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SAFEGUARDS FOR THE HANDLING OF AIR FILTERS IN NUCLEAR, BIOLOGICAL AND CHEMICAL (NBC) CONDITIONS

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1. Purpose. This bulletin is to alert operators, organizational, direct and general support to the safety hazards involving handling of automotive air filters under Nuclear, Biological and Chemical conditions (NBC).

2. Procedures.

a. If NBC exposure is suspected, all air filters should be handled by personnel wearing protective equipment. Consult your NBC Officer or NBC NCO for appropriate handling or disposal procedures.



IF NBC EXPOSURE IS SUSPECTED ALL AIR FILTER MEDIA WILL BE HANDLED BY PERSONNEL WEARING FULL NBC PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT. SEE OPERATOR/MAINTENANCE MANUAL.

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b. Position decal in a noticeable place on or near air filter housing. Mounting of this decal is mandatory. Order decal using P/N 12296626, CAGE 19207, NSN 7690-01-114-3702.

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THE METRIC SYSTEM AND EQUIVALENTS

'NEAR MEASURE

. Centimeter = 10 Millimeters = 0.01 Meters = 0.3937 Inches

1 Meter = 100 Centimeters = 1000 Millimeters = 39.37 Inches

1 Kilometer = 1000 Meters = 0.621 Miles

YEIGHTS

Gram = 0.001 Kilograms = 1000 Milligrams = 0.035 Ounces

1 Kilogram = 1000 Grams = 2.2 lb.

1 Metric Ton = 1000 Kilograms = 1 Megagram = 1.1 Short Tons

LIQUID MEASURE

1 Milliliter = 0.001 Liters = 0.0338 Fluid Ounces

1 Liter = 1000 Milliliters = 33.82 Fluid Ounces

SQUARE MEASURE

1 Sq. Centimeter = 100 Sq. Millimeters = 0.155 Sq. Inches

1 Sq. Meter = 10,000 Sq. Centimeters = 10.76 Sq. Feet

1 Sq. Kilometer = 1,000,000 Sq. Meters = 0.386 Sq. Miles

CUBIC MEASURE

1 Cu. Centimeter = 1000 Cu. Millimeters = 0.06 Cu. Inches 1 Cu. Meter = 1,000,000 Cu. Centimeters = 35.31 Cu. Feet

TEMPERATURE

 $5/9(^{\circ}F - 32) = ^{\circ}C$

212° Fahrenheit is evuivalent to 100° Celsius

90° Fahrenheit is equivalent to 32.2° Celsius

32° Fahrenheit is equivalent to 0° Celsius

 $9/5C^{\circ} + 32 = {\circ}F$

APPROXIMATE CONVERSION FACTORS

| TO CHANGE | TO | MULTIPLY BY |
|------------------------|----------------------|-------------|
| Inches | Centimeters | 2.540 |
| Feet | Meters | 0.305 |
| Yards | Meters | |
| Miles | Kilometers | |
| Square Inches | Square Centimeters | |
| Square Feet | Square Meters | |
| Square Yards | Square Meters | 0.836 |
| Square Miles | Square Kilometers | 2.590 |
| Acres | Square Hectometers | |
| Cubic Feet | Cubic Meters | |
| Cubic Yards | Cubic Meters | |
| Fluid Ounces | Milliliters | |
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| Ounces | Grams | |
| Pounds | Kilograms | |
| Short Tons | Metric Tons | |
| Pound-Feet | Newton-Meters | |
| Pounds per Square Inch | Kilopascals | |
| Miles per Gallon | Kilometers per Liter | |
| Miles per Hour | Kilometers per Hour | |
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| TO CHANGE | то | MULTIPLY BY |
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| Centimeters | Inches | 0.394 |
| Meters | Feet | 3.280 |
| Meters | Yards | |
| Kilometers | Miles | |
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| Square Meters | Square Yards | 1 196 |
| Square Kilometers | Square Miles | 0.386 |
| Square Hectometers | Acres | |
| Cubic Meters | Cubic Feet | |
| Cubic Meters | Cubic Yards | |
| Milliliters | Fluid Ounces | |
| Liters | Pints | |
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| Newton-Meters | Pounds-Feet | |
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