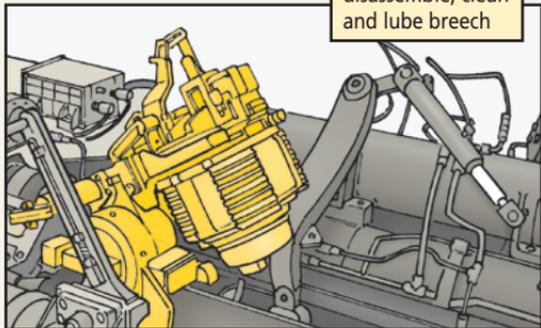
Dear Editor,

While helping keep the howitzers firing here at Ft Sill, I've come up with a good tip for M777A2 howitzer crews:

At least weekly, disassemble, clean and lube the breech, PFM body and tray. Do this even if the howitzer hasn't been fired. If you don't, the breech may not close properly and the witness marks may not line up.

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Editor's note: An excellent tip, Ron. In fact, TACOM made sure this was covered in the latest revision to TM 9-1025-215-10 (Nov 14). See Note 18 and 19 in the Lubrication Instructions of WP 0062 for more information.