

How to Find Your TACOM LAR



Logistics assistance representatives (LARs) are the folks to call when tough problems crop up with equipment, weapon systems and logistics. LARs can advise units in many areas, including supply, maintenance, transportation, personnel and training. They travel to motor pools, hangars and maintenance shops all over the world.

For help with wheeled and tracked vehicles, small arms, CBRN, tools and most types of the equipment we cover here at *PS*, TACOM LARs are terrific resources.

There are three primary types of TACOM LARs, which are subdivided into specific LAR skill sets:

- **Automotive**
 - Tactical
 - Combat
 - Engineer
- **Armament**
 - Small arms/artillery
 - Armor/fire control
 - Aircraft
- **Soldier**
 - Tools
 - CBRN
 - Kitchen, showers, tents
 - Gear and clothing



TACOM Find-a-LAR Helplines		
Region	Covers	Phone
CONUS-East	AL, CT, DE, FL, FORSCOM, GA, IL, IN, KY, LA, MA, MD, ME, MI, MS, NC, NH, NJ, NY, OH, PA, RI, SC, TN, VA, VT, WI, WV	DSN (312) 236-6921 Comm (910) 396-6921
CONUS-West	AR, CO, IA, KS, MN, MO, ND, NE, OK, SD, TX, WY	DSN (312) 737-0263 Comm (254) 287-0263
Pacific	AZ, CA, Guam, ID, MT, NM, NV, OR, UT, WA	DSN (312) 357-2991 Comm (253) 967-2991
Hawaii	AK, HI	DSN (315) 438-4985 Comm (808) 438-4985
Europe	Belgium, Bosnia, Germany, Great Britain, Italy, Kosovo, Luxembourg, Macedonia	DSN (314) 483-4090 Comm (011) 49-631-411-4090 Germany (0631) 411-4090
Far East	Japan, Korea, Kwajalein, Okinawa	DSN (315) 768-7970 Comm (011) 82-53-470-7970
SWA-Kuwait	Kuwait	DSN (318) 430-4189
SWA-OEF	Afghanistan	DSN (318) 481-4814
SOF	Special Operations	DSN 745-3114 Comm (859) 566-4198, or toll free (888) 763-7259

For more information, check out TACOM's Logistics Assistance Directorate (LAD) homepage at: <https://www.tacom.army.mil/ilsc/lad/>

HMMWV... **WAIT FOR THE LIGHT**

Patience is a virtue, drivers. So if the WAIT light in your HMMWV comes on when you turn the ignition switch to RUN, wait for the light to go out before attempting to start.

Not waiting can overheat and damage the glow plugs. That sets you up for a no-start surprise when the weather turns cold.

All simple stuff, but easy to forget when you jump into your HMMWV for a mission.

Turn switch to RUN and...

