

EHAT Module 1: Explosive Hazards Awareness, Threats and ERW





Terminal Learning Objectives

Students will recognize hazards associated with explosives, explosive threats and common ERW.



Overview

1.1 Explosive Hazard Awareness Overview

1.2 Recognize ExplosiveHazards (EH) Threats andCommon Explosive Remnantsof War (ERW)



Enabling Learning Objectives

- Introduce explosive hazards and discuss awareness of these hazards.
- Define explosive hazard threats.
- Discuss Explosive Remnants of War (ERW).





Explosive Hazard

An explosive hazard is any hazard containing an explosive component. All explosive hazards encountered can be broken down into the categories: Mines, ERW, IEDs and components and precursor chemicals thereof.

Explosive Hazard Awareness

 A comprehensive set of theory presentations and practical lessons, which may include a written and or practical assessments. It is termed 'EO' as it covers the whole range of ERW, IED and IDF awareness and "actions on".



Difference Between Assumption and Assessment

- Assessment: A judgment about something based on understanding of the situation
 - This is our goal
- Assumption: Something taken for granted or accepted as true without proof
 - Always ensure we avoid making any assumptions



Common Explosive Hazards

The most common explosive hazards are:

- Explosive Ordnance (EO)
- Explosive Remnants of War (ERW)
- Unexploded Ordnance (UXO)
- Abandoned Ordnance (AXO)
- Improvised Explosive Devices (IEDs)



Explosive Ordnance (EO)



















Abandoned Ordnance (AXO)





Improvised Explosive Devices (IEDs)









Questions?





- 1. What does ERW stand for?
 - Explosive Remnants of War
- 2. Name two common explosive hazards?
 - UXO and IEDs
- 3. What is a condition where danger exists because explosives are present is called?
 - Explosive Hazard



EHAT Module 1: Wrap Up





Module Conclusions

- TLO: Students will understand hazards associated with explosives, explosive threats and common ERW.
- ELO 1: Introduce Explosive Hazards and discuss awareness of these hazards.
- ELO 2: Discuss Explosive Hazard Threats.
- ELO 3: Discuss common Explosive Remnants of War (ERW).

Event Summary:

The concept of this exercise is to allow a student team the opportunity to demonstrate dismounted tactical operations and mission planning. Students should be monitored on their ability to develop a course of action (COA) and plan dismounted tactical operations.

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Course Number	

PREFACE

Purpose: This lesson plan provides Observers/Controllers and Leadership with standardized guidance for the planning and execution of Explosive Hazard Awareness practical exercises.		
This training support package will support the following doctrinal tasks:		
EHAT Number	Activity	
EHA 1.16 Full Dismounted Operation Practical		

SECTION I. ADMINISTRATIVE DATA

All Courses Including This Lesson:		
Course Number	Version	Course Title
EHA 1.16		Full Dismounted Operational Practical
Tasks Taught	or Support	ed:
Task Number	Task Title	
EHA 1.16	Full Dismounted Operation Practical	

Reinforced Tasks:

Task Number	Task Title	Task Title			
EHA 1.14	Ground Sign Awareness / Com	bat Indicators			
EHA 1.15	Pre and Post Mission Brief				
Academic Hou	rs:				
Methods			Hours/Minutes		
Classroom					
Practical Exerc	Practical Exercise 4 Hours				
Test					
Test Review					
Total Hours: 4 Hours					
Testing:					
Test Title	Test Title Test Version				
N/A		N/A			

References:			
Number	Title	Date	Additional Information
1.	UN IED Threat Mitigation Military and Police Handbook	Dec 2017	
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Instructor Requirements:							
Class Ratio	Requi	Required Instructor Skills Specia		Special Qu	alifications		
-1:5 (Practical Exercise)		EHAT Instructor			N/A		
Additional Personnel Req	uireme	nts:					
Additional Support		Qualifications			Quantity	Rat	tio
Medical personnel if avail	able	Advanced First Aid or Medic	al Ski	lls	1		N/A
Equipment Required for I	nstructi	ion:					
Instructional Aid		Support		Qty			
See scenario set-up and e	xecutio	n attachment.		Evaluator/host unit.		N/A	
NOTE:							
Material Required:							
See scenario set-up and e	xecutio	n attachment.					
Classroom, Training Area	, and Ra	inge Requirements:					
Classroom: N/A							
Training Area: See scenario set-up and execution attachment.							
Range Requirements: N/A							
Instructor/Evaluator Guid	lance:						
Before setting up and evaluating this scenario/lesson, instructors must thoroughly prepare by studying this lesson and the identified reference material.							

SECTION II. Practical Exercises

Title: EHA 1.1	Title: EHA 1.16 Full Dismounted Operation Practical		
Metho	od of Instruction:	Practical Exercise	
Techn	ique of Delivery:	Small Group Scenario Exercise	
Instructor	to Student Ratio:	1:5 for Practice	
Tin	ne of Instruction:	4 Hours	
	Media Used:	N/A	
Motivator:			
Realistic field post-conflict z	Realistic field training reinforces training, validates SOPs, and enhances mission performance in a post-conflict zone.		
Terminal Learning Objective:			
NOTE: Inform	the students of th	e following terminal learning objective requirements.	
Task	Perform mission planning and dismounted operations.		
Condition	In a post-conflict environment with required equipment.		
Standard	Demonstrate the ability to safely plan, coordinate and lead a dismounted operation and mission planning.		

Resou	urce Requirements
Requirements:	Evaluator Notes:
 -Dismounted Patrol loadout. -Rocks to be used as a simulated ground sign. -Abandoned vehicle for target of search. -Inert EO (Hand Grenade or small projectile) 	 -Verify patrol members have the proper equipment to conduct a routine dismounted patrol in accordance with (IAW) unit standard operating procedures (SOPs). -Provide the student patrol with GPS coordinates of the location they are required to patrol and a map of the area they will be patrolling. -Task patrol leader with planning and conducting a routine dismounted patrol to a reported abandoned vehicle to conduct a search for any hazardous items.
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Set-up	Evaluator Notes:
	-The patrol should be informed that an abandoned vehicle has been reported in a nearby area.
Set-up Tasks:	Evaluator Notes:
-Stack 3 to 5 rocks on top of one another along route to vehicle to serve as a ground sign.	-Place rock pile approximately 50 meters away from abandoned vehicle.
-Emplace EO.	-Place EO in glove box of vehicle.
-Divide the class into patrol teams IAW Unit SOPs'.	-The position of patrol leader should be rotated to ensure that all students are provided the opportunity to act as patrol leader.
-Generate tasking orders.	Tasking orders should include: -Task objective -Movement timeline -Location of abandoned vehicle
-Provide patrol leader with time to formulate plan and deliver necessary briefs.	
-Move teams to the training area as required.	
Sce	nario Execution
-Key Points are annotated in the Evaluator No will not only affect the student's score adverse threatening hazard or violate a major safety if training) patrol.	tes section in bold lettering. Key Points are items that ely if not addressed but would also pose a potentially life- not performed correctly during an operational (non-

Execution:	Evaluator Notes:
Pre-	mission Planning
-Select Student team for scenario integration.	-Ensure students complete all required pre-mission checks as applicable to patrol equipment.
-Provide patrol team with tasking orders. Give the student team time to read and discuss the information provided.	-Tasking should indicate that the following information was gathered via telephone:
-Receive questions or prompt students to request additional information if they do not begin asking questions on their own.	 Local civilians reported an abandoned vehicle at 0700 on the current date. Location is on the outskirts of a village approximately kilometers away. Provide a simulated Lat/Long if requested, prompt
	 student to ask if not. The route to the incident site is semi-permissive (hostile threats may be encountered). 3. Note any hazards or items of interest encountered during the patrol i.e. ground signs, danger areas or threat indicators.
Pr	e-Mission Brief
-The student patrol leader should begin gathering the information required to provide a pre-mission brief.	-Indicate that you (the Instructor) will fulfill the role of any entities or support assets they deem necessary if requested.
-Receive pre-mission brief.	 The following pre-mission briefing points are significant to the scenario and should be provided when asked for (prompt student patrol leader if not): Situation Mission Execution Admin/Logistics Command and Control
Pa	atrol Execution
-Student patrol begins mission.	-Ensure that patrol tactics are IAW unit SOPs.
-Students encounter rock pile.	 Point out ground sign if not discovered by students. Call a training time out to discuss ground sign awareness and mitigating actions i.e. investigate hazard, call for support or bypass. Upon completion of discussion, direct student patrol to continue mission.
Arrival a	t Abandoned Vehicle
-Patrol leader should direct team members to perform 5/25 m checks , set a security cordon and conduct a proper search of the vehicle.	Search should be conducted in the following manner: - Perform 5/25 metre check during halts. -Area surrounding vehicle -Exterior of vehicle -Interior of vehicle

	-Note effectiveness of search techniques.
D	iscovery of EO
Upon discovery of EO, patrol leader should take the following actions: -Initiate the 5Cs -Confirm item is EO -Clear people out of the area -Call HQ and report findings -Cordon off area and observe proper safety distances (150m – 375m) -Control the area and prepare a meeting point at a safe distance from EO for follow- on response personnel	 -KEY POINT: Patrol leader should ensure that no one touches or moves the item. -Evaluate the effectiveness of the patrol's actions.
	End Scenario
-The patrol leader is responsible for ensuring that all equipment is accounted for and no gear is left behind.	Conduct on-scene debrief of scenario highlights. Follow a logical sequence. -Pre-departure -Patrol tactics -Ground sign awareness -Vehicle search -Actions on find -Implementation of 5Cs Discuss areas that were deemed successful as well as
Retu	areas that need improvement.
-Prepare mission reports, debrief and conduct gear maintenance in the classroom or an area away from scenario location.	 -Ensure proper post-mission maintenance is performed on all equipment in accordance with the manufacturer's specifications and unit SOPs. -Receive debrief from patrol leader. Debrief should highlight: -Lessons learned -Areas for improvement -Sustainment -Reset scenario for next team.
the students have accounted for all equipment and trash.	





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Instructor to Student Ratio:		1:5 for Practice		
Time of Instruction:		4 Hours		
	Media Used:	N/A		
Motivator:				
Realistic field training reinforces training, validates SOPs, and enhances mission performance in a post-conflict zone.				
Terminal Learning Objective:				
NOTE: Inform the students of the following terminal learning objective requirements.				
Task	Perform mission planning and mounted/convoy operations.			
Condition	In a post-conflict environment with required equipment.			
Standard	Demonstrate the ability to safely plan, coordinate and lead a mounted/convoy operation and mission planning.			

Resource Requirements				
Requirements:	Evaluator Notes:			
-Mounted Patrol loadout.	-Verify patrol members have the proper equipment to			
-Patrol vehicles.	conduct a routine mounted patrol in accordance with			
-Rocks to be used as a simulated ground	(IAW) unit standard operating procedures (SOPs).			
sign.				
-Abandoned building for target of search.	-Provide the convoy leader with GPS coordinates of the			
-Inert EO (Landmine or similar sized small	location they are required to patrol and a map of the			
piece of ordnance).	area they will be patrolling.			
	Task patrol loader with planning and conducting a			
	routine mounted patrol to a reported abandoned			
	building to conduct a search for any bazardous items			
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Cc	procept of Setup			
Set-up	Evaluator Notes:			
	-The patrol should be informed that an abandoned			
	building was reported by a previous patrol as suspicuos.			
Set-up Tasks:	Evaluator Notes:			
-Stack 3 to 5 rocks on top of one another	-Place rock pile approximately 50 meters away from the			
along route to abandoned building to serve	abandoned building.			
as a ground sign.				
-Emplace EO.	-Place EO in a rear room of the building.			
-Divide the class into patrol teams IAW Unit	-The position of patrol leader should be rotated to			
SOPs'.	ensure that all students are provided the opportunity to			
	act as patrol leader.			
-Generate tasking orders.	Tasking orders should include:			
	- I ask objective			
	-Movement timeline			
-Provide patrol leader with time to				
formulate plan and deliver necessary briefs.				
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required.				
Scenario Execution				
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will not only affect the student's score adversely if not addressed but would also pose a potentially life-				
threatening hazard or violate a major safety if not performed correctly during an operational (non-				
training) patrol.				

Execution:	Evaluator Notes:			
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 -Provide patrol team with tasking orders. Give the student team time to read and discuss the information provided. -Receive questions or prompt students to request additional information if they do not begin asking questions on their own. 	 -Tasking should indicate that the following information was gathered via telephone: 1. UN convoy reported a suspicious abandoned building at 0700 on the current date. 2. Location is on the outskirts of a village approximately 10 kilometers away. -Provide a simulated Lat/Long if requested, prompt student to ask if not. -The route to the abandoned building is semi-permissive (hostile threats may be encountered). 3. Note any hazards or items of interest encountered during the patrol is o ground signs, danger areas or 			
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Arrival at Abandoned Building				
-Patrol leader should direct team members to perform 5/25s, set a security cordon and conduct a proper search of the building.	Search should be conducted in the following manner: - Perform 5/25m checks when halted (top-cover sentry, searchers exit the vehicle, 5 m check and 25 m check) - Area surrounding building - Exterior of building			

	- Interior of building			
	-Note effectiveness of search techniques.			
D	Discovery of EO			
Upon discovery of EO, patrol leader should	-KEY POINT:			
take the following actions:	Patrol leader should ensure that no one touches or			
-Initiate the 5Cs	moves the item.			
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-Call HQ and report findings	Evaluate the effectiveness of the pation's detons.			
-Cordon off area and observe proper safety				
distances (190m – 575m)				
-Control the area and prepare a meeting				
point at a safe distance from EO for follow-				
on response personnel				
	End Scenario			
-The patrol leader is responsible for ensuring	Conduct on-scene debrief of scenario highlights. Follow			
that all equipment is accounted for and no gear is left behind.	a logical sequence.			
	-Pre-departure			
	-Patrol tactics			
	-Ground sign awareness			
	-Building search			
	-Actions on find			
	-implementation of SCs			
	Discuss areas that were deemed successful as well as			
	areas that need improvement.			
Return to Base (RTB)				
-Prepare mission reports, debrief and	-Ensure proper post-mission maintenance is performed			
conduct gear maintenance in the classroom	on all equipment and vehicles in accordance with the			
or an area away from scenario location.	manufacturer's specifications and unit SOPs.			
	-Receive debrief from patrol leader.			
	Debrief should highlight:			
	-Lessons learned			
	-Areas for improvement			
	-Sustainment			
-Collect all scenario training aids and ensure	-Reset scenario for next team.			
equipment and trash				
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EHAT MODULE 2: IED TYPES, USES AND COMPONENTS



Terminal Learning Objectives

Students will understand IED components, types, emplacement and employment.



Overview

2.1 Components of an IED

2.2 Method of IED emplacement

2.3 Classification of employment



2.1 Components of an IED



Enabling Learning Objectives

Define an IED and discuss IED components.

Definition of an IED:

A device placed or fabricated in an improvised manner incorporating destructive, lethal, noxious, pyrotechnic or incendiary chemicals and designed to destroy, incapacitate, harass or distract. It may incorporate military stores, but is normally devised from non*military components*



COMPONENTS OF AN IED:





Associated Components

Components that are:

- Part of an IED or improvised weapon system.
- The tools required to produce the components.
- Precursors to the manufacture of IED components including explosives.



Components of an IED

IEDs normally consist of 5 basic parts: power supply, switch, initiator, main charge and container.





Power Source

A device that stores or releases electrical or mechanical energy. Used to provide power to the electrical initiator.

Common TTPs:-

✓ Batteries are deeply buried under the main charge to avoid ease of detection.

✓ Switch sometimes taped to the power source and/or Main Charge.

✓ Power Sources can be offset from other IED components to either:

✓ Reduce likelihood of detection by metal detectors;

 ✓ Allow emplacement of all other components without arming and last-minute arming upon approach of a target.





- A device for making, breaking, or charging a connection in an IED. A single switch can have multiple functions (i.e., firing and arming)
 - a. Firing switch- The component that initiates the explosion train.

b. Arming switch- A switch that prevents an IED from arming until an acceptable set of criteria has occurred and subsequently effects arming and allows functioning.





Switches

Switch Functioning - Open Circuit





Switches

Switch Functioning - Circuit Armed





Switches

Switch Functioning - Circuit Live, Initiator Functioned



Types of Switches



An IED fired by command gives aggressors the means to attack a specific target from a safe distance at the moment when the explosion will have best effects. Command IFDs are especially suited to attacking moving targets. To implement an attack using a command IED, the aggressors need to be able to select two locations: the contact point where the IED will be placed; and the firing point from where to command to fire.













• Command wire







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Radio Control IED (RCIED)





Radio Control IED (RCIED)

Remote Control System



Radio Control IED (RCIED)

• Mobile phones







Radio Control IED (RCIED)

• Keyless entry system





Radio Control IED (RCIED)

• Car alarms





Radio Control IED (RCIED)

Remote controlled toys





Radio Control IED (RCIED)

• Wireless doorbells



Radio Control IED (RCIED)

• Improvised Rockets





Time Switch

- Time initiated is the method by which an IED self initiates after a predetermined delay. This is achieved through the use of mechanical, electronic and non-electric timers.
- The effectiveness of a time initiated IED relies heavily on accurate predictions by the aggressors of the intended target's time of presence at the emplacement location.
- An IED triggered by time allows insurgents to be at a safe distance from the explosion, and to escape the scene before any security response. The disadvantage of time IEDs is that the intended victims might not be close to the IED when it explodes.









Time Switch

Timed Devices







Mechanical Timers







Electrical Timers



• When pressure is applied on top of the plate, contact of the insulated sheet of metal and spring is established at the end points and hence completion of the electrical circuit which then initiates the device.

Victim Operated IED (VOIED)

• Pressure plates



Victim Operated IED (VOIED)

• Pressure plates



Victim Operated IED (VOIED)

• Pressure plates – carbon rod



Victim Operated IED (VOIED)

• Pressure release




Victim Operated IED (VOIED)

• Sensors







Victim Operated IED (VOIED)

• Tension





Victim Operated IED (VOIED)

• Tension release



Victim Operated IED (VOIED)

Membrane



Initiators (detonators)

- Source Categorization
 - ✓ Commercial
 - ✓ Military
 - ✓ Improvised
- Method of function
 - ✓ Electric✓ Non-electric



Non-Electric Initiators



Electric Initiators



Electric Initiator

Main Charge

Explosive (main charge) forms the largest component of the IED. The extent of the effect depends on the size of the quantity of main charge used; the larger the component the greater the effect/damage.



Military explosive

There are 3 main sources of high explosives which can be used in making IEDs;

- Commercial explosive:
- Military explosive.
- Home Made explosive.



Commercial explosive



Home Made explosive



Conventional Explosives

Industrial or mass produced explosives intended for use in demolition operations, demining or military applications.

Examples:

- TNT
- Dynamite
- C-4
- RDX





Conventional Explosives

- Military explosives
- Commercial explosives





HME in Syria





Homemade Explosives (HME)





HME Types



Ammonium Nitrate Mixtures





Chlorate/Perchlorate Mixtures

Urea Nitrate



HMTD



TATP







Pyrotechnics

Black Powder HP + Nitromethane or Ethanol



HME Types Hydrogen Peroxide Mixtures



Potential HME Manufacture Indicators

If you notice:

- Dry chemical components
- Granular product
- Grinding equipment
- Simply safety equipment

Review Information on:

- Ammonium Nitrate mixtures
- Black powder
- Chlorate/Perchlorate mixtures





Ammonium Nitrate



Black Powder

Potential HME Manufacture Indicators

If you notice:

- Liquid and some dry chemical components
- Finer, more powdery product
- Pyrex, mason jars, or scientific glassware
- Filters
- Ice water baths
- Eye and Respiratory/Acid-resistant protection

Review information on:

- Hydrogen Peroxide mixtures
- TATP
- HMTD
- Urea Nitrate



Potential HME Manufacture Indicators

If you notice:

- Predominantly liquid chemicals
- Liquid product
- Pyrex, mason jars, or scientific glassware
- Safety eye and respiratory protection
- Acid-resistant skin protection

Review Information on:

- MEKP
- EGDN/NG mixtures
- Hydrogen Peroxide mixtures (some)





HME Precursors

- Most precursors comprise of chemicals easily found in any home or local community, even in large quantities.
- Definition: A substance from which another substance is formed.



Container

 An IED Container is any item with a void within it, into which the other components of an IED are placed. IED containers can simply contain components of an IED or can also act to conceal the components and / or confine the explosive material of the IED which can produce direction effects.





Examples of Container

- Plastic Containers 5 litre Milk
 Container & Yellow Oil Drums
- Small Metal Boxes UVIED
- Military Ordnance (MILORD)
- Vehicles (VBIED)
- Machined containers for directional effects
 - Directional Fragmentation Charges (DFC)
 - Improvised Claymores (IC)
 - o Platter charges
 - Explosive Formed Projectile (EFP)
- Vests used by PBIED









IED Enhancers

- Fragmentation such as ball bearings, nuts, bolts, washers, nails, bullets, shell casings, scrap metal, rocks, glass, etc
- Gas cylinders & containers Compressed Propane, Oxygen, Acetylene and other gases, intended to increase blast, thermal and / or fragmentation effects.
- Liquid Gasoline, diesel and paraffin in plastic or metal containers could be present as an attempt to give the IED a greater blast and/or thermal effect.















- 1. What are the 5 main parts of an IED?
 - Power source, initiator, switch, main charge, and container.
- 2. What are the 2 types of initiators?
 - *Electric and non-electric.*
- 3. What are the purposes of IED containers?
 - *Concealment and or confinement.*





- 1. What are the type by function of IED's discussed
 - Command/Time/Victim Operated
- Pressure is an example of what type of IED
 Victim Operated
- What is one example of a Command IED
 Command wire



HME Types Quiz

What are some examples of commercial explosives?

• TNT, Dynamite, C-4, RDX.

Are HME recipes found on the internet safe to use?

 Even accurate recipes are extremely dangerous to follow, and the explosives created often are highly unstable.



HME Types Quiz

What actions should be taken if HME is encountered while on patrol?

 If you are patrolling or searching buildings and you come across precursors, or similar chemicals in bulk, DO NOT touch anything, retreat from the area and report suspicions up the command chain.



Questions?



2.2 Method of emplacement



Enabling Learning Objectives

Discuss and understand the impact of IED use and how they are emplaced.



Impact of IED Use

Impact of IED Use:

- Military and Security Forces Impact
- Humanitarian Impact
- IED Impact Categories
 - Primary
 - Secondary
 - Tertiary





Methods of IED Emplacement

Surface:

• IED is emplaced on the surface of the ground.







Methods of IED Emplacement

Subsurface:

• The IED is buried beneath the surface of the ground.





Methods of IED Emplacement

Elevated:

• IED emplaced above the surface: hanging from an overpass, on a roof, etc.





2.3 Classification by employment of IEDs



Enabling Learning Objectives

Discuss and understand the how IEDs can be employed

• Person borne IED (PBIED)



• Person Borne IED (PBIED)





• Person borne IED (PBIED)



• Person borne IED – most common




Classification of IEDs by employment

• Person Borne IED









• Suicide Vehicle borne IED





Classification of IEDs by employment

• Suicide Vehicle borne IED

- Double (complex) attack
- Ordnance concealed
- Normally detonated by driver
- RC option



Classification of IEDs by employment

Suicide Vehicle Borne IED (SVBIED) – Example of Suicide vehicle borne IED

Large Vehicle-Carried IED, U.N. Building, Baghdad 19 August 2003

Device Construction

A Soviet Kamaz military variant flatbed truck (possibly with a civilian paint job) loaded with approx. 454kg of mixed military ordnance, including a 226kg aircraft bomb, covered with a tarpaulin. Plastic explosive with blasting caps would have been placed at various points in the load, probably inserted in the fuze holders of some of the larger items of ammunition.

Device Initiation

A simple switch in the cab is the likely means of initiation, (possibly of the lanyard-operated type recovered from various locations in Iraq). It is also likely that a radio-controlled backup circuit was also present in the cab, incorporating a modified radio control receiver.







Typical backup RC pack

Notes:

Munitions shown are purely representative.

Not all munitions would have been destroyed in the explosion.

Components are not to scale.

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Classification Of IEDs

WW UNMAS Evacuation Distance Guide				
Threats		Explosive Weights Kg/lbs	Min Evacuation Distance M/Ft	Suggested Evacuation Distance M/Ft
Pipe Bomb		2.3kg/5lbs	130m/430ft	375m/1200ft
Suicide Bomber		9kg/20lbs	150m/500ft	525m/1700ft
Briefcase/Backpack		23kg/50lbs	190m/600ft	575m/1900ft
Compact Car		230kg/500lbs	270m/870ft	600m/2100ft
Full Size Car		460kg/1000lbs	300m/1000ft	725m/2400ft
Van/SUV		1800kg/4000lbs	375m/1275ft	1160m/3800ft
Small Truck/Moving Van		4600kg/10000lbs	440m/1450ft	1560m/5100ft
Water Tanker		13600kg/30000lbs	525m/1725ft	2410m/7900ft
Semi Trailer		27200kg/60000lbs	575m/1875ft	2840m/9300ft
CALL EOD AS SOON AS POSSIBLE				



Questions?



MODULE 2: IED TYPES, USES AND COMPONENTS Wrap Up

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EHAT MODULE 3: 5's and 25's, The 5Cs and Immediate Actions





Terminal Learning Objectives

Students will understand the 5 and 25 drill, the 5Cs and immediate actions as they pertain to UXO, IED, mine strike and vulnerable area/check point.



Overview

3.1 5's and 25's

3.2 Reporting 5Cs

3.3 Local cultures and influences in ERW/IED laden environment

3.4 Response to Unexploded Ordnance from indirect fire or Legacy events

3.5 Response to IED/mine

strike

3.6 Vulnerable areas and check points



3.1 5 and 25s metre checks



Enabling Learning Objectives

Discuss the 5 and 25 metre check drill and ensure personnel understand the importance of carrying out this drill.



Explosive effect (full PPE)

- Greatly reduced at 5m
- Further reduced at 25m









- Considerations:
 - $\,\circ\,$ Number and type of vehicles
 - Number of troops available
 - \circ The ground
 - The threat
- The basic principles remain the same



Procedure:

- A single vehicle
 - \circ Driver
 - o Commander
 - \circ Gunner
 - \circ 4 personnel
- Can be adapted





Procedure

- Observe the route
- Select a stop point
- Observation







Procedure

- Observe the route
- Selects a stop point
- Observation
- 5m check



5m Check





5m Check













Procedure

- Commander observe the route
- Commander selects a stop point
- Gunner completes a 360 observation
- 5m check
- 25m check









Stage Three – 25m Check





Procedure - revision

- Commander observe the route
- Commander selects a stop point
- Gunner completes a 360
 observation
- 5m check
- 25m visual check



General points

- Look for ground sign
- Look up as well as down
- Overlap areas
- Communication
- Spacing
- Overwatch
- Actions on a find









3.2 Reporting 5Cs



Enabling Learning Objectives

Discuss the 5Cs and proper reporting of them.



The 5Cs

- Confirm
- Clear
- Call
- Cordon
- Control





Actions On Scene

Confirm:

- Visual
- Tasking
- Distances
- Secondaries
- Min numbers
- If unsure?
- Reporting


Actions On Scene

Clear: Distance and Evacuation

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CALL EOD AS SOON AS POSSIBLE 30											

Actions on Scene

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REPORTING AN EO/IED

INFORM YOUR SUPERIORS THROUGH THE

Call:

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	Priority reported by	3	Unit identifier/Call sign					
			Contact method					
с			Rank or position					
		2	Contact name					
	POC for further information	3	Unit identifier/Call sign					
		4	Contact Method					
			Rendezvous location for EOR/EOD team					
D	DTG of EO/IED discovery		EO/IED was dis	EO/IED was discovered				
E		1	Grid Reference					
	Location / area of EQ/IED	2	Additional loca	tion info				
		3	Underwater			Yes	No 🗖	
			Buried			Yes	No 🗖	
F	EOD Identification estimate		What? How ma (use ID Guide c	any? odes)				
G	Safety measures undertaken		Evacuation dist	tance in r	neters			
			Other protectiv	<mark>/e measu</mark>	res taken			
н	Effect on operation		Totally disrupt	ed 📃 🛛	major	mi	inor 🗖	nil
Т	Other significant info							
J	Date and signature							
NEVER • TOUCH, MOVE OR DISTURB THE EOD/IED • USE A MOBILE PHONE OR RADIO WITHIN 50 M OF THE EO/IED • ALLOW ANYONE TO RE-ENTER THE CORDON • GIVE INFORMATION TO CIVILIANS OR TO THE MEDIA								



Actions On Scene

Cordon:

- Robust
- Safety
- Think forensics
- Manpower
- Routes
- Patrols
- Reinforcements





Action On Scene

Control: Incident Control Point (ICP)





Actions On Scene

ICP criteria:

- ICP should have line of site to the incident
- ICP should have cover and hard protection if possible
- ICP should be of sufficient size:
 - -EOD
 - -Additional troops, witnesses
 - -Police
 - -Medical



Action On Scene

Control:

- ICP
- Cordon control
- Traffic
- Agencies
- Communications





Action On Scene



Check:

- Enduring
- Checks
- Communications



Questions?





• What are the 5Cs?

Confirm, clear, call, cordon, control.

- The Incident Control Point should be large enough to accommodate _____?
 EOD, additional response assets, witnesses, security, medics.
- A _____ should be performed on all witnesses. Search



3.3 Local Cultures and Influences in ERW/IED Laden Environment



Enabling Learning Objectives

 Discuss local cultures and influences in ERW/IED laden environment.

Minefield Environmental Indicators





Official Warning Signs







Un-Official Warning Signs



Minefield Environmental Indicators















ERW Environmental Indicators





Behaviour

Local behaviour can give a lot of clues about minefields, UXO-contaminated areas or possible IED attacks.



Environment







Threat Actors

Threat Actor – Causes:

- Intimidation
- International Attention
- Local/Internal Social Standing
- Cultural Tolerance of Violence
- Perceived Illegitimacy of State
- Religious Beliefs
- Nationalism
- Mental Health
- Financial Support for Family





Threat Actors

An open mind and close eye on intelligence reports in your area of operation is needed to ensure safe accomplishment of mission goals.





Threat Actors

Perpetrators:

- State Sponsored
- Non-State Groups







Operating Environment (OE)

- Mission Commanders must understand OE
- OE impacts all mission aspects
- Consider long-term implications to locals
- Determine acceptable level of risk



Questions?





1. Is there a time when IEDs should not be a concern?

An IED attack or an ambush cannot be excluded, at any time.

2. What are two reasons why a group or individual may choose to employ IEDs?

Intimidation, international attention, local/internal social standing, cultural tolerance of violence, perceived illegitimacy of state, religious beliefs, nationalism, Mental health, financial support for family, cost and resources.



Quiz

3. What is the definition of operating environment?

The operating environment is a composite of the conditions, circumstances, and influences that affect the employment of capabilities and bear on the decisions of the commander.



3.4 Response to Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) from Indirect Fire or Legacy Events



Enabling Learning Objectives

Discuss responding to UXO events caused by indirect fire or a legacy event.



UXO Considerations

UXO Considerations:

- Assume UXO is unstable
- Are a serious hazard
- Should only be handled by EOD personnel







Indirect Fire (Motors and Submunitions)















Legacy Events (Trenches)





Legacy Events (Abandoned Vehicles)





Legacy Events (Discarded Weapons)







Legacy Events (Check Points, Borders)









Legacy Events (Bridges & Roads)







Legacy Events (Airports)





Legacy Events (Power Stations)





Legacy Events (Abandoned Buildings)




Questions?





1. Who should handle a UXO?

EOD personnel

2. Where there is one mine, there are usually _____ others.

Several

3. How far away should cell phones and radios be kept from an IED or UXO?

50 meters



3.5 Response to IED/ Mine strike (Mounted and Dismounted)



Enabling Learning Objectives

Discuss the response to an IED/Mine strike event whether mounted or dismounted.



Mission Variables

- Planned v. Emergency Response
- Each mission has different considerations





Mission Variables

Mission variable determine:

- Type of tools required
- Actions on scene
- Support needed to accomplish the mission



Response Considerations

- Response Times
- Dedicated EOD team security
- EOD support to Route Clearance Teams
- Mounted vs. dismounted operations
- Counter-RCIED and robotics
- EOD robotics



IED/UXO Response Requirements

In addition to the 5Cs:

- ICP should have own cordon in place
- Unknown persons escorted
- ID checked and possible search
- All witnesses should be searched
- All baggage and equipment to be checked outside of ICP
- Procedures apply to both mounted and dismounted responses



The 5Cs



IED Emergency Procedures IED Find



IED Emergency Procedures IED Explosion





IED Emergency Procedures IED –Blow Through





IED Emergency Procedures IED – Immobilization





IED Emergency Procedures IED – Immobilization

SCHEMES

- Security
- Casualties
- Hostile Element Interdiction
- Equipment Recovery or Abandonment
- Maximize Concurrent Activity
- Exploit the Scene
- Submit Report

• Security



Casualties



Hostile Element Interdiction





Equipment Recovery or Abandonment





Maximize Concurrent Activity





Exploit the Scene





Submit Report





Minestrike Response

Mounted:

- M Movement stops Immediately
- I Inform others
- N Note the area
- E Evaluate
- **D** Do not move





Minestrike Response Requirements



Dismounted:

- M Stop all movement
- I Inform others
- **N** Note the area
- E Evaluate
- **D** Do not move, wait for help



Questions?





1. How can EOD team's response times be reduced? Provide them with a dedicated security element

2. Where should bags found during an incident response be inspected?

Away from the ICP

3. Should vehicles move to the side of the road after a minestrike?

No



3.6 Vulnerable Points and Vulnerable Areas



Enabling Learning Objectives

Discuss vulnerable areas and check points.



Vulnerable / Check Point Requirements





Operational Level Support

- Understanding
- Pursuing
- Preventing





Tactical Level Support

- Protecting
- Preparing





Mission Planning

- Check previous routes used
- Map reconnaissance
- Include the time to check
- Include extra time
- Remember to vary your timings





IED Indicators

CAGE (C.A.G.E)

- Channelling
- Aiming Markers
- Ground
- Environment







- We are vulnerable when we are forced to use a predictable route
- We are vulnerable when we are forced to slow down making us an easier target for command devices
- We are vulnerable in areas of previous attacks



- Uphill / Downhill Slopes
- Corners







Bridges





Culverts




Road Junctions





Soft ground





Linear features





Previous attack areas







- Plan the route in advance using all available information:
 - -Maps
 - -Imagery
 - -Previous patrol reports
 - -Previous incident Reports
- If possible identify VPs in advance and plan accordingly



Units must vary:

- Their timings
- Routes/destinations
- Information security
- Record routes of mission







Dispersal:

- Ensure there is space between vehicles to react to incidents (Approx 25m)
- Ensure any specialist equipment (mine detectors etc) is dispersed among the convoy
- Do not overload vehicles



- Ensure all equipment is fitted securely
- Use Personal Protective Equipment (including seat bets)
- Ensure crew served weapons are manned
- Check communications before deployment
- Understand emergency procedures





Questions?





1. What forms of information should be used when planning a route?

Maps, imagery, previous patrol reports, previous incident reports

2. If possible, how much distance should be between vehicles in a convoy?

25 meters





3. Special equipment should be _____ in a convoy.

Dispersed



EHAT MODULE 3: 5-25 m checks, 5 C'S and Immediate Actions Wrap Up





Module Conclusions

 TLO 3: Students will understand the 5s and 25s and are capable of carrying out the drill, they understand the 5 C's and immediate actions as they pertain to UXO, IED, Mine Strike and Vulnerable area/Check point.



Module Conclusions

- ELO 1: Discuss the 5C's and proper reporting of them.
- ELO 2: Discuss local cultures and influences in ERW/IED Laden environment.
- ELO 3: Discuss responding to UXO events caused by indirect fire or a legacy event.
- ELO 4: Discuss the response to an IED/Mine strike event whether mounted or dismounted.
- ELO 5: Discuss vulnerable areas and check points.



EHAT Module 4: Situation Awareness and Threat Assessment





Terminal Learning Objectives

The student will understand and explain situational awareness by conducting a threat assessment through decision making process.



Overview

4.1 Basic Vehicle and Personnel Search

4.2 Threat Assessment and Briefing/ Role of IED's in Complex Attack

4.3 Use of Electronic Countermeasures (ECM)

4.4 Pre and Post Mission Brief



4.1 Basic Vehicle and Personnel Search

Enabling Learning Objectives

Explain the proper procedures for conducting a basic vehicle and personnel search.



Definition

Search:

• The capability to locate specific targets using intelligence assessments, systematic procedures and appropriate detection techniques.







Vehicle Search Procedures

The search should be divided into three main areas:





Surrounding Areas

- Signs of activity
- Something unusual
- Additional threats







Can be broken down into four areas:

- Front
- Side
- Rear
- Underside









Front:

- Grill
- Hood Release
- Bumper







Sides:

- Under/ Behind tires
- Tires
- Wheel wells
- Windows











Sides:

- Door latches
- Weather stripping



• Fuel cap







Rear:

- Exhaust pipe
- Bumper







Underside:

- Exhaust pipe
- Bumper
- Drive train
- Fuel tank





Interior:

- Under dash
- Under seat
- Engine compartment
- Boot







- False or modified ceiling
- Non factory components







- New or damaged or scratched screws
- Non factory components
- False compartments







- Plugged air vents
- Broken or missing blower
- Blinking components when car is off







- Wires out of place
- Unusual bumps or bulges
- Suspicious packages
- Unusually thick floor







Discovery of an Explosive Hazard

If an Explosive Hazard is found:

- Implement the 5Cs
- Report findings to HQ



Questions?





- 1. What search are should be divided into three main areas?
- The surrounding area.
- The exterior of the vehicle.
- The interior of the vehicle.




- 2. What four areas can the exterior of the vehicle be broken down into?
- Front
- Side
- Rear
- Underside





- 3. What are some areas of the underside of the vehicle that should be checked?
- Exhaust pipe
- Bumper
- Chassis
- Drive train
- Fuel tank





- 4. What are some areas of the interior of the vehicle that should be checked?
- Under dash
- Under seat
- Under baggage
- Engine compartment
- Boot





Vehicle Search Procedures

Conduct Vehicle Search Practical Exercise



Definition

 A body search is a safety measure carried out by any security officer checking over a person who is detained or arrested, in order to detect any dangerous or illicit items.

- Concealed weapons
- Same sex
- Violence or resistance
 - Physical restraint

Standard:

Search an individual to locate weapons and/or contraband while maintaining control of the individual throughout the search.





Special Condition:

Males should search males and females should search females whenever possible.







Personnel Search Procedures WARNING

The searcher must avoid crossing the line of sight or fire of the overwatch during the person search.





CAUTION

Searching a person requires two searchers

working together.





Performance Steps

Determine which type of search to perform based on the situation:

- Stand-up search without hand restraints
- Frisk search



The decision to place hand restraints on the subject before searching must be based on the situation and according to the local directives.





Position yourself behind the subject and remain balanced, with your front foot forward and rear foot to the outside of the subject's feet.





Direct the subject to:

- (1) Raise arms above their head and spread fingers with palms facing you.
- (2) Turn so that their back is toward you.
- (3) Spread their feet apart with toes pointed out.
- (4) Interlock fingers and place their hands on the crown of their head.



Search the subject's headgear:

- Carefully remove the headgear.
- Bend the seams of the headgear before crushing to detect contraband.
- Complete the search of the headgear, and place it on the ground.



Search the subject using the pat-and-crush method in the following sequence:

- Grasp two fingers of the subject's right hand, or both of the interlocked hands with your left hand.
- The head and hair.
- The selected side from arm to shoulder.



- The neck and collar.
- The selected side of the back to the waist.
- The selected side of the chest to the waist.



Note:

When searching females, check the bra by pulling out the center far enough to allow concealed weapons or contraband to fall out.



- The waistband, from the front to the middle of the back
 - Bend the material and then crush it to detect contraband
 - Check between the belt and the pants
- The selected side of the buttocks



Note:

Squat when searching the lower half of the subject's body so you are not placed in an unbalanced position.



- The selected side hip, abdomen, and crotch
- The selected side leg from the crotch to the top of the shoe
- The selected side shoe



Reverse the search to the subject's opposite side:

- Grasp two fingers of the subject's left hand
- Reverse the position of your feet
- Search the opposite side of the subject



Questions?



Conducting a Frisk Search

Direct the subject to:

- Raise his arms above his head
- Turn so that his back is toward you.
- Spread his feet apart
- Interlock his fingers



Conducting a Frisk Search

Note:

Although the main intent of a frisk is to ensure that the subject is not carrying a weapon, other contraband found can still be used against the subject.



Conducting a Frisk Search

- Search the outside of the garments only.
- Search of pockets or waistband
- Ask permission
- Stop the search if a weapon is found



Questions?



4.2 Threat Assessment and Briefing/ Role of IEDs in Complex Attacks



Enabling Learning Objectives

Outline how a threat assessment is undertaken and briefing on the assessed threat is delivered.

Understand what a complex attack is the actions to take during a complex attack.



Threat Assessment Definition

Threat assessment:

The practice of determining the credibility and seriousness of a potential threat, as well as the probability that the threat will become a reality.



Threat Assessment

Your role ... your own safety

- Be alert to the threat.
- Be aware of your surroundings.
- Report suspicious activity.
- Make security your norm.
- Avoid predictable routines.
- Don't be a target.



Threat Briefing

Threat Briefing:

- Factors to consider about the threat.
- -How attackers select targets.
- How the attacker identifies targets.



Threat Factors



Are there any attack groups in my area?



Potential for Violence

Are they violent?

Do they attack Foreigners?



Victim Nationalities How active are they?



Present Level of Activity



Threat Factors



Level of Sophistication

How sophisticated are they?



How do they operate–are they predictable?

Will the local population warn Foreigners?



Level of Popular Support

What tactics? What weapons? What type of attacks?





Target Selection





Victim by Association



Victim by Location

Victim by Opportunity


Target Identification



Large, Vulnerable Groups



Name



Appearance of Importance



Threat Awareness Themes

Be Anonymous

Plan Ahead

Be Aware



Blend in, don't be an easily identified target

Think ahead and choose safer options



Look for suspicious persons/activities



Threat Awareness Themes

Control Access

Be Unpredictable

Be a Team Player



Prevent crime, maintain security

Change routines, routes, times, and speeds



Cooperate with local security measures







Command IED:

- Destroy the Target
- Block Extraction Route
- Fix a Convoy/Patrol in Kill Zone



Types of Complex Attacks:

- Harassing Attacks
- Probing
- Raiding Attacks
- Overrun Attacks



Complex attacks using small arms and light weapons (SALW) systems and IEDs:

- Raiding action on a static position.
- overrun a targeted movement or static position



- Obstacle Creation
- Breaching



Actions of Complex Attack:

- IED Blow-Through
- Immobilization



Questions?





- 1. Which will do the most to reduce vulnerability?
- Be alert, avoid the appearance of importance, blend in with the local population
- 2. What are the six Threat Assessment Themes?
- Be Anonymous, Plan Ahead, Be Aware, Control Access, Be Unpredictable,Be a Team Player



4.3 Use of Electronic Countermeasures (ECM)



Enabling Learning Objectives

Describe the use of Electronic Countermeasures.



Electronic Counter Measures (ECM) Definition

Electric Counter Measures (ECM):

- The disruption of the operation of an enemy's equipment (as by jamming radio or radar signals).
- It is also equipment used to produce the disruption.





- We refer to the techniques of introducing noise on the spectrum as Electronic Counter Measures.
- ECM provides us with:

-Safe working area.

-Prevent targetable actions.







If you or any members of your force observe anyone acting suspicious near the cordon and looking into the target area carrying radio equipment, remote key fobs or multiple mobile phones, have security forces or local police detain them.







The primary purpose of ECM systems is to provide jamming capabilities to troops moving throughout the battlefield protecting them from RCIEDs, and to protect high value fixed locations.







ECM AND RCIED

- Radio control provides the enemy positive control over the Improvised Explosive Devices (IEDs).
- The enemy can initiate the explosive charge at the precise moment to cause maximum casualties and damage.





Questions?





- 1. ECM provides us with?
- Safe working area.
- Prevent targetable actions.

2. What should be done if you observe anyone acting suspicious?

• Detain them.





- 3. ECM produces a magic bubble of protection. True/False
- False.
- 4. Explosive charge can be any available explosive, to include:
- Artillery rounds, antitank mines, fuel cans, rockets, or mortar rounds.



4.4 Pre and Post Mission Brief



Enabling Learning Objectives

Demonstrate an understanding of Pre and Post Missions





Definition

Briefing:

Information given to someone just before the person does something, or a meeting where information is given







Introduction: MATT-TC is abbreviated to:

"Mat-Tee-See"



MATT-TC Outline:

- M Mission
- A Adversary
- T Terrain and weather
- T Troops and support available
- T Time available
- C Civil considerations



Mission

Offensive operations:

- Movement to contact
- Attack
- Exploitation
- Pursuit





Mission

Defensive Operations:

- Mobile defense
- Area defense
- Retrograde







Mission

Stability operations:

- Civil security
- Civil control
- Restore essential services
- Support to governance
- Support to economic and infrastructure development



Mission

Civil Support Operations:

- Provide support in response to disaster or terrorist attack
- Support civil law enforcement
- Provide other support as required



Adversary:

- Enemy
- Adversary
- Supporter
- Neutral







Terrain and Weather

Military Aspects of Terrain:

This area is covered by an acronym (OAKOC)

- Observation and Fields of Fire
- Avenues of Approach
- Key and Decisive Terrain
- Obstacles
- Cover and Concealment





Terrain and Weather

Military Aspects of Weather:

- Visibility
- Wind
- Rain
- Cloud Cover
- Temperature
- Humidity





Terrain and Weather

Military aspects of Climate and Weather:

- Temperature
- Wind velocity
- Precipitation





Troops and Support Available Friendly troops:

- Number
- Type
- Capabilities
- Condition





Time available:

- 1/3 Planning, 2/3 execution
- Plan, prepare & execute operations
- Assemble, deploy, move
- Enemy's ability
- Unit size and mission




Civil Considerations

Areas/structures:

- Buildings
- Blue prints
- Street patterns
- Urban patterns
- Criminal/terrorist enclaves





Civil Considerations

Areas/structures (Continued)

- Underlying terrain
- Construction materials
- Key Commercial zones
- Subterranean passages
- Political precincts/districts



Civil Considerations

Capabilities:

- Fuel
- Fire/rescue
- Electrical power
- Water supply
- Transportation
- Communications
- Health services







Civil Considerations

Organizations/people/events:

- NGOs (Non-Government Organization)
- Media
- Culture
- Loyalties
- Authority(s)
- Perceptions





Civil Considerations

Organizations/people/events (Continued)

- Relationships
- Labor unions
- Demographics
- Groups & sub-groups
- Religious holidays



Questions?



Definition

Post mission:

Post mission simply means after the mission is completed.





Military Debriefing:

Debriefings originated in the military. This type of debriefing is used to receive information from a pilot or soldier after a mission, and to instruct the individual as to what information can be released to the public and what information is classified.



Here are a few ways to cover a post mission brief:

- Lessons Learned
- Improvements
- Sustainment





Lessons Learned:

Lessons learned are experiences distilled from a mission that should be actively taken into account during future missions.

- What happened
- Threat assessment
- Main/Other recommendations





Improvements:

Improvement is the process of a thing moving from one state to a state considered to be better, usually through some action intended to bring about that better state.





Sustainment:

The provision of personnel, logistic, and other support required to maintain and prolong operations or combat until successful accomplishment or revision of the mission or of the national objective.



Questions?





- 1. What are five phases that need to be established while conducting a brief?
- Situation
- Mission
- Execution
- Administration/Logistics
- Command and Control





- 2. What are some things that we look for in a Situation?
- Hostile Forces
- Composition, Disposition, Strength
- Capabilities & Limitations:(DRAW-DG) Defend, Reinforce, Attack, Withdraw, Delay, Gas
- Most Likely Course Of Action (MLCOA)
- Most Dangerous Course of Action





- 3. Under signal, what four course of actions (COAs) should we be aware of?
- Primary
- Alternate
- Contingency
- Emergency





- 4. Lessons learned are experiences distilled from what?
- A mission that should be actively taken into account in future missions.
- 5. What is a sustainment?
- Provisions of personnel, logistic, and other support required to maintain and prolong operations or combat until successful accomplishment or revision of the mission or of the national objective.

EHAT Module 4: Situation Awareness and Threat Assessment – Wrap up





Module Conclusions

• TLO: The student will understand and explain situational awareness by conducting a threat assessment through decision making process.



Module Conclusions

- ELO 1: Basic vehicle and personal search.
- ELO 2: Threat assessment and briefing/ role of IED's in complex attack.
- ELO 3: Use of electronic countermeasures (ECM).
- ELO 4: Demonstrate an understanding of Pre and Post Missions.



EHAT Module 5: Roles of EOD, IEDD, and First Responders





Terminal Learning Objectives

The students will understand the important roles of EOD, IEDD and First Responders.



Overview

5.1 The roles of EOD, IEDD, and First Responders



The roles of Explosive Ordnance Disposal (EOD), Improvised Explosive Device Disposal (IEDD), and First Responders



Enabling Learning Objectives

Describe the roles of Explosive Ordnance Disposal (EOD), Improvised Explosive Device Disposal (IEDD), and First Responders.



Role of EOD Units:

As an integral part of a UN force, the fundamental role of EOD units is to counter EO threats in support of peacekeeping operations.





Outputs of Activities

- Synchronized actions in support of the mission
- Intelligence/Operations Analysis and Fusion
- Standardizing & Monitoring EOD capability
- Comprehensive
 Approach



Prepare:

UN civilian and military personnel to operate in explosive threat environments.





Prevent:

The use of these EO by facilitating the disruption of threat networks and the ability to construct and employ explosive devices.





Protect:

By detecting and rendering safe EO threats and mitigating their effects. This line requires optimization and integration of suitable technology solutions.





Engage:

With stakeholders and partners in a comprehensive approach to develop their counter explosive threat capabilities.





Deployment of EOD units on peacekeeping missions aims to defeat or to mitigate the effects of EO, in order to:

- Contribute to the force protection (FP) of UN personnel and partner agency personnel
- Protect civilians
- Allow freedom of action and movement in the Area of Operations (AO)



- Increase the UN troops confidence and effectiveness.
- Contribute to stabilization initiatives as part of post conflict or emerging societies through the removal of EO threats which can impact economic development and act as source of energetic material for use in IEDs.
- Contribute to the degradation of IED networks by recording and recovery of EO components.



- EOD and in particular IEDD are important functions contributing to these goals.
- EOD activities are in direct support to enhance operational effectiveness and efficiency, and improve peacekeeper safety and security in the field in support of the UN mission mandate.



- The requirement for deploying this capability depends on the threat assessment for the specific mission environment.
- The level of threat must be considered both in terms of EO that is assessed to have been utilized in a given AO and/or a potential or actual aggressor's IED capability.



EOD Philosophy

The UN EOD philosophy is:

- Save life
- Preservation of property
- Removal of the threat
- Recording and recovery of EO components
- Return to normality


EOD Philosophy

The prioritization of the five parts of the EOD philosophy depends of the key operational actions defined by the UN force commander. In every case, *preservation of life* is always the priority in all EOD activities.





EOD Principles

The following EOD principles have been devised from the EOD philosophy and are to be observed in all EOD operations and tasks.





EOD Principles

These EOD principles are:

• The preferred Render Safe Procedure (RSP) should utilize remote means.

 Manual render-safe actions shall be carried out only as a last resort.

• The operator shall be exposed to an EO item for the minimum time.



EOD Principles

- Mandatory safe waiting periods shall be observed.
- Operations shall be planned.
- In IEDD, the preferred RSP should utilize remote neutralization through disruption.

• The operator shall revert to remote means whenever possible.



Questions?





1. What are four interrelated Lines Of Operation?

Prepare, Protect, Prevent, Engage

- 2. What are the five UN EOD Philosophies?
- Save a life
- Preservation of property
- Removal of the threat
- *Recording and recovery of EO components*
- *Return to normality*



IED Disposal (IEDD) Activities

IED Disposal (IEDD) Activities :

- IEDD is a specialist skill requiring specific training and equipment preferably including the use of remote control / operated vehicles (RCV / ROV).
- IEDD personnel should not be put under pressure to operate outside their EOD capabilities except in extreme circumstances.



Capabilities of Improvised Explosive Device Disposal (IEDD)

The capabilities of an IEDD unit will determine the tasks to which they are appropriately qualified and equipped to efficiently, effectively and safely respond to.





Capabilities of Improvised Explosive Device Disposal (IEDD)

One illustrative example of an IEDD unit's capabilities being driven by the assessed IED threat is the assessment on the presence of a RCIED threat in a UN mission.





Capabilities of Improvised Explosive Device Disposal (IEDD)

If an assessment is made that a RCIED threat is likely or actually present, mission planning must then decide upon CREW assets and what type is required and how this will be:

- Employed
- Deployed
- Maintained
- Sustained





IEDD Philosophy

The UN IEDD philosophy is:

- Save Life
- Preservation of Property
- Removal of the Threat
- Recording and Recovery of EO Components
- Return to Normality



IEDD Principles

The guiding principles of IEDD are as follows:

- Remote means are to be used whenever possible within the tactical situation of the task.
- Manual render safe action is only to be carried out as a last resort, where all other possible means have been exhausted.



IEDD Principles

- One-person risk.
- The operator is to spend the minimum amount of time in the target area and is to return to the use of remote means whenever practicable.
- Prior to making a manual approach, safe waiting periods are observed.



IEDD Principles

- Neutralization through disruption of an IED is the primary option.
- No positive EOD action is to be undertaken until the cordon and evacuation is in place.
- Operations shall be properly planned.



The decision to establish IEDD capabilities is determined by available contamination information received from the national government, designated IEDD authority or the United Nations.







IEDD capabilities and their tasks will be largely shaped by the following factors:

- IED Threat
- Aggressor intent, capability and opportunity
- Operating environment
- Available resources
- Legal considerations



IED threat:

IEDD requires a thorough understanding of IED construction and their methods of use in a given area of operations.





Aggressor intent, capability and opportunity:

An IED aggressor refers to any person or group of persons or organization that has the intent and capacity to inflict or threaten physical violence through the use or threatened use of IEDs.





Planning IEDD Capability Operating environment:

The environment in which the IEDD capability will be deployed must be considered from a physical environmental perspective and a social perspective.

- H Human terrain
- A Allied Locations
- T Topography and areas of interest
- E Electronic Terrain.





Available resources:

All resources that are required, directly or in support of an IEDD capability, need to be considered in relation to the constraints associated with the maintenance or lack of equipment.





Legal considerations:

Legal considerations to be incorporated can have a major influence on the ability of an IEDD organization to develop, maintain and sustain a stated IEDD capability.





Questions?





- 1. What factor(s) will largely shape the capabilities and tasks of IEDD?
- IED Threat
- Aggressor intent, capability and opportunity
- Operating environment
- Available resources
- Legal considerations





- 2. What refers to any person or group of persons or organization that has the intent and capacity to inflict or threaten physical violence through the use or threatened use of IEDs?
- IED Aggressor





- 3. What environment in which the IEDD capability will be deployed must be considered from a physical environmental perspective and a social perspective?
- Operating environment



First Responders

First responders typically include paramedics, emergency medical technicians, police officers, firefighters, rescuers, and other trained members of organisations connected with this type of work.





First Responders

First responders must be trained to deal with a wide array of potential medical emergencies.

NOTE UN Personnel— All UN personnel must be prepared to assist or work for a first responder element as required during an emergency.





Definition:

A first responder is a person with specialized training who is among the first to arrive and provide assistance at the scene of an emergency, such as an accident, natural disaster, or terrorist attack.





Operational Level:

-At the **operational levels**, the IED activity for military/police staff primarily revolves around understanding the threat and pursuing and preventing it.



Operational Level:

 Understanding. Understanding the IED threat and mitigation tasks underpins all actions at all levels.



Operational Level:

 Pursuing. This involves the full spectrum of actions in support of peacekeeping efforts inside and outside the mission area in order to degrade the aggressor's IED capabilities and capacities.



Operational Level:

 Preventing. These activities both inside and outside the mission area involve influencing aggressors to reject involvement in the IED network.



Tactical Level:

• At the **tactical level**, staff has the responsibility for protecting and preparing the force.



Tactical Level:

• **Protecting**. This is ensured by tactical measures to provide freedom of movement to the force and the locals.



Tactical Level:

 Preparing. This involves building the capabilities of the force according to the IED threat environment and is, necessary to carry out the mission's mandate.


Questions?





- 1. What do first responders typically include?
- Paramedics, emergency medical technicians, police officers, firefighters, rescuers
- 2. Who is among the first to arrive and provide assistance at the scene of an emergency, such as an accident, natural disaster, or terrorist attack?
- First Responder



Roles of EOD, IEDD, and First Responders – Wrap up





Module Conclusions

• TLO: The students will understand the important roles of EOD, IEDD and First Responders.

 ELO 1: Describe the roles of Explosive Ordnance Disposal (EOD), Improvised Explosive Device Disposal (IEDD), and First Responders.



EHAT Module 6: Ground Sign Awareness (GSA) and Patrol Techniques



Terminal Learning Objectives

The student will be able to understand how to identify, locate and maneuver past dangerous and vulnerable areas using ground sign awareness.



Overview

6.1 Ground Sign Awareness and Combat Indicators



6.1 Ground Sign Awareness and Combat Indicators





Enabling Learning Objectives

Enumerate the characteristics of ground signs and combat indicators.





What is GSA?

The ability to recognize evolving threats within a hostile environment by observing, analyzing and understanding indicators (sign) left by nature and human activity, thus making logical deductions and assumptions in order to react/ inform at the tactical and operational levels.

Wire laid for a command wire improvised explosive device (CWIED), poorly camouflaged IED components, and ground signs may all be discovered when the area is investigated by a thorough visual and equipment search.



"Absence of the normal; presence of the abnormal"

What's missing?

What's new?

Look out for the following indicators:

- Sign
- Regularity
- Flattening
- Transference
- Colour Change
- Foreign Material



Sign:

Sign is a disturbance of the earth created by man, animal or machine.



Warning!

If it looks out of place, it was probably put there for a reason.

To target you!

Regularity:

Geometric or repeated patterns not normally found in nature.



Flattening:

The general levelling or depression creating a disturbance from its natural state.



Transference:

Transference is the displacement of one medium to another.



Ground Sign Awareness (GSA) Colour Change:

Colour change occurs when something is altered from its natural state causing light to interact differently than the surrounding area.



Foreign Material:

Any material not present in the environment in its normal state.





What do you see?

What do you see?































Questions?




- 1. What are some indicators in GSA?
- Regularity
- Disturbance
- Flattening
- Colour change
- Transference
- Foreign material





- 2. What is a sign?
- Sign is a disturbance of the earth created by man, animal or machine
- 3. What is Transference?
- Transference is the displacement of one medium to another





4. What is colour change?

Colour change occurs when something is altered from its natural state causing light to interact differently than the surrounding area.



Ground Sign Awareness (GSA) – Wrap up





Module Conclusions

 TLO: The student will perform practical drills to potentially identify, locate and maneuver past danger and vulnerable areas using ground sign awareness and patrol techniques.



Module Conclusions

• ELO 1: Ground sign awareness and combat indicators.