# UNITIZATION PROCEDURES FOR FRAGMENTATION GRENADES PACKED IN SURE-PAK CONTAINERS FOR INTRA-THEATER GROUND MOVEMENT ONLY

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# **GENERAL NOTES**

- A. THIS DOCUMENT HAS BEEN PREPARED AND ISSUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH AR 740-1 AND AUGMENTS TM 743-200-1 (CHAPTER 5).
- B. THE SPECIFIED UNITIZATION PROCEDURES ARE APPLICABLE TO LOADS OF FRAGMENTATION GRENADE LOADED IN SURE-PAK CONTAINERS. SUBSE QUENT REFERENCE TO PALLET UNIT HEREIN MEANS THE SURE-PAK WITH AMMUNITION ITEMS. <u>CAUTION</u>: REGARDLESS OF THE QUANTITY OF GRENADES TO BE SHIPPED, THE "MAXIMUM NET WEIGHT" OF THE SURE-PAK MUST NOT EXCEED 2 000 POUNDS
- C. THE LOADS SHOWN ON PAGES 4 AND 6, AND ARE BASED ON A 48" LONG BY 40" WIDE BY 51-1/2" HIGH SURE-PAK CONTAINER WITH AN INSIDE HEIGHT OF 45", ALL WITH A MAXIMUM NET WEIGHT OF 2,000 POUNDS. ANY OF THE SURE-PAK CONTAINERS LISTED IN THE MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS BELOW MAY BE USED, BUT MAY RESULT IN EITHER A REDUCTION IN THE QUANTITY SHIPPED OR THE USE OF MORE FILL MATERIAL TO OCCUPY THE VOID.
- D. THE FOLLOWING AMC DRAWINGS ARE APPLICABLE FOR OUTLOADING AND STORAGE OF THE ITEMS COVERED BY THIS DRAWING. THE DELINEATED PROCEDURES ARE INTENDED FOR INTRA-THEATER GROUND MOVEMENT ON-

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- E. AMMUNITION SHOULD BE RELOADED AND TRANSPORTED IN ORIGINAL FAC TORY PACKAGING WHENEVER POSSIBLE; HOWEVER, THERE ARE SITUATIONS WHEN THIS IS NOT POSSIBLE. IN ORDER TO ENSURE THE HIGHEST LEVEL OF EXPLOSVIES SAFETY PRACTICABLE, USE THE FOLLOWING PACKAGING PRIOR-ITIES WHEN PLANNING AMMUNITION TRANSPORT. FIRST, USE FACTORY PACKAGING IF AT ALL POSSIBLE. THE SECOND OPTION IS TO LOAD FRAGMENTATION GRENADE IN EMPTY WATER BOTTLE INTO METAL CANS, AS DE-PICTED ON PAGE 6 AND 7. THE THIRD AND LEAST DESIREABLE METHOD OF SECURING AMMUNITION FOR TRANSPORT IS TO USE EMPTY WATER BOTTLES TO PACK FRAGMENTATION GRENADE DIRECTLY INTO SURE-PAK CONTAINERS, AS DEPICTED ON PAGES 4 AND 5.
- F. WHEN LOADING GRENADES, THEY ARE TO BE POSITIONED SO AS TO ACHIEVE A TIGHT LOAD. THE UNBLOCKED SPACE ACROSS THE WIDTH OR LENGTH OF A SURE-PAK CONTAINER OR ANY DIMENSION IN A METAL BOX IS NOT TO EX-CEED 1/2", AND UNBLOCKED SPACE IN THE HEIGHT OF THE SURE-PAK IS NOT TO EXCEED 1". EXCESSIVE SLACK CAN BE ELIMINATED FROM A LOAD BY ADD-ING FILLER MATERIAL SUCH AS CARDBOARD, EMPTY WATER BOTTLES, EMPTY BOXES, SHREDDED CLOTH, OR OTHER SIMILAR MATERIAL.
- G. METAL BOXES THAT MAY BE USED FOR SHIPMENT OF AMMUNITION USING THE PROCEDURES HEREIN INCLUDE M2 SERIES CONTAINER.
- H FILLER MATERIAL IS DEFINED HEREIN AS ANY AVAILABLE MATERIAL WITH SUFFICIENT CUSHIONING TO PROTECT THE AMMUNITION ITEMS. SOME PO-TENTIAL SOURCES OF FILLER MATERIAL INCLUDE BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO EMPTY WATER BOTTLES, SHREDDED UNIFORMS (CLEAN WITHOUT SHARP PROJECTIONS), DISCARDED CARDBOARD CARTONS, EGG CARTONS, WOOD SCRAPS (WITHOUT NAILS), TOILET PAPER AND PAPER TOWEL CARDBOARD TUBES, NEWSPAPER, SHREDDED COPY PAPER, AND DISCARDED BANDO-LEERS. <u>CAUTION</u>: ALL FILLER MATERIAL MUST BE NON-STATIC PRODUCING AND FREE FROM PROJECTIONS AND SHARP EDGES, AS WELL AS FREE FROM FOOD RESIDUE AND EXCESS WATER OR LIQUID RESIDUE
- J. CARE SHOULD BE TAKEN WHEN LOADING SURE-PAK CONTAINERS TO ENSURE AN EVENLY BALANCED LOAD. ARRANGE THE LOAD IN SUCH A MANNER THAT THE CENTER OF GRAVITY IS CLOSE TO THE PHYSICAL CENTER OF SURE-PAK.
- K. IF SURE-PAK CONTAINERS ARE TIGHTLY PACKED AND LOADED WITH AMMUNI-TION ITEMS TO WITHIN 1" OF THE TOP ON THE SIDEWALLS, THE SURE-PAKS MAY BE STACKED FOR SHORT TERM STORAGE UP TO THREE HIGH. IF, HOWEVER, THE SURE-PAK CONTAINER LOAD CONSISTS OF MORE THAN ONE INCH OF FILL MATERIAL ON THE TOP OF THE LOAD, THE SURE-PAK CONTAINERS WILL NOT BE STACKED, AND SHOULD BE MARKED AS SUCH. THE ONLY EXCEPTION TO THIS REQUIREMENT IS IF THE FILL MATERIAL IS AS STRONG AS OR STRONGER THAN THE GRENADES BEING LOADED, SUCH AS THE USE OF EMPTY M2 SERIES CANS. IN THIS CASE, THE SURE-PAK CONTAINERS MAY BE STACKED AS OUTLINED ABOVE.
- EACH SURE-PAK CONTAINER MUST BE SECURED WITH A MINIMUM OF TWO WEB STRAPS ORIENTED AROUND THE 40" LENGTH AND THE HEIGHT OF THE LOAD. THE TWO STRAPS SHOULD BE EVENLY SPACED ACROSS THE LENGTH OF THE LOAD. CARE MUST BE TAKEN TO ENSURE THAT STRAP RATCHETS WILL NOT INTERFERE WITH EITHER STACKING OF THE SURE-PAK CONTAINERS OR LONGITUDINAL LOADING FOR TRANSPORT. IF WEB STRAPS ARE NOT AVAILABLE, SIMILAR STRENGTH PLASTIC STRAPPING IAW ASTM D3950 MAY BE USED
- M. PORTIONS OF THE SURE-PAK CONTAINER DEPICTED WITHIN THIS DRAWING, SUCH AS THE TOP AND SIDEWALL, HAVE NOT BEEN SHOWN IN SOME LOAD VIEWS FOR CLARITY PURPOSES.
- N. THE QUANTITY OF GRENADES SHOWN IN THE LOADS HEREIN MAY BE RE-DUCED FOR SHIPMENT, IF DESIRED. ADDITONAL FILL MATERIAL MUST BE IN-STALLED IN ORDER TO MEET THE REQUIREMENTS IN GENERAL NOTE "F"
- O. CONVERSION TO METRIC EQUIVALENTS: DIMENSIONS WITHIN THIS DOCU-MENT ARE EXPRESSED IN INCHES AND WEIGHTS ARE EXPRESSED IN POUNDS. WHEN NECESSARY, THE METRIC EQUIVALENTS MAY BE COMPUTED ON THE BASIS OF ONE INCH EQUALS 25.4MM AND ONE POUND EQUALS 0.454

# MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS

SURE-PAK CONTAINER -:

SHIPPING AND STORAGE SYSTEM; SURE-PAK KIT INCLUDING TOP, BASE, SLEEVE AND 8 LOCKING CLIPS; 8115-01-556-2579 (30-1/2" HIGH), 8115-01-556-2580 (36-1/2" HIGH), OR 8115-01-556-2581 (51-1/2"

TIE DOWN, CARGO, VEHICLE, 2" NOMINAL STRAP, 2,000 POUND MINIMUM WORKING LOAD LIMIT, 3990-01-204-3009 OR EQUIVALENT. STRAPPING. WEB - - -:

<u>HARDBOARD</u> - - - - -: ANSI/AHA A135.4, CLASS 1.

FIBERBOARD - - - - -: ASTM D4727.

<u>TAPE, DUCT</u> - - - -: COMMERCIAL GRADE.

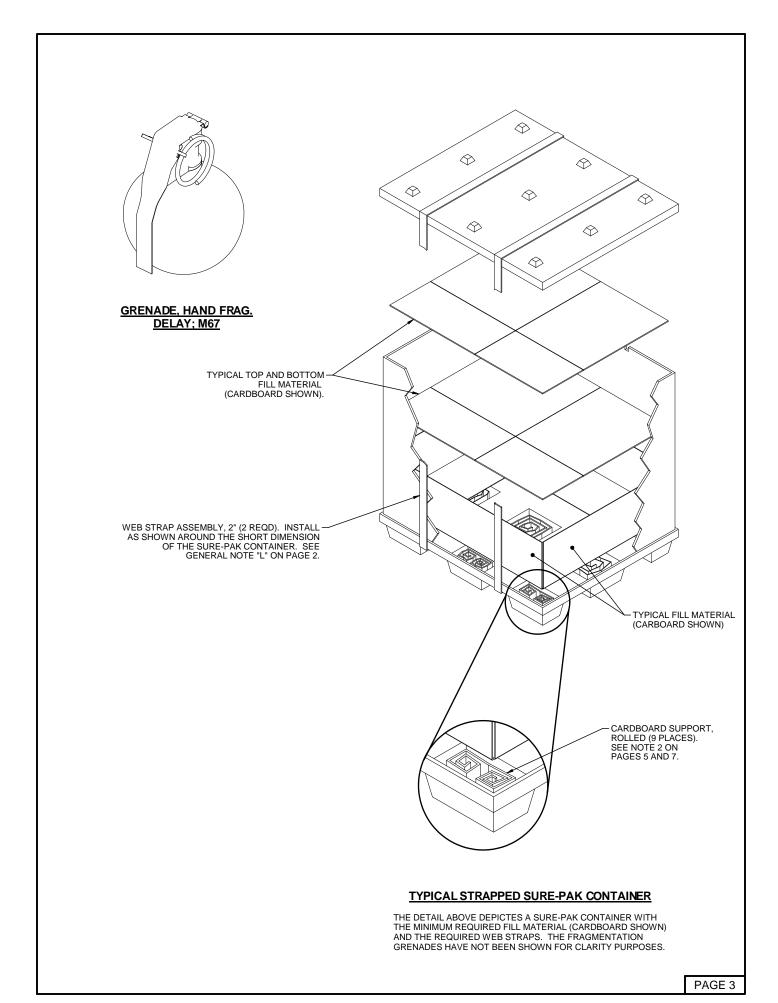
FIBERBOARD, FACING PAPER WEIGHT 69 POUNDS/1,000 SQUARE FEET, SORE PAPER WEIGHT 33 POUNDS/1,000 SQUARE FEET, %" CORE CELL CENTERS, INTERNATIONAL HONEYCOMB CORPORATION (OR EQUAL). HONEYCOMB FILLER - -:

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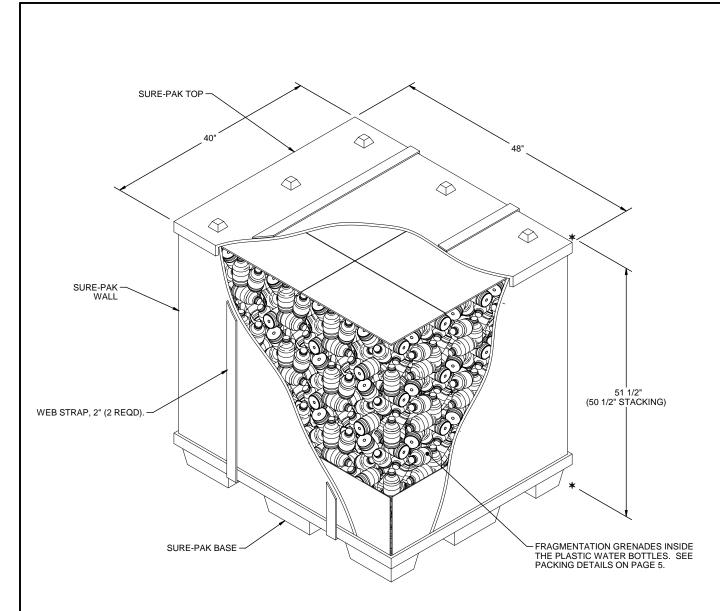
COMMERCIAL ITEM DESCRIPTION A-A-59136, CLASS 1, TYPE III, GRADE A, OR COMMERCIAL EQUIVALENT.

COMMERCIAL GRADE, 20 OUNCE OR 0.5 WATER BOTTLE - - - -:

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# FRAGMENTATION GRENADE PALLET UNIT

SEE GENERAL NOTE "F" ON PAGE 2.

DUNNAGE PALLET		 -	 -	-	 -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	63 LBS	(
													1, 637 LBS 57, 2 CU FT	

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SURE-PAK, 40" X 48" X 51-1/2" EMPTY WATER BOTTLE @ 5 GRMS/BOTTLE CARDBOARD	1,750 REQD AS REQD	19.0 LBS 12.0 LBS

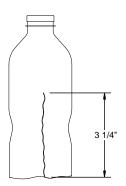


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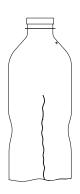


FIGURE 2



FIGURE 3

# SURE-PAK CONTAINER LOADING PROCEDURES

- 1. SET UP THE SURE-PAK BASE AND SLEEVE, ENGAGING THE FOUR BOTTOM
- 2. INSTALL CARDBOARD IN THE BOTTOM OF THE SURE-PAK TO FILL VOID AREAS. SEE FIGURE 8 ON PAGE 8.
- 3. INSTALL CARDBOARD, BENT AT 90°, AROUND THE BOTTOM INTERIOR EDGE OF THE SURE-PAK, ENSURING THAT THE CARDBOARD EXTENDS AT LEAST 8" ONTO THE SURE-PAK BASE AND 8" UP THE SURE-PAK SIDEWALL. INSTALL BOTTOM FILL MATERIAL (CARDBOARD SHOWN). SEE FIGURE 9 ON PAGE 8.
- 4. THERE WILL BE TWO OPTIONS TO LOAD FRAGMENTATION GRENADE INTO THE PLASTIC WATER BOTTLE.

OPTION A: APPLIES TO VARIOUS WATER BOTTLE SIZES. CUT AWAY ABOUT 1" MEASURE FROM THE BOTTOM OF WATER BOTTLE. THEN CUT THE SIDE OF BOTTLE FROM THE OPEN FACE 3" TO 3-1/2" IN DEPTH. SEE FIGURE 1 AT LEFT. LOAD FRAGMENTATION GRENADE INTO THE CUT BOTTLE WITH THE FUZE FACE UP AS SHOWN IN FIGURE 2 AT LEFT. TWIST THE CUT BOTTLE WITH FRAGMENTATION GRENADE AT THE OPEN FACE UNTIL IT IS TIGHT. SEE FIGURE 3 AT LEFT.

OPTION B: APPLIES ONLY TO 20-OZ WATER BOTTLE. CUT THE BOTTLE IN HALF ABOUT 3-1/4" MEASURE FROM THE BOTTOM OF THE BOTTLE. CUT THE SIDE OF THE BOTTOM HALF FROM THE OPEN FACE 1" TO 2" IN DEPTH. SEE FIGURES 4 AND 5 BELOW. LOAD FRAGMENTATION GRENADE INTO THE BOTTOM HALF OF THE BOTTLE WITH THE FUZE FACE UP AS SHOWN ON FIGURE 6 BELOW. INSTALL THE TOP HALF OF THE BOTTLE (WITH CAP IF POSSIBLE) OVER THE BOTTOM HALF AND TWIST DOWN UNTIL IT IS TIGHT. SEE FIGURE 7 BELOW. TAPE MAY NEED TO BE APPLIED AT A MINIMUM ONE COMPLETE LOOP AROUND TOP AND BOTTOM OF THE BOTTLE TO ENSURE A TIGHT PACK.

- 5. LOAD THE FRAGMENTATION GRENADE INTO SURE-PAK FROM THE BOTTOM TO THE TOP (APPROXIMATELY 1750 GRENADES)
- DO NOT EXCEED 2,000 POUNDS GROSS WEIGHT FOR THE SURE-PAK AND CON-TENTS
- WHEN THE SURE-PAK IS FILLED, ADD CARDBOARD OR OTHER VOID FILLER AS NEEDED TO FILL OUT THE TOP OF THE SURE-PAK. SEE GENERAL NOTE "H" ON PAGE 2.
- 8. INSTALL THE SURE-PAK TOP.
- 9. INSTALL TWO WEB STRAPS (MINIMUM) AROUND THE SHORT DIMENSION OF THE SURE-PAK. SEE PAGE 3 FOR DETAILS.

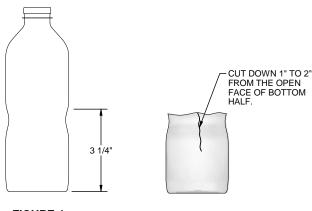


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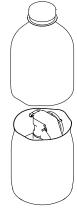
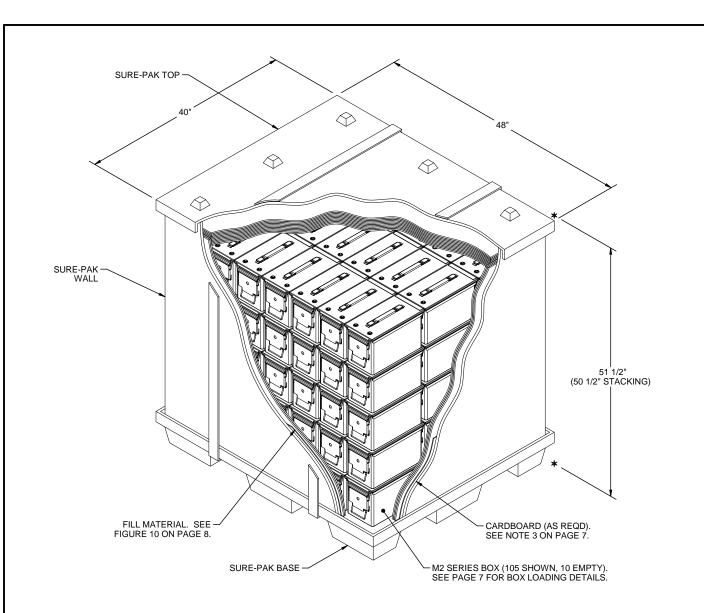


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# **BOXED FRAGMENTATION GRENADE PALLET UNIT**

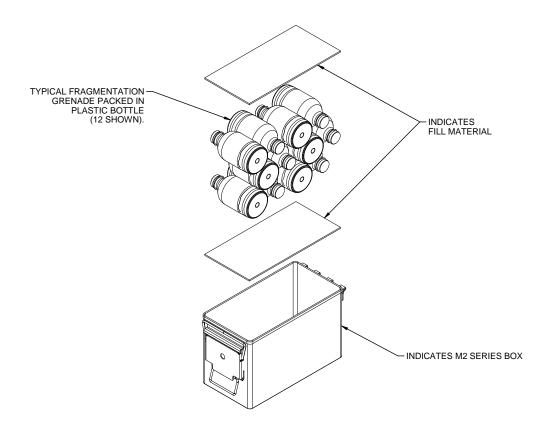
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95 M2 SERIES BOXES COUNNAGE	 	- ` ´-	-	 -	 	 -	-	-	116 LBS	
									2, 055 LBS	

BILL OF MATERIAL								
SURE-PAK, 40" X 48" X 51-1/2" 1 REQD 63.0 LBS  EMPTY WATER BOTTLE @ 5 GRMS/BOTTLE - 1,260 REQD 14.0 LBS  EMPTY M2 BOX 10 REQD 55.0 LBS  CARDBOARD 2 REQD 36.0 LBS  WEB STRAP ASSEMBLY, 2" 2 REQD 11.0 LBS								

# SURE-PAK CONTAINER LOADING PROCEDURES

- SET UP THE SURE-PAK BASE AND SLEEVE, ENGAGING THE FOUR BOTTOM LOCKING DEVICES.
- 2. INSTALL CARDBOARD IN THE BOTTOM OF THE SURE-PAK TO FILL VOID AREAS. SEE FIGURE 8 ON PAGE 8.
- INSTALL CARDBOARD, BENT AT 90°, AROUND THE BOTTOM INTERIOR EDGE OF THE SURE-PAK, ENSURING THAT THE CARDBOARD EXTENDS AT LEAST 8" ONTO THE SURE-PAK BASE AND 8" UP THE SURE-PAK SIDEWALL. INSTALL BOTTOM FILL MATERIAL (CARDBOARD SHOWN). SEE FIGURE 9 ON PAGE 8.
- 4. LOAD M2 SERIES BOXES INTO THE SURE-PAK WITH THE HINGES FACING SAME DIRECTION. SEE THE DETAILS BELOW FOR TYPICAL LOADING OF FRAGMENTATION GRENADES INTO M2 SERIES BOXES.
- CARDBOARD MUST BE INSTALLED AT A MINIMUM AGAINST ALL SURE-PAK SIDEWALLS AND THE BASE, TO THE HEIGHT OF THE TOP OF THE BOXES. SEE FIGURE 10 ON PAGE 8.
- 6. INSTALL EXTRA FILL MATERIAL AS NEEDED TO THROUGHTOUT LOADING, ENSURING THAT THE SURE-PAK LOAD IS TIGHT.
- DO NOT EXCEED 2,000 POUNDS GROSS WEIGHT FOR THE SURE-PAK AND CONTENTS.
- WHEN THE SURE-PAK IS FILLED, ADD CARDBOARD OR OTHER VOID FILLER AS NEEDED TO FILL OUT THE TOP OF THE SURE-PAK. SEE GENERAL NOTE "H" ON PAGE 2
- 9. INSTALL THE SURE-PAK TOP.
- 10. INSTALL TWO WEB STRAPS (MINIMUM) AROUND THE SHORT DIMENSION OF THE SURE-PAK. SEE PAGE 3 FOR DETAILS.



# TYPICAL M2 SERIES BOX LOAD OF FRAGMENTATION GRENADE

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FIGURE 8



FIGURE 9



FIGURE 10

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