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6101. OFFICER ACCESSION PROGRAMS

1. GENERAL

a. This chapter applies to the insignia worn by personnel in officer accession programs.

b. The Superintendent, U. S. Naval Academy, is authorized to prescribe insignia for the use of midshipmen within the limits of the U.S. Naval Academy, in ceremonies or activities held outside the limits of the Academy, for detachments of midshipmen operating with other naval personnel, or in connection with ceremonies or activities held outside the limits of the Academy in which midshipman detachments participate.

c. Insignia worn by NROTC midshipmen and other officer candidate program personnel, conform to that prescribed for U.S. Naval Academy Midshipmen. NROTC Marine option midshipmen wear gold, enlisted Marine Corps emblems in place of the anchor insignia.

d. Upon commissioning, all midshipmen uniforms, regardless of issue source, shall comply with uniform guidelines established for commissioned officers.

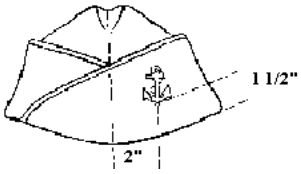
2. CAP INSIGNIA

a. Combination Cap. Insignia on combination caps consist of a cap device, chin strap and retaining buttons.

(1) Cap Device. The insignia is a gold, fouled anchor. The length of the anchor, including the fouling, measures 1-13/16 inches; 1-1/8 inches wide at flukes; 1-1/8 inches wide at the stock with other dimensions proportionate. Attach the device to the mount of the cap band, with the unfouled arm of the stock facing the wearer's right.

(2) Chin Strap. The chin strap is 3/8 inch wide, faced with gold lace and fastened at each end by a 22 1/2 line, Navy eagle, gilt button.

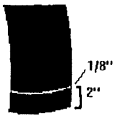
b. Garrison Cap



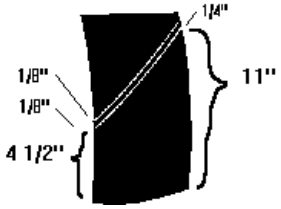
(1) Insignia is a gold metal fouled anchor 1-1/16 inches in length with other dimensions proportionate. The unfouled arm of the stock faces front. Pin it to the left side of the cap in an upright position with the center 2 inches from the front seam and 1-1/2 inches above bottom edge.

3. SLEEVE CLASS INSIGNIA (USNA AND NROTC ONLY)

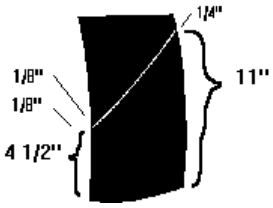
a. USNA. Consists of stripes worn on the sleeves of blue coats to indicate class.



(1) Midshipmen, First Class. Wear one stripe of yellow braid, 1/8 inch wide, around each sleeve, placing the lower edge of the stripe 2 inches from and parallel to the edge of the cuff.



(2) Midshipmen, Second Class. Wear two stripes of yellow braid, 1/8 inch wide on the left sleeve only. Place the stripes diagonally on the sleeve between the rear and front seams with the lowest stripes 4-1/2 inches above the edge of the cuff at the front seam and 11 inches at the rear seam.



(3) Midshipmen, Third Class. The insignia is same as described for Midshipmen, Second Class, but only the lower stripe is worn.

(4) Midshipmen, Fourth Class. Wear no sleeve stripes.

b. NROTC. Consists of horizontal stripes worn on the left sleeve of blue coat to indicate class. Stripes are made of gold nylon braid 1-1/2 inches long and 1/8 inch wide with 1/4 inch spacing between stripes. They are centered midway between shoulder and elbow.

(1) Seniors. Wear three stripes.

(2) Juniors. Wear two stripes.

(3) Sophomores. Wear one stripe.

(4) Freshmen. No stripes.

4. SLEEVE RANK INSIGNIA (USNA)

a. Midshipmen Officers. Wear stripes and a gold star on both sleeves of blue coat. Place the stripes made of yellow braid, 1/8 inch wide, around each sleeve with the lower edge of the first stripe 2 inches from and parallel to the edge of the cuff, with 1/4 inch spaces between stripes. Center a gold embroidered, five-pointed star, that is 1 inch across, above the stripe(s). One ray of the star points down, and the point is 3/4 inch above the upper stripe.

(1) Captain. Wear six stripes.

(2) Commander. Wear five stripes.

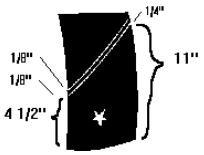
(3) Lieutenant Commander. Wear four stripes.

(4) Lieutenant. Wear three stripes.

(5) Lieutenant (junior grade). Wear two stripes.

(6) Ensign. Wear one stripe.

(7) Second Class Stripers. Second class midshipmen serving as midshipmen Ensigns are authorized to wear a 1 inch embroidered star 2-3/4 inch above the bottom of the left sleeve of the Service Dress Blue uniform.



b. Midshipmen Petty Officers. Wear a badge consisting of an eagle and anchor, in combination with stars and chevrons, midway between shoulder and elbow on the right sleeve of blue coat.

(1) Brigade Chief Petty Officer. The badge consists of an eagle perched, with wings expanded, on the stock of a fouled anchor, the eagle's head and the unfouled arm of the anchor's stock face the front. Below the anchor are three chevrons, apex down. An arch formed by two arcs connects each end of the upper chevron with each arm of the stock of the anchor. Above the eagle are four stars, two stars equally spaced on each side of the imaginary line through the head of the eagle and the crown of the anchor. The eagle, anchor, and stars are gold embroidered, the chevrons are gold lace. One point of each star points down.

(2) Regimental Chief Petty Officer. Same as prescribed for Brigade Chief Petty Officer except there are three stars above the eagle, forming a triangle.

(3) Battalion Chief Petty Officer. Same as prescribed for Brigade Chief Petty Officer, except there are two stars arranged horizontally above the eagle.

(4) Company Chief Petty Officer. Same as prescribed for Brigade Chief Petty Officer, except there is one star, the center of which is 7/8 inch above the eagle's head.

(5) Mustering Petty Officer, Platoon. Same as prescribed for Company Chief Petty Officer, without a star above the eagle.

(6) Platoon Petty Officer, First Class. Same as prescribed for Mustering Petty Officer, Platoon omitting the arch above the chevrons.

(7) Platoon Petty Officer, Second Class. Same as prescribed for Platoon Petty Officer, First Class omitting the lower chevron.

5. SLEEVE RANK INSIGNIA (NROTC)

a. Midshipmen Officers. Wear stripes of gold nylon braid and a gold star on both sleeves of the blue coat. Stripes measure 1-1/2 inches long and 1/8 inch wide, centered on the outer side of the sleeve with lower stripe 2 inches above and parallel to the edge of the cuff, the stripes to be 1/4 inch apart. Center a gold embroidered, symmetrical five pointed star, 1 inch across, above the stripes. One ray of the star points down, and the point is 3/4 inch above the upper stripe.

(1) Captain. Six stripes.

(2) Commander. Five stripes.

(3) Lieutenant Commander. Four stripes.

(4) Lieutenant. Three stripes.

(5) Lieutenant (junior grade). Two stripes.

(6) Ensign. One stripe.

b. Midshipmen Petty Officers. Wear insignia on the blue coat identical to that worn by U.S. Naval Academy Midshipmen Petty Officers, <article 6101.4>, except the highest NROTC Petty Officer rank is Battalion Chief Petty Officer.

6. SLEEVE RANK INSIGNIA (OTHER OFFICER CANDIDATE PROGRAMS)

a. General. Sleeve insignia consists of a gold star device or appropriate staff corps device indicating officer candidate status and combinations of gold color pin-on bars with star insignia indicating officer candidate status.

b. Star Insignia. Place a gold embroidered, symmetrical five-pointed star 1-1/4 inches across, with one ray pointing down on each sleeve of blue coat centered 3-3/8 inches above the cuff.

c. Rank Insignia. On each sleeve of the blue coat, Officer Candidates wear gold color metal bars identical to the shirt collar rank insignia prescribed for USNA an NROTC midshipmen sleeve of blue coat, to indicate rank. Center these metal bars below the gold star insignia with the upper bar 3/4 inch below the point of the star, and parallel to the edge of the sleeve.

(1) Commander. Wear five bars.

(2) Lieutenant Commander. Wear four bars.

(3) Lieutenant. Wear three bars.

(4) Lieutenant (junior grade). Wear two bars.

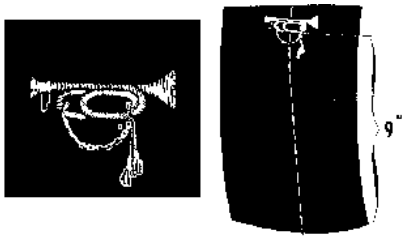
(5) Ensign. Wear one bar.

(6) All Other Officer Candidates. Wear a plain gold star on the sleeve of blue coat.

7. DISTINGUISHING MARKS

a. General. They consist of gold or yellow embroidered insignia. Wear it on the right sleeve of blue coat to indicate membership in the Midshipman Drum and Bugle Corps, or excellence in competition.

(1) Member, Midshipman Drum and Bugle Corps. The insignia consists of a bugle of conventional design. Center the device on the outer face of the sleeve, with the lower edge of bugle 9 inches above the edge of the sleeve, the bugle is horizontal, and the bell faces the front.



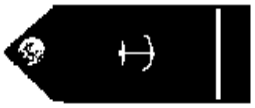
(2) Navy "E". A block letter "E", 5/8 inch high and 1/2 inch wide, centered on the outer face of the sleeve, midway between shoulder and elbow or 1 inch below the midshipmen petty officer insignia. USNA midshipmen who qualify for this mark wear it for one year, following date of qualification.

8. SHOULDER BOARDS (FOR USNA AND NROTC)

a. General. There are two types of shoulder boards, one indicating class and one indicating rank. Both measure either 5-1/2 inches (men), or 4-1/2 inches (women) long and 1-3/4 inches wide with outer end squared and inner end terminating in a symmetrical peak made of dark blue cloth. They are rigid and attached on the shoulder at the inner end by a 22 1/2-line Navy eagle, gilt button snap fastener. They are worn on the coat of Full Dress White uniforms, the blue overcoat, reefer, Dinner Dress jacket and on the white tropical shirt. NROTC Marine midshipmen replace the anchor insignia on the shoulder boards with the gold, enlisted Marine Corps emblem.

b. Class Shoulder Boards. The insignia for shoulder boards consists of a metal fouled anchor alone or in combination with stripes, indicating the wearer's class.

(1) Midshipman, First Class. Center a gold metal fouled anchor, 1-1/16 inches in length, with other dimensions proportionate, on the shoulder board with the crown 2 inches from the squared end and the unfouled arm of the stock to the front. Place one yellow stripe, 1/8 inch wide, with the outer edge 5/8 inch from and parallel to the squared end of the shoulder board (right and left).



(2) Midshipman, Second Class. Same as prescribed for Midshipman, First Class, except that there are two yellow stripes, 1/8 inch wide, placed diagonally

across the shoulder board. The front edge of the bottom stripe is 5/8 inch and the rear edge of the bottom stripe is 1-5/8 inches from the squared end of the board. The stripes are parallel and spaced 1/8 inch apart; lower end to the front (right and left).

(3) Midshipman, Third Class. Same as prescribed for Midshipman, Second Class, but the upper stripe is omitted (right and left).

(4) Midshipman, Fourth Class. Same as prescribed for Midshipman, First Class, but the stripe is omitted (right and left). For women the anchor crown is 1-1/4 inches from the squared end.

c. Rank Shoulder Marks. The insignia worn on shoulder boards consists of a star, in combination with stripe(s), to indicate the wearer's rank.

(1) Captain. Wear six yellow stripes, 1/8 inch wide. Place the lowest stripe 5/8 inch from and parallel to the squared end of the mark. Space other stripes 1/4 inch apart. Center a gold plated metal, five point star, 1/2 inch across on the shoulder board, with one point facing toward and 1/2 inch from the upper stripe.

(2) Commander. Same as prescribed for Captain, except there are five stripes.

(3) Lieutenant Commander. Same as prescribed for Captain, except there are four stripes.

(4) Lieutenant. Same as prescribed for Captain, except there are three stripes.

(5) Lieutenant (junior grade). Same as prescribed for Captain, except there are two stripes.

(6) Ensign. Same as prescribed for Captain, except that there is one stripe.

9. OUTERGARMENT SHOULDER INSIGNIA (OTHER OFFICER CANDIDATE PROGRAMS)

a. Men. Consist of shoulder boards indicating officer candidate status, worn on the shoulders of white coats and blue overcoats. The shoulder board is of the same design and dimensions as for officers. One simulated gold embroidered, symmetrical five-point star, 1-1/4 inches across, is positioned on shoulder board with its center 2 inches from the squared and with one ray pointing toward the squared end of the board.

b. Women. Same as prescribed for wear with garrison cap and worn on shoulder straps of the blue rain coat. Place insignia on each shoulder strap, (right and left), with shank of the anchor lying parallel to and on the long dimension of the strap. The anchor's base is 1 inch from the shoulder seam.

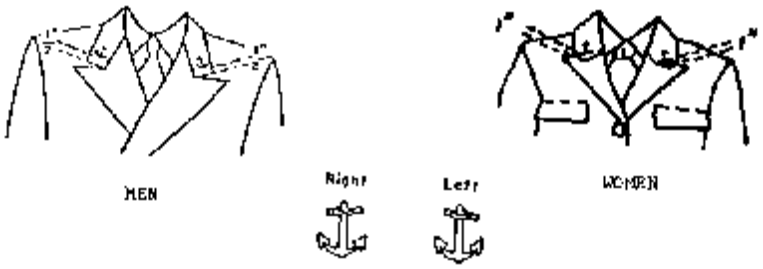
10. COAT COLLAR ANCHOR INSIGNIA AND COAT COLLAR STAR INSIGNIA

a. General. Coat collar insignia consists of plain gold anchors indicating midshipman status and gold stars indicating Distinguished Midshipman worn on the collars of the blue coats.

b. Service Dress Blue Coat

(1) Anchor Insignia. A plain gold anchor 17/16 inch long, the stock, 3/4 inch wide, and the flukes 1-1/17 inches wide. The stock inclines at an angle of 8 degrees from the horizontal (right and left). Pin it on each collar tip of the coat so the anchor's crown is 1/2 inch above the notch of the lapel (males), 1 inch from the bottom and midway between the two sides (females), and the

center line of the shank is parallel to and approximately 3/4 inch from the collar's outer edge. The lower end of the stock is outboard and the stock approximately horizontal.



(2) Star Insignia. Same as described above for Service Dress Blue coats and worn on each side of the collar in the same relative position.

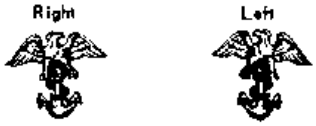
11. SHIRT COLLAR INSIGNIA

a. General. Shirt collar insignia consists of gold fouled anchor, eagle, and bar worn on the collar tips of blue and khaki shirts, to indicate the wearer's class and/or rank.

b. Insignia Indicating Class and Petty Officer Rank (USNA and NROTC)

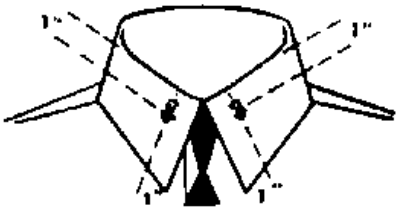
(1) Anchor Insignia. A gold metal fouled anchor, 5/8 inch (right and left).

(2) Eagle-Anchor Insignia. Consists of a spread eagle on gold metal fouled anchor. The device is 11/16 inch (right and left).



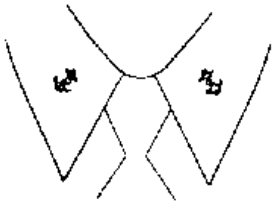
(3) Manner of Wear. Pin the anchor or eagle-anchor insignia to the collar in a vertical position with the center of the insignia approximately 1 inch from the front edge and 1 inch below the upper edge of the collar. The anchor's stock is parallel to the upper edge

of the collar and the unfouled arm of the stock faces front.



(a) Midshipmen, First Class of other than Officer Rank. Wear the eagle-anchor insignia on both collar points.

(b) Midshipmen, Second Class of other than Officer Rank. Wear the anchor insignia on both collar points.



(c) Midshipmen, Third Class. Wear the anchor insignia on the right collar point only.

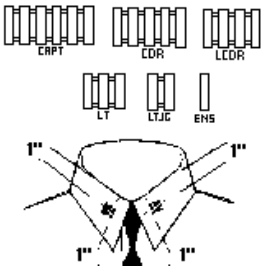
(d) Midshipmen, Fourth Class. Wear no insignia on the collar.

c. Insignia Indicating Class and Petty Officer Rank (Other Officer Candidate Programs). It is the same as the shirt collar anchor insignia prescribed

for U.S. Naval Academy and Naval Reserve Officers Training Corps Midshipmen. This insignia is worn by all officer candidates, on collar points of the khaki and blue shirts in a horizontal position with the crown to the front. The unfouled arm of the stock points up. Officer candidates wear:

Fourth Classmen:	No insignia.
Third Classmen:	One anchor, right collar.
Second Classmen:	One anchor, on each collar.
First Classmen:	One eagle-anchor on each collar.

d. Insignia Indicating Midshipman and Officer Candidate Rank. Consists of gold metal bars, on the collar tips of blue and khaki shirts to indicate the wearer's rank. On closed collar shirts, pin this insignia on the collar so that the center of the first bar is approximately 1 inch from the front edge and 1 inch below the upper edge of the collar. The upper edge of bars are parallel to upper edge of collar. On open collar shirts, all midship- men, except Captains, center insignia one inch from the front and lower edges of the collar and position it with the vertical axis of the insignia along an imaginary line bisecting the angle of the collar point. Captains wear insignia one quarter inch from the lower and outside edges of the collar and position it with the vertical axis of the insignia along an imaginary line bisecting the angle of the collar point.



(1) Captain. Wear six parallel bars, each 3/4 inch wide, and spaced 1/8 inch apart, connected by a thin strip of wire or metal.

(2) Commander. Wear five parallel bars each 3/4 inch wide, and spaced 1/8 inch apart and connected by a thin strip of wire or metal.

(3) Lieutenant Commander. Wear four parallel bars each 3/4 inch wide, and spaced 1/8 inch apart and connected by a thin strip of wire or metal.

(4) Lieutenant. Wear three parallel bars each 3/4 inch wide, and spaced 1/8 inch apart and connected by a thin strip of wire or metal.

(5) Lieutenant (junior grade). Wear two parallel bars each 3/4 inch wide, and spaced 1/8 inch apart and connected by a thin strip of wire or metal.

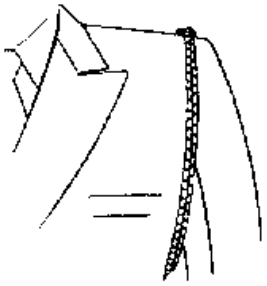
(6) Ensign. Wear one bar.

12. BUTTONS. Wear Navy eagle gilt buttons. They are the same as those described for male and female officers. (Article 5403)

13. AIGUILLETTES (USNA ONLY)

a. Description. Aiguillettes consist of either one loop of gold nylon cord or one blue and one gold nylon cord loop, 3/16 inch in diameter. Each loop is 17 inches in circumference. The loops are sewn together all around and joined at the top by a 1/2 inch section of nylon braid binding strip, to which a safety pin is attached.

b. Manner of Wear. Wear aiguillettes on uniforms as prescribed by the Commandant of Midshipmen; pinned to the shoulder at the arm seam. Midshipmen officers of the watch wear one loop aiguillettes.



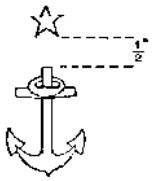
14. USNA BREAST INSIGNIA

a. Description

(1) Star. Five pointed 1/2 inch gold colored metal star awarded to midshipmen assigned to the Superintendent's List.

Manner of Wear

(a) For Service Dress Blue (SDB) uniform, stars will be centered 1/2 inch above the lapel anchors. Two rays of the star will be bisected by the center line of the anchor.



(b) For Full Dress Blue (FDB) uniform, the star shall be worn in the same relative position to the collar anchors as with SDB.

(c) For Service Dress White (SDW), Summer White (SW), Winter and Summer Blue, the star shall be worn on the left breast pocket flap centered 1/4 inch below the top of the pocket.

(2) Athletic Awards. 11/32 inch gold colored N or N-Star device.

(3) Trident Scholar. Gold colored metal trident worn by midshipmen participating in the Trident Scholar Program.

(4) Color Company "E". 11/32 inch letter "E" worn by the midshipmen of the color company for one year following the date of qualification.

(5) Service Selection Device. 3/8 inch gold colored metal warfare specialty or staff corps device worn by midshipmen first class representing their service selection.

(6) YP Squadron. One-half inch diameter smooth gold star worn by midshipmen currently designated in command of a YP.

Manner of Wear

(a) SDB, SDW, SW - Worn on right breast in same relative location as ribbons on the left breast. If name tag is worn, center the star 1/4 inch above the name tag.

(b) Winter and Summer Blue Uniforms - Center 1/4 inch above the name badge.

b. Manner of Wear. Unless specified (14.a(1) and (6)), USNA breast insignia is worn centered 1/4 inch below the top of the pocket on SDB, SDW, SW, and Winter and Summer Blue uniforms. If two or more awards are authorized they shall be worn centered in a horizontal line with each award 3/4 inch apart, from right to left in the order of precedence. Order of precedence:

Superintendent's List Star
"N" or "N"-Star
Trident Scholar
Color Company "E"
Service Selection Device

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6201. CEREMONIAL UNIFORMS

1. U.S NAVY CEREMONIAL GUARD, WASHINGTON, D.C.

a. General. The Commandant, Naval District Washington, provides ceremonial uniforms. Ceremonial uniforms prescribed for members of the U.S. Navy Ceremonial Guard are designated as either "Winter Ceremonial" or "Summer Ceremonial" as appropriate for the season. The uniform consists of the Full Dress uniform modified as follows:

(1) Officers. The blue rain cape prescribed for the U.S. Navy Band is authorized for use by officers participating in Navy ceremonies. The blue all-weather coat, modified with a sword opening in the left side, is authorized for officers participating in Joint Armed Forces ceremonies.

(2) Chief Petty Officers. The rain cape prescribed for the U.S. Navy Band is authorized for chief petty officers participating in Navy ceremonies. Sidearms as described in paragraph l.a.(3).(c) may be prescribed.

(3) Enlisted Personnel (E6 and below)

(a) Special ceremonial uniforms presently authorized for enlisted personnel in the Ceremonial Guard are comprised of components of the Service Dress uniforms.

(b) Wear the following accoutrements as prescribed by the Officer-in-Charge: white gloves, white leggings, white guard belt, ceremonial guard belt buckle (brass), white or blue ascot, white scarf (wear only with peacoat), neckerchief with cheater knot, and aiguillette as prescribed in paragraph <5401.3.c(a)(10)>.

(c) Petty officers and non-rated personnel performing in place of petty officers, wear a white or black pistol holster on the guard belt positioned slightly forward of the right hip. Petty Officers and non-rated personnel carrying a rifle with bayonet, wear a white bayonet scabbard on the guard belt positioned on the left hip (with the exception of drill team members who wear nothing on the guard belt).

(d) The ceremonial uniform for non-rated personnel includes rifle with white rifle sling. Fix the rifle with a chromed bayonet.

(e) Trousers legs are bloused above the leggings.

(f) All-weather coat and/or peacoat are worn according to weather conditions.

(g) The white guard belt is worn outside of every coat.

(h) All non-rated personnel shall now wear their assigned rating, such as AN, SN, or FN, etc.

(i) Drill team no longer wears helmets. They wear their appropriate covers.

(j) All personnel assigned shall wear highly polished brass belt buckle and tie bar in place of silver accessories for uniformity.

(4) Female Personnel. Women wear appropriate uniforms with the accoutrements listed in subparagraph l.a.(3)(b) to provide compatibility. Additionally, female members of the U.S. Navy Ceremonial Guard, Washington, D.C. are authorized to wear the men's Service Dress Blue uniform during occasions where ceremonial dignity and appearance need to be preserved.

(5) Ceremonial Guard Patch. Enlisted personnel, E6 and junior, are authorized to wear an identifying sleeve patch while assigned to the U.S. Ceremonial Guard, Washington, D.C. Such insignia is prescribed and worn at the discretion of the Commandant, Naval District Washington, D.C.

(6) Medals. All medals shall be polished to a high lustre and boarded to maintain the shape of the ribbon.

(7) Shoes. Ceremonial shoes shall be black corfam, double soled with highly polished brass plates on the inside of each heel. Officers and chief petty officers shall wear white double soled shoes with brass heel plates with summer uniform.

(8) Travel Uniform. Members of the U.S. Navy Ceremonial Guard, officers and enlisted personnel, when traveling to and from ceremonial events in official vehicles, are authorized to modify the prescribed uniform as follows to preserve appearance.

(a) The uniform top shall be replaced with the black windbreaker with both summer and winter uniform. Enlisted personnel will wear an aiguillette on the left shoulder and ceremonial guard patch on the right shoulder.

(b) Members of the U.S. Navy Drill Team shall wear a black satin jacket, with gold embroidered lettering "U.S. NAVY PRESIDENTIAL HONOR/DRILL TEAM, WASHINGTON, D.C." and wear a dark blue jumpsuit with ceremonial guard patch and appropriate rank designation attached.

2. HONOR GUARDS AND OTHER CEREMONIAL PERSONNEL

a. General. The prescribing authority determines the uniforms for honor guards and ceremonial units. The prescribed uniform shall comply with uniforms authorized in Chapter 3 as appropriate. Special ceremonial uniforms, which deviate from uniforms authorized in Chapter 3, must be approved by the Chief of Naval Operations (N-09B).

(1) Outerwear. Wear only the outer garments described elsewhere in the regulations, such as overcoats, reefers, peacoats, all-weather coats and windbreakers, with uniforms.

(2) Guard Belts. Wear the standard white guard belt with all uniforms and outside all outergarments.

(3) Personnel Under Arms. Officers and Chief Petty Officers wear pistol and pistol belts, in parades with enlisted men under arms. The sword and sword belt may be prescribed in lieu of the pistol and pistol belt for wear by officers required to have this equipment. Other male officers may wear the sword if provided. When carrying the pistol, wear the belt outside of coat, with the holster slightly in front of the right hip. If only

one magazine pocket, wear it to the left of the buckle. If two pockets, place them to the right and left of the buckle. White pistol belt and holster cover (or bayonet scabbard) may be prescribed on shore stations. When the bayonet is prescribed, the bayonet scabbard is worn on a guard belt positioned on the left hip. Enlisted men under arms for parades or other ceremonies ashore, for infantry drill or on guard detail at shore activities may wear leggings when prescribed.

3. USS CONSTITUTION CREW

a. General. The Commanding Officer, USS CONSTITUTION, provides regulation 1813 pattern naval uniforms. The 1813 pattern uniform is organizational issue clothing. Only personnel permanently assigned to USS CONSTITUTION may wear Navy-issued 1813 pattern uniforms. The 1813 pattern uniform is designated as either “Winter 1813s” or “Summer 1813s.” The uniform is modeled on U.S. Navy Uniform Regulations of 23 November 1813 and will normally be worn to educate and inform the public about early naval heritage. Photographs of the uniform sets are provided <Figure 6-2-1, Figure 6-2-2, Figure 6-2-3, Figure 6-2-4 and Figure 6-2-5)>.

b. Officers. There are two distinct 1813 officer uniforms: one worn by the Commanding Officer and the other by Lieutenants. The U.S. Navy Pattern 1813 Eagle hilt sword may be worn as a sidearm, when authorized by the Commanding Officer.

(1) **Commanding Officer**

(a) Cover (Bicorn). A brushed black “fur” felt, 9 inches from brim to top of “fan” and 20 inches from tip to tip. The hat is decorated with 3/4 inch wide gold lace around outer edge of “fan.” A 2-inch wide loop of gold lace is centered vertically on the fan with a gold button in the lower end of the loop. The loop ends 2 inches above the bottom edge of the hat. A 4-inch black silk cockade is mounted at the top (at the 12 o’clock position) under a gold loop. There are seven gold braid tassels 2 inches in length mounted on each brim.

(b) Dress Jacket. Made from dark blue melton cloth with dark blue lining. Double-breasted with broad lapels and “tails.” Decorated with 1/2 inch wide gold lace on collar, cuffs, lapels, and pocket flaps (including top fold) and along folds of skirts of the coat. No gold lace around buttonholes. Two plain gold epaulettes are worn on the shoulders. Two gilt buttons

are mounted on a high collar (one each on left and right side of collar). Two vertical rows of nine gilt buttons are on the front of the jacket. Four gilt buttons are mounted on the pocket flaps. Four gilt buttons are on the cuffs. Two gilt buttons are at rear, top of coattail flap. Buttons are made of yellow metal, with the foul anchor and American eagle, surrounded by fifteen stars.

(c) Trousers. White cotton or linen "broadfall" style trousers with gilt buttons on pocket flaps; tucked into half boots.

(d) Vest. White single-breasted cotton or linen waistcoat with standing collar, nine gilt buttons down the front, and four smaller gilt buttons mounted on each pocket flap on each pocket but smaller than those on coat.

(e) Shirt. White cotton or linen shirt with a wide collar.

(f) Stock. Black cotton or silk stock.

(g) Boots. Black "Hessian" style half boots with scalloped tops.

(2) **Lieutenants**: wear the same style bicorn hat, shirt, stock, pantaloons and boots as those worn by the Commanding Officer. The only uniform distinction is in the dress jacket and vest.

(a) Dress Jacket. Same as above except no gold lace around buttonholes, lapels, pocket flaps or down folds of the skirts. One gold epaulette (plain-no devices) is worn on the left shoulder. Two rows of nine gilt buttons are on the front of the jacket. Three gilt buttons are mounted on the pocket flaps. Three gilt buttons are on the cuffs. Two gilt buttons are at rear, top of coattail flap. One gilt button is on left and right side of collar.

(b) Vest. Same as above except three gilt buttons and buttonholes on pockets of vest.

c. Chief Petty Officers: wear the same shirt, stock and trousers as officers. The U.S. Navy Pattern 1814 straight edged cutlass may be worn as a sidearm, when authorized by the Commanding Officer.

(1) Hat. A glazed black felt top hat, round, 9 inches from brim to crown. Brim curled up on sides. The ship's name, USS CONSTITUTION embroidered in gold letters on black silk ribbon.

(2) Jacket. A double-breasted short jacket of dark blue melton cloth with turned down collar. Six brass buttons are down each side of the jacket front.

(3) Vest. A red cotton or linen short single-breasted waistcoat with a rolled down collar. Nine gilt buttons down the front.

(4) Footwear. Navy-issue laced black leather safety boots.

d. Enlisted (E6 and below): wear the same jacket, shirt, trousers and footwear as the chief petty officers. The U.S. Navy Pattern 1814 straight edged cutlass may be worn as a sidearm, when authorized by the Commanding Officer. Female personnel may wear their hair tightly braided in the traditional Sailor's pigtail when in 1813 uniform to add authenticity to the 1813 uniform and to permit proper wear of the flat glazed hat.

(1) Hat. A flat glazed black hat 3-4 inches from brim to crown. Flat brim with ship's name, USS CONSTITUTION embroidered in gold letters on black silk ribbon. The ribbon tails to hang down to shoulder blade length when worn.

(2) Neckerchief. Navy-issue black neckerchief. Worn knotted loosely around the throat with the body of the material forming a wide triangle down the back (Boy Scout fashion).

(3) Trousers. Wear standard issue service dress blue (jumper) trousers in winter and service dress white (jumper) trousers, or white cotton broadfall trousers in summer.

e. CONSTITUTION Unit Identification Mark (UIM). Enlisted personnel, E6 and junior, are authorized to wear an identifying sleeve path (IUM) on their modern regulation uniforms while assigned to USS CONSTITUTION. The patch has the ship's name with six white stars embroidered (three on either side of the name) symbolizing the six original frigates of the U.S. Navy, with the ship's nickname "Old Ironsides" embroidered underneath – a reminder of the nation's enduring commitment to the Navy's oldest warship, still in commission.

USS CONSTITUTION
Commanding Officer
Figure 6-2-1

USS CONSTITUTION
Lieutenant
Figure 6-2-2

USS CONSTITUTION
Chief Petty Officer
Figure 6-2-3

USS CONSTITUTION
E6 and Below
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USS CONSTITUTION
E6 and Below
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SECTION 3: U.S. NAVY BANDS

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6301. U.S. NAVY BANDS

1. THE U.S. NAVY BAND

a. General

(1) U.S. Navy Band Uniforms and Formal Civilian Attire Uniforms. U.S. Navy Band uniforms prescribed for members of the U.S. Navy Band, Washington, D.C. are worn on the appropriate occasions as prescribed by the Officer in Charge/Leader.

(2) Officers and Enlisted Personnel. Officers and Chief Petty Officers of the U.S. Navy Band, Washington, D.C. wear the uniforms as prescribed for their respective grade or rate. Uniforms and insignia worn by E6 personnel are as described in this section.

b. Composition of Uniforms

(1) Officers and Enlisted. Officers assigned to the U.S. Navy Band, Washington, D.C. shall conform to the designation and composition of uniforms contained in Chapter 3, Sections 2 and 3 as appropriate. Enlisted members shall conform to the designation and composition of uniforms prescribed for chief petty officers, Chapter 3, Section 3, with the exception of service khaki uniform.

(2) Band Uniform. In addition to required uniforms, officers and enlisted members of the U.S. Navy Band, Washington, D.C. wear band uniforms as outlined in this section.

c. Authorized Modifications to Navy Uniforms

(1) Dinner Dress. Officers and enlisted personnel wear, for performances only, a black cummerbund with both the Dinner Dress Blue Jacket and the Dinner

Dress White Jacket. Women may wear a full length blue formal skirt or the short blue unbelted skirt.

(2) Service Dress White. White trousers are provided for all Navy Band women and may be prescribed with Service Dress White and Full Dress White uniforms. These trousers remain the property of the Navy.

(3) Insignia

(a) Collar Insignia. All E-6 personnel wear an eagle and chevron, gold colored metal insignia, with bright finish, approximate size 7/8 inch wide by 1-1/4 inches high in the same position prescribed for chief petty officers for all uniforms using collar devices.

(b) Soft Shoulder Boards. All E-6 personnel wear soft shoulder boards with eagle and chevron, indicating rank, on the Service Dress Blue white shirt and black V-neck sweater.

(4) Hat Device. All E-6 personnel wear a gold metal lyre superimposed on the shank of a gold fouled anchor with the silver letters "USN" superimposed on the anchor's stock immediately above the lyre.

(5) The Drum Major wears white leather gauntlet gloves, baldric, and tall bear skin hat when in Full Dress Blue or White.

2. U.S. NAVY BAND UNIFORMS

a. Sea Chanters' Uniform (1812)

(1) Jacket. Fully lined, dark blue wool blend short mess jacket slightly tailored at the waist to be worn open. Eight one-inch gold buttons (having a raised surface with an eagle design) on each forefront below the lapel, with corresponding buttonholes next to each row of buttons along open edge of jacket. Each sleeve will have a four-inch cuff with three buttons along the top edge.

(2) Trousers (men). Dark blue wool blend to match jacket; bell-bottom style with square front flap opening fastened with 13 dark blue buttons. Trousers will have a laceable insert in back just below waist level to allow for adjustments.

(3) Skirt (women). Fully lined, dark blue wool blend A-line style with rear zipper opening and waistband. Length will extend just below the knee, with two slits up side seams from hem to knee level.

(4) Shirt. Short-sleeved crackerjack style in white cotton. Collar will have three rows of red piping around the edge with one blue star on each corner at lower edge.

(5) Neckerchief. Same as described for jumper style uniform, tied in a square knot and hung around the neck with the knot resting at the upper chest level.

(6) Shoes. Black dress pumps for women and black dress shoes for men.

(7) Hosiery. As prescribed for men and women.

(8) Outer Garments. All-weather or bridge coats may be worn with appropriate gloves and/or scarf.

(9) Cover. Not worn with the 1812 uniform unless an outer garment is worn.

b. Formal Civilian Attire

(1) Coat (men). A dark blue, single button, tuxedo style coat with a shawl collar, two slanted lower pockets and one left breast pocket. Two 24-line navy blue buttons at the cuff of each sleeve and one 30-line matching center button connecting shawl front. The back of coat has side vents.

(2) Trousers. High waisted, cuffless, plain design trousers, with suspender buttons. Fabric matches the coat, with a black stripe extending the full length of each outside leg seam, worn with black cummerbund.

(3) Shirt. A blue or white formal shirt.

(4) Bow Tie. Black civilian style.

(5) Shoes and Socks. Black dress shoes and socks are worn summer and winter.

(6) Women. Women wear similar attire with either a long skirt or slacks.

c. Formal Civilian Attire for Combos

(1) Blazer. Blue, single-breasted blazer with two gold buttons, two lower pockets and one left breast pocket with round Navy Band patch. Cuffs have three gold buttons.

(2) Trousers. Tan cuffless trousers.

(3) Shirt. Plain white shirt.

(4) Necktie. Four-in-hand blue necktie with small tab dots.

d. Utility Clothing

(1) Shirt. Dark blue with two buttoned breast pockets. Long or short sleeved.

(2) Trousers. Same color and material as shirt.

(3) Boots, Black Safety. Water resistant leather, high-topped, plain toe boots, with no stitching, a hard box or safety toe, and lugged vibram sole.

3. U.S. NAVAL ACADEMY BAND UNIFORMS

a. General. Officers and Chief Petty Officers assigned to the U.S. Naval Academy Band shall conform to the designation and composition of uniforms contained in Chapter 3, Sections 2 and 3 as appropriate. Enlisted personnel E5 and E6 shall conform to the designation and composition of uniforms prescribed for chief petty officers, Chapter 3, Section 3, with the exception of service khaki uniform.

b. Parade Uniform

(1) Combination Cap. The same uniform as prescribed for chief petty officers.

(2) Chin Strap. Made of gold cord. The strap is secured at each side of the cap by a 22 1/2-line Navy eagle, gilt button.

(3) Cap Device. Consists of a gold metal lyre on the shank of a gold fouled anchor, with the silver letters "USN" superimposed on the anchor's stock immediately above the lyre. Enlisted members, other than chief

petty officers, wear the lyre cap device with all uniforms. Chief petty officers wear this lyre cap device only with band uniforms.

(4) Collar Insignia. For E6 petty officers, a gold metal eagle and chevron insignia, with a bright finish. The approximate size is 1-1-1/4 inches wide by either 1-5/8 inches, 1-3/8 inches or 1-1/8 inches in height. Wear as prescribed for chief petty officers on Summer White and Winter Blue uniforms.

4. OTHER U.S. NAVY BANDS

a. General. Personnel in other U.S. Navy Bands wear uniforms described in Chapter 3, as prescribed by the commanding officer or other appropriate authority.

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6401. QUARTERDECK CEREMONIES

1. UNIFORMS. The uniforms for quarterdeck personnel are as follows:

a. Officer-of-the-Deck. The officer-of-the-deck, in port, wears the prescribed uniform of the day. Side arms and gloves may also be prescribed. The OOD carries binoculars at sea.

b. Officer-of the-Day. The officer-of-the-day and junior officer-of-the-day on duty at a shore station wear the uniform of the day, and "OOD" and "JOOD" brassard as appropriate. Side arms may be prescribed.

c. Petty Officers-of-the-Watch. Personnel on duty as quarterdeck petty officer-of-the-watch wear the uniform of the day. Side arms may be prescribed.

d. Messengers. Personnel on duty as quarterdeck messengers wear the uniform of the day. Side arms may be prescribed.

e. Sideboys. Sideboys wear uniform of the day.

2. PISTOL BELT. When carrying a pistol, wear the belt outside the coat, with the holster slightly in front of the right hip. Only one magazine pocket is worn to the left of the buckle. Two are worn to the right and left of the buckle. A white pistol belt and holster cover (or bayonet scabbard) may also be prescribed for quarterdeck watch standers ashore.

3. WHITE LEGGINGS, WHITE GLOVES, AND WHITE HELMET LINER

a. Wear. Leggings and other equipment as outlined below may be prescribed:

(1) White Leggings

(a) May be worn when participating in ceremonies such as ceremonial guard, drill teams, sentries, guards, and special details.

(b) May be worn when assigned to Armed Forces Police Detachments.

(c) May be worn by recruits when prescribed.

(2) White Gloves. White gloves may be prescribed (if provided at no cost to E1-E6 personnel) with white leggings and white guard belt.

(3) White Helmet Liner. May be prescribed for sentry, guard, and police details only.

6402. RECRUIT SPECIAL DRILL UNITS

1. ACCOUTREMENTS. For ceremonies when smartness in appearance is desired, or for drill teams, sentries, and guards; white leggings, gloves, helmets, ascots, belts, and aiguillettes may be authorized by the prescribing authoriity.

6403. MAIL CLERKS, ORDERLIES, ETC.

1. PISTOL BELT. Personnel on duty as mail clerks, orderlies, guard mail petty officers, and similar official details wear a pistol belt.

6404. FUNERAL DETAILS

1. GENERAL. NAVMEDCOMINST 5360.1 establishes burial uniform policy. For additional information on funerals contact the BUPERS Casualty Assistance Branch (Pers-621) at COM (901)874-4300 or DSN 882-4301.

2. MOURNING BADGES

a. Officers and Enlisted Personnel. Personnel wear mourning badges when serving as honorary pallbearers at military funerals or when attending military funerals

in an official capacity. Officers and enlisted attending military or civilian funerals in uniform may wear mourning badges at their discretion.

b. Wear. Officers wear the mourning badge on the left sleeve of the outergarment, halfway between the shoulder and elbow. Enlisted personnel wear the mourning badge on the right sleeve of the outergarment, halfway between the shoulder and elbow. The badge is 3 inches wide and made of black crepe, long enough to fit around the arm. When wearing the sword, officers also wear a mourning badge 3 inches wide and 20 inches long, knotted in the middle at the sword hilt.

3. WHITE GLOVES. Officers may be required to wear white gloves at military funerals. Enlisted personnel may be required to wear white gloves at military funerals if gloves are provided at no cost to the individual. Officers and enlisted personnel may wear white gloves at other funerals but only during the actual ceremonies unless white gloves are an authorized part of their uniforms being worn.

6405. RELIGIOUS DRESS AND APPEARANCE PRACTICES

1. DEFINITION OF RELIGIOUS APPAREL. Religious apparel is defined as articles of clothing worn as part of the doctrinal or traditional observance of the religious faith practiced by the member. Hair and grooming practices required or observed by religious groups are not included within the meaning of religious apparel.

2. ORGANIZED WORSHIP SERVICES. Service members may wear any required religious apparel distinct to their faith group with the uniform while in attendance at organized worship services.

3. CHAPLAINS. Chaplains may wear any religious apparel required by their faith groups with the uniform while conducting worship services and during the performance of rites and rituals distinct to their faith groups.

4. JEWELRY. Jewelry bearing religious inscriptions or otherwise indicating religious affiliation of belief may be worn subject to the same uniform regulations prescribed for jewelry that is not of a religious nature.

5. RELIGIOUS ITEMS DURING CEREMONIAL DETAILS. Visible items of religious apparel shall not be worn while wearing historical or ceremonial uniforms; participating

in review formations, parades, honor or color guards, and similar ceremonial details and functions.

6. NORMAL DUTY HOURS. Religious items or articles **not visible or otherwise apparent** may be worn with the uniform, provided they do not interfere with the performance of the member's military duties, or interfere with the proper wearing of any authorized article of the uniform. Commanding Officers may approve individual requests for wear of **authorized visible religious apparel** (skullcaps) with the uniform. Requests should be processed following the guidelines of <SECNAVINST 1730.8 (Series)>.

7. AUTHORIZED VISIBLE RELIGIOUS APPAREL. A black or hair colored yarmulke is the only authorized visible religious item or article which may be approved for wear with the uniform. Requests to include additional visible items must be submitted to the Chief of Naval Operations for approval.

6406. CULINARY SPECIALIST (CS RATING)

1. WORK UNIFORM (MEN). Culinary Specialists (men) working in galleys and bakeshops, and messmen, performing their duties, may wear white tee shirts, white trousers, aprons, and caps as appropriate.

2. WORK UNIFORM (WOMEN). Culinary Specialists (women) may wear the women's short sleeve white shirt or the undershirt with washable white work slacks, with white or beige undergarments.

3. Commanding officers may authorize colored, striped, or printed food service uniforms instead of white. Food service uniforms are provided through organizational funding.

4. PRIVATE MESSES. Personnel wear a white jacket while performing duty in private messes on board ship. Trousers or skirts shall conform to the uniform of the day. Personnel serving in private messes ashore, afloat, or in aircraft, wear name tags indicating name, rate, and command.

6407. WEDDING ATTIRE

1. MILITARY. For military weddings, follow these guidelines:

a. Groom and Best Man. May wear either civilian attire or uniforms corresponding to accepted civilian customs, i.e., business suit; Service Dress, tuxedo; Dinner Dress, etc.

b. Bride and Maid-of-Honor. May wear either civilian attire or uniforms corresponding to civilian attire as discussed in paragraph a.

c. Ushers and Bridesmaids. All uniformed participants should wear the same uniform which may be different from those worn by personnel in subparagraphs l.a. or l.b. above.

d. Immediate Family. Uniformed participants wear uniforms which correspond to subparagraph l.a. or l.b. above.

e. Guests. Wear appropriate service dress uniforms.

2. SWORDS. Swords are not usually carried in a house of worship, but the sword belt without scabbard may be carried with Full or Dinner Dress uniforms with end clips fastened together. For this occasion, if you plan to form an arch of swords through which the bridal party will pass, draw swords outside the house of worship.

6408. SECURITY PERSONNEL

1. Personnel wear the uniform of the day as prescribed when assigned to or performing duties of:

a. Security department (base police guards, shore patrol, etc).

b. Master-at-Arms personnel.

c. Navy absentee collection unit staff.

d. Brig/Correctional Custody staff.

2. Identification badges/brassards are worn as described by picture in Chapter 5.

3. Other Accoutrements.

a. Security personnel other than brig/correctional custody staff. Traffic control personnel may carry whistles. Permission to carry or wear a black leather belt, pistols, nightsticks and handcuffs must be granted

in writing by the commanding officer. White guard belts, white helmet liner, and white leggings may be authorized for personnel assigned guard duty. Reflective materials may be used at night.

b. Brig/correctional custody staff. To distinguish staff from prisoners, uniform staff will wear a nylon or leather black pistol/duty belt. Attachments to the pistol/duty belt authorized internal to the confinement facility include radio pouch, glove case, and when required key ring. Attachments to the pistol/duty belt authorized external to the confinement facility include the above items and, when authorized, handcuff pouch and nightstick holder.

6409. PERSONNEL IN CONFINEMENT WITHIN NAVAL FACILITIES

1. PRE-TRIAL DETENTION. All personnel in pre-trial detention are permitted to wear the working uniform of the day, with embroidered accoutrements, minus metal accoutrements.

2. POST-TRIAL CONFINEMENT. If awarded confinement, officer (to include warrant officers, commissioned officers, cadets, midshipmen, and officer candidates) and enlisted personnel wear utilities without grade insignia or collar devices. Post-trial personnel keep their service uniforms, and may wear a service uniform during official appearances.

SECTION 5: PERSONNEL SERVING WITH MARINE CORPS

Article

1. GENERAL (UNIFORMS FOR PERSONNEL SERVING WITH MARINE UNITS).....6501

6501. GENERAL (UNIFORMS FOR NAVAL PERSONNEL SERVING WITH MARINE UNITS)

1. Navy officers may purchase and wear Marine Corps service uniforms at their option. When the Marine Corps service uniform is worn, Navy officers will abide by Marine Corps grooming and physical appearance standards and the uniform will be worn in the manner prescribed for Marine officers, except as otherwise specified in the USMC uniform regulations. Those officers who do not elect to wear Marine Corps service uniforms will wear the equivalent Navy service uniform and abide by Navy grooming and physical appearance standards. Navy officers may purchase and wear camouflage utility uniforms at their option. When utilities are worn, Navy officers may elect to abide by either Navy or Marine Corps uniform regulations, as outlined for Navy enlisted in the USMC uniform regulations. However, subdued grade insignia will not be worn on the utility uniform, regardless of whether Navy or Marine Corps regulations are followed.

2. Enlisted Navy personnel assigned to Marine Corps organizations may wear service uniforms prescribed for enlisted personnel of the Marine Corps following applicable directives. Enlisted Navy personnel wear Marine Corps utilities when directed by the commanding officer. Utility uniforms are furnished at no expense to the enlisted member. Navy personnel assigned to Marine Corps units may wear Marine Corps uniforms on temporary additional duty. Wear the Marine Corps service and utility uniforms, including insignia, following Marine Corps uniform regulations.

3. Enlisted Navy personnel who elect to wear Marine Corps service uniforms must maintain only those naval uniforms and accessories needed during their assignment to Marine Corps units and for travel to and from those assignments as follows:

a. Chief Petty Officer (Men)

Item
Service Dress Blue uniform complete
Service Dress White uniform complete
Reefer or all-weather coat, blue
Shoes, black
Shoes, white
Socks, black
Socks, white

b. Chief Petty Officer (Women)

Item
Service Dress Blue uniform complete
Service Dress White uniform complete
Reefer or all-weather coat, blue
Shoes, black
Shoes, white
Stockings/Lingerie

c. Enlisted Men Other Than Chief Petty Officer

Item	Quantity
Service Dress Blue uniform complete	1
Summer White uniform complete	1
Peacoat or all-weather coat, blue	1
Gloves, black	1 pr.
Shoes, black dress	1 pr.
Socks, black	8 pr.
Towels	2
Undershorts	6 pr.
Undershirts	6

d. Enlisted Women Other Than Chief Petty Officer

Item	Quantity
Service Dress Blue uniform complete	1
Summer White uniform complete	1
All-weather coat, blue	1
Gloves, black	1 pr.
Shoes, black dress	1 pr.
Towels	2
Stockings/Lingerie	As needed

4. GROOMING. Navy personnel assigned to Marine Corps units who elect to wear and are issued Marine Corps service uniforms at no expense will abide by grooming standards established for Marines. Navy personnel assigned to Marine Corps units who do not elect to wear Marine Corps service uniforms will be issued only utilities and shall abide by grooming standards for Navy personnel.

SECTION 6: NAVAL PERSONNEL SERVING WITH OTHER SERVICES

Article

1. GENERAL (UNIFORMS FOR NAVAL PERSONNEL WITH ARMY, AIR FORCE, OR COAST GUARD.....6601

6601. GENERAL (UNIFORMS FOR NAVAL PERSONNEL WITH ARMY, AIR FORCE, OR COAST GUARD)

1. ARMY, AIR FORCE, OR COAST GUARD. Naval personnel on duty with Army, Air Force, or Coast Guard organizations wear naval uniforms corresponding to those prescribed for personnel of the associated service as listed in <Table 6-6-1> Table of Service Equivalent Uniforms. In combat areas or under other circumstances where wearing Navy uniforms would be inappropriate, naval personnel may wear the uniform of the other service if they are provided at no cost to the member by the other service. Wear appropriate naval insignia with other services' working uniforms.

2. GROOMING. U.S. Navy grooming standards apply.

3. CHAPLAIN CORPS. Officers of the Chaplain Corps assigned to a Coast Guard unit may wear the Coast Guard uniforms prescribed by the Coast Guard authority. Wear naval insignia, including corps and rank devices with Coast Guard uniforms.

SERVICE EQUIVALENT UNIFORMS (TABLE 6-6-1)

NAVY	MARINE CORPS	ARMY	AIR FORCE	COAST GUARD	WHEN WORN
FORMAL AND DINNER DRESS UNIFORM					
Formal Dress	Evening Dress	Blue Mess/ Evening Dress3 Green Dress (Enl Only)	Formal Dress	Forrmal Dress	Official formal evening functions, state occasions.
Dinner Dress Blue Jacket	Evening Dress Blue	Mess3	Mess Dress, Blue	Dinner Dress Blue Jacket	Social functions of general or official nature, private formal dinners, dinner dances, club affairs.
Dinner Dress White Jacket	Evening Dress White	Mess3	Mess Dress, Blue	Dinner Dress White Jacket	
Dinner Dress Blue	Dress Blue "A"4	Army Blue4 (Bow Tie)	Service Dress	Dinner Dress Blue	Same as Dinner/Mess but less formal occasions requiring more formality than service uniforms but not bow tie.
Dinner Dress White	Dress Blue "A"4	Army White4 (Bow Tie)		Dinner Dress White	
CEREMONIAL UNIFORMS					
Full Dress Blue	Dress Blue "A" or "B"1/4	Army Green/ Army Blue4	Service Dress	Full Dress Blue	Parades, ceremonies, and reviews when special honors being paid to occasion, official visits of and to United States and foreign officials as prescribed by USN Regulations.
Full Dress White	Dress White “B”l/ 5 (summer only) Dress Blue “B”l/4 ress Blue-White “A”/”B”1/4	Army White4		Full Dress White	

SERVICE UNIFORMS

Service Dress Blue	Service "A"	Army Green	Service Dress	Sevice Dress Blue “A” or “B”	Business and informal social occasions as appropriate to local customs.
Service Dress White	Service "A"	Army Green	Service Dress	Service Dress White	
Service Khaki	Service "C"2	Army Green	Service Uniform	Tropical Blue Long	
Summer White	Service "C"2	Army Green	Service Uniform	Tropical Blue	
Winter Blue	Service "B"2	Army Green	Service Uniform	Service Dress Blue "B"	

WORKING UNIFORMS

Aviation Working Green	Utility	Battle Dress	Utility Battle Dress	Undress Blue/ Working Blue	Working in field or plant environment.
Winter Working Blue				Winter Blue (Undress)	Working in environment where soiling of clothing is expected.
Working Khaki/Utilities				Undress Blue/ Working Blue	

1 Sword is prescribed separately when required by Marines.
2 Blue Dress "C" or "D" may be prescribed when appropriate.
3 Optional uniforms.
4 Optional uniform for enlisted personnel.
5 Optional uniform for officers.

SECTION 7: MATERNITY UNIFORMS

Article

1. GENERAL (MATERNITY UNIFORMS).....6701
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6701. GENERAL (MATERNITY UNIFORMS)

1. WEAR. Certified maternity uniforms are mandatory for all pregnant women in the Navy when a uniform is prescribed, and regular uniforms no longer fit. Personnel are expected to wear regular uniforms upon return from convalescent leave, however, commanding officers may approve the wear of maternity uniforms up to six months from the date of delivery based on medical officer diagnosis/recommendation.

2. OUTERGARMENTS

a. Pregnant women in the Navy may wear outergarments (all-weather coat, overcoat, peacoat, reefer and sweater) unbuttoned when they no longer fit properly buttoned.

b. A maternity cardigan sweater is authorized for optional wear. Shirt collar is worn inside the sweater when a tie is worn and outside the sweater when no tie is worn. The addition of epaulets on the current maternity sweater has been approved. The sweater is authorized for wear outside the working space. Officers/CPOs are required to wear soft shoulder boards and E6 and below wear no insignia. E6 and below may continue to wear the maternity cardigan sweater without epaulets as long as serviceable.

6702. DESCRIPTION OF MATERNITY UNIFORM COMPONENTS

1. MODIFICATIONS. Maternity uniforms are designed like corresponding primary uniforms, but proportional to fit pregnant women.

2. SERVICE DRESS UNIFORMS

a. Service Dress Blue <(See Figure 6-7-1)>

(1) Coat. A single-breasted coat made from navy blue authorized material, with a convertible collar, seven black plastic buttons down the front. Ribbons, insignia, badges, and nametags may be worn if applicable. Officers wear removable soft shoulder boards on epaulets. Enlisted personnel wear scarlet or gold rating badges, but no service stripes. E6 and below wear a unit identification mark.

(2) Skirt. Plain, two panel tailored A-line skirt with elasticized waist and stretch front panel. Skirt matches the coat's color and material.

(3) Shirt. Made of white authorized material with a convertible, turndown, pointed, collar, short or long sleeved, with epaulets. Officers must wear soft shoulder boards on the epaulets.

(4) Slacks. Flared slacks of the same material as the jacket. Front panel and waist are the same as the skirt.

b. Service Dress White. When Service Dress White is prescribed, wear Summer White with ribbons.

c. Summer White <(See Figure 6-7-2)>

(1) Summer White maternity uniforms are authorized for wear when prescribed. The design is similar to the blue maternity skirt, slacks, and white short sleeved shirt. A vertical fabric match is required. Wear the uniform, with ribbons, unbuttoned at the collar. Officers wear hard shoulder boards, chief petty officers wear collar devices and E6 and below wear rating badges and UIM.

d. Winter Blue <(See Figure 6-7-3)>

(1) Shirt. The shirt is the coat worn with Service Dress Blue. Wear fully buttoned with tie and ribbons. Officers wear metal collar devices, and enlisted personnel wear scarlet or gold rating badges, but no service stripes. E6 and below wear a UIM.

(2) Skirt. Same as skirt required for Service Dress Blue.

(3) Slacks. Same slacks required for Service Dress Blue.

e. Service Khaki <(See Figure 6-7-4)>

(1) Shirt. Made of authorized khaki fabric, with short sleeves, and two breast pockets with button flaps. The shirt has an open collar forming a V-neck. Officers and Chief Petty Officers wear collar insignia.

(2) Skirt. Plain, two panel tailored A-line khaki skirt of the same fabric as the shirt, with elasticized waist and stretch front panel.

(3) Slacks. Khaki flared slacks of the same fabric as the shirt. Front panel and waist are the same as the skirt.

f. Working Khaki. Service Khaki uniform without ribbons.

3. DINNER DRESS UNIFORMS

a. When Dinner Dress Blue is prescribed, wear Service Dress Blue with miniature medals. <(See Figure 6-7-5)>

b. When Dinner Dress White is prescribed, wear Summer White with ribbons.

4. FULL DRESS UNIFORMS

a. When Full Dress Blue is prescribed, wear Service Dress Blue with large medals. <(See Figure 6-7-6)>

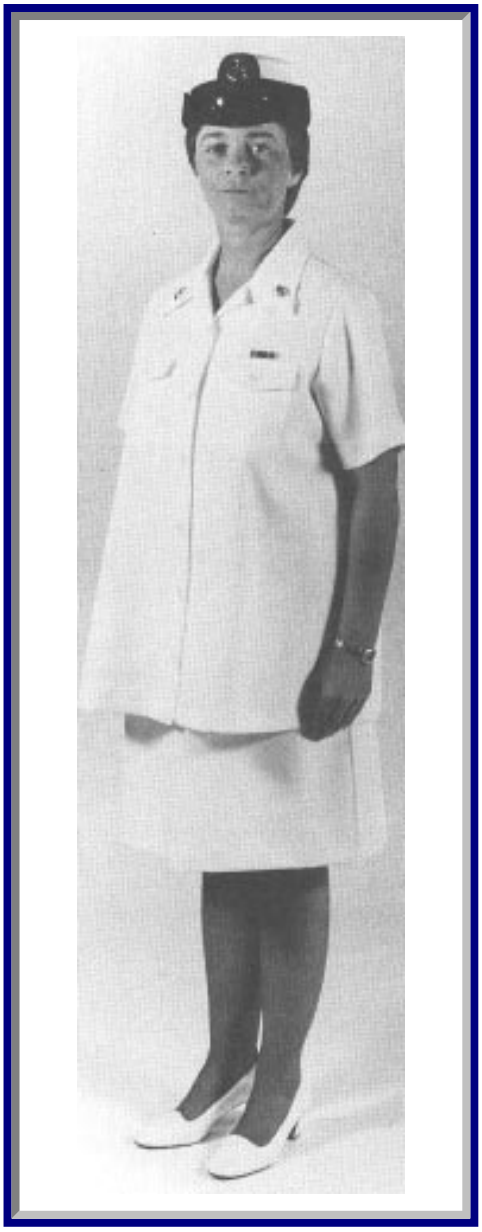
b. When Full Dress White is prescribed, wear Summer White with ribbons.

5. WORKING UNIFORMS

a. Utilities. Maternity utility shirts and utility slacks may be worn by pregnant enlisted women (E-6 and below). <(See Figure 6-7-7)>. They shall be stenciled in the same relative position as non-maternity utilities.

b. Winter Working Blue. Winter Blue uniform without a tie or ribbons, and only the top collar is unbuttoned. <(See Figure 6-7-8)>

Service Dress Blue
Figure 6-7-1



Summer White
Figure 6-7-2

Winter Blue
Figure 6-7-3

Service Khaki
Figure 6-7-4

Dinner Dress Blue
Figure 6-7-5

Full Dress Blue
Figure 6-7-6

Utilities
Figure 6-7-7

Winter Working Blue
Figure 6-7-8

SECTION 8: ORGANIZATIONAL CLOTHING AND PRIVATELY OWNED PROTECTIVE CLOTHING

Article

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2. CAMOUFLAGE UTILITY UNIFORMS.....6802
3. FLIGHT CLOTHING.....6803
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6801. GENERAL (ORGANIZATIONAL CLOTHING)

1. DEFINITION. Organizational clothing is defined as any clothing loaned to an individual by a naval activity, for which there is a requirement above and beyond authorized Navy uniforms. It remains the property of the Navy and is returned to the activity when the individual is transferred. Organizational clothing includes such items as foul weather jackets, green/brown flight jackets, flight suits, coveralls, etc. Organizational clothing is worn with working uniforms only while performing duties for which the garments are designed. Only the brown leather flight jacket has been authorized for wear with service uniforms as described in <article 6803.2b(2)>.

2. ISSUE. Some specially designed organizational clothing are issued as follows:

a. Special Clothing. Allowances for special clothing, which include cold weather clothing, utility clothing, and wet weather clothing are established by the Chief of Naval Operations and published in NAVSUP Manual.

b. CBR Protective Clothing. Allowances for Chemical Biological Radiological (CBR) protective clothing are established by NAVSUP and published in NAVSUP Manual.

c. Medical Clothing. Allowances for medical clothing are established by Bureau of Medicine and Surgery and published as allowance lists for applicable units.

d. Coveralls. Coveralls shall be provided to all engineering personnel and to any other personnel who are performing dirty work which would permanently soil or prematurely destroy personal clothing.

e. Navy Band Clothing and Uniforms. Navy band members get organizational clothing described in <article 6301>.

3. INSIGNIA/PATCHES. Guidelines for wearing insignia/patches on organizational clothing, excluding camouflage utility uniforms, flight suits and brown leather flight jackets, are set by the sponsor, or the command issuing the clothing.

4. ACCOUTREMENTS. Appropriate accoutrements (such as leggings, guard belts, badges, brassards, security equipment, insignia, embroidery, patches, etc.) to special uniforms may be prescribed if provided at no cost to the individual.

6802. CAMOUFLAGE UTILITY UNIFORMS

1. GENERAL. The camouflage utility uniform is organizational clothing. The initial issue of organizational clothing items, the required accoutrements (including nametags, collar and rank devices, force badges, breast insignia, and other authorized devices), and the sewing of the accoutrements on the uniform are funded by the authorizing command. This includes the warfare or other qualification insignia worn in the primary position <article 5201.2c(1)(b)>. A member may elect to wear another earned warfare or qualification insignia in the secondary position <article 5201.2c(1)(d)>, at their own expense. All costs associated with the survey of unserviceable organizational clothing items resulting from normal use and wear, and the reissue on a one-for-one replacement basis, will be borne by the authorizing command. Replacement of organizational clothing lost or rendered unserviceable due to negligence will be the assigned individual’s responsibility. Purchasing and wearing the camouflage utility uniform at the wearer’s expense is not authorized. The Chief of Naval Operations has approved the camouflage utility uniform for wear as the normal daily working uniform by personnel (excluding Navy service members assigned to Marine Corps UICs refer to <article 6501>) of fleet/shore commands, including their assigned U.S. Naval Reserve components, as follows:

a. Naval Construction Force

b. Naval Beach Group

c. Naval Special Warfare Command

d. Explosive Ordnance Disposal

e. Navy Fleet Hospital Units

f. Mobile Diving and Salvage Units

g. Navy Cargo Handling and Port Groups

h. Personnel of the Construction Ratings, Seabees at Shore Activities

i. Air Traffic Control Unit 100A, Helicopter Combat Support Special Squadron 4 and 5

j. Fleet Aviation Specialized Operational Training Group, Atlantic and Pacific

k. Naval Security Force

l. Naval Coastal Warfare Community

m. Fleet Imaging Command, Pacific

n. Military Sealift Command Offices and Area Commands (when deployed)

o. Naval Reserve Navy Combat Documentation Detachment 206

p. Maritime Defense Zone Forces.

q. Fleet Information Warfare Center Mobile Ashore Support Terminal, Mobile Integrated Command Facility, and field-deploying communications deception and psychological warfare units. (This group includes previously authorized Naval Computer and Telecommunications Command Ashore Mobile Contingency Communications (AMCC) Vans and Advanced Base Functional Component (ABFC) Vans.)

r. Tactical Control Groups and Squadrons (when deployed)

s. Reserve Patrol Wing Atlantic 0186 (when deployed)

t. EA-6B Tactical Electronic Warfare Squadrons and EA-6B VANOPDET personnel (when deployed)

u. Inshore Boat Squadron and Associated Inshore Boat Units

v. Navy Center for Tactical Systems Interoperability (NCTSI) Detachments and NCTSI Headquarters (when deployed)

w. Commander, U.S. Naval Forces, Korea

x. Special Projects Patrol Squadrons (when deployed)

y. Commander, Naval Forces Alaska (when working under arduous field conditions)

z. Fleet Maritime Patrol Mobile Operations Control Center Atlantic (FMP MOCC LANT) (during weapons qualifications and specific duties associated with operations, exercises, and deployments)

aa. Commander, Naval Expeditionary Logistics Support Force

bb. Strategic Communications Wing ONE (when deployed and associated with specific operations/exercises).

cc. CLF Detachment Combat Camera, Atlantic

dd. Tactical Support Center Roosevelt Roads Sea Detachement (when deployed and associated with specific operations/excercises).

ee. Fleet Composite Squadron SIX (VC-6) (when deployed).

ff. Commander, Helicopter Antisubmarine Wing, U. S. Atlantic (COMHSWINGLANT) Fleet Weapons Training Unit (during weapons qualifications and specific duties associated with operations and exercises).

gg. Commander, Helicopter Anti-Submarine Wing, U.S. Pacific Fleet (COMHSWINGPAC), Weapons Training Unit and Helicopter Anti-Submarine (HS) Squadrons TWO, FOUR, SIX, EIGHT, TEN and FOURTEEN (during weapons qualifications and specific duties associated with operations and exercises).

hh. Joint Commands [Joint Commanders with naval personnel assigned who direct the wear of camouflage utility uniforms, assume responsibility for the cost of issue and maintenance. The assigned naval personnel shall

wear the Navy camouflage utility uniform in accordance with Navy Uniform Regulations. The wear of camouflage utility uniforms as optional items at the wearer's expense is not authorized.]

2. BACKGROUND

a. The camouflage (woodland/desert) utility uniform (woodland - <Figure 6-8-1 and Figure 6-8-2>/ desert - <Figure 6-8-3 and Figure 6-8-4>) is intended for naval forces/personnel deployed, ashore, employed in combat/hostile fire zones, personnel working under arduous field conditions, and naval personnel serving with Joint Commands in accordance with <article 6802.1bb>.

b. The woodland camouflage pattern shall be the standard camouflage utility uniform. It is available in a 50/50% nylon/cotton twill for cold climates, and 50/50% nylon/cotton riplon poplin 6 oz. for warm climates. The camouflage utility uniform is also available in desert camouflage pattern, and may be prescribed by appropriate authority. The basic precepts of wear for the woodland camouflage uniform also apply to the desert camouflage uniform.

c. The term "appropriate authority" refers to commanders, commanding officers, and officers in charge.

d. The camouflage utility uniform is a working uniform and is only authorized for travel between work and local residence <article 1301.5>, which includes contract berthing and Naval Reserve activities. The camouflage utility uniform is not authorized for normal liberty or individual travel.

3. MANNER OF WEAR. Standards of appearance for all personnel wearing the camouflage (woodland/desert) utility uniform are as follows:

a. General. The standard camouflage utility uniform consists of standard issue camouflage pattern headgear, camouflage pattern coat/shirt, trousers, belt, buckle, footwear, appropriate rank/rate insignia, and initial issue of socks and brown undershirts. Approved force insignia will be centered on the left breast pocket, and embroidered directly into the fabric. All other authorized accoutrements will be embroidered onto a cloth background and sewn on the uniform. Iron-on, molded, stenciled, or pin on accoutrements ARE NOT AUTHORIZED. No items (excluding cap) of the nylon/cotton twill and nylon/cotton riplon poplin uniforms will be mixed.

(1) The camouflage utility uniform is designed to function with the Personnel Armor System for Ground Troops (PASGT). Appropriate authority may prescribe PASGT items for wear with the camouflage utility uniform.

(2) The camouflage utility uniform shall be clean and pressed to present a neat appearance. Although the use of starch or sizing is authorized as an individual option, excluding headgear, it may adversely affect the comfort and durability of the uniform.

(3) All rank insignia and accoutrements for the woodland camouflage utility uniform will be embroidered on an olive drab fabric background. They will all be embroidered with black thread except for the rank insignia for ensign and lieutenant commander which will be embroidered with spice brown thread; W-2 which will be embroidered with spice brown and green thread; and W-3 and W-4 which will be embroidered with black and green thread.

(4) All rank insignia and accoutrements for the desert camouflage utility uniform will be embroidered on a khaki fabric background. The collar insignia will all be embroidered with black thread except for the rank insignia for ensign and lieutenant commander which will be embroidered with spice brown thread; W-2 which will be embroidered with spice brown and green thread; and W-3 and W-4 which will be embroidered with black and green thread. All other accoutrements for the desert camouflage uniform will be embroidered with spice brown thread.

(5) The Navy Uniform Regulation chapter two requirements for smartness <article 2101.3> and personal appearance <article 2201> fully apply to the camouflage (woodland/desert) utility uniform.

b. Headgear. The following headgear may be worn with the camouflage utility uniform.

(1) Cap. The cap will be worn squarely on the head so that the visor is on a line and just above the level of the eyes. The camouflage utility uniform cap will not be starched or artificially stiffened.

(2) Cap, Cold Weather/Helmet Liner. When prescribed by appropriate authority, the cold weather cap may be worn in lieu of the camouflage utility cap.

(3) Hat, Sun. When prescribed by appropriate authority, the camouflaged sun hat (woodland/desert), may be worn in lieu of the camouflage utility cap.

(4) Helmet, Combat Ground Troop. When prescribed by appropriate authority, the ground troop combat helmet (PASGT), may be worn in lieu of the camouflage utility cap. When the camouflage cover is worn over the helmet, it will be of the same pattern as the coat and trousers.

(5) Helmet, Construction Worker's. When prescribed by appropriate authority, the construction worker's protective helmet, with/without the camouflage cold weather cap/helmet liner, may be worn in lieu of the camouflage utility cap.

c. Insignia, Cap. The appropriate embroidered rank/rate insignia will be worn centered on the front of the camouflage utility cap by all officers, chief petty officers and petty officers. The bottom of the insignia will be approximately 1-1/4 inch from the visor. No insignia is worn on the camouflage utility sun hat.

(1) Officers will wear the regular size embroidered grade insignia <article 4104.5> specified for wear on epauletted outer garments. When wearing the eagle insignia, eagle faces to the wearer’s right.

(2) Master chief, senior chief, and chief petty officers will wear the 1-1/4 inch embroidered miniature cap device <article 4321.3e> specified for wear on the garrison cap.

(3) First, second, and third class petty officers will wear the regular size embroidered petty officer cap device prescribed for wear with the command ball cap <article 4331.2e>.

(4) E1/2/3 personnel will not wear a cap device.

d. Insignia, Construction Worker's Helmet. Rank/Rate insignia for officers; master chief, senior chief, and chief petty officers; and petty officers shall be the large, clear, adhesive-backed decals available in the supply system (Decal, Hard Hat, Navy stock numbers (NSNs) 7690-LL-LCC-0880 through 7690-LL-LCC-0897). The insignia will be centered on the front of the helmet. The

bottom of the insignia will be approximately 1-1/4 inches above the brim.

(1) Last name only, printed in black block approximately 1/4 inch letters on white background Kroy tape, embossing tape, or computer generated on paper will be placed below the insignia at the brim line. One type and color of tape will be standard throughout the command.

(2) Organizational decal shall be centered on the right side.

(3) Safety insignia (Decal, Hard Hat, NSN 7690-LL-LCC-0982) will be centered on the left side.

(4) Safety reflective tape will be silver in color, approximately 1 inch wide and 3 inches long. The long axis of the tape will be centered vertically on the rear of the helmet, extending up from the brim line.

e. Undershirts (male/female). Undershirts shall be desert brown, cotton, quarter-length sleeve, with an elliptical (crew-neck) collar. Issued thermal underwear are authorized to be worn underneath the camouflage uniform during cold weather periods. Navy blue or dark green sweatshirts may be worn under the camouflage shirt during field training if approved by appropriate authority.

f. Socks. Socks shall be either olive green or black.

g. Shirt. The camouflage utility coat/shirt is to be worn outside the waistband of the utility trousers. Sleeves may be rolled up at the option of local commanders. When authorized, utility sleeves will be rolled with the inside out, forming a roll approximately 3 inches wide, and terminating at a point approximately 2 inches above the elbow.

h. Trousers. The camouflage utility trousers shall be of the same material and camouflage pattern as the utility shirt. When worn with combat boots, jungle boots or combination combat/safety boots, the trouser leg will be bloused with garters so that the blouse covers the top row of hooks or eyelets on the boots.

i. Belt/Buckle. The 1-1/4 inch black cotton, nylon or elastic woven web belt, with black tip, and black open face buckle will be worn with the camouflage utility trousers. Properly worn with the open face belt buckle,

the belt tip will extend 2 to 4 inches from the buckle. Appropriate authority may authorize the standard Navy brass/nickel buckle which will be blackened.

j. Footwear. Black combat boots, jungle boots, or combination combat/safety boots with black laces may be worn with the woodland camouflage utility uniform, and will be blackened and buffed. Brown desert boots with brown laces will be worn with the desert camouflage utility uniform. Local commanders will direct wear of steel-toed boots when and where required. Bootlaces will be tucked in a manner to present a well-kept appearance.

k. Sweater, Service. The olive green U.S. Marine Corps wool sweater "Wooly Pulley" is authorized for wear with the woodland camouflage utility uniform. The brown wool sweater is authorized for wear with the desert camouflage utility uniform. When worn, the sweaters will be worn over the undershirt and beneath the camouflage utility shirt.

l. Coat, Camouflage Cold Weather. The camouflage cold weather coat (field jacket) is authorized for wear with the camouflage utility uniform.

m. Scarf, Wool. Appropriate authority may authorize wool scarves for wear with the field jacket. The green scarf may be worn with the woodland camouflage utility uniform, and the brown scarf may be worn with the desert camouflage utility uniform. When worn, the scarf will overlap to form a "V" at the base of the throat, hiding the garment beneath.

n. Hood, Extreme Cold Weather. During the winter uniform period, appropriate authority may authorize the cold weather hood for wear with the field jacket.

o. Gloves. Black gloves are authorized for wear with the camouflage utility uniform.

p. Extreme Cold Weather Clothing System (ECWCS) [GORE-TEX]. The ECWCS camouflage parka and or trousers are authorized for wear with the woodland camouflage utility uniform. The parka and trousers will not have any accoutrements, including rank insignia.

q. Insignia, Collar. The appropriate embroidered rank/rate insignias will be worn on the camouflage utility shirt by all officers; master chief, senior chief and chief petty officers; and petty officers. Except for flag officers, the center of the insignia will

be placed at a point approximately 1 inch from the front and lower edges of the collar and the vertical axis of the insignia will lie along an imaginary line bisecting the angle of the collar point as shown in <articles 4104.3b, 4212.3b and 4227>. Eagles face the front (inward).

(1) Rear Admirals will wear the regular size embroidered grade insignia <article 4104.5>. Vice Admirals and Admirals will wear a slightly smaller size insignia to properly fit on the collar. The insignia will be centered between the top and bottom edge of the collar, with the outer edge of the insignia approximately 1 inch from the front edge of the collar, and with one ray of each star pointing toward the top edge of the collar.

(2) Line officers (O1 – O6) will wear the regular size embroidered grade insignia <article 4104.5>.

(3) Staff corps officers and warrant officers will wear the regular size embroidered grade insignia <article 4104.5> on the right collar and appropriate equally sized corps device <article 4102.3> or warrant officers' line device <article 4102.4> on the left collar.

(4) Master chief, senior chief and chief petty officers will wear the 1-1/4 inch embroidered miniature cap device <article 4321.3e>.

(5) First, second, and third class petty officers will wear the appropriate miniature embroidered petty officer collar insignia <article 4331.2e>.

(6) First, second, and third class hospital corpsmen, dental technicians and religious program specialists will wear the collar insignia described in <article 6802.3q(5)> on the right collar and the appropriate embroidered rating specialty device on the left collar of the camouflage utility shirt.

(7) E1/2/3 personnel will not wear a collar insignia or specialty device.

r. Insignia, Shoulder. Officers, Warrant Officers, and Chief Petty Officers will wear embroidered rank insignia of the same size worn on their shirt collars. The grade insignia will be centered on shoulder straps of the camouflage cold weather jacket (field jacket). Place the outer edge of each device approximately 3/4 inch from the squared end of the shoulder strap <articles 4103.4 and 4213>.

s. Breast Insignia

(1) Command Insignia (Command-at-Sea, Command Ashore/Project Manager) are embroidered, and worn by eligible officers in accordance with <article 5201.1c>.

(2) Two earned warfare or other qualification insignia may be worn as described in <article 5201.2c>. The size of the fabric strip on which they are embroidered will be rectangular/square, and the approximate size of the insignia. The primary earned embroidered breast insignia will be worn above the “U.S. Navy” identification marking on the shirt, located approximately 1/4 inch above the top edge of the fabric strip. The secondary earned embroidered breast insignia will be worn on the left breast pocket flap, located approximately 1/4 inch below the bottom edge of the “U.S. Navy” fabric strip.

t. Leather Equipment. Standard black leather equipment is authorized for wear with the camouflage utility uniform. Black web or nylon guard belts may be worn in lieu of leather equipment.

u. Identification Badges

(1) Navy Fleet/Force/Command Master Chief, Command Senior Chief, and Command Chief badges shall be embroidered and worn as described in <article 5101.3e>. However, male members with an approved force insignia on their left breast pocket will wear their badges centered on the right pocket so as not to conceal the force insignia.

(2) Career Counselor and Master-at-Arms badges shall be embroidered and worn as described in <articles 5101.3g and 5101.3j>. However, male members with an approved force insignia on their left breast pocket will wear their badges centered on the right pocket so as not to conceal the force insignia. Females will center the badge approximately 1/4 inch above the "U.S. NAVY" tag/breast insignia over the left breast pocket.

(3) Command/unit patches or insignia, individual or personal, are not authorized.

v. Identification Markings. Identification marking … embroidered in approximately 3/4 inch block letters on approximately 1-1/4 inch wide fabric strips … uniform. Names exceedingly long can be embroidered in

approximately 1/2 inch letters. Proper locations of fabric strips are as follows.

(1) Shirt

(a) A fabric strip containing the wearer's surname will be sewn above and flush with the top of the wearer's right shirt pocket.

(b) A fabric strip containing the words "U.S. NAVY" will be sewn above and flush with the top of the wearer's left shirt pocket.

(c) An approved force insignia will be centered on the wearer’s left breast pocket and embroidered directly into the fabric.

(d) Rating badges will not be worn on the sleeve nor will ratings be stenciled on the camouflage utility shirt.

(e) Command/unit patches or insignia, individual or personal, are not authorized.

(2) Trousers. A fabric strip containing the wearer's surname will be sewn above and flush with the top of the right rear trouser pocket.

(3) Coat, Camouflage Cold Weather (Field Jacket)

(a) A fabric strip containing the wearer's surname will be sewn above and flush with the top of the right coat pocket.

(b) A fabric strip containing the words "U.S. NAVY" will be sewn above and flush with the top of the left coat pocket.

(c) An approved force insignia will be centered on the wearer’s left breast pocket and embroidered directly into the fabric.

(d) Command/unit patches or insignia, individual or personal, are not authorized.

w. Authorized Modifications For Environmental Extremes. The following modifications are not authorized uniform changes; rather, they are exceptions which may be granted by appropriate authority.

(1) Shirt. The camouflage utility shirt may be removed on job sites or in work spaces.

(2) Trousers. The camouflage utility trousers may be worn unbloused on job sites or in workspaces.

x. Female Maternity Work Uniform. Appropriate authority may authorize the following uniform for wear by pregnant unit members as a substitute for the maternity dungarees/utilities uniform, should they desire to maintain uniformity throughout their commands. If worn, it will be embroidered with the following:

(1) Rank/rate insignia prescribed in <article 6802.3q> will be worn on the camouflage utility uniform shirt.

(2) Name and service fabric strips prescribed in <article 6802.3v> will be worn on the maternity work uniform. On the maternity shirt, the top of the fabric strips will be placed approximately on line with the second buttonhole from the top of the shirt. Placement of the fabric strips may be adjusted to the individual as necessary to ensure proper appearance and comfort. Each fabric strip will be the length normally worn on the camouflage utility uniform shirt.

(3) The approved force insignia is not required on this item.

Uniform Item

Shirt, women maternity work
8410-01-170-****

Slacks, women maternity work
8410-01-170-****

NSNs provided to assist in correct item identification; ensure correct sizes by NSN are ordered.

y. Care and Cleaning. After initial issue of the prescribed quantity of camouflage utility uniform(s) and footwear, the individual assumes the responsibility for their care and cleaning. Clothing may be tailored slightly to ensure proper fit, but form-fitting tailoring will not be permitted.

z. Grooming/Jewelry. Grooming and jewelry standards set for Navy uniforms apply. However, appropriate authority may direct removal of jewelry under field operations or when mission dictates.

Camouflage Utility Uniform (Woodland)
Figure 6-8-1 Figure 6-8-2

Camouflage Utility Uniform (Desert)
Figure 6-8-3 Figure 6-8-4

6803. FLIGHT CLOTHING

1. GENERAL. Flight clothing is organizational clothing which has been approved by the Chief of Naval Operations.

2. MANNER OF WEAR. Standards of appearance for all personnel wearing flight clothing are as follows:

a. Flight Suits. Flight suits may be worn by aircrew members and individuals engaged in flight or flight-related duties during that working day. This authorization does not include ground support, non-aircrew maintenance or non-aircrew support personnel. Flight suits may be worn to/from home and work to include brief and appropriate stops, on military transport aircraft, and to official business meetings away from home station when the wear of flight suits is appropriate for transportation, or for the level of meeting (i.e. working meeting). Allowances for flight clothing and flight deck clothing are established by Commander, Naval Air Systems Command and published in Naval Air Systems Command Allowance Lists. Flight suits shall be clean and well kept. Sleeves will be worn full length with hook and pile (velcro) sleeve cuffs closed or with a maximum of two outward rolls when not engaged in flight operations. All zippers will be closed and FOD flaps will be closed on pen pockets.

(1) Headgear. Officers/CPOs working khaki garrison cap with appropriate insignia, with command/Navy ball cap optional. Enlisted E6 and below Navy ball cap with appropriate insignia with command ball cap optional.

(2) Footwear. Standard issue black leather flight boots with matching black laces. Flight boots are to be clean, well shined and in good repair. Lace shoes from inside out through all eyelets and tie. Socks will be either 100 percent cotton or wool in sage green or white with no visible stripes or logos.

(3) Undershirts. Crew neck undershirt or turtleneck flight deck jersey authorized. Undershirts will be 100 percent cotton, plain front, and without a collar. Shirts will be white or a uniform color throughout the command. Undershirts will be in good repair, not faded, stretched, nor torn. Arramid fiber long underwear or the shorty may be worn in addition to the undershirt/turtle-neck during cold weather conditions for which the clothing was designed.

(4) Flight Suits Insignia/Patches.

(a) Attachments. All flight suit logos (except rank insignia) will be affixed with green or black hook and pile (velcro) fasteners. Flight suits will have the pile material affixed to them in green or black thread, while all logos will have pile material affixed in the color of the outer edge of the logo. All hook and pile material will be cut to the shape of the logo to be affixed.

(b) Rank Insignia. Officers - embroidered or cloth sew-on grade insignia, all-weather coat size, required on flight suits. Place insignia approximately 5/8 inch from the flight suit shoulder seam, centered on top of each shoulder. Enlisted personnel - no rank insignia worn, and rank shall be indicated on required nametag.

(c) Left Breast. Required nametags shall be centered on the left breast above the slash pocket and below the shoulder seam. Nametags will be black or brown leather or cloth embroidered in squadron colors, and 2 inches by 4 inches in size. (Refer to <article 5201.4b>.) Centered in the top field will be the aircrew designation insignia (i.e., pilot, NFO, aircrew, EAWS, etc.). The name in block letter will occupy the lower field and will include a minimum first name or initial and last name. Where appropriate, billet title (i.e., CO, XO, CAG, etc.) is optional.

(d) Right Breast. One command logo may be centered on the right breast above the slash pocket and below the shoulder seam. Logo shall be embroidered cloth, no wider than 3-1/2 inches in any measured span.

(e) Left Shoulder. One optional logo may be centered on the shoulder arch, approximately 1 inch below the seam. This logo may be a 2 inch by 4 inch rectangular U.S. flag patch or graduate level aircrew training patch (TACCO, etc.).

(f) Right Shoulder. One logo may be centered on the shoulder arch, approximately 1 inch below the seam. This logo may be a community patch, either type/model/series, flight hour achievement (i.e., 1000 hour), etc.

b. Flight Jackets

(1) Sage Green (CWU-45/36) Jacket. May be worn with flight suits, but are not authorized for wear off base. Sage green jackets may also be worn with Working Khaki, Utilities, and other working uniforms in the immediate area of requirement if issued by the command. Sage green jackets are not authorized with any service uniform (with ribbons). The jacket will be worn with the zipper zipped at least 3/4 of the way. Jacket shall be maintained in a clean and serviceable condition. If torn, stained, or frayed beyond reasonable repair, it should be exchanged for a new jacket.

(a) Sage Green Insignia/Patches. Rank shall be indicated on the nametag. Required nametags shall be centered on the left breast above the slash pocket and below the shoulder seam. Nametags will be black or brown leather or cloth embroidered in squadron colors, and 2 inches by 4 inches in size. Centered in the top field will be the aircrew designation insignia (i.e., pilot, NFO, aircrew, EAWS, etc.). The name in block letter will occupy the lower field and will include a minimum first name or initial and last name. Where appropriate, billet title (i.e., CO, XO, CAG, etc.) is optional. Patches may be affixed either by hook and pile (velcro) or directly to the jacket at the discretion of the individual, subject to commanding officer guidance. In all cases, patches shall be in good taste and will be reflective of Naval aviation professionalism.

(2) Brown Leather Jacket. Naval aviators, pilots, flight officers, undergraduate pilots, NFOs, and flight surgeons, Aerospace Experimental Psychologists, and Aerospace Physiologists may wear the leather flight jacket with flight suits, Service Khaki, Working Khaki, Winter Blue, Winter Working Blue, Aviation Working Green and Navy blue coveralls. If wearing Aviation Working Green, the option is provided to wear either the flight jacket or the green uniform blouse. Eligible enlisted aircrewmen, E7-E9, are authorized to wear the leather flight jacket with flight suits, Service Khaki, Working Khaki, Winter Blue, Winter Working Blue, Aviation Working Green and Navy blue coveralls. Eligible enlisted aircrewmen E6 and below are authorized to wear the leather flight jacket with flight suits, Utilities, Winter Blue, Winter Working Blue and Navy blue coveralls. Only direct point to point transit is appropriate when the flight jacket is worn to and from work with working uniforms (excluding Navy blue coveralls, which may be worn in immediate working spaces only). Close zipper at least 3/4 of the way when worn.

Management and control of leather flight jackets are outlined in <OPNAVINST 10126.4B>.

(a) Brown Jacket Insignia/Patches. Insignia/patches shall be worn on brown leather flight jackets as follows:

(1) Attachments. Logos may be affixed either hook and pile or directly to the jacket. Hook and pile fasteners will be black or brown and cut to the shape of the logo to be affixed.

(2) Left Breast. Black or brown 2 inches by 4 inches leather name tag. Centered in the top field will be the aircrew designation insignia (i.e., pilot, NFO aircrew EAWS, etc.). The name in block letters will occupy the lower field and will include a minimum first name or initial and last name. Where appropriate, billet title (ie., CO, XO, CAG, etc.) is optional.

(3) Optional Logos. One command patch may be worn over the right breast pocket. Maximum width may not exceed 4-1/2 inches. No other patches are authorized.

6804. PROTECTIVE CLOTHING FOR OPERATING VEHICLES OTHER THAN AUTOMOBILES

1. WEAR. Naval personnel may wear protective clothing with their uniform only while operating or riding as a passenger on two or three wheeled vehicles, and while going between a parking area and immediate work space.

2. DESCRIPTION

a. Protective clothing is clothing which could prevent or limit accidental injury.

b. Protective clothing includes a helmet, long sleeve shirts or jacket, long trousers, chaps, leather jacket and gloves, and hard soled shoes with heels (boots).

c. Boots or heavy shoes, worn instead of uniform shoes, must be plain. The jacket and chaps are plain leather or other protective material, unadorned except for safety markings. Leather gloves or other protective gloves are authorized.

3. PROCUREMENT RESPONSIBILITY. Individuals are responsible for buying their own protective clothing. Protective clothing may be stowed aboard ship, if space permits.

SECTION 9: MEDICAL PERSONNEL

Article

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6901. DEPLOYED MEDICAL UNIT PERSONNEL

1. The Surgeon General, Medicine and Surgery, may direct its commands to issue U.S. Marine Corps combat field clothing to personnel assigned to Fleet Hospitals, Rapidly Deployable Medical Facilities, Mobile Medical Augmentation Readiness Teams, or similar Navy field medical units for wear while deployed or in a field trained environment. This wear of camouflage utility uniform is not authorized for routine daily wear within the hospital, nor for routine daily wear when not in a field environment.

2. The Navy considers U.S. Marine Corps combat field uniforms organizational clothing, which must be given to members at no cost. Follow <Article 6802> for manner of wear.

6902. INDOOR DUTY WHITE

1. When prescribed, medical personnel may wear this uniform while working within the confines of a medical facility, and to and from work. Do not wear Indoor Duty White on liberty or for dress.

2. Indoor Duty White is defined as Summer White without ribbons for both male and female medical personnel. The blue cardigan sweater may be worn with it in working spaces. Button all buttons.

3. Medical personnel may wear a peacoat/reefer, overcoat, or all-weather coat, with the Indoor Duty White uniform.

SECTION 10: RESERVE/RETIRED PERSONNEL

Article

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61001. UNIFORMS FOR RESERVE PERSONNEL

1. ON ACTIVE DUTY

a. Reserve personnel ordered to active duty wear the uniform prescribed for officers and enlisted personnel of their respective grade or rate.

b. When ordered to active duty, for purposes other than training, reserve personnel must have the same uniforms required of similarly rated or ranked regular Navy personnel. Reserve officers, on active duty for periods less than six months, need not have a sword, sword accessories, or Dinner Dress Jackets.

2. NOT ON ACTIVE DUTY

a. General. Members of the Naval Reserve, who are not on active duty, wear the uniform of their grade or rate when,

(1) Performing inactive duty for training as a member of a Naval Reserve program.

(2) Performing active duty for training and the necessary travel in connection therewith.

(3) The above requirements may be waived by the Commander, Naval Military Personnel Command for specific members or units in the Naval Reserve.

b. Special Occasions. Members of the Naval Reserve, who are not on active duty, may wear the prescribed uniform of their grade or rate on occasions of an official nature, and on other occasions when the individual's presence is due primarily to membership in the Naval Reserve and wearing a uniform is appropriate.

c. Instruction. Officers and enlisted personnel of the Naval Reserve, who are not on active duty may wear the uniform of their grade while instructing a

cadet corps or similar organization at approved naval or military academies or other approved academic institution.

d. Foreign Countries. Reserve personnel, who are not on active duty living or visiting a foreign country, may only wear the uniform when on an invitation to ceremonies or social functions, or the regulations or customs of the country demand that attendants wear uniforms.

e. The uniform requirements for Reserve personnel are outlined in COMNAVRESFOR P7300.1 (series).

61002. UNIFORMS FOR RETIRED PERSONNEL

1. GENERAL. Retired officers and enlisted personnel, who are not on active duty, may wear the uniform, insignia, and qualifications corresponding to the rank or rating indicated on the retired list.

2. UNIFORM AUTHORIZED

a. Retired personnel may wear uniforms at ceremonies or official functions when the dignity of the occasion and good taste dictate. Wearing a uniform is appropriate for memorial services, weddings, funerals, balls, patriotic or military parades, ceremonies in which any active or reserve United States military unit is participating, and meetings or functions of military associations.

b. Retired personnel may wear the uniform of their grade while instructing a cadet corps or similar organization at approved naval or military academies or other approved academic institutions.

3. UNIFORM NOT AUTHORIZED. Retired personnel are prohibited from wearing the uniform in connection with personal enterprises, business activities, or while attending or participating in any demonstration, assembly or activity for the purpose of furthering personal or partisan views on political, social, economic, or religious issues.

4. FOREIGN COUNTRIES. Retired personnel, who are not on active duty, living or visiting a foreign country, may only wear a uniform to attend ceremonies or social functions when wearing a uniform is required by the terms of the invitations of customs of the country.

5. GROOMING STANDARDS. **Retired personnel must comply with the grooming standards in these regulations, but uniforms and equipment may either be those prescribed here or those authorized at the time of their retirement.**

6. RETURN TO ACTIVE DUTY. If retired personnel are ordered to active duty, they wear the uniforms prescribed for officers or enlisted personnel on active duty.

7. WEARING AWARDS ON CIVILIAN CLOTHES

a. Miniature Medals and Miniature Breast Insignia. You may wear miniature medals and breast insignia on civilian evening dress (white tie) or civilian dinner dress (black tie) in the same manner as for dinner dress jackets.

b. Medal of Honor. The Medal of Honor, for which there is no miniature, may be worn with civilian evening dress (white tie) and civilian dinner dress (black tie) in the same manner as for military uniforms.

c. Miniature Replicas. You may wear miniature replicas of ribbons made in the form of lapel buttons, or ribbons made in rosette form, on the left lapel of civilian clothes except civilian evening dress (white tie) and civilian dinner dress (black tie).

d. Miniature Distinguished Marksmanship and Pistol Shot Badges. You may wear miniature distinguished marksmanship and pistol shot badges as a lapel pin or as part of a tie clasp on civilian clothing.

e. Honorable Discharge and Service Buttons. You may wear honorable discharge and service buttons on left lapel of civilian clothes except civilian evening dress (white tie).