

Doctrine Announcements: (5 AUG 2024)

1. TECOM G3 transitioned the VCE MCTC website to SharePoint architecture. TECOM G3 VCE website contains 24 MCRPs that were “divested” from USMC Doctrine Library by DC CD&I. New TECOM G3 Share Point website allows you to download or view publicly releasable MCTCs (aka “divested” MCRPs). There’s one LIMDIS MCTC (*Engineer Field Data*). Those needing to view this pub need to request permission from TECOM G3 MCTC website manager, Major Jonathan Schillo. [The hyperlink on MCES S3 Doctrine Branch homepage will connect you to the new TECOM G3 MCTC SharePoint website. You’ll be able to view/download publicly releasable MCTCs.](#)

2. On 22 March 2022, USMC Doctrine website changed from homeport to Share Point architecture. URL for new website is:

https://usmc.sharepoint-mil.us/sites/MCEN__Support_MCDoctrine

As you first open the website, you’ll be asked to request access before you can view/download pubs. Recommend requesting full access if you need to view pubs containing critical unclassified information (CUI). After requesting access, you’ll receive email acknowledgement your access has been authorized.

Marines assigned to commands that use another Service’s email domain (e.g., @army.mil, @navy.mil) must request access or use USMC email domain account (@usmc.mil).

3. Navy’s Expeditionary Warfare Development Center (EXWDC) completed front-end analysis of NTTP 3-10.1M/MCTP 3-34D, *Seabee Operations in the MAGTF*. Results of FEA indicated pub requires full revision. Revision scheduled during **FY-25**. Pub’s title will change to *Integrated Naval Formations – Expeditionary, Engineering*. **In August, EXWDC will begin development of a new TACMEMO (TM), TM 4-04.2.3 Airfield Construction and Damage Repair. The Marine Corps will participate in EXWDC IPT in an advisory role since the TM will be Navy-only.**

4. Navy-Marine Corps Public Health Center formally evaluated the water consumption planning data in the Army’s Water Planning Guide (WPG). Since the planning factors in the WPG were derived from data collected by the U.S. Army Research Institute of Environmental Medicine, the Navy-Marine Corps Public Health Center recommended the Marine Corps use the WPG planning factors to calculate water consumption requirements. LPE concurred with this recommendation. The WPG is published by the Army’s Quartermaster School, Combined Arms Support Command (CASCOM). MCES will coordinate with CASCOM to modify Marine Corps text about water consumption planning in ATP 4-44/MCRP 3-40D.14, *Water Support Operations*. **The change will be made after DOD forms have been created.**

5. In December 2023, CASCOM submitted a request to the DOD Directives Division of the Washington Headquarters Services/Executive Services Directorate via the Army chain of command to convert Department of Army (DA) 1710-series forms into DOD forms. **After a 6-month delay, the Army Records Management Directorate forwarded the forms to TRADOC. TRADOC will submit the forms to WHS/ESD (DOD Forms Manager). The DOD Forms Manager will assign DOD Form numbers before loading the forms onto the DOD Forms website.** Updates will be provided as progress is made on this endeavor.

6. Army’s Maneuver Support Center of Excellence is developing a new Army-only pub, *Engineer Platoon*. It’ll consolidate information from TM 3-34.85/MCRP 3-34.1, *Engineer Field Data*, in appendices. Then, *Engineer Field Data* will be cancelled. MCES was notified of Army’s plan and issued a request for feedback (RFF) questionnaire across the Service. Feedback received will be used to determine whether to retain *Engineer Field Data* as Marine Corps-only pub and decide which information

should be retained, revised, eliminated, or added. **Evaluation of feedback has been temporarily paused.**

7. The coordinating draft edition of NWP 3-15M/MCTP 13-10J, *Naval Mine Warfare – Vol. I*, will be distributed for WWS. The multi-Service IPT revised text and graphics which caused the pub to become a classified document.

8. The DOD Forms Manager approved the Army/Marine Corps request to create two new forms for environmental matters. Await posting of DD Form 2997, *Environmental Conditions Report (ECR)* and DD Form 2998, *Environmental Site Closure Report (ESCR)*, on the DOD Forms website.

9. The revision of MCRP 3-40D.5/TM 3-34.70, *Plumbing, Pipefitting, and Sewerage*, has progressed to the point where the multi-Service IPT is verifying the accuracy of planning data in the appendices. Afterward, the pub will be scanned for errors before it's distributed for WWS as a coordinating draft edition via TMT. The pub incorporates information obtained from the latest edition of the International Plumbing Code (IPC).

10. MCES is working with the staff of the Unit Reachback Operations Center to remove and replace the 2015 edition of the IPC with the 2024 version.