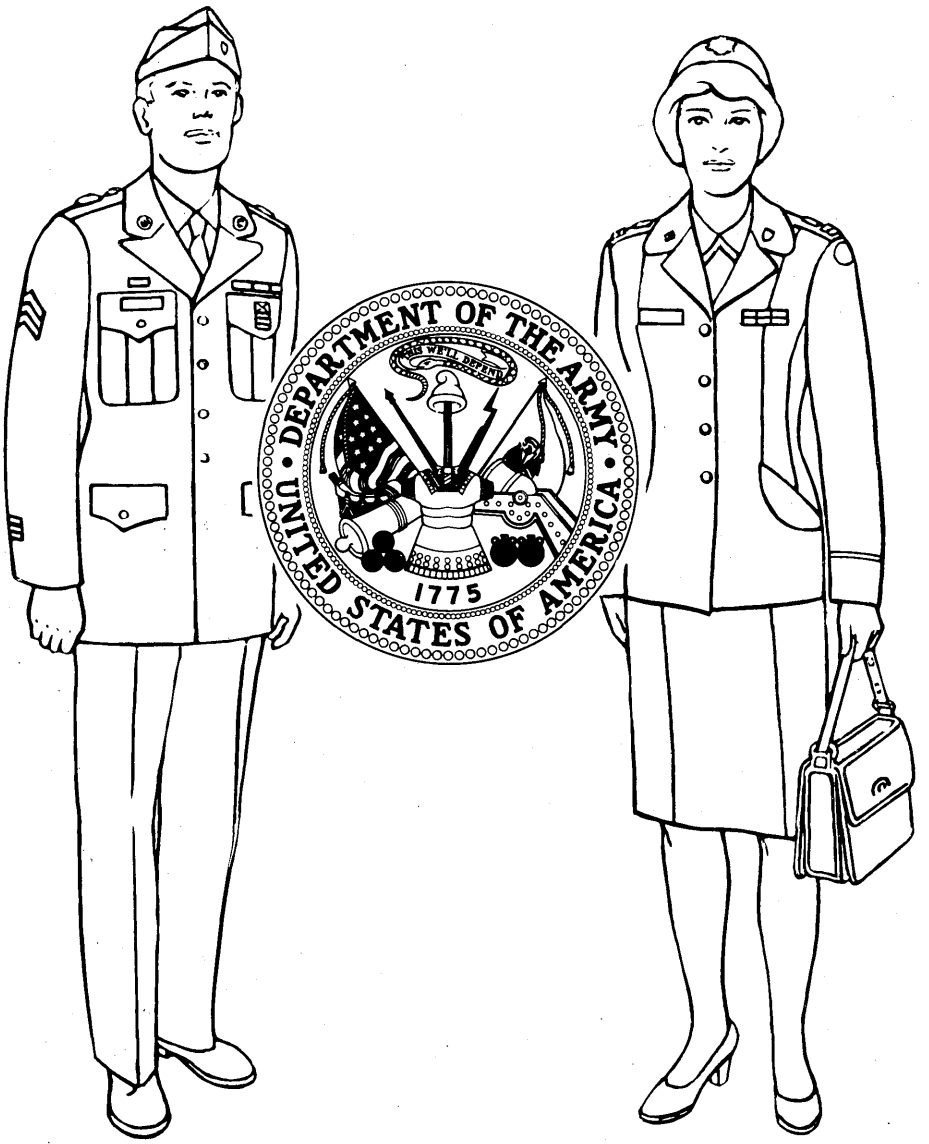
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PART I

GENERAL INFORMATION AND RESPONSIBILITIES

CHAPTER 1

GENERAL INFORMATION

1-1. Purpose. *a.* This regulation prescribes the uniforms which may be worn, the items which may be worn on the uniforms, the manner in which the uniforms are worn, and the occasions when the uniforms will or will not be worn for all personnel in the US Army. This regulation also prescribes the authorized material, design, accessories, and quality control system for uniforms and the wear of ornamentation, insignia, and other heraldic items. Only uniforms, accessories, and insignia prescribed in this regulation, as approved by Headquarters, Department of the Army (HQDA) or contained in current authorization documents, will be worn by personnel in the US Army. No item governed by this regulation may be altered in any way that changes the design or intent of the item beyond variances authorized by the specifications. Illustrations in this regulation are furnished for information purposes only. In case of any inconsistencies between the written description and the illustration, the written description shall control.

b. The wear of optional uniform items will be at the discretion of the individual. Commanders will not require the purchase of optional items unless specifically directed otherwise by HQDA.

1-2. Applicability. *a.* This regulation applies to all personnel of the Active Army, Army National Guard, and Army Reserve.

b. It does not apply to Generals of the Army, the Chief of Staff of the Army, and former Chiefs of Staff of the Army, each of whom may prescribe their own uniform.

1-3. How to recommend changes to the Army uniform. New or changed uniform clothing and insignia items will not be authorized without the approval of the Chief of Staff, US Army. (CSA).

a. The Army Uniform Board (AUB) is responsible for developing policies and recommending changes for Army uniform clothing, accessories, and insignia.

b. Commanders of major Army commands (MACOM) will thoroughly evaluate any proposals to change or add to the uniform, accessories or related items that are submitted through the Army Suggestion Program. If the MACOM commander recommends approval of a change, the recommendation will be forwarded to the Secretary, Army Uniform Board (DAPE-HRL), WASH DC 20310. Each suggestion forwarded to AUB must reflect a coordinated MACOM position, contain all appropriate supporting documentation, and be signed by the commander, deputy commander, chief of staff, or comparable level. This action is required before the AUB can properly evaluate the merits of a proposal. Suggestions not recommended for adoption by the MACOM should not be forwarded to the AUB. Suggestions will be forwarded to the MACOM with appropriate recommendations over the signature of the commander or deputy commander at each subordinate echelon.

1-4. When wearing of the Army uniform is required or prohibited. *a.* The Army uniform will be worn by all personnel when on duty unless an exception for wear of civilian clothes for mission reasons is granted. Wearing of civilian clothing by enlisted personnel on duty is subject to the provisions of AR 700-84. Exceptions may be granted by—

(1) MACOMs.

(2) Assistant Secretaries, Office of the Secretary of Defense or Secretary of the Army.

(3) Heads of Department of Defense agencies.

(4) Heads of the Army Staff agencies.

b. The uniform will be worn on military airlift and MAC contract flights except when civilian clothing is mandatory at port of debarkation. Commanders may authorize wear of civilian clothing traveling by commercial or private transportation.

c. All service uniform combinations are authorized for year-round wear. However, appropriate discretion should be exercised based on weather conditions and duties. The wearing of combinations of uniform items not prescribed in this regulation or other authorization documents is prohibited.

d. The wearing of a combination of civilian and military clothing is prohibited unless provided in this regulation or other authorization document.

e. Uniform items changed in design or material may continue to be worn as long as they are in serviceable condition unless specifically prohibited.

f. The wear of the Army uniform is prohibited for all Army personnel—

(1) In connection with the promotion of any political or commercial interests or when engaged in off-duty civilian employment. Army Reserve technicians who are also members of the Ready Reserve may wear the Army uniform at their option while on duty in their civil service status.

(2) When participating in public speeches, interviews, picket lines, marches, rallies, or public demonstrations, except as authorized by competent authority.

(3) When wearing the uniform would bring discredit upon the Army.

(4) When specifically prohibited by Army regulations.

g. Headgear will be worn with the Army uniform under the following circumstances.

(1) Appropriate headgear will be worn by all Army personnel while in uniform when outdoors except female personnel wearing Army mess or evening dress uniforms.

(2) Female personnel are not required to wear headgear when wearing the Army white or blue uniform to an evening social event. However, the appropriate headgear will be worn when wearing these uniforms on all other occasions.

(3) Headgear is not required to be worn if it would interfere with the safe operation of military vehicles. The wearing of military headgear will not be required while in a privately owned or commercial vehicle.

h. Personnel on duty with, or units tenant on, installations of other armed Services will adhere to the uniform changeover dates established by the other Service.

i. Headgear will not be worn indoors unless under arms or directed by the commander.

1-5. Uniform appearance and fit. *a. Appearance.* Each member of the Army will maintain a high standard of dress and appearance. Uniforms will be properly fitted, clean, serviceable, and pressed as necessary. While absolute uniformity of appearance cannot be expected, personnel must project a military image that leaves no doubt that they live by a common standard and are responsible to military order and discipline. Uniforms will be kept buttoned, zippered, and snapped, metallic devices will be kept in proper luster, and shoes will be cleaned and shined.

(1) Lapels and sleeves of coats and jackets for both male and female personnel will be roll pressed (without creasing). The AG-388 dress and jacket uniform and all skirts will be without creases.

(2) Trousers, slacks, and sleeves of shirts, blouses, and dresses, other than the AG-388 dress, will be creased.

b. Fit. Fitting instructions and alterations of both male and female uniforms will be in accordance with AR 700-84, Technical Manual (TM) 10-227, TM 10-228, TM 10-229. The following is a summary of general fitting guidelines:

(1) *Green overcoats.*

(*a*) *Male personnel.* The length of the overcoat sleeves will be ½ inch longer than the coat sleeve worn under the overcoat. The overcoat will reach to a point between 1 and 3 inches below the bottom of the kneecap.

(*b*) *Female personnel.* The length of the overcoat sleeves will be ½ inch longer than the coat sleeve worn under the overcoat. The overcoat will reach a point 1 inch longer than the skirt hem.

(2) *Green and black raincoats.*

(*a*) *Male personnel.* The length of the raincoat sleeves will be ½ inch longer than the coat sleeve worn under the raincoat. The green raincoat will reach to a point 3 to 5 inches below the bottom of the kneecap. The black raincoat will reach to a point 1½ inches below the midpoint of the knee.

(*b*) *Female personnel.* The length of the raincoat sleeves will be ½ inch longer than the coat sleeve worn under the raincoat. The green and black raincoats will reach a point 1 inch longer than the

skirt hem, but not less than 1½ inch below the midpoint of the knee.

(3) *Coats and jackets.*

(*a*) *Male personnel.* The sleeve length of uniform coats and jackets will be 1 inch below the bottom of the wristbone.

(*b*) *Female personnel.* The sleeve length of uniform coats and jackets will be 1 inch below the bottom of the wristbone.

(4) *Trousers and slacks.* Trousers and slacks will reach to the top of the instep in the front and be cut on a diagonal line to reach midpoint between the top of the heel and the top of the standard shoes in back and will not have a break in the trouser legs.

(5) *Knee-length skirts and dresses.* Skirt and dress length will be not more than 1 inch above nor 2 inches below mid-knee. The midknee will be the point established by the crease in the back of the knee.

(6) *Long sleeve shirts and tunics.* Sleeves of long sleeve shirts and tunics will be worn to the center of the wristbone.

c. Other. Appropriate undergarments will be worn with all uniforms. See appendix A for male requirements and appendix B for female requirements. Undergarments will be either white in color or subdued shades which will not be visible through the outer garments.

1–6. Personal appearance. The Army is a uniformed service. Therefore, a neat and well-groomed appearance by soldiers is fundamental to the Army, and contributes to building the pride and esprit essential to an effective military force. A vital ingredient of the Army's strength and military effectiveness is the pride and self-discipline which American soldiers bring to their service. It is the responsibility of commanders to assure that military personnel under their command present a neat and soldierly appearance. It is the duty of each soldier to take pride in his or her appearance at all times. This principle applies equally to both men and women. Physical fitness and acceptable weight standards also are factors in personal appearance.

1–7. Appearance standards for male personnel. There are many hair styles which are acceptable in the Army. So long as a soldier's hair is kept in a neat manner, the acceptability of the style will be judged solely by the criteria described below. Haircuts, without reference to style, will conform to the following standards:

a. The hair on top of the head will be neatly groomed. The length and/or bulk of the hair will not be excessive or present a ragged, unkempt or extreme appearance. Hair will present a tapered appearance and, when combed, it will not fall over the ears or eyebrows or touch the collar except for the closely cut hair at the back of the neck. The so-called "blockcut" fullness in the back is permitted in moderate degree. In all cases, the bulk or length of hair will not interfere with the normal wear of all standard or adopted military headgear.

b. If the individual desires to wear sideburns, they will be neatly trimmed. The base will not be flared and will be a clean-shaven, horizontal line. Sideburns will not extend downward beyond the lowest part of the exterior ear opening.

c. The face will be clean-shaven, except that mustaches are permitted. If a mustache is worn, it will be kept neatly trimmed, tapered, and tidy and will not present a chopped off appearance. No portion of the mustache will cover the upper lip line or extend horizontally beyond or below the corner points of the mouth where the upper and lower lips join. Handlebar mustaches, goatees, and beards are not authorized. Where beard growth is prescribed by appropriate medical authority, the length required for medical treatment also will be specified; e.g., "A neatly trimmed beard is authorized. The length will not exceed ¼ inch." (See para 7, TB-MED 287.)

d. The wearing of a wig or hair piece by male personnel while in uniform or on duty is prohibited, except to cover natural baldness or physical disfiguration caused by accident or medical procedure. When worn, it will conform to the standard haircut criteria as stated.

e. Male members of the Army National Guard (ARNG) and the Army Reserve (USAR) may wear a wig or hair piece during unit training assemblies and when serving on active duty for training for periods of 30 days or less, or on full-time training duty for periods of 30 days or less, if it conforms to the standard haircut criteria stated above and does not interfere with performance of duty. When ordered for a period of more than 30 days to active duty, active duty for training, or full time training duty, the wearing of a wig or hair piece by male members of the ARNG and the USAR in uniform or on duty is prohibited except as provided in *d* above.

f. Exceptions to appearance standards based on religious reasons for wear of beards, unshorn hair, turbans, and bracelets will not be granted. Request for any other exception may be submitted through

channels to HQDA (DAPE-HRL) for evaluation. Recommendation must include impact on mission, safety, morale, and discipline. In addition, the request will be accompanied by documentation from the religious group governing body indicating the exception requested is an unwaiverable religious requirement and the soldier is a member in good standing.

1-8. Appearance standards for female personnel. The bulk or length of the hair will not interfere with the wear of Army headgear. Hair will be neatly groomed and will not present an extreme, ragged, or unkempt appearance. Hair will not extend below the bottom edge of the collar, nor be cut so short as to appear unfeminine. Hair styles will not interfere with proper wearing of military headgear. If a hairnet is required for health or safety reasons, the commander may require its wear at no cost to the individual. Wigs may be worn as long as the hairpiece is of a natural hair color and the style and length conform to appearance standards. Hair holding ornaments (barrettes, pins, clips) must be of a natural hair color or transparent and will be inconspicuously placed. Makeup and nail polish will be conservative and complement the uniform. Pumps may be worn with all uniforms except field uniforms unless another type footwear is more practical or is otherwise directed.

1-9. Uniformity of material. *a.* When an option to choose among various fabrics authorized for uniforms is exercised, individuals must assure that all outer garments are made of the same type material. Garrison caps of Army green shade 44 or 344 may be worn interchangeably with uniforms of either shade.

b. When a gold lace or gold bullion are prescribed for wear with uniforms, gold color nylon, rayon, or synthetic metallic gold may be substituted. If trouser and sleeve ornamentation is gold bullion, the cap ornamentation and shoulder strap insignia must also be gold bullion.

c. Ornamentation on the visors of all service caps will be of gold bullion, synthetic metallic gold yarn, or anodized aluminum of 24 karat gold color.

d. Anodized aluminum buttons are authorized for optional wear. Sizes and design will conform to standard US Army uniform buttons. All buttons will match.

1-10. Distinctive uniforms and uniform items. *a.* The following uniform items are distinctive and will not be sold to or worn by unauthorized personnel:

(1) All Army headgear.

(2) Badges; Identification, Marksmanship, Combat, and Special Skill.

(3) Buttons; uniform, US Army or Corps of Engineers.

(4) Decorations; service medals, awards, tabs, service ribbons, and their appurtenances.

(5) Insignia of any design or color which has been adopted by DA.

b. Individuals will remove all distinctive items from unserviceable uniforms before disposing of them. Only items listed in *a* above are considered distinctive.

c. Insignia will be worn as prescribed in chapter 26.

1-11. Wearing of civilian clothing. *a.* Civilian clothing may be worn by all Army personnel when off duty unless the wear is prohibited by the installation commander within CONUS or by the oversea commander outside CONUS in conjunction with appendix E.

b. When on duty in civilian clothing, Army personnel will conform to the appearance standards required when wearing the uniform.

c. Hair length and styles will be worn as prescribed in paragraphs 1-7 and 1-8.

1-12. Wearing of jewelry. *a.* The wear of a wrist watch, identification wrist bracelet, and not more than two rings (wedding set is considered one ring) is authorized with the Army uniform as long as the style is conservative and in good taste. The wear of a purely religious medal on a chain around the neck is authorized provided neither the medal nor the chain is exposed.

b. No jewelry, watch chains, or similar items, to include pens, pencils, etc., will appear exposed on the uniforms. Authorized exceptions are a conservative tie tack or tie clasp which may be worn with the black four-in-hand necktie and a pen or pencil which may appear exposed on the hospital duty, food service, and flight uniforms.

c. Earrings or earposts of any size or shape, fad devices, vogue medallions, personal talismans, or amulets are not authorized for wear by any personnel in uniform or on duty.

1-13. Wearing of identification tags, security badges, and nameplates. *a. Identification tags.* Identification tags will be worn by all personnel

when engaged in field training, when traveling in aircraft, and when outside CONUS.

b. Security identification badges. Security identification badges will be worn in restricted areas as prescribed by the local commander.

c. Nameplates.

(1) Nameplates will be worn on the uniform. Initial issue of nameplates will be provided without cost to the individual; the costs incurred will be charged to O&M funds. In general, nameplates will conform to the following descriptions:

(*a*) *Size.* 1″ × 3″ × 1/16″ (may be longer in the case of a lengthy name or additional data).

(*b*) *Color.* Jet black background with a white border not to exceed 1/32 inch in width.

(*c*) *Material.* Laminated plastic, nongloss finish.

(*d*) *Lettering.* White, block-type, indented lettering, 3/8 inch in height and centered on the plate. Only last names will be used.

(2) Nameplates will be worn as follows:

(*a*) *Male personnel.* The name plate will be worn on the flap of the right breast pocket, centered between the top of the button and the top of the pocket on the Army green shade 415 shirt, Army tan, Army green, Army white, and Army blue uniforms, and in a comparable position on the hospital duty and food service uniforms.

(*b*) *Female personnel.* The nameplate will be worn centered horizontally on the wearers right side and slightly above the top edge of the top button of Army green cord, Army green (AG–388) skirt and jacket, Army green (AG–388) dress and jacket, Army green pantsuit, and Army green, Army white, and Army blue uniforms. When the Army green (AG–388) dress is worn without the jacket, the nameplate is worn centered horizontally on the wearer's right side, with the top edge of the nameplate not lower than the bottom point of the V-neck. On the hospital duty dress, the nameplate is worn centered horzontally on the top of the simulated right pocket. On the Army green shade 415 shirt, hospital duty pantsuit, and food service pantsuit, the nameplate is worn in a comparable position to the nameplate placement on other uniforms. On all uniforms, the placement of the nameplate may be adjusted slightly to conform to individual figure differences.

1–14. Privately-owned protective/reflective clothing. *a. Protective headgear.* Local commanders will authorize the wearing of commercial design protective headgear with the uniform for personnel operating motorcycles and like vehicles, or when required by law, or when otherwise needed for safety.

b. Protective/reflective clothing. Commanders will authorize the wear of protective/reflective outer garments with the uniform when safety considerations make it appropriate.

1–15. Color of ornamentation and insignia for detailed officers. The colors of the ornamentation on the various dress uniforms of officers who are detailed to duty with branches other than their basic branch, including the General Staff, will conform to the colors of their basic branch. The insignia worn will be the insignia of the branch in which detailed.

CHAPTER 2

RESPONSIBILITIES

2–1. Enlisted personnel. All enlisted personnel are responsible for maintaining their initial clothing allowances, and supplemental clothing allowances when issued, as prescribed in AR 700–84 or CTA 50–900. Each enlisted person is responsible for insuring that his or her uniform and insignia are in conformance with this regulation.

2–2. Commissioned and warrant officers. All officers are responsible for procuring and maintaining minimum quantities of the uniform contained in appendix C appropriate to their assigned duties. Each officer is responsible for insuring that his or her uniform and insignia are in conformance with this regulation.

2–3. Commanders. *a.* MACOM commanders may designate the prescribed or authorized uniform, as described in this regulation, to be worn within their respective commands by all Army personnel, except as follows:

(1) The installation commander may prescribe the uniform to be worn in formations.

(2) The commander of units on maneuver may prescribe the uniform to be worn within the maneuver area.

b. Commanders will not require individuals to purchase optional items of uniform. However, commanders will not restrict or discourage individuals from wearing optional items of uniform authorized by this regulation.

c. Oversea commanders may publish detailed uniform regulations, including the wear of civilian clothing in conjunction with appendix E, as circumstances warrant. However, commanders will not require individuals to wear any uniform item not authorized by this regulation.

d. It is the distinct duty of every commander to conduct periodic inspections to insure that all personnel under their command—

(1) Possess the minimum quantity of approved uniforms prescribed in this regulation, AR 700–84, and applicable common tables of allowances.

(2) Are properly fitted with neat and correct uniforms.

(3) Wear only prescribed and authorized uniforms and heraldic items.

(4) Wear only uniform and heraldic items which have been produced by certified manufacturers and meet specifications for quality and design.

2–4. Responsibilities of individuals purchasing uniforms, uniform items, and heraldic items. It is the responsibility of each individual who purchases uniforms, uniform items, or heraldic items to insure that the items conform to appropriate military specifications or are manufactured in accordance with the Uniform Quality Control System or the Heraldic Quality Control System.

a. All uniform, uniform items, and heraldic items purchased from Army clothing sales stores must conform to appropriate military specifications.

b. All uniform and uniform items purchased from Post Exchanges or other commercial sources must contain a label certifying that the item has been manufactured under a certificate issued by the United States Army Uniform Quality Control Office.

c. All heraldic items purchased from Post Exchanges or other commercial sources must contain a hallmark or label certifying that the item was produced in accordance with the appropriate military specification by a manufacturer certified by The Institute of Heraldry, US Army.

d. All individuals purchasing uniform or insignia items from commercial sources must exercise caution to insure the items conform to the above requirements.

2–5. Responsibilities of manufacturers and suppliers of uniform and heraldic items. *a. Responsibilities of uniform manufacturers.* It is the responsibility of manufacturers of uniform items to—

(1) Obtain certification required under the Uniform Quality Control System from the US Army Uniform Quality Control Office, US Natick Research and Development Laboratories, Natick, MA 01760, before manufacturing any uniform items for

sale.

(2) Affix the following label certifying the uniform items were manufactured in accordance with the Uniform Quality Control System prior to offering the items for sale: "This garment is warranted to meet or exceed the standards of specification number _____ , and was produced under certificate number ____ , from basic material warranted by the manufacturer as having been produced in accordance with the sample under current certification."

(3) Familiarize themselves with Army specifications, purchase descriptions, shade standards, and other pertinent information and submit required samples and information to the Uniform Quality Control Office for approval.

b. Responsibilities of heraldic manufacturers. It is the responsibility of manufacturers and sellers of heraldic items to—

(1) Obtain a certificate of authority to manufacture from The Institute of Heraldry, US Army, Cameron Station, Alexandria, VA 22314, in accordance with AR 672–8 before manufacturing heraldic items. The manufacturers, sale and wear of military decorations, medals, badges, or colorable imitations of them are governed by Section 704, Title 18, United States Code. The manufacture, sale, possession and reproduction of badges, identification cards, insignia or other designs or colorable imitations of them are governed by 701, Title 18, United States Code.

(2) Sell only articles which have been manufactured in conformance with Government specifications by certified manufacturers, using Government loaned tools and bearing hallmarks assigned by The Institute of Heraldry, US Army.

2–6. Restrictions on the purchase, possession, and reproduction of heraldic items. *a. Heraldic items authorized for purchase and possession.* The heraldic items listed below are authorized for purchase and possession. Variations from the prescribed specifications for these heraldic items are not permitted without the prior approval of The Institute of Heraldry, US Army.

(1) All insignia approved by HQDA.

(2) Appurtenances and devices for attachment to decorations, service metals, and ribbons.

(3) Miniature replicas of decorations, service medals, and ribbons.

(4) Oversize replicas of decorations and service medals for grave markers only. These replicas must be at least twice the size prescribed for the decoration or service medal.

(5) Ribbons pertaining to decorations and service medals.

(6) Unit award emblems, fourrageres, and the orange lanyard.

(7) Combat, special skill, and marksmanship badges, including miniatures and dress miniatures.

(8) Identification badges.

(9) Rosettes and lapel buttons.

b. Heraldic items not authorized for purchase. The heraldic items listed below are not authorized for purchase.

(1) Regular-size decorations and service medals.

(2) Items incorporating designs or likenesses of decorations, service medals, and service ribbons.

c. Possession, wearing, and other use of heraldic items.

(1) The possession of any of the items listed in *a* above or elsewhere in this regulation is authorized. The wearing of any decoration, service medal, badge, service ribbon, lapel button, or insignia prescribed by DA by persons not authorized to do so, or their use to defraud, or to misrepresent the identification or status of a person is prohibited. Persons violating this provision are subject to punishment under the statutes listed in Sections 701 and 704, Title 18, United States Code.

(2) No organization, society, or other group of persons may use any of the articles specified in *a* above or elsewhere in this regulation, or colorable imitations thereof, without the written approval of the Secretary of the Army.

d. Reproductions of heraldic items.

(1) Reproductions of heraldic items listed in *a* above may not be made unless in accordance with AR 672–8.

(2) Certain designs of likenesses of insignia and specified badges such as combat, special skill, and marksmanship badges may be incorporated in articles manufactured for sale provided permission has been granted in writing from The Institute of Heraldry, US Army.

2–7. Responsibilities for the Uniform Quality Control System. *a. Items controlled.* The Uniform Quality Control System applies to all optional uniforms and uniform items approved by HQDA.

b. Responsible command. The command responsible for the implementation of the Uniform Quality Control System is the US Army Materiel

Development and Readiness Command (DARCOM).

c. Operation of the Uniform Quality Control System in CONUS. The office responsible for monitoring the Uniform Quality Control System in CONUS is the US Army Uniform Quality Control Office, Natick Research and Development Laboratories, Natick, MA 01760. This office will—

(1) Publish and disseminate periodic bulletins to the textile and garment industries to provide guidance and information about changes in military specifications, uniform regulations, or adoption of new uniform items.

(2) Furnish specifications, purchase descriptions, patterns, shade standards, and other information about uniforms when requested, to industry.

(3) Receive and examine samples from textile manufacturers, custom tailors, military tailors, and others producing optional uniforms and uniform items.

(4) Issue certificates of authority to manufacturers whose samples meet or exceed standards established by specifications or purchase descriptions. Certificates will be supplemented by documents showing the specific items of uniform clothing the manufacturer is authorized to produce. A list of certified manufacturers will be furnished to the Army and Air Force Exchange Service. Certificates may be revoked or suspended (para 2–9).

d. Operation of the Uniform Quality Control System overseas. The Uniform Quality Control System will be monitored overseas as follows:

(1) MACOM commanders will establish a Uniform Quality Control Office or a Service point of contact to provide indigenous textile and uniform producers with appropriate information about optional uniforms and uniform items. A local Uniform Quality Control Office is authorized where workload warrants and facilities are available. Service points of contact will be established when a Uniform Quality Control Office is not warranted.

(2) Uniform Quality Control Offices overseas will perform the same duties described in *c* above.

(3) The Service points of contact will provide information and requirements to manufacturers and will receive for inspection an 8-inch by 10-inch sample of fabric, together with an independent laboratory test report, from textile manufacturers, and samples of uniforms and uniform items from garment makers. These will be sent to the US Army Uniform Quality Control Office, Natick Research and Development Laboratories, Natick, MA 01760, for evaluation. When samples are approved and returned, the Service point of contact will issue appropriate quality control certificates.

2–8. Responsibility for the Heraldic Quality Control System. *a. Items controlled.* The Heraldic Quality Control System applies to all heraldic items approved by HQDA.

b. Responsible organization. The organization responsible for the implementation of the Heraldic Quality Control System is The Institute of Heraldry, US Army, Cameron Station, Alexandria, VA 22314.

c. Operation of the Heraldic Quality Control System. The Institute of Heraldry will monitor the Heraldic Quality Control System to insure that heraldic items are manufactured according to government specifications or purchase descriptions.

2–9. Revocation or suspension of certificates for uniform or heraldic quality control violations. *a. Revocation or suspension of certificates for uniform quality control violations.*

(1) The Commander, US Army Natick Research and Development Laboratories is responsible for monitoring the performance of manufacturers who have been issued certificates for the manufacture of uniform clothing items. A certificate may be revoked or suspended when it is found—

(*a*) That the certificate holder has violated any of the conditions under which the certificate was issued.

(*b*) That direct dealing by personnel of the US Army Natick Research and Development Laboratories with the certificate holder would violate law, regulation, or Executive order.

(2) The minimum revocation period for the certificate holder will be 1 year.

b. Revocation or suspension of certificates for heraldic quality control violations. The Institute of Heraldry, US Army, is responsible for monitoring the performance of manufacturers in accordance with AR 672–8.

2–10. Responsibilities of other agencies. Responsibilities for life cycle management of Army uniforms will be in accordance with AR 670–2.

PART II

MEN'S SERVICE, DRESS, FIELD, AND WORK UNIFORMS AND ACCESSORIES

CHAPTER 3

ARMY TAN UNIFORM—MEN'S

3–1. Authorization for wear. The Army tan uniform is authorized for wear by all male personnel.

Note. The Army green shade 415 long and short-sleeve shirt, when worn as an outer garment with the Army green tousers, has replaced the Army tan shade 445 uniform which is authorized for wear until 30 September 1985.

3–2. Composition. The Army tan uniform is comprised of a durable-press tan shade 445 short-sleeve shirt and tan trousers. For other accessories and accouterments see appendix A.

3–3. Occasions for wear. May be worn by all male personnel when on duty, off duty, and during travel.

3–4. Materials. Both the short-sleeve shirt and trousers will be of the same material.

a. Polyester/rayon blended fabrics in twill weave, 6.8-ounce weight, Army tan shade 445, durable press.

b. Polyester/cotton blended fabrics in tropical weave, 6.8-ounce weight, Army tan shade 445, durable press.

3–5. Trousers, tan. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The trousers will be straight legged, without cuffs, and with side and hip pockets. The left hip pocket has a buttonhole tab and button.

3–6. Shirt, tan. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

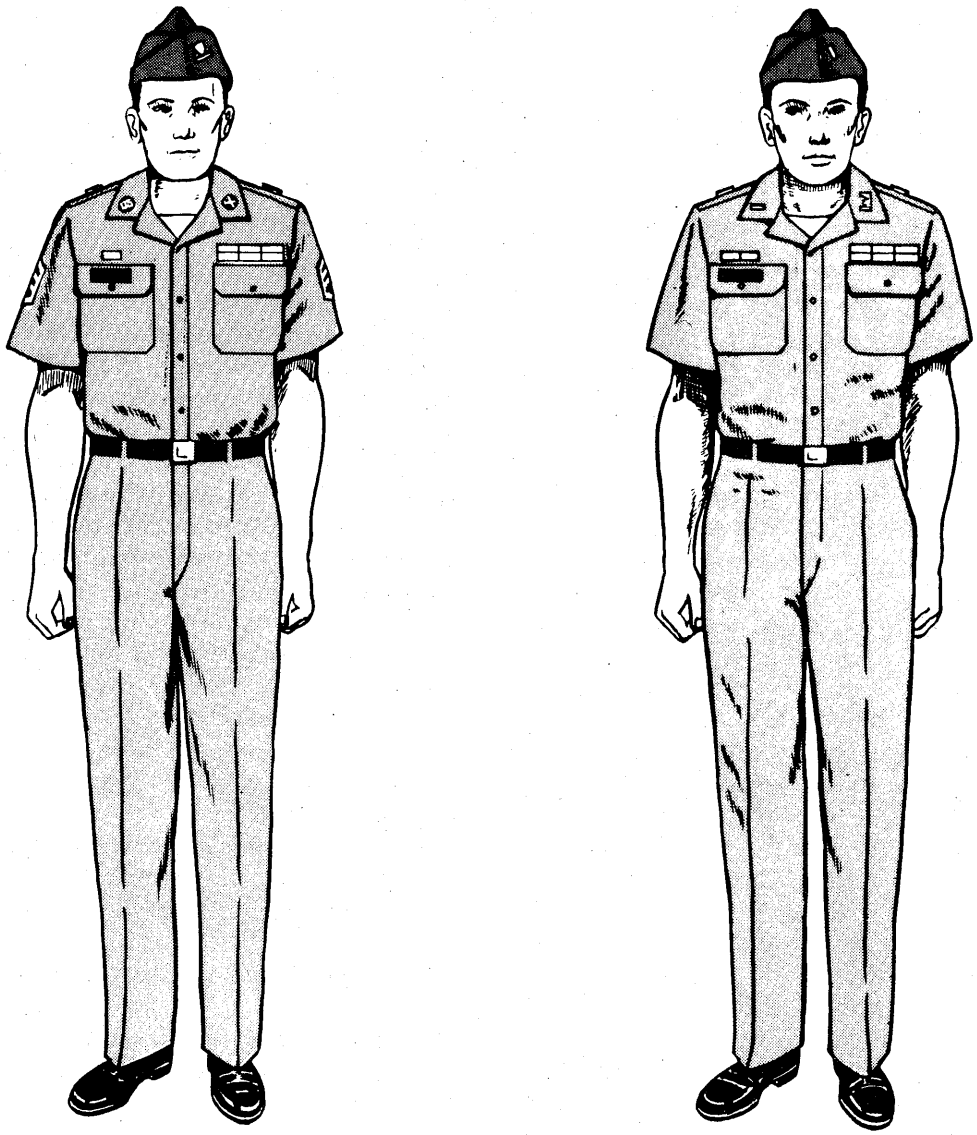
b. General description. An open neck shirt with the collar leaves lying open and flat in front of the neck, having no button or buttonhole at the neck. On each shoulder will be a shoulder loop of the same material as the shirt.

3–7. Headgear. The Army green garrison cap or Army green service cap is authorized for wear with the Army tan uniform.

3–8. Shade matching of the Army tan uniform. Because of the technology of durable-press processing, it has become necessary for the US Army to permit a wider shade tolerance range for the Army tan uniform than for other uniforms. The Army tan shade 445 durable-press uniforms being offered for sale by any approved outlet are all within acceptable shade range and are therefore approved for wear by US Army personnel.

3–9. Items worn on the uniform. Only the below listed items are authorized for wear on the Army tan uniform:

a. Headgear insignia.
b. U.S. insignia (enlisted only).
c. Insignia of grade.
d. Insignia of branch.
e. Combat leaders identification.
f. Distinctive unit insignia.
g. Distinctive items authorized for infantry personnel.
h. Distinctive items authorized for other than infantry personnel.
i. Branch of Service scarves.
j. Aiguillette, Service.
k. Nameplate.
l. Decoration ribbons, full size.
m. Service medal ribbons, full size.
n. Unit awards.
o. Fourragere.
p. Badges; Identification, Marksmanship, Combat, and Special Skill, full size and miniature, and tabs.



Enlisted Officer

Figure 3–1. Army tan uniform.

CHAPTER 4

ARMY GREEN UNIFORMS—MEN'S

4–1. Authorization for wear. The Army green uniform is authorized for year-round wear by all male personnel. It is the normal service uniform during the winter season.

4–2. Composition. The Army green uniform is comprised of an Army green coat and trousers, an Army green shade 415 or Army tan shade 446 shirt, and a black four-in-hand necktie. For other accessories and accouterments see appendix A.

4–3. Occasions for wear. *a.* May be worn by all male personnel when on duty, off duty, or during travel. The uniform is also acceptable for social functions after retreat (app. c).

b. May also be worn at formal social functions by male enlisted personnel when worn with a white shirt and black bow tie.

4–4. Materials. *a. Coat and trousers.*

(1) Wool serge, 12- or 15-ounce weight, Army green shade 44.

(2) Wool elastique, 16-ounce weight, Army green shade 44.

(3) Wool gabardine, 11-ounce weight, Army green shade 44.

(4) Polyester/wool blended gabardine weave, 11-ounce weight, Army green shade 344.

(5) Polyester/wool, torpical weight, blended fabric in plain weave, Army green shade 344.

(6) Polyester/wool, serge, 11-ounce weight, Army green shade 344.

(7) Polyester/wool elastique blended fabric in double knit, 16-ounce weight, Army green shade 444.

(8) Polyester textured woven serge, 9.9-ounce weight, Army green shade 434.

b. Headgear.

(1) *Garrison Cap.* All male personnel. Material may be any of the materials listed for the coat and trousers in *a* above.

(2) *Service Cap.*

(*a*) *Officers.* Fur felt, 9-ounce weight, Army green shade 244.

(*b*) *Enlisted personnel.* Material may be any of the materials listed for the coat and trousers in *a* above.

4–5. Coat, Army green. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. A single-breasted, peaked-lapel, four-button coat extending below the crotch, fitting easily over the chest and shoulders, with a slight draped effect in front and back. The coat will be fitted slightly at the waist conforming to the figure without tightness and with no prominent flare.

e. Coat sleeve ornamentation.

(1) *General officers.* Will have a band of black mohair or mercerized cotton braid, 1½ inches wide, sewn on each sleeve with the lower edge parallel to and 3 inches above the bottom edge of each sleeve.

(2) *Other officers.* Will have a band of black mohair or mercerized cotton braid, ¾-inch wide, sewn on each sleeve with the lower edge parallel to and 3 inches above the bottom edge of each sleeve.

(3) *Enlisted personnel.* Will be without braid.

4–6. Trousers, Army green. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The trousers will be straight legged without cuffs and with side and hip pockets. The left hip pocket has a buttonhole tab and button.

c. Trouser leg ornamentation. Braid will be sewn on each outside seam of the trouser leg from the bottom of the waistband to the bottom of the trouser leg as follows:

(1) *General officers.* Two ½-inch-wide black mohair, polyester, or mercerized cotton braids sewn ½-inch apart on each trouser leg.

(2) *Other officers.* One 1½-inch black mohair, polyester or mercerized cotton braid sewn on each trouser leg.

(3) *Enlisted personnel.* Will be without braid.

4–7. Shirt, green, tan, or white. An Army green shade 415 or Army tan shade 446 long or short sleeve shirt will be worn with the Army green uniform. Enlisted personnel may also wear a commercial long sleeve white shirt when attending social functions in the Army green uniform. (See para 11–19 for complete descriptions.)

Note. The Army green shade 415 shirt has replaced the Army tan shade 446 shirt, which is authorized for wear until 30 September 1985.

4–8. Headgear. *a. Garrison cap, Army green.*

(1) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

(2) *Ornamental braid.* Garrison cap braid refers to the piping used for additional identification purposes that is secured to the tip edge of the curtain of the garrison cap. The type of braid on the garrison cap is as follows:

(*a*) *General officers.* Will have a cord edge braid of gold bullion or synthetic metallic gold yarn.

(*b*) *Other commissioned officers.* Will have a cord edge braid of gold bullion or synthetic metallic gold yarn with black rayon or black polyester intertwined.

(*c*) *Warrant officers.* Will have a cord edge braid of silver bullion or synthetic metallic silver yarn or silver rayon with black rayon or black polyester intertwined.

(*d*) *Enlisted personnel.* Will have a cord edge braid of the same material as the cap, Army green shade 344.

(3) *Wear.* The garrison cap may be worn by all enlisted personnel with the Army green uniform and Army green shade 415 shirt when worn as an outer garment with the Army green trousers; and by officer personnel with the Army green uniform, while in a travel status or assigned to airborne or air assault units, and the Army green shade 415 shirt when worn as an outer garment with the Army green trousers.

(4) *Proper wear position.* The garrison cap will be worn with the front vertical crease of the cap centered on the forehead, in a straight line with the nose. The cap will be tilted slightly to the right, but in no case will the side of the cap rest on the top of the ear. The cap will be placed on the head in such a manner that the front and rear vertical creases and the top edge of the crown form unbroken lines in silhouette. The crown of the cap will not be crushed or shaped to form peaks at the top front or top rear of the cap.

b. Service cap, Army green.

(1) Design. Of approved specification or pattern. Officers are authorized at their option to wear the cap frame with a removable cover.

(2) *Visor and visor ornamentation.* The visor will be of plain black leather, lined with embossed hatters green prime leather; on an optional basis, poromeric material with a leather finish is authorized. The visor ornamentation is as follows:

(*a*) *General and field grade officers.* The top of the visor will be black cloth with two arcs of oak leaves in groups of two, embroidered in gold bullion or synthetic metallic gold yarn or manufactured from anodized aluminum in 24-karat gold color.



Figure 4–1. Service cap, green, General and field grade officer.

(*b*) *Company grade officers, warrant officers, and enlisted personnel.* The top of the visor will be of plain black shell cordovan or shell cordovan finish leather, resin treated, with a waterproof edge.



Figure 4–2. Service cap, green, company grade officers.



Figure 4–3. Service cap, green, warrant officers.



Figure 4–4. Service cap, green, enlisted personnel.

(3) *Chinstrap and chinstrap ornamentation.* The chinstrap will be two straps, each ½ inch in width by 10 inches in length, with one end of each strap forming a slide and the other end of each strap fastened to the cap at each end of the visor. The chinstrap ornamentation is as follows:

(*a*) *Officers.* The chinstrap will be of natural or light brown, full grain pigskin or sheepskin, nonbleeding, with pointed ends, covered with two vellum gold wire lace or synthetic metallic gold lace or a one-piece strap manufactured from anodized aluminum in 24-karat gold color.

(*b*) *Enlisted personnel.* The chinstrap will be of plain black leather matching the visor in appearance with rounded ends. Poromeric material with a leather finish is authorized.

(4) *Cap insignia.* Insignia will be worn on the service cap, secured through the front eyelet provided thereon, as follows:

(*a*) *Commissioned officers.* The insignia will be the Coat of Arms of the United states, 2⅜ inches in height, and of gold color metal.

(*b*) *Warrant officers.* The insignia will be an eagle rising with wings displayed, standing on a bundle of two arrows, all inclosed in a wreath. The insignia will be 1½ inches in height and of gold color metal.

(*c*) *Enlisted personnel.* The insignia will be a plain gold color disk, 1½ inches in diameter, with a gold color metal Coat of Arms of the United States superimposed thereon.

(5) *Wear.* The Army green service cap may be worn by all male Army personnel with the Army green, and Army tan uniforms. However, it is mandatory wear by officer personnel with the Army green uniform coat. The Service cap may also be worn with the Army green shade 415 shirt when worn as an outer garment with the Army green trousers.

(6) *Proper wear position.* The service cap will be worn straight on the head so that the braid hat band on the service cap creates a straight line around the head parallel to the ground. Such positioning of the service cap automatically positions the visor correctly so that it does not interfere with vision or ride up on the forehead. The shape of the service cap will not be altered in any manner.

4–9. Items worn on the uniform. *a.* Only the below listed items are authorized for wear on the Army green uniform:

(1) Headgear insignia.
(2) U.S. insignia.
(3) Insignia of grade.
(4) Insignia of branch.
(5) Shoulder sleeve insignia current assignment.
(6) Shoulder sleeve insignia, former wartime unit.
(7) Combat leaders identification.
(8) Distinctive unit insignia.
(9) Distinctive items authorized for infantry personnel.
(10) Distinctive items authorized for other than infantry personnel.
(11) Branch of Service scarves.
(12) Service stripes (enlisted personnel only).
(13) Oversea Service bars.
(14) Aiguillette, Service.
(15) Nameplate.
(16) Decoration ribbons, full size.
(17) Service Medal ribbons, full size.
(18) Unit awards.
(19) Fourragere.
(20) Badges: Identification, Marksmanship, Combat, and Special Skill, full size or miniature, and tabs.

b. Enlisted personnel will wear their insignia of grade, service stripes, and oversea service bars on an Army green background of the same shade as the uniform.

c. Full size medals may be worn when the Army green uniform is worn as a social uniform.

4–10. Items worn on the Army green shirt. *a.* The following items will be worn on the Army green shade 415 long or short sleeve shirt when worn with the Army green uniform coat:

(1) Black four-in-hand tie.
(2) Chaplains insignia of branch, silver color (cross or tablet).
(3) Green shoulder marks (officers only).
(4) Black shoulder marks (enlisted; CPL or higher).
(5) Pin-on insignia of grade, polished brass, (enlisted; SP4 and lower).

Note. Enlisted personnel in grade of CPL or higher may continue to wear insignia of rank on the collar until shoulder mark is issued at time of promotion or until 30 September 1983 , whichever occurs earlier.

(6) Nameplate. (see para 1-13 for complete description.)

b. The following items will be worn on the Army green shade 415 long or short sleeve shirt when worn as an outer garment with the Army green trousers, windbreaker, raincoat, or black all-weather coat:

(1) Black four-in-hand tie (Optional with short-sleeved shirt).
(2) Green shoulder marks (officers only).
(3) Black shoulder marks (enlisted; CPL and higher).
(4) Chaplains insignia of branch, silver color (cross or tablet).
(5) Military police badge or recruiter badge (attached with fob).
(6) Pin-on insignia of grade, polished brass (enlisted; SP4 and lower).

Note. Enlisted personnel in grade of CPL or higher may continue to wear insignia of rank on the collar until shoulder mark is issued at time of promotion or until 30 September 1983, whichever occurs earlier.

(7) Nameplate. (See para 1-13 for complete description.)

c. MACOM commanders may authorize optional wear of awards and decorations on the Army green shade 415 shirts for personnel assigned and physically present in clothing zone 1 as defined in CTA 50-900. A plastic backing may be worn on the inside of the shirt to provide additional support if necessary.

d. Shoulder marks for officers are green AS 344 with a ⅛-inch yellow stripe below the embroidered insignia of grade. Shoulder marks for enlisted personnel are black with the applicable insignia of grade embroidered five-eighths inch from the lower end of the shoulder mark. Shoulder marks are of two sizes:

(1) *Large.* 2⅛ inches wide at the base and 4¼ inches in length tapering to 1¾ inches wide at the top.

(2) *Small.* 2⅛ inches wide at the base and 3½ inches in length tapering to 1¾ inches wide at the top.

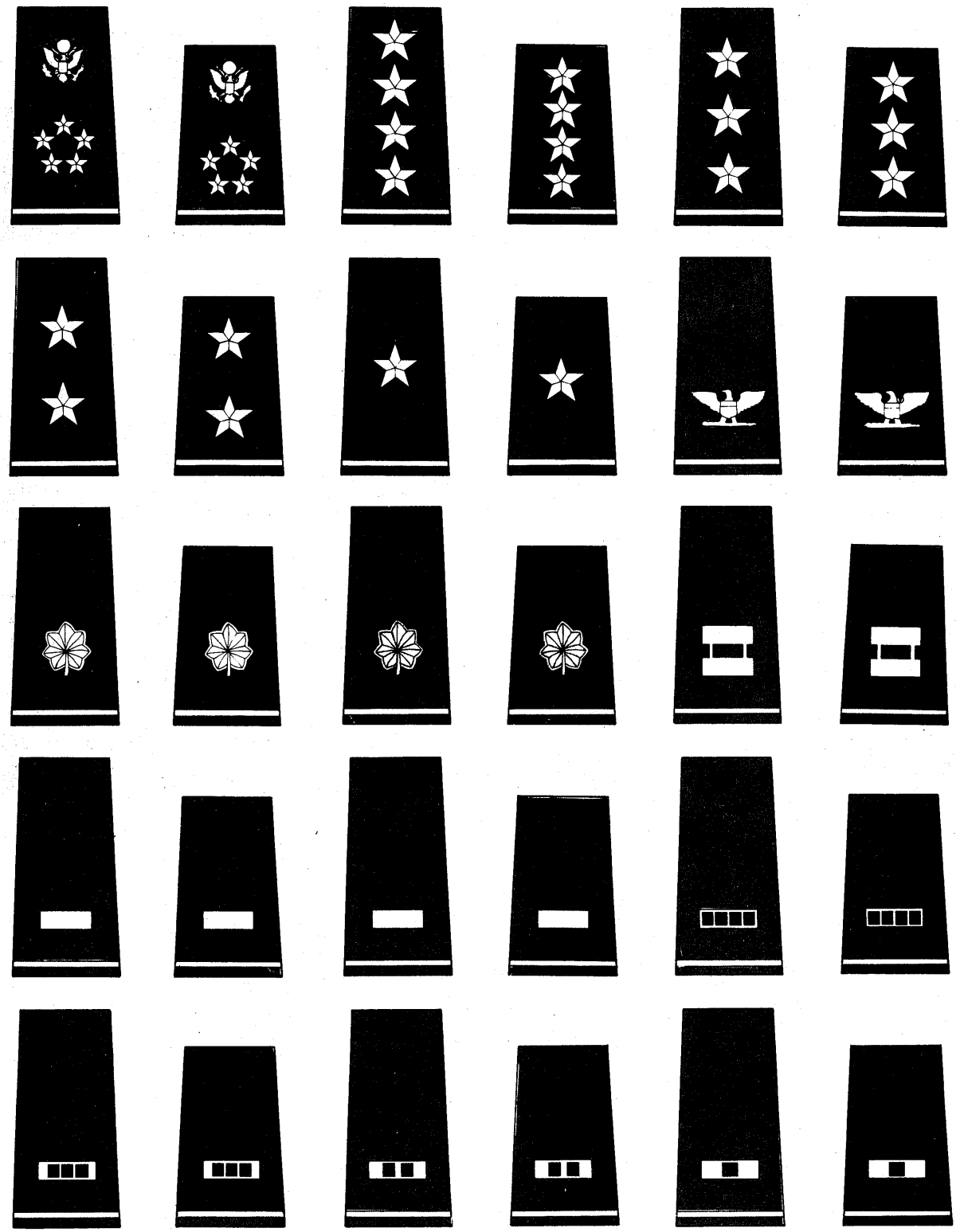


Figure 4–5. Shoulder marks, general officers, field and company grade, warrant officers.

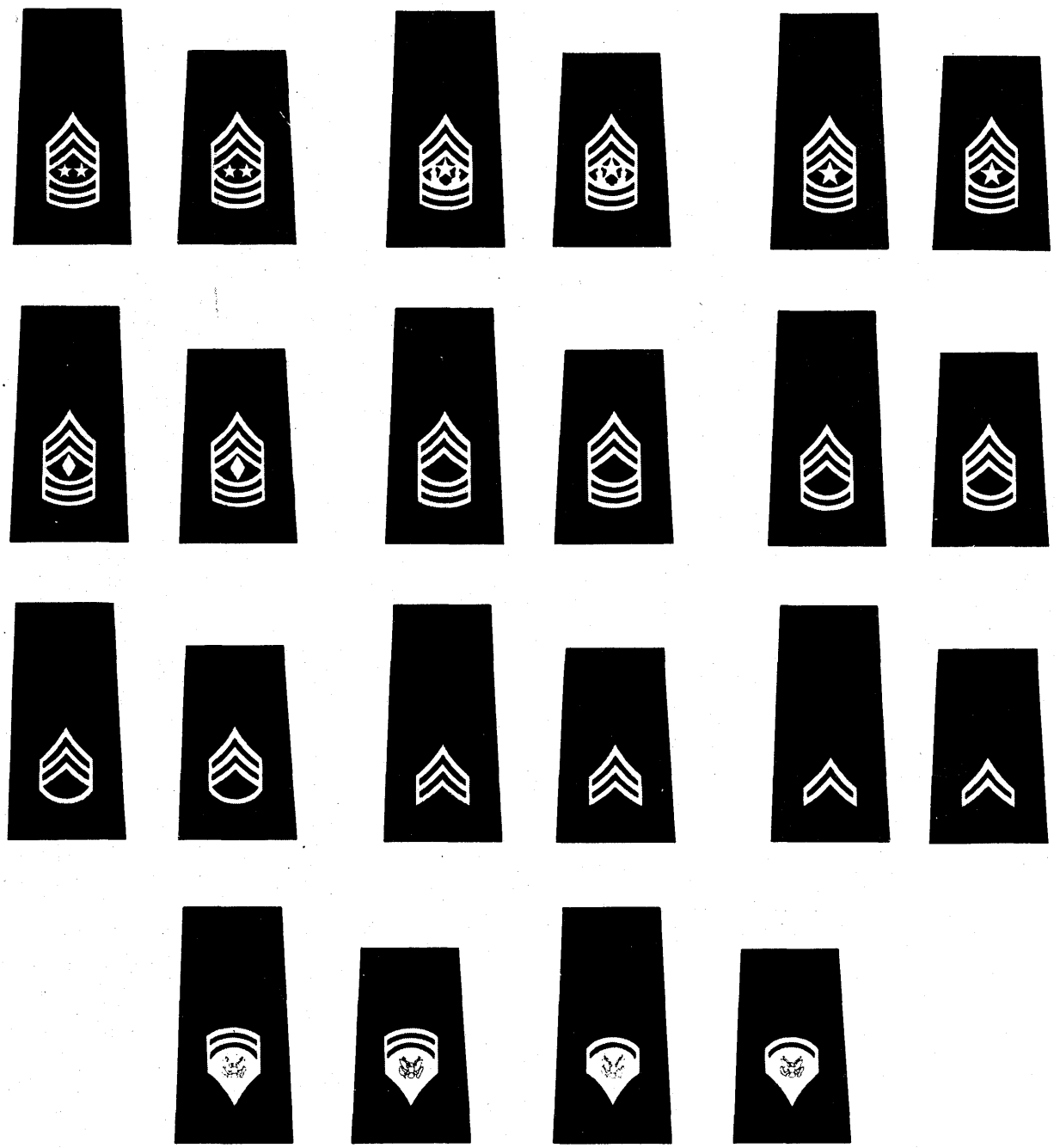
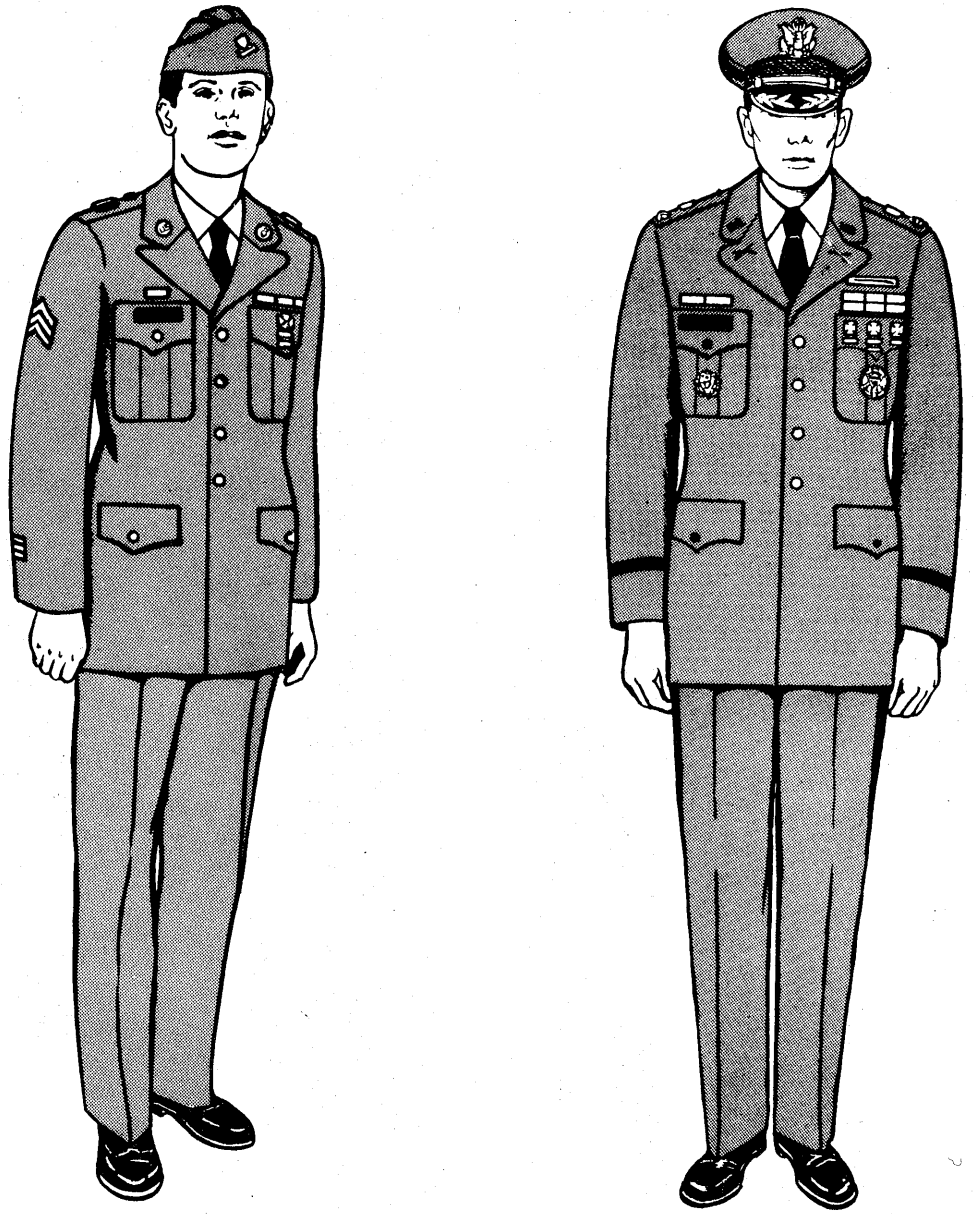


Figure 4–6. Shoulder marks, enlisted.



Enlisted Officer

Figure 4–7. Army green uniform.

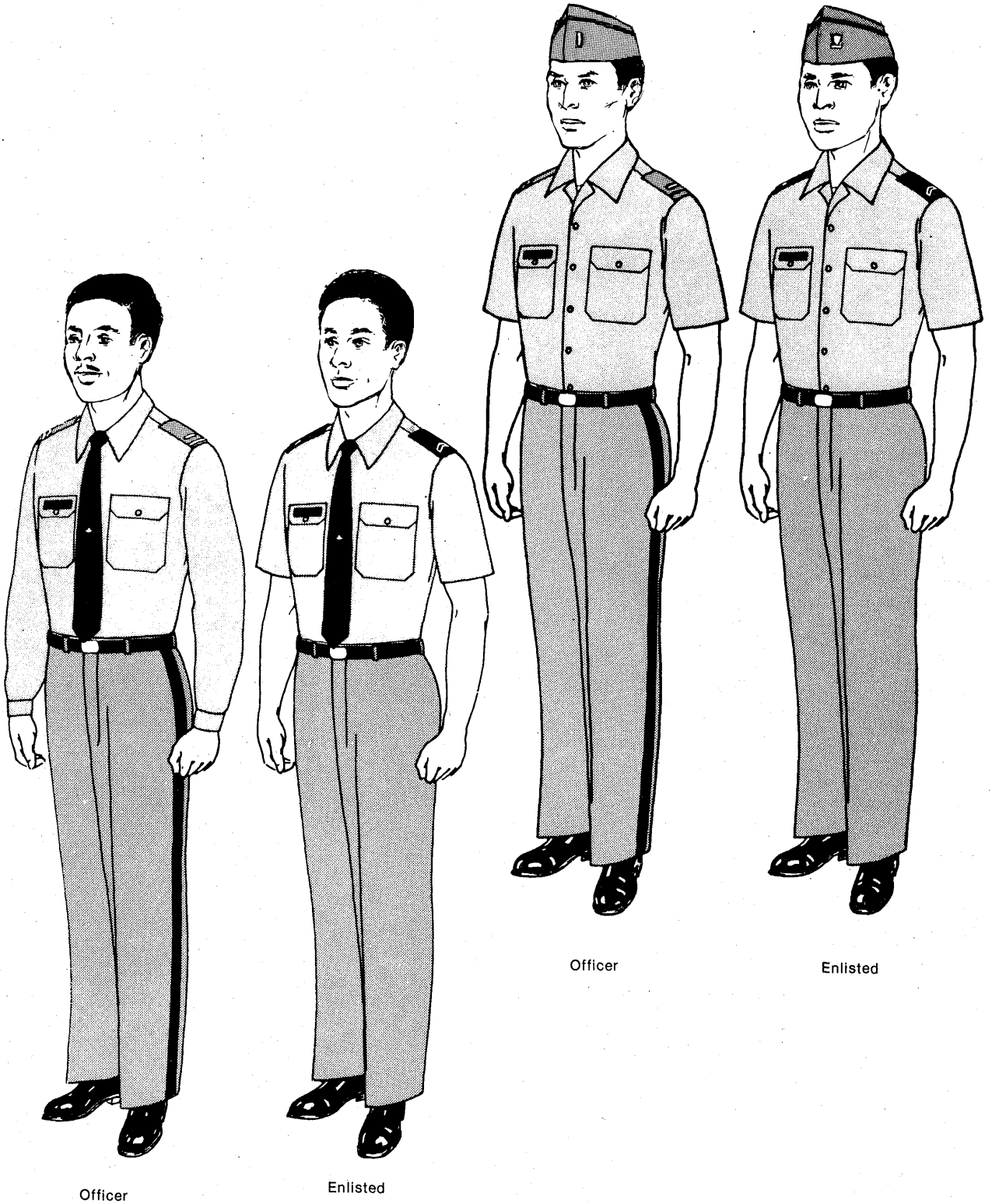


Figure 4–8. Army green shirt.

CHAPTER 5

ARMY WHITE UNIFORM-MEN'S

5–1. Authorization for wear. The Army white uniform is authorized for optional year-round wear by all male personnel except as follows:

Officers serving in clothing allowance zones I and II, as defined in CTA 50-900, may be required by their major commander to own the Army white uniform and wear it on appropriate occasions. Excepted are nonregular Army officers who have 2 years or less to serve on their current tour of active duty or category commitment.

5–2. Composition. The Army white uniform is comprised of an Army white coat and trousers and a white shirt and black bow-tie or black four-in-hand necktie. For other accessories and accouterments see appendix A.

5–3. Occasions for wear. *a. Officers.*

(1) On duty as prescribed by local commanders in those areas where possession of this uniform is mandatory, and off duty as appropriate.

(2) On duty and off duty in all other areas, when appropriate, as desired by the individual officer.

b. Enlisted personnel. On duty when authorized by the local commander and off duty when appropriate.

c. How worn. The Army white uniform may be worn with either the black bow-tie or the black four-in-hand necktie. When worn with a black bow-tie, the Army white uniform constitutes a dress uniform and corresponds to a civilian summer tuxedo. When worn with a black four-in-hand necktie, the Army white uniform is an informal uniform.

5–4. Materials. *a.* Cotton uniform twill, 8.2-ounce weight, white.

b. Polyester/wool blended fabrics in tropical weave, 9-ounce weight, white.

c. Polyester/viscose blended fabrics in gabardine weave, 8-ounce weight, white.

d. Polyester, textured woven serge, 6.5-ounce weight, white.

5–5. Coat, Army white. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. A single-breasted, peaked lapel, four-button coat extending below the crotch, fitting easily over the chest and shoulders with a slight draped effect in front and back. The coat will be fitted slightly at the waist conforming to the figure without tightness and with no prominent flare.

c. Coat sleeve ornamentation.

(1) *Officers.* Will have a band of white mohair braid or white mercerized cotton braide, one-half inch wide, sewn on each sleeve, with the lower edge parallel to and 3 inches above the bottom edge of each sleeve.

(2) *Enlisted personnel.* Will be without braid.

5–6. Trousers, Army white. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The trousers will be straight legged, without cuffs, and with front and hip pockets cut in civilian style. Trousers made from 100 percent polyester should be lined.

c. Trouser leg ornamentation. There will be no ornamentation on the Army white trousers.

5–7. Shirt, white. A commercial long sleeve white shirt with barrel or french cuffs and standard turndown collar will be worn with the Army white uniform. (see para 11-19*d* for complete description.)

5–8. Service cap, army white. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern. Officers are authorized at their option to wear the cap frame with removable cover of the same material as the rest of the uniform.

b. Visor and visor ornamentation. The visor will be of plain black leather, lined with embossed hatters green prime leather; on an optional basis, poromeric material with a leather finish is authorized. The visor ornamentation is as follows:

(1) *General and field grade officers.* The top of the visor will be black cloth with two arcs of oak leaves in groups of two, embroidered in gold bullion or synthetic metallic gold yarn or manufactured from anodized aluminum in 24-karat gold color.

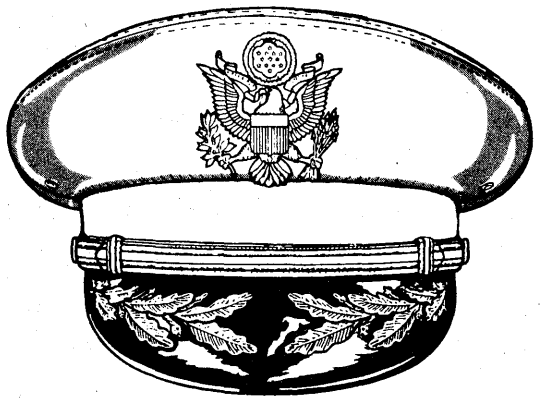


Figure 5–1. Service cap, white, general and field grade officers.

(2) *Company grade officers, warrant officers, and enlisted personnel.* The top of the visor will be of plain black shell cordovan or shell cordovan finish leather, resin treated, with a waterproof edge.

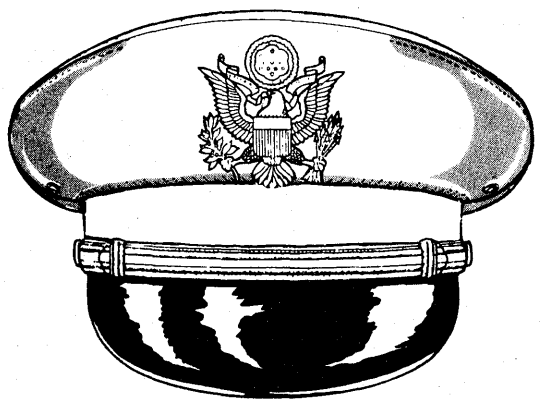


Figure 5–2. Service cap, white, company grade officers.

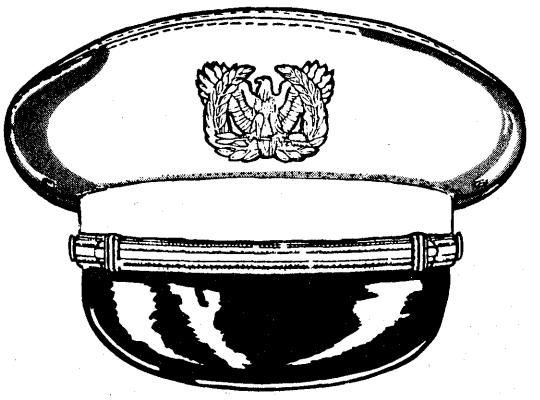


Figure 5–3. Service cap, white, warrant officers.

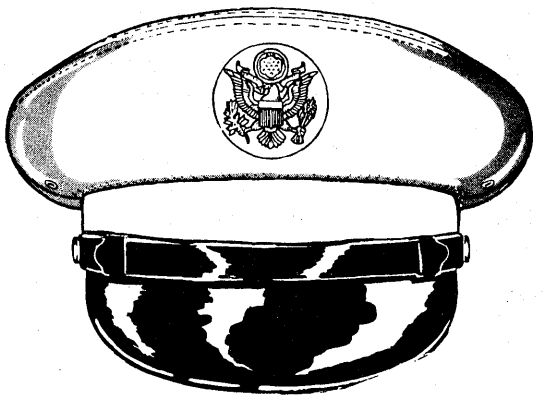


Figure 5–4. Service cap, white, enlisted personnel.

c. Chinstrap and chinstrap ornamentation. The chinstrap will be two straps, each ½ inch in width by 10 inches in length, with one end of each strap forming a slide and the other end of each strap fastened to the cap at each end of the visor. The chinstrap ornamentation is as follows:

(1) *Officers.* The chinstrap will be of natural or light brown, full grain pigskin or sheepskin, nonbleeding, with pointed ends, covered with two vellum gold wire lace or synthetic metallic gold yard or a one-piece strap manufactured from anodized aluminum in 24-karat gold color.

(2) *Enlisted personnel.* The chinstrap will be of plain black leather, matching the visor in appearance, with round ends; on an optional basis poromeric material with a leather finish is authorized.

d. Hatband. All personnel will wear a white mercerized cotton braid or white mohair braid, 1¾ inches in width, around the entire outside rim of the cap, with the bottom edge of the hatband being

covered with black cloth.

e. Cap insignia. Insignia will be worn on the service cap, secured through the front eyelet provided thereon, as follows:

(1) *Commissioned officers.* The insignia will be the Coat of Arms of the United States, 2⅜-inches in height, and of gold color metal.

(2) *Warrant officers.* The insignia will be an eagle rising with wings displayed, standing on a bundle of two arrows, all inclosed in a wreath. The insignia will be 1½ inches in height and of gold color metal.

(3) *Enlisted personnel.* The insignia will be a plain gold color disk, 1½ inches in diameter, with a gold color metal Coat of Arms of the United States superimposed thereon.

f. Wear. The Army white service cap will be worn by all male personnel with the Army white uniform and also by officers with the Army white mess uniform.

g. Proper wear position. The service cap will be worn straight on the head so that the white hat band on the cap creates a straight line around the head parallel to the ground. Such positioning of the service cap automatically positions the visor correctly so that it does not interfere with vision nor ride up on the forehead.

5–9. Items worn on the uniform. *a.* Only the below listed items are authorized for wear on the Army white uniform:

(1) Headgear insignia.
(2) U.S. insignia.
(3) Insignia of grade.
(4) Insignia of branch.
(5) Distinctive items authorized for infantry personnel.
(6) Aiguillette, Service.
(7) Aiguillette, dress (officers only).
(8) Service stripes (enlisted personnel only).
(9) Nameplate.
(10) Decorations, full size or miniature, or ribbons.
(11) Service Medals, full size or miniature, or ribbons.
(12) Unit awards.
(13) Fourragere.
(14) Badges; Identification, Marksmanship, Combat, and Special Skill, full size, miniature, or dress miniature.

b. Enlisted personnel will wear their insignia of grade and service stripes on an Army white background of the same shade as the uniform.

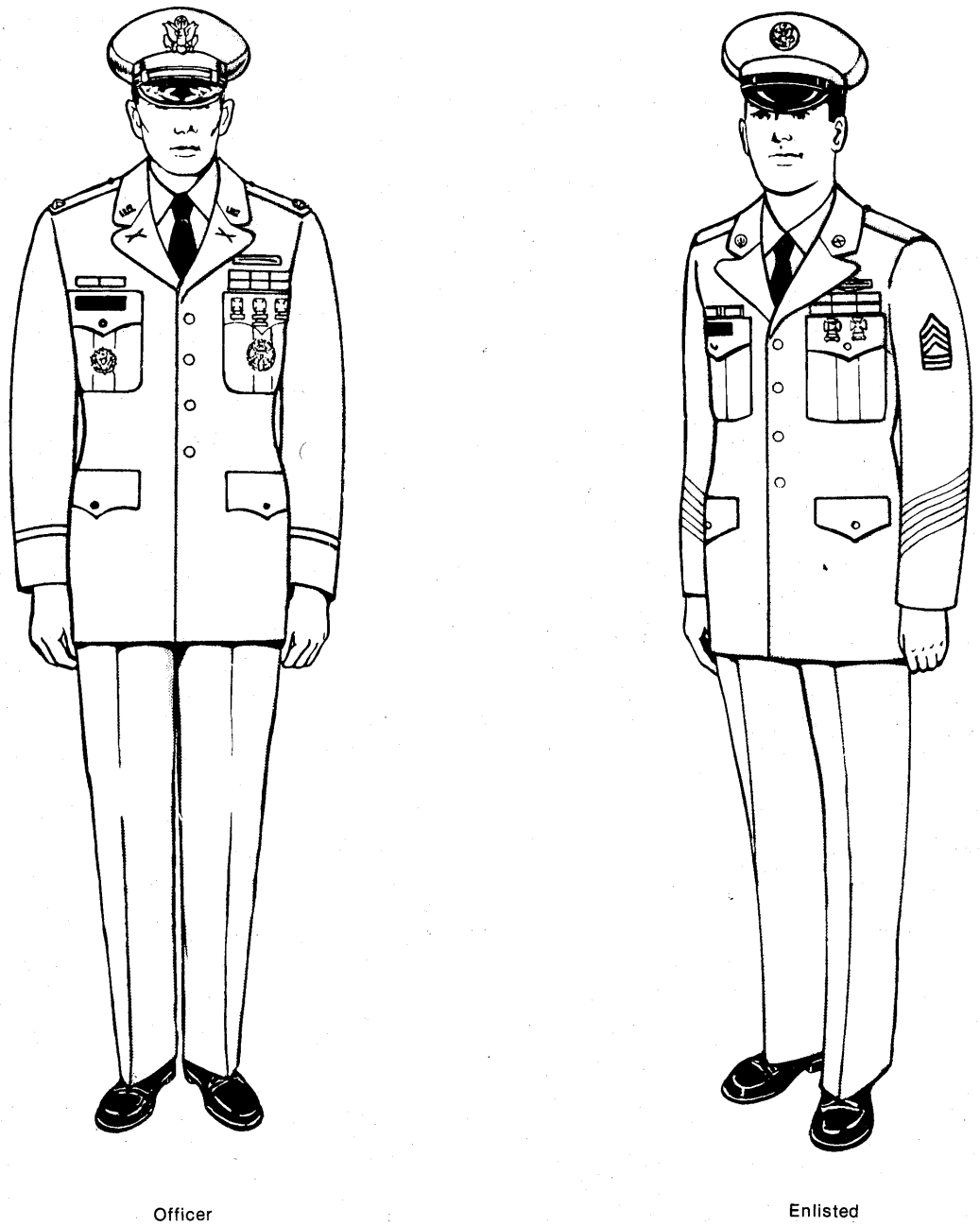


Figure 5-5. Army white uniforms.

CHAPTER 6

ARMY BLUE UNIFORM-MEN'S

6–1. Authorization for wear. *a.* The Army blue Uniform is authorized for year-round wear by all male personnel.

b. All officers will be required to own the Army blue uniform for wear on appropriate occasions. Excepted are officers on active duty for a period of 6 months or less who may purchase this uniform on an optional basis.

c. The Army blue uniform is authorized for optional wear by enlisted personnel.

6–2. Composition. The Army blue uniform is comprised of a dark blue coat, dark blue or light blue trousers, and a white turndown collar shirt with a black bow tie or black four-in-hand necktie. For other accessories and accouterments, see appendix A.

6–3. Occasions for wear. *a. Officers.*

(1) On duty, as prescribed by local commanders.

(2) Off duty, for social functions.

(3) On other appropriate occasions, as desired by the individual officer.

b. Enlisted personnel. On duty, when authorized by the local commander, and off duty as appropriate.

c. How worn. The Army blue uniform may be worn with either the black bow tie or the black four-in-hand necktie. When worn with a black bow tie the Army blue uniform constitutes a formal uniform and corresponds to a civilian tuxedo. When worn with a black four-in-hand necktie, the Army blue uniform is an informal uniform.

6–4. Materials. *a. Coat.*

(1) Wool barathea, 14-ounce weight, dark blue, Army shade 150.

(2) Wool gabardine, 11- or 14.5-ounce weight, dark blue, Army shade 150.

(3) Wool elastique, 16-ounce weight, dark blue, Army shade 150.

(4) Wool tropical, 10.5-ounce weight, dark blue, Army shade 150.

(5) Polyester/wool blended fabric in twill weave, 9.5-ounce weight, dark blue, Army shade 450.

(6) Polyester/wool blended fabric in plain weave, 9.5-ounce tropical weight, dark blue, Army shade 450.

b. Trousers.

(1) *General officers.* The trousers will be of the same material and shade as the coat.

(2) *Other officers and enlisted personnel.* The trousers will be of the same material as the coat, except the color will be light blue, Army shade 151 or 451.

(3) *Optional style.* Optional purchase of high waisted trousers in lieu of low waisted trousers is authorized for the Army blue uniform. The high waisted trouser is also the authorized trouser for the Army Blue Mess Uniform.

c. Headgear, service cap. The service cap will be of the same material and shade as the coat, except that officers are also authorized fur felt, 9-ounce weight, dark blue, Army shade 250.

d. Braid. Nylon gold color braid or synthetic metallic gold braid is more suitable than gold bullion when attached to lightweight fabrics (those uniforms of 11-ounce weight or less).

6–5. Coat, Army blue. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. A single-breasted, peaked lapel, four-button coat extending below the crotch, fitting easily over the chest and shoulders with a slight draped effect in front and back. The coat will be fitted slightly at the waist conforming to the figure without tightness and with no prominent flare.

c. Shoulder buttons.

(1) On the Army blue uniform of those personnel authorized to wear an aiguillette, a 20-ligne button will be attached on the left or right outside shoulder seam of the coat depending on the position in which the aiguillette is worn.

(2) On the Army blue uniform of those personnel authorized to wear the fourragere, a 20-ligne button will be attached to the left shoulder seam one-half inch outside the collar edge.

d. Shoulder ornamentation and insignia.

(1) *Shoulder straps for officers.* On each shoulder a shoulder strap will be sewn, snapped, or hooked to the coat, centered lengthwise on the outside shoulder seam.

(*a*) *Design.* The shoulder strap will be 1⅝ inches wide and 4 inches long and curved to fit the shoulder. For general officers, the background will be blue-black velvet. For all other officers, the background is of wool facing cloth, silk or synthetic grosgrain, or satin cloth of the first named color of the officer's basic branch. The strap has a gold or gold color nylon, rayon, or synthetic metallic gold border, three-eighths inches wide, surrounded on the inside and outside by a single strand of gold jaceron. If the officer's branch has two colors, the second named color is used as a ⅛-inch inside border in lieu of the inside strand of gold jaceron. When gold color nylon, rayon, or synthetic metallic gold yarn is used, the jaceron design is simulated.

(*b*) *Insignia of grade on shoulder straps.* Embroidered insignia of grade for officers will be attached to the shoulder strap and will be of the following design:

1. General officer. Insignia will be the appropriate number of silver stars. For a General of the Army, each star will be three-eighths inch in diameter. For all other general officers, each star will be five-eighths inch in diameter. All stars will be worn with one point facing the neck.

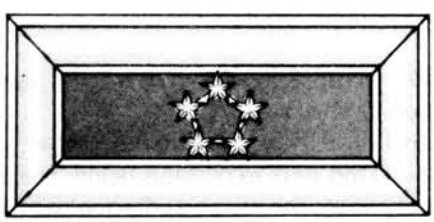


Figure 6-1. Shoulder strap, blue, General of the Army.

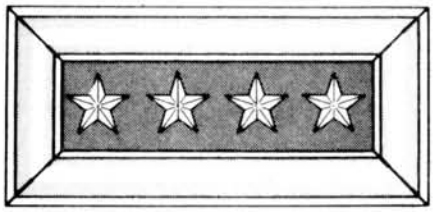


Figure 6-2. Shoulder strap, blue, general.

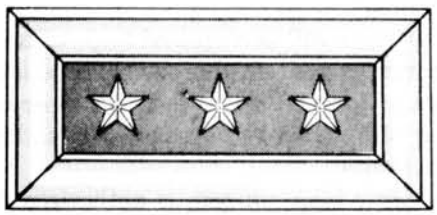


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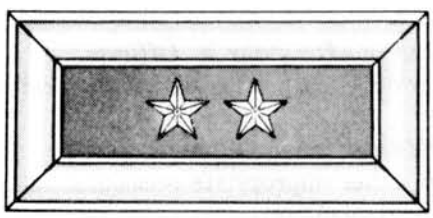


Figure 6-4. Shoulder strap, blue, major general.

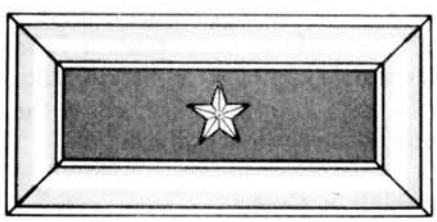


Figure 6-5. Shoulder strap, blue, brigadier general.

2. *Colonel.* The insignia will be a silver spread eagle 5/8 inch in height and 1¼ inches between the tips of the wings. Shoulder straps are made in pairs and each strap will have the one eagle centered on the strap with the head facing forward.

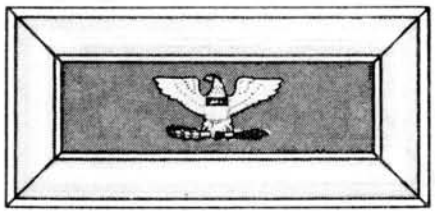


Figure 6-6. Shoulder strap, blue, colonel.

3. *Lieutenant colonel.* The insignia will be a silver oak leaf 5/8 inch in length and 5/8 inch in width positioned on each end of the shoulder strap.

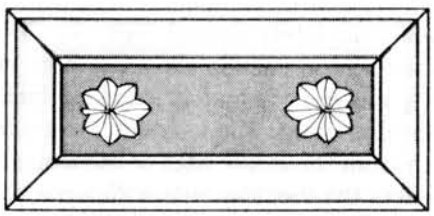


Figure 6-7. Shoulder strap, blue, lieutenant colonel.

4. *Major.* The insignia will be a gold oak leaf 5/8 inch in length and 5/8 inch in width positioned on each end of the shoulder strap.

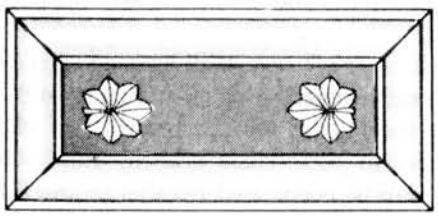


Figure 6-8. Shoulder strap, blue, major.

5. *Captain.* The insignia will be two silver bars each ¼ inch in width and 5/8 inch in length parallel to the ends of the strap 3/16 inch apart and 3/16 inch from the inside border positioned at each end of the shoulder strap.

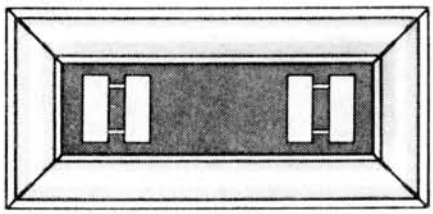


Figure 6-9. Shoulder strap, blue, captain.

6. *First lieutenant.* The insignia will be a silver bar ¼ inch in width and 5/8 inch in length parallel to the ends of the strap and 3/16 inch from the inside border positioned at each end of the shoulder strap.

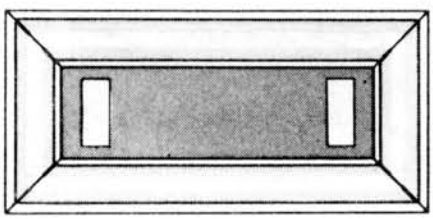


Figure 6-10, shoulder strap, blue, first lieutenant.

7. *Second lieutenant.* The insignia will be a gold bar ¼ inch in width and 5/8 inch in length parellel to the ends of the strap and 3/16 inch from the inside border positioned at each end of the shoulder strap.

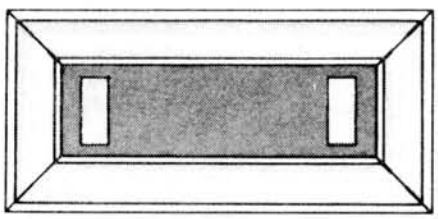


Figure 6-11. Shoulder strap, blue, second lieutenant.

8. Warrant officer, grade 4. Insignia will be a silver bar ¼ inch in width and ¾ inch in length with four black squares centered on the silver bar, and positioned parallel to and at each end of the shoulder strap.

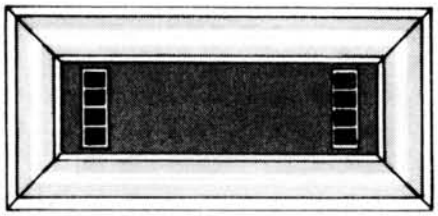


Figure 6–12. Shoulder strap, blue, warrant officer grade 4.

9. Warrant officer, grade 3. Insignia will be a silver bar ¼ inch in width and ¾ inch in length with three black squares centered on the silver bar, and positioned parallel to and at each end of the shoulder strap.

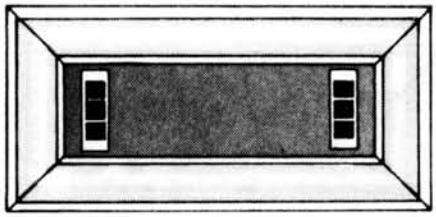


Figure 6–13. Shoulder strap, blue, warrant officer grade 3.

10. Warrant officer, grade 2. Insignia will be a silver bar ¼ inch in width and ¾ inch in length with two black squares centered on the silver bar, and positioned parallel to and at each end of the shoulder strap.

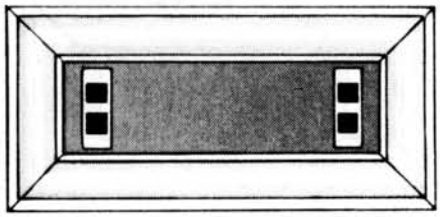


Figure 6–14. Shoulder strap, blue, warrant officer grade 2.

11. Warrant officer, grade 1. Insignia will be a silver bar ¼ inch in width and ¾ inch in length with one black square centered on the silver bar, and positioned parallel to and at each end of the shoulder strap.

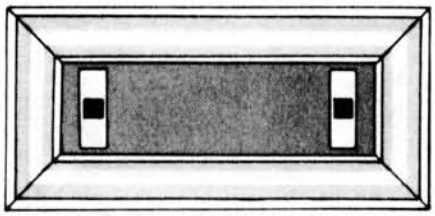


Figure 6–15. Shoulder strap, blue, warrant officer grade 1.

(2) *Shoulder loops for enlisted personnel.*

(*a*) On each shoulder a shoulder loop of the same material as that used for the coat will be attached.

(*b*) Design. A loop 2¼ inches wide at the outside shoulder edge and 1½ to 1¾ inches wide at the inside collar edge and piped all around with gold color nylon or rayon cord edge braid ⅛ inch wide. The braid will be inserted in the joining seams so as to be visible completely around each loop. The loop will be sewn on the outside shoulder seam and extend to a point approximately one-half inch from the inside collar seam. The loop will have a buttonhole ⅜ inch from the inside edge of the loop and will be buttoned to the shoulder with a 25-ligne button.

e. Coat sleeve ornamentation. Ornamental braid will be worn on both sleeves of the Army blue coat. Gold, synthetic metallic gold, gold color nylon, or gold color rayon braid is authorized for officers. Gold color nylon or rayon braid is authorized for enlisted personnel. The braid on the trouser leg and coat sleeve must be of the same material. The sleeve ornamentation will be as follows:

(1) *General officers.* Will have on each sleeve one 1½-inch gold braid, the bottom of the braid positioned parallel to and 3 inches above the bottom of the sleeve.

(2) *All other officers.* Will have on each sleeve a ¾-inch braid consisting of two ¼-inch gold braids placed ¼ inch apart on silk material of the first named color of their basic branch. The bottom of the braid will be positioned parallel to and 3 inches above the bottom of the sleeve.

(3) *Enlisted personnel.* Will have on each sleeve

a ⅛-inch soutache braid of gold color nylon or rayon. The bottom of the braid will be positioned parallel to and 3 inches above the bottom of the sleeve.

6–6. Trousers, Army blue. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The trousers will be straight legged without cuffs and with side pockets and hip pockets. The left hip pocket has a buttonhole tab and button.

c. Trouser leg ornamentation. Ornamental braid will be worn on each outside seam of the trouser leg from the bottom of the waistband to the bottom of the trouser leg as follows:

(1) *General officers.* Will have two ½-inch two vellum gold, synthetic metallic gold, gold color nylon, or gold color rayon braids, spaced ½ inch apart.

(2) *All other officers.* Will have 1½-inch two vellum gold, synthetic metallic gold, gold color nylon, or gold color rayon braid.

(3) *Enlisted personnel.* Will have one 1½-inch gold color nylon or rayon braid.

6–7. Cape, Army blue. The Army blue cape is authorized for wear with the Army blue uniform by all officers on an optional basis, in lieu of the overcoat. Enlisted personnel are not authorized to wear the cape. See paragraph 11–5 for material, design, and wear of the Army blue cape.

6–8. Shirt, white. A commercial long sleeve white shirt with barrel or french cuffs and standard turndown collar will be worn with the Army blue uniform. See paragraph 11–19*d* for complete description.

6–9. Service cap, Army blue. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern. Officers are authorized, at their option, to wear the cap frame with a removable cover of the same material as the rest of the Army blue uniform.

b. Visor and visor ornamentation. The visor will be of plain black leather, lined with embossed hatters green prime leather; on an optional basis, poromeric material with a leather finish is authorized. The visor ornamentation is as follows:

(1) *General and field grade officers.* The top of the visor will be black cloth with two arcs of oak leaves in groups of two, embroidered in gold bullion or synthetic metallic gold braid or manufactured from anodized aluminum in 24-karat gold color.

(2) *Company grade officers, warrant officers, and enlisted personnel.* The top of the visor will be of plain black shell cordovan finish leather, resin treated, with a waterproof edge.

c. Chinstrap and chinstrap ornamentation. The chinstrap will be two straps, each ½ inch in width by 10 inches in length, with one end of each strap forming a slide and the other end of each strap fastened to the cap at each end of the visor. The chinstrap ornamentation is as follows:

(1) *Officers.* The chinstrap will be of natural or light brown, full grain pigskin or sheepskin, nonbleeding, with pointed ends, covered with two vellum gold bullion lace braid or synthetic metallic gold braid or a one piece strap manufactured from anodized aluminum in 24-karat gold color.

(2) *Enlisted personnel.* The chinstrap will be of plain black leather, matching the visor in appearance, with rounded ends. On an optional basis, poromeric material with a leather finish is authorized.

d. Hatband. All personnel will wear an outside hatband, 1¾ inches in width around the entire outside rim of the cap. The hatband ornamentation will be of the following types:

(1) *General officers.* The band will be of blue-black velvet with two arcs of oak leaves in groups of two, 1 inch in length and ¾ inch in width, embroidered in gold or synthetic metallic gold braid or in gold color nylon or rayon.



Figure 6–16. Service cap, blue, general officers.

(2) *All other officers.* The band will be of grosgrain silk of the first named color of the officer's

basic branch with a band of ½-inch two vellum gold, synthetic metallic gold, gold color nylon, or gold color rayon braid placed at the top and bottom of the hatband. If the officer's branch has two colors, a ⅛-inch piping of the second color will be placed on the inside edges of the gold braid.

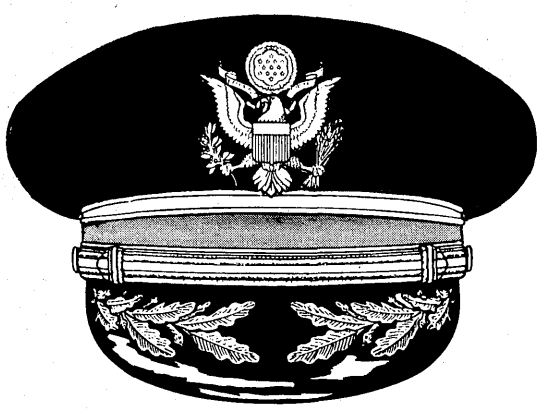


Figure 6-17. Service cap, blue, field grade officer.

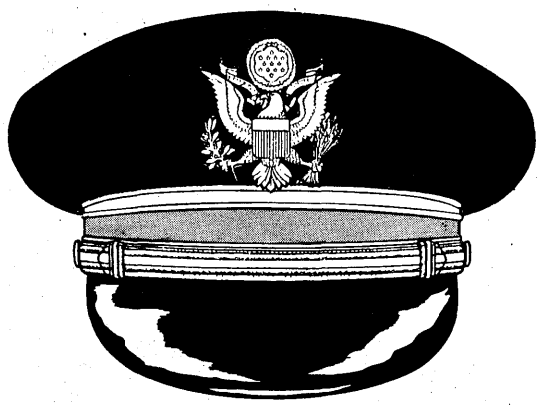


Figure 6-18. Service cap, blue, company grade officer.

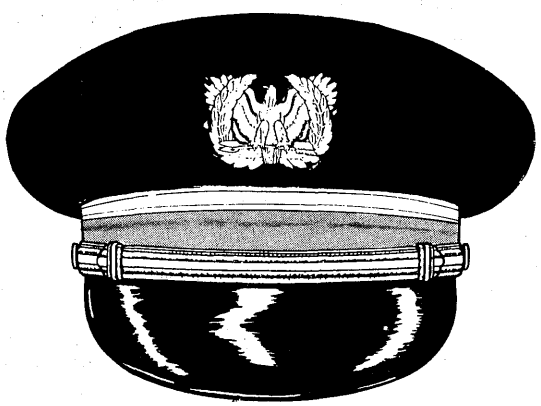


Figure 6-19. Service cap, blue, warrant officer.

(3) *Enlisted personnel.* The band will be of basket weave mohair braid matching the shade of the cap material with a ½-inch band of two-vellum gold color nylon or rayon braid placed at the top part of the hatband.



Figure 6-20. Service cap, blue, enlisted personnel.

e. Cap insignia. Insignia will be worn on the Army blue service cap, secured through the front eyelet provided thereon, as follows:

(1) *Commissioned officers.* The insignia will be the coat of arms of the United States, 2 ⅝ inches in height, and of gold color metal.

(2) *Warrant officers.* The insignia will be an eagle rising with wings displayed, standing on a bundle of two arrows, all inclosed in a wreath. The insignia will be 1½ inches in height and of gold color metal.

(3) *Enlisted personnel.* The insignia will be a plain gold color disk, 1½ inches in diameter, with a gold color metal Coat of Arms of the United States superimposed thereon.

f. Wear.

(1) *Officers.* Will wear the Army blue service cap with the Army blue, Army blue mess, and Army blue evening dress uniforms.

(2) *Enlisted personnel.* Will wear the Army blue service cap with the Army blue uniform.

g. Proper wear position. The service cap will be worn straight on the head so that the hatband on the cap creates a straight line around the head parallel to the ground. Such positioning of the service cap automatically positions the visor correctly so that it does not interfere with vision nor ride up on the forehead.

6–10. Items worn on the uniform. *a*. Only the below listed items are authorized for wear on the Army blue uniform:

(1) Headgear insignia.
(2) US insignia.
(3) Insignia of grade.
(4) Insignia of branch.
(5) Distinctive items authorized for infantry personnel.
(6) Aiguillette, Service.
(7) Aiguillette, dress (officers only).
(8) Service stripes (enlisted personnel only).
(9) Nameplate.
(10) Decorations, full size or miniature, or ribbons.
(11) Medals, service, full size or miniature, or ribbons.
(12) Unit awards.
(13) Fourragere.
(14) Badges; Identification, Marksmanship, Combat, and Special Skill, full size, miniature, or dress miniature.

b. Enlisted personnel will wear their insignia of grade and service stripes on an Army blue background of the same shade as the uniform.

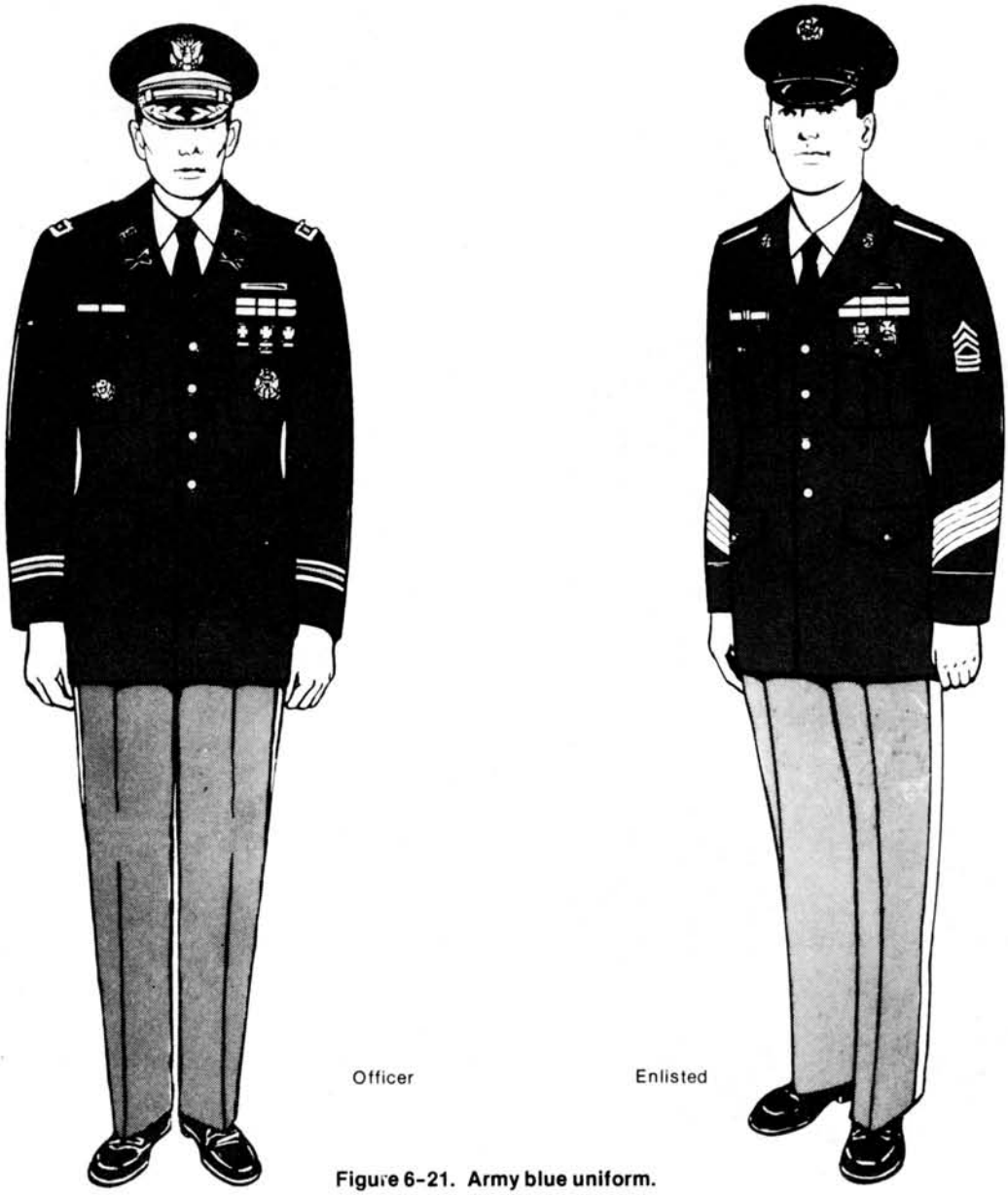


Figure 6–21. Army blue uniform.

CHAPTER 7

ARMY WHITE MESS UNIFORM—MEN'S

7–1. Authorization for wear. The Army white mess uniform is authorized for optional year-round wear by all male officers.

7–2. Composition. The Army white mess uniform is comprised of the Army white jacket, black high waisted dress trousers, white formal dress shirt with a wing collar, white vest, and a white bow tie; or a white semiformal dress shirt with a turndown collar, black cummerbund, and a black bow-tie. For other accessories and accouterments see appendix A.

7–3. Occasions for wear. *a.* Social functions of a general or official nature after retreat.

b. Private formal dinners and other private formal social functions after retreat.

c. How worn. The Army white mess uniform is a formal uniform which corresponds to a civilian tuxedo.

7–4. Materials. *a. Jacket and vest, white.*

(1) Cotton twill, 8.2-ounce weight, white.

(2) Polyester/wool blended fabrics in plain weave, 9-ounce tropical weight, white.

(3) Polyester/wool blended fabrics in gabardine, 10.5-ounce weight, white.

(4) Polyester texturized woven serge, 6.5-ounce weight, white.

b. Trousers. Commercial black tuxedo type of lightweight material.

7–5. Jacket, Army white. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The jacket is cut on the lines of an evening dress coat, and descends to the point of the hips and is slightly curved to a peak in back and in front. Two 25-ligne coat buttons, joined by a small gold or gold color chain about 1½ inches long, may be worn in the upper buttonholes. The shoulders are provided with a means of attaching shoulder knots.

c. Shoulder knots.

(1) *General description.* The shoulder knot will be made from ¼ inch diameter cord of gold bullion or synthetic metallic gold or gold color nylon or rayon. The shoulder knot is formed of four plaits comprised of three cords interlaced as one and rounded at the top with a 20-ligne gold button positioned in the upper end of the knot. The knot will be no more than 5½ inches in length and 2½ inches in width, conforming to the shoulder and stiffened on the underside with a flexible backing covered with dark blue or black cloth. The flexible backing will have a suitable attachment for fastening to the shoulders of the jacket.

(2) *How worn.* The shoulder knots will be worn attached to the shoulders of the Army white jacket.

d. Jacket sleeve ornamentation.

(1) *General officers.* Will wear a cuff of white mohair or mercerized cotton braid, 4 inches in width, positioned ⅛ inch from the bottom edge of each sleeve. General officer insignia of grade will be centered on the outside sleeves 1 inch above the upper edge of the cuff braid. When general officers also wear their insignia of branch, it will be centered on the outside sleeves 1 inch above the upper edge of the cuff braid, and their insignia of grade will be positioned 1 inch above their insignia of branch. Insignia of grade and branch will be embroidered white cloth. General officer stars will be 1 inch in diameter with the exception of a General of the Army, whose stars will be ⅜ inch in diameter. The stars are worn with one point facing upward. General officer stars will be as follows:

(*a*) *General of the Army.* Will be five stars fastened together in a circle with the inner points touching and centered horizontally on the outside sleeves.

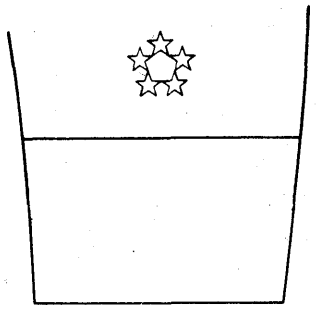


Figure 7–1. Sleeve ornamentation, white mess, General of the Army.

(*b*) *General.* Will be four stars, 1¼ inch between the midpoints and centered horizontally on the outside sleeves.

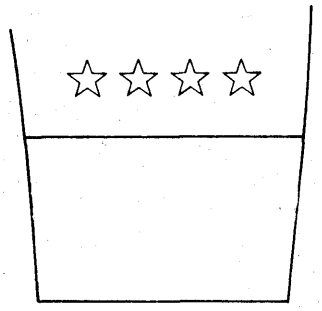


Figure 7–2. Sleeve ornamentation, white mess, general.

(*c*) *Lieutenant general.* Will be three stars, 1⅜ inches between the midpoints with the middle star centered horizontally on the outside sleeves.

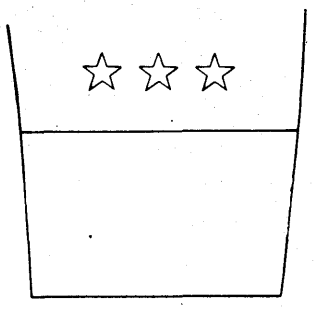


Figure 7–3. Sleeve ornamentation, white mess lieutenant general.

(*d*) *Major general.* Will be two stars, two inches between the midpoints and centered horizontally on the outside sleeves.

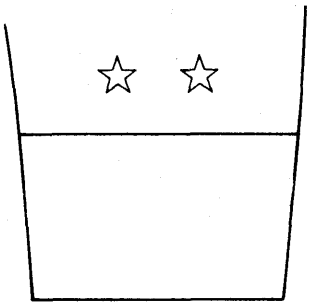


Figure 7–4. Sleeve ornamentation, white mess, major general.

(*e*) *Brigadier general.* Will be one star centered horizontally on the outside sleeves.

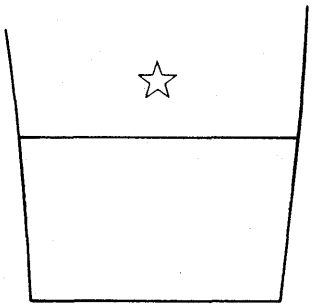


Figure 7–5. Sleeve ornamentation, white mess brigadier general.

(2) *Other commissioned officers.*

(*a*) Will wear a band of white mohair or white mercerized cotton braid, ½ inch wide, sewn on each sleeve, with the lower edge parallel to and 3 inches above the bottom edge of each sleeve. Attached to the upper edge of the braid on each sleeve will be a trefoil consisting of a knot comprised of three loops, one larger upper and two smaller lower loops of ¼ inch-white soutache braid, interlaced at the points of crossing, and with the ends of the knots resting on the sleeve braid. Officers insignia of grade (metal or embroidery) will be worn vertically in the center of the space formed by the lower curves of the knot and the upper edge of the braid.

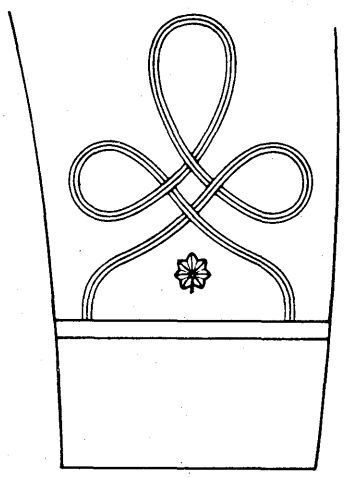


Figure 7–6. Sleeve ornamentation, white mess, other commissioned officers.

(*b*) Previously authorized sleeve ornamentation, which consists of the sleeve band, the insignia of branch centered in the space formed by the lower curves of the trefoil and the upper edge of the sleeve band, and the number of trefoils appropriate to the specific grade, may be worn for the life of the jacket. The number of trefoils will reflect the correct grade of the wearer when this option is exercised.

(3) *Warrant officers.* Will wear the same braid and trefoil as the commissioned officer and their insignia of grade in the same location and manner as the commissioned officers described in (2) above.

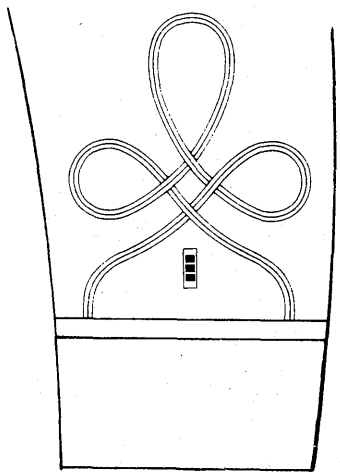


Figure 7–7. Sleeve ornamentation, white mess warrant officers.

7–6. Trousers, Army black. *a. Design.* Will be of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The black trousers will be cut along the lines of civilian dress trousers with a high waist, without pleats, without cuffs, and without hip pockets.

c. Trouser leg ornamentation. Will have a black silk or satin braid sewn on the outside seam of the trouser leg from the bottom of the waisteband to the bottom of the trouser leg.

7–7. Vest, white. *a. Design.* Will be of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The white vest will be single-breasted, cut low with a rolling collar, pointed button, and fastened with three detachable, extra-small white buttons.

c. How worn.

(1) The white vest will be worn when wearing a white formal dress shirt with a wing collar.

(2) On an optional basis, a black cummerbund may be worn in lieu of the white vest when wearing a white semiformal dress shirt with a turndown collar. See paragraph 11–8 for material, design, and wear of the black cummerbund.

7–8. Shirts, white. *a.* A white long sleeve semiformal dress shirt with a soft bosom, french cuffs, and standard turndown collar will be worn with the Army white mess uniform when worn with the black cummerbund and black bow-tie. See paragraph 11–19*e* for complete description.

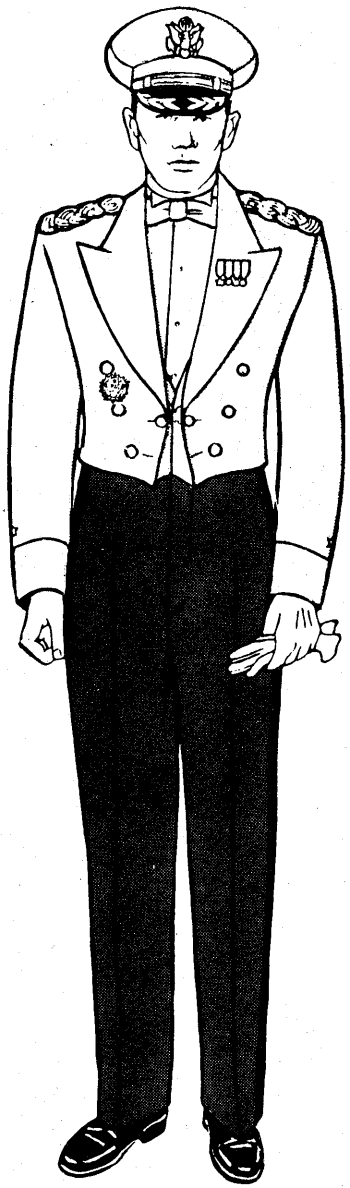
b. A white long sleeve formal dress shirt with a stiff bosom, french cuffs, and wing type collar will be worn with the Army white mess uniform when worn with the white vest and white bow tie. See paragraph 11–19*f* for complete description.

7–9. Headgear. The Army white service cap is the authorized headgear for wear with the Army white mess uniform. See paragraph 5–8 for description, ornamentation, and proper wear position.

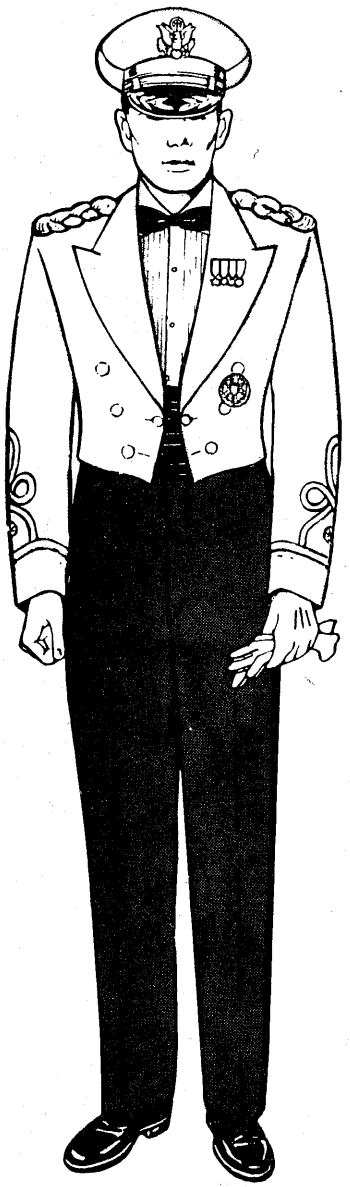
7–10. Items worn on the uniform. Only the below listed items are authorized for wear on the Army white mess uniform.

a. Headgear insignia.
b. Insignia of grade.
c. Aiguillette, dress.
d. Decorations, miniature.

e. Medals, Service, miniature.
f. Fourragere.
g. Badges; Combat and Special Skill, dress miniature.
h. Badges, identification.



General officers
(with formal accessories)



Other commissioned officers
(with semiformal accessories)

Figure 7–8. Army white mess uniform.

CHAPTER 8

ARMY BLUE MESS UNIFORM—MEN'S

8–1. Authorization for wear. The Army blue mess uniform is authorized for optional year-round wear by all male personnel.

8–2. Composition. The Army blue mess uniform is comprised of the Army blue jacket, dark or light blue high-waisted trousers, and a white, semiformal dress shirt with turndown collar, black bow tie, and a black cummerbund. For other accessories and accouterments see appendix A.

8–3. Occasions for wear. *a.* Social functions of a general or official nature after retreat.

b. Private formal dinners and other private formal social functions after retreat.

c. How worn. The Army blue mess uniform is a formal uniform which corresponds to a civilian tuxedo.

8–4. Materials. *a. Jacket.*

(1) Wool barathea, 14-ounce weight, dark blue, Army shade 150.

(2) Wool gabardine, 11- or 14.5-ounce weight, dark blue, Army shade 150.

(3) Wool elastique, 15-ounce weight, dark blue, Army shade 150.

(4) Wool tropical, 9-ounce weight, dark blue, Army shade 150.

(5) Polyester/wool blended gabardine, 9.5-ounce weight, dark blue, Army shade 450.

(6) Polyester/wool blended fabric in plain weave, 9.5-ounce tropical weight, dark blue, Army shade 450.

b. Trousers.

(1) *General officers.* The trousers will be of the same material and shade as the jacket.

(2) Other officers and enlisted personnel. The trousers will be of the same material as the jacket, except that the color will be light blue, Army shade 151 or 451.

c. Braid. Nylon gold color braid or synthetic metallic gold braid is more suitable than gold bullion when attached to lightweight fabrics (those uniforms of 11-ounce weight or less).

8–5. Jacket, Army blue. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The jacket is cut on the lines of an evening dress coat, and descends to the point of the hips and is slightly curved to a peak in back and in front. Two 25-ligne coat buttons, joined by a small gold or gold color chain about 1½ inches long, may be worn in the upper button holes. The shoulders are provided with a means of attaching shoulder knots.

c. Lapels. The lapels of the Army blue jacket will be of rayon, acetate, or other synthetic fabric with a satin face in the following colors:

(1) *General officers, except chaplains.* Dark blue.

(2) *All chaplains.* Black.

(3) *All other officers.* The first named color of their basic branch of service.

(4) *Enlisted personnel.* Dark blue.

d. Shoulder knots.

(1) *General description.* The shoulder knot will be made from ¼-inch-diameter cord of gold bullion or synthetic metallic gold or gold color nylon or rayon. The shoulder knot is formed of four plaits comprised of three cords interlaced as one and rounded at the top with a 20-ligne gold button positioned in the upper end of the knot. The knot will be no more than 5½ inches in length and 2½ inches in width, conforming to the shoulder and stiffened on the underside with a flexible backing covered with dark blue or black cloth. The flexible backing will have a suitable attachment for fastening to the shoulders of the jacket.

(2) *How worn.* The shoulder knots will be worn attached to the shoulders of the Army blue jacket

for all officers.

e. Jacket sleeve ornamentation.

(1) *General officers.* Will wear a cuff of blue-black velvet braid, 4 inches in width, positioned ⅛ inch from the bottom edge of each sleeve. On each cuff of braid, 1 inch below the upper edge, will be embroidered a band of oak leaves in groups of two, 1 inch in width, of gold bullion, synthetic metallic gold, gold color nylon, or gold color rayon. General officers insignia of grade will be centered on the outside sleeves 1 inch above the upper edge of the cuff braid. When general officers also wear their insignia of branch, it will be centered on the outside sleeves 1 inch above the upper edge of the cuff braid, and their insignia of grade will be positioned 1 inch above their insignia of branch. Insignia of grade and branch will be embroidered silver bullion. General officer stars will be 1 inch in diameter with the exception of a General of the Army, whose stars will be ⅜ inch in diameter. The stars are worn with one point facing upward. General officer stars will be as follows:

(*a*) *General of the Army.* Will be five stars fastened together in a circle with the inner points touching and centered horizontally on the outside sleeves.

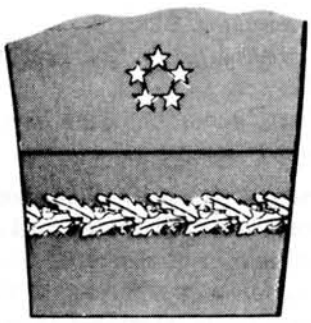


Figure 8–1. Sleeve ornamentation, blue mess, General of the Army.

(*b*) *General.* Will be four stars, 1¼ inch between the midpoints and centered horizontally on the outside sleeves.

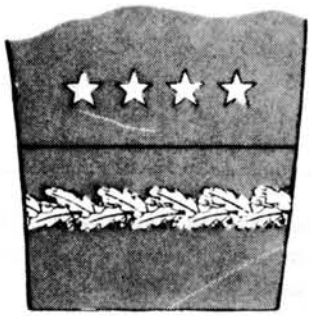


Figure 8–2. Sleeve ornamentation, blue mess, general.

(*c*) *Lieutenant general.* Will be three stars, 1⅜ inch between the midpoints with the middle star centered horizontally on the outside sleeves.

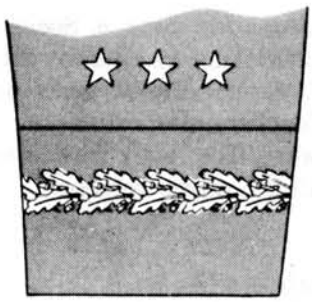


Figure 8–3. Sleeve ornamentation, blue mess, lieutenant general.

(*d*) *Major general.* Will be two stairs, 2 inches between the midpoints and centered horizontally on the outside sleeves.

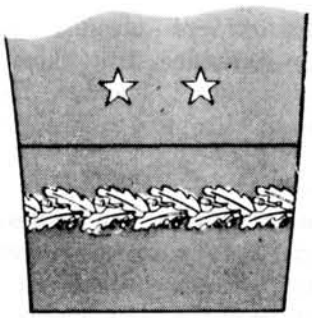


Figure 8–4. Sleeve ornamentation, blue mess, major general.

(*e*) *Brigadier general.* Will be one star centered horizontally on the outside sleeves.



Figure 8–5. Sleeve ornamentation, blue mess, brigadier general.

(2) *Other commissioned officers.*

(*a*) Will have on each sleeve a ¾-inch braid consisting of two ¼-inch two vellum gold, synthetic metallic gold, gold color nylon, or gold color rayon braids placed ¼ inch apart on a silk stripe of the first named color of their basic branch. The bottom of the braid will be positioned parallel to and 3 inches above the bottom of the sleeve. Attached to the upper edge of the braid on each sleeve will be a trefoil consisting of a knot comprised of three loops, one large upper and two smaller lower loops of ¼-inch gold, synthetic metallic gold, or gold color braid, interlaced at the points of crossing, and with the ends of the knots resting on the sleeve braid. Officers insignia of grade (metal or embroidery) will be worn vertically in the center of the space formed by the lower curves of the knot and the upper edge of the braid.

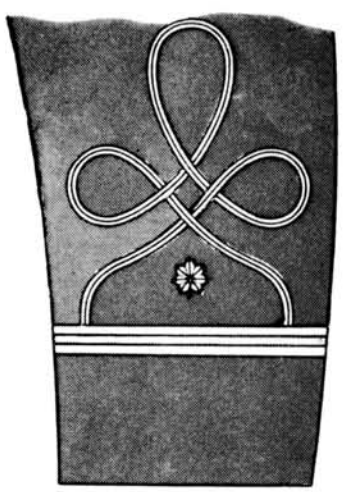


Figure 8–6. Sleeve ornamentation, blue mess, other commissioned officers.

(*b*) Previously authorized sleeve ornamentation, which consists of the sleeve band, the insignia of branch centered in the space formed by the lower curves of the trefoil and the upper edge of the sleeve band, and the number of trefoils appropriate to the specific grade, may be worn for the life of the jacket. The number of trefoils will reflect the correct grade of the wearer when this option is exercised.

(3) *Warrant officers.* Will wear the same braid and trefoil as the commissioned officer and their insignia of grade in the same location and manner as the commissioned officers described in (2) above.

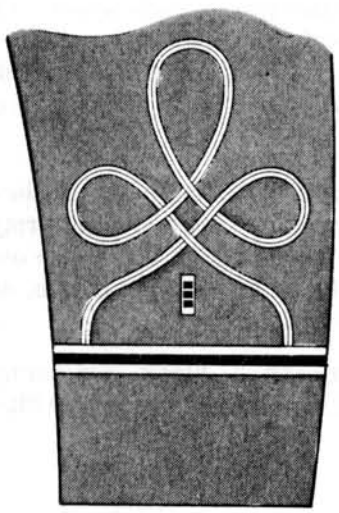


Figure 8–7. Sleeve ornamentation, blue mess, warrant officers.

(4) *Enlisted personnel.* Will wear a ¾-inch gold braid with a modified trefoil. The insignia of grade will be worn in the same location and manner as the commissioned officers described in (2) above.

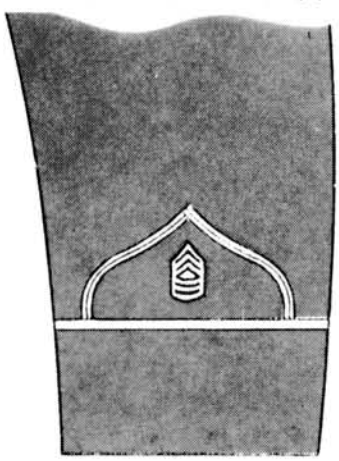


Figure 8–8. Sleeve ornamentation, blue mess, enlisted personnel.

3-6. Trousers, Army blue. *a. Design.* Will be of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The blue trousers will be cut along the lines of civilian dress trousers, with a high waist, without pleats, without cuffs, and without hip pockets.

c. Trouser leg ornamentation. Ornamental braid will be worn on each outside seam of the trouser leg from the bottom of the waistband to the bottom of the trouser leg as follows:

(1) *General officers.* Will have two ½-inch two vellum gold, synthetic metallic gold, gold color nylon, or gold color rayon braids, spaced ½ inch apart.

(2) *All other officers and enlisted personnel.* Will have one 1½-inch two vellum gold, synthetic metallic gold, gold color nylon, or gold color rayon braid.

8-7. Cape, Army blue. The Army blue cape is authorized for optional wear with the Army blue mess uniform by all officers in lieu of the overcoat. See paragraph 11-5 for material, design, and wear of the Army blue cape.

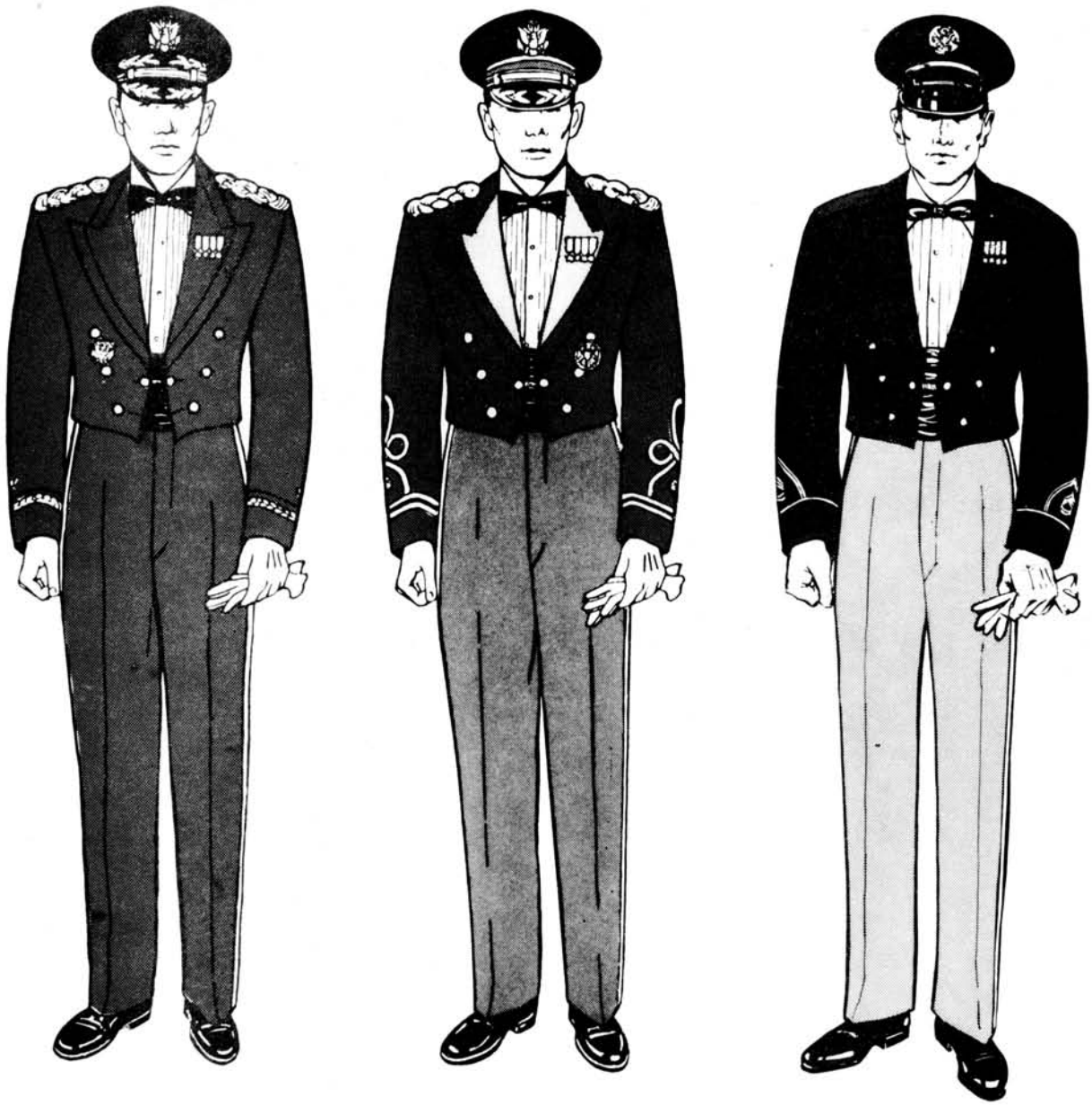
8-8. Cummerbund, black. See paragraph 11-8 for material, design, and wear of the black cummerbund.

8-9. Shirt, white, semiformal, dress. A white, semiformal dress shirt with long sleeves, a soft bosom, french cuffs, and standard turndown collar will be worn with the Army blue mess uniform. See paragraph 11-19*e* for complete description.

8-10. Headgear. The Army blue service cap is the authorized headgear for wear with the Army blue mess uniform. See paragraph 6-9 for description, ornamentation, and proper wear position.

8-11. Items worn on the uniform. Only the below listed items are authorized for wear on the Army blue mess uniform:

a. Headgear insignia.
b. Insignia of grade.
c. Aiguillette, dress.
d. Decorations, miniature.
e. Medals, Service, miniature.
f. Fourragere.
g. Badges; Combat and Special Skill, dress, miniature.
h. Badges, identification.



General Officers

Other Commissioned Officers

Enlisted

Figure 8–9. Army blue mess uniform.

CHAPTER 9

ARMY BLUE EVENING DRESS UNIFORM—MEN'S

9–1. Authorization for wear. The Army blue evening dress uniform is authorized for optional year-round wear by all male personnel.

9–2. Composition. The Army blue evening dress uniform is comprised of the Army blue jacket and trousers and a white formal dress shirt with a wing collar, white bow-tie, and white vest. The Army blue evening dress uniform is identical to the Army blue mess uniform except that formal white accessories are worn in lieu of a semiformal dress shirt, black cummerbund, and black bow tie worn with the Army blue mess uniform. For other accessories and accouterments see appendix A.

9–3. Occasions for wear. *a.* Social functions of a general or official nature after retreat.

b. Private formal dinners and other private social functions after retreat.

c. How worn. The Army blue evening dress uniform is the most formal uniform worn by Army personnel and corresponds to civilian "white tie and tails" tuxedo.

9–4. Materials. *a. Jacket.* Materials and color shade will be the same as that for the Army blue jacket.

b. Trousers. Materials and color shade will be the same as that for the Army blue trousers.

c. Vest, white. Materials will be the same as that for the Army white mess uniform vest.

9–5. Jacket, Army blue. The Army blue jacket is the authorized jacket for the Army blue evening dress uniform. See paragraph 8–5 for description and ornamentation.

9–6. Trousers, Army blue. The Army blue trousers are the authorized trousers for the Army blue evening dress uniform. See paragraph 8–6 for description and ornamentation.

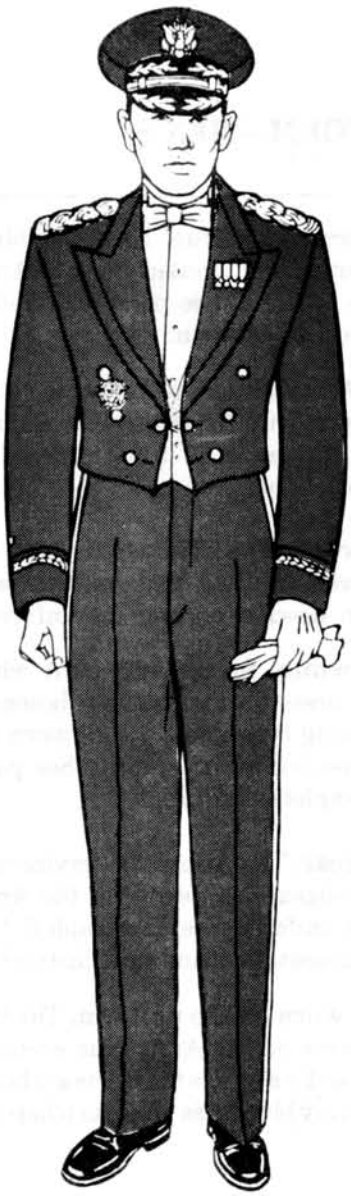
9–7. Cape, Army blue. The Army blue cape is authorized for wear with the Army blue evening dress uniform. See paragraph 11–5 for material, design, and wear information.

9–8. Vest, white. The white vest is worn with the Army blue evening dress uniform. See paragraph 7–7 for design, description, and wear information.

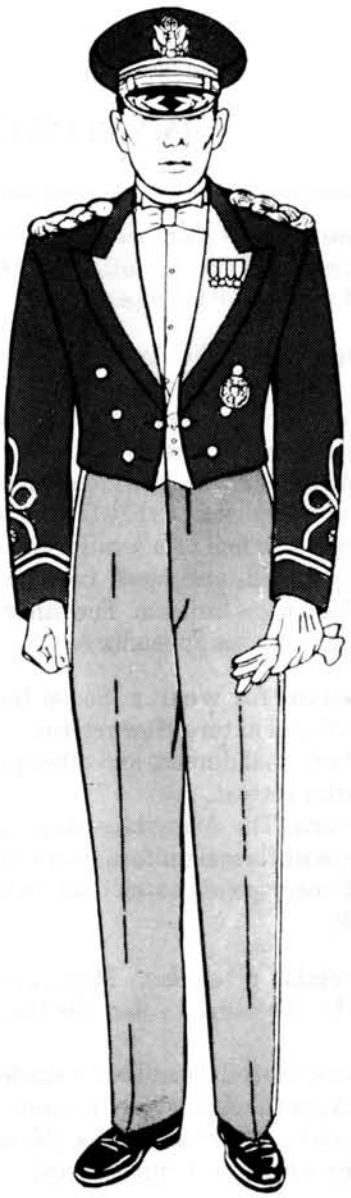
9–9. Shirt, white, formal, dress. A white long sleeve formal dress shirt with a stiff bosom, french cuffs, and a wing type collar will be worn with the Army blue evening dress uniform. See paragraph 11–19*f* for complete description.

9–10. Headgear. The Army blue service cap is the authorized headgear for wear with the Army blue evening dress uniform. See paragraph 6–9 for description, ornamentation, and wear instructions.

9–11. Items worn on the uniform. The items authorized for wear on the Army blue evening dress uniform will be the same as the items authorized for wear on the Army blue mess uniform (chap. 8).



General Officers



Other Commissioned Officers

Figure 9–1. Army blue evening dress uniform.

CHAPTER 10

FIELD, WORK, HOSPITAL DUTY, AND FOOD SERVICE UNIFORMS—MEN'S

Section I. FIELD AND UTILITY UNIFORMS

10–1. Authorization for wear. Field and utility uniforms are authorized for year-round wear by all male officers and enlisted personnel.

10–2. Composition. Commanding officers will prescribe field and utility uniforms from appropriate items in CTA 50-900 and table 4-1, AR 700-84. For other accessories and accouterments see appendix A.

10–3. Occasions for wear. Field and utility uniforms are worn by male officers and enlisted personnel on duty as prescribed by local commanders.

10–4. Materials. Field and utility uniform materials are as follows:

a. Cold weather uniform. Shirt, wool flannel, and trousers, wool serge, olive green, Army shade 108.

b. Hot weather uniform (tropical combat uniform). Coat and trousers, cotton poplin, olive green, Army shade 107.

c. Utility uniform. Shirt and trousers, cotton sateen, olive green, Army shade 107.

d. Durapress utility uniform. Shirt and trousers, cotton polyester, olive green, Army shade 507.

e. Coat, cold weather, men's (field jacket). Cotton and nylon sateen, olive green, Army shade 107.

f. Combat camouflage uniform. Shirt and trousers, 50/50 nylon and cotton-blend in a four-color, standard woodland camouflaged pattern with infrared reflectance.

10–5. Cold weather uniform. Wool flannel shirt and wool serge trousers, Army olive green shade 108. These items are basic components of the cold weather clothing ensembles in addition to their designation as a uniform when prescribed by commanders. The items are designed to be loose fitting with darts and tabs available for adjustments.

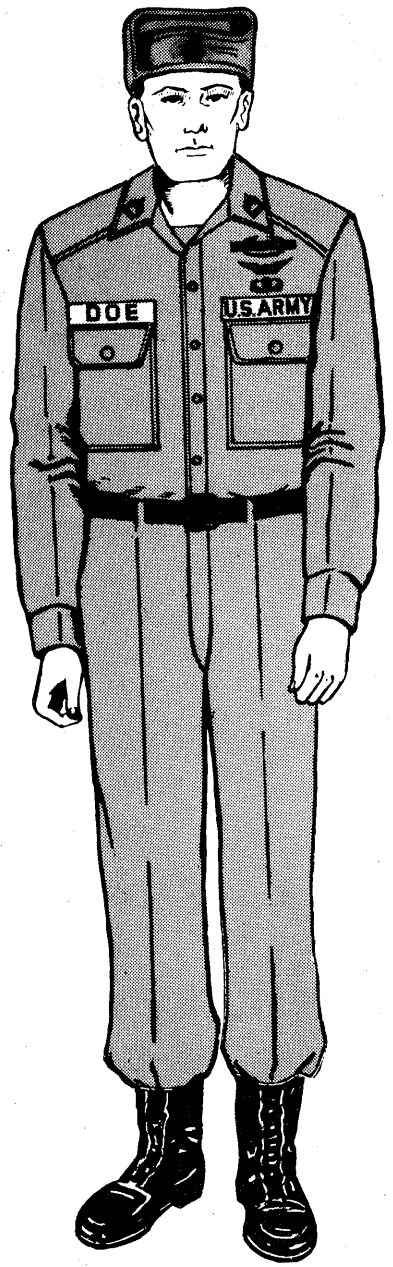


Figure 10–1. Cold weather uniform (shirt and trousers).

Alterations to make these items form fitting are not authorized. These items should not be worn as outer garments if duty to be performed will cause them to become unduly soiled, snagged, or otherwise damaged. When the shirt is worn as an outer garment it will be worn inside the trousers and a belt will be worn on the trousers. When the shirt and trousers are utilized as under layers of the cold weather clothing ensembles, suspenders will always be utilized with the trousers. Exceptions to prescribed wear of the shirt may be authorized at the discretion of MACOM commanders in the interest of troop health, morale, and efficiency under conditions deemed appropriate by respective commanders.

10–6. Hot weather uniform (tropical combat uniform). Cotton poplin coat and trousers, Army olive green shade 107. These items comprise the combat uniform in a temperate or tropical environment. The items are designed to be loose fitting and alterations to make them form fitting are not authorized. Other alterations such as cuffs, additional pockets, or flaps on sleeves are not authorized. The coat will be worn over the trousers and a belt will be worn on the trousers. Sleeves may be rolled when prescribed by local commanders, but they will not be shortened. Trousers will be bloused. The uniform will not be starched.

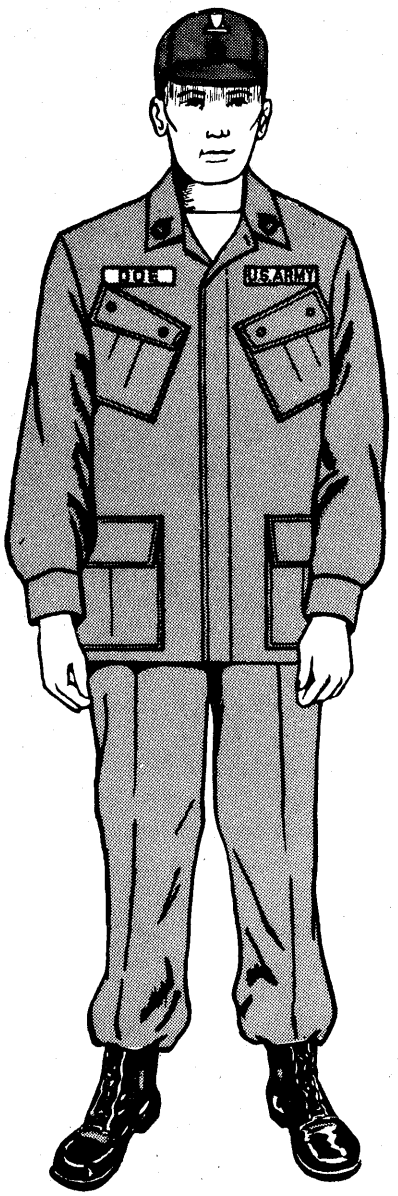


Figure 10–2. Hot weather uniform (tropical combat)

10–7. Utility and durapress utility uniforms. *a. Cotton sateen shirt and trousers,* Army olive green shade 107, and durapress cotton polyester shirt and trousers, Army olive green shade 507. These items comprise the utility uniform for all male personnel. The cotton sateen shirt and trousers are being replaced by the durapress cotton polyester shirt and trousers; however, the cotton sateen items may continue to be worn as long as they are serviceable. The cotton sateen and cotton polyester uniforms may not be intermixed. All items are designed to be loose fitting and alterations to make them form fitting are not authorized. Other alterations, such as pockets or flaps on sleeves and shortening of sleeves, are not authorized. The OG 507 durable press, cotton polyester shirt and trousers will not be starched. When the durable-press utility uniform is worn, the shirt will be tucked into the trousers, trousers will be bloused, and a belt will be worn. Sleeves may be rolled when prescribed by local commanders. Other exceptions to the prescribed wear of the shirt and trousers may be authorized at the discretion of MACOM commanders under conditions deemed appropriate in the interest of troop health, morale, and efficiency.

Note. The combat camouflage uniform will replace the utility and durapress uniforms. Mandatory possession by Active army personnel of combat camouflage uniform will be two on 1 October 1982, three on 1 October 1984, and four on 1 October 1985. The utility or durapress uniforms will not be authorized for wear after 1 October 1985.

b. Utility cap, Army olive green shade 507. Will be of approved specification or design, or on an optional basis, a similar commercial design is authorized.

Note. The camouflage ranger-style cap will replace the OG 507 utility cap. The camouflage cap will be worn only with the camouflage uniform. The OG 507 cap will be worn with the durapress uniform.

c. Proper wear position for the utility and camouflage cap. The cap will be worn straight on the head so that the cap band creates a straight line around the head parallel to the ground. Such positioning of the cap will automatically position the bill correctly so that it does not interfere with vision nor ride up on the head.



OG 507 Uniform

Camouflage uniform

Figure 10-3. Utility uniform and cap.

10–8. Coat, cold weather, men's (field jacket). The men's cold weather coat is cotton and nylon sateen, Army olive green shade 107, with a cotton oxford cloth, Army olive green shade 107 liner. The coat is designed to be loose fitting; alterations to make it form fitting are not authorized. The coat is hip length with an attached hood, two bellows type breast pockets, two lower inside hanging pockets all with snap fastener flap closures, and a slide fastener fly front with snap closures. The cold weather coat is only authorized for wear with the cold weather, hot weather, utility and camouflage uniform.

10–9. Items worn with and on the uniforms. *a. Headgear.* The OG-507 utility cap, and OG-107 cold weather insulated cap, helmet, and helmet liners are authorized for wear with the field, utility, and camouflage uniforms above as prescribed by local commanders. Ornamentation and insignia worn on headgear are described in paragraph 26–3.

b. Footwear. Black combat boots are worn with the cold weather and utility uniforms. Black hot weather boots are worn with the hot weather uniform.

c. Gloves. The standard Army light duty work gloves, consisting of black leather shells and OG wool inserts, are authorized for wear with the field, utility, and camouflage uniforms.

d. Insignia and accouterments. Only the below listed items are authorized for wear on the field, utility and camouflage uniforms.

(1) Insignia of grade (subdued type).

(2) Insignia of branch (officers only, subdued type).

(3) Shoulder sleeve insignia, current and former wartime unit (subdued type) (not to be worn on the OG-108 cold weather uniform).

(4) Combat leaders identification.

(5) Distinctive unit insignia.

(6) Ranger tab.

(7) Bib type branch of Service scarves or camouflage scarf.

(8) Brassards.

(9) Nametapes.

(10) U.S. Army distinguishing tape.

(11) Special Military Police markings.

(12) Combat, Special Skill, Drill Sergeant, and Career Counselor Identification badges (subdued type).

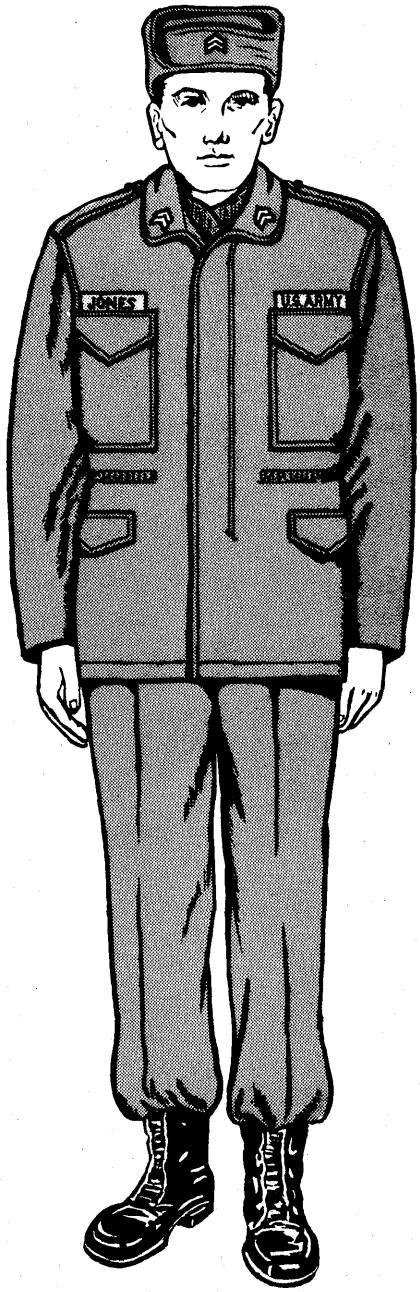


Figure 10–4. Coat, cold weather, mens, (field jacket).

10–10. Wear policy for flight clothing. *a.* In order to preserve the fire retardant capability, no insignia will be sewn on the one-piece Nomex flight suit. In lieu of insignia, a black leather nameplate will be worn. This plate will be 2 inches by 4 inches, embossed ¼-inch block-style lettering in silver, with appropriate crewmember badge on the first line, full name (first, middle initial, and last name) on the second line, and abbreviated grade and the words "US Army" on the third line. The leather plate will be attached to the 2-inch by 4-inch velcro attachment affixed to the one-piece Nomex flight suit. Such leather plates, with embossment, will be provided to enlisted personnel at no cost to the individual.

b. No shoulder sleeve insignia or other accouterments will be worn on the one-piece Nomex flight suit.

c. Only black leather combat boots will be worn with the Nomex flight suit. Nomex trousers will not be tucked inside the boots.

d. Wearing of insignia on other flight clothing, i.e., two-piece flight suits and flight jackets, may be prescribed locally by commanders. If prescribed, type and location should conform to placement of insignia on the utility uniform.

e. In lieu of *d* above, local commanders may authorize wearing of name tapes on flight clothing. Name tapes will include abbreviated grade and full name imprinted in ⅜-inch blocklettering, centered on the tape. Such name tapes will be provided to enlisted personnel at no cost to the individual.

f. The appropriate headgear to be worn with all Nomex flight clothing is the fatigue cap. However, male crewmembers may wear the garrison cap and female crewmembers may wear the black beret in association with administrative flights, as specified by the authority responsible for the flight.

g. Flight jackets will be worn only with appropriate flight uniforms.

h. Local commanders may authorize all aviation personnel who are not authorized flight clothing to remove pin-on metal insignia from the work uniform while engaged in maintenance activities in close proximity to aircraft.

i. Local commanders may authorize the wearing of solid color baseball caps by aircraft and ground crewmembers as a safety and identification measure. These caps will be provided at no expense to the individual.

Section II. HOSPITAL DUTY UNIFORM

10–11. Authorization for wear. The hospital duty uniform is authorized for year-round wear by all male officers in the Army Nurse Corps, Army Medical Specialist Corps, and by enlisted men with medical, dental, or veterinary military occupational specialties (MOS).

10–12. Composition. The hospital duty uniform is comprised of a white smock and white trousers. For other accessories and accouterments see appendix A.

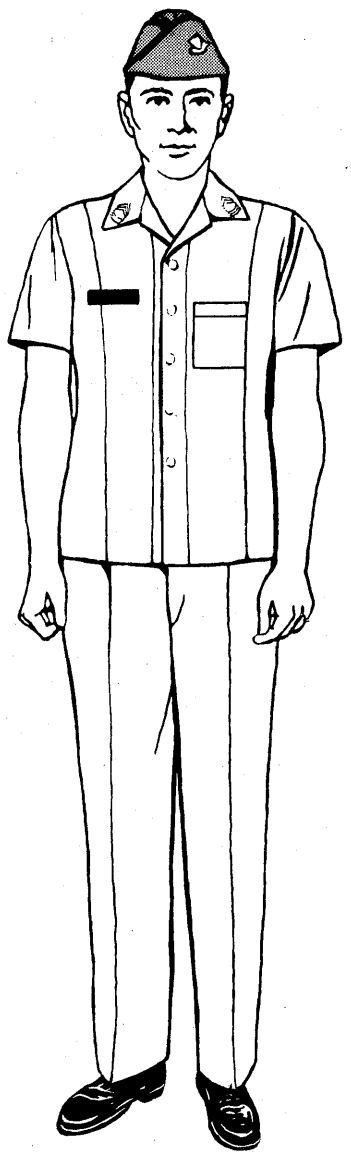


Figure 10–5. Hospital duty uniform.

10–13. Occasions for wear. The hospital duty uniform will be worn on duty in Army health care facilities as prescribed by the medical commander.

10–14. Smock, medical assistants, white cotton drill or white cotton/polyester durable press. The medical assistants smock will be of approved Government specification or pattern and will be worn over the white trousers.

10–15. Trousers, medical assistants, white cotton drill or cotton/polyester. The medical assistants trousers will be of approved Government specification or pattern and will be worn with the medical assistants smock.

10–16. Items worn with and on the uniform. *a. Headgear.* The Army green garrison cap is worn with the hospital duty uniform year-round when outdoors.

b. Footwear. Men's black oxford shoes and black socks are normally worn with the hospital duty uniform; however, white oxford shoes and white socks may be worn on an optional basis.

c. Insignia and accouterments. Polished brass pin-on insignia of grade and branch and nameplates are the only items authorized for wear on the hospital duty uniform.

Section III. FOOD SERVICE UNIFORMS

10–17. Authorization for wear. The food service uniforms are authorized for year-round wear by all enlisted men—

a. Working as cooks, bakers, or food handlers in an authorized dining facility.

b. Who are instructors or students in cooks training.

c. With a food inspector MOS.

10–18. Composition. The food service uniforms are comprised of a white food service coat or a medical assistants white smock, white food service or medical assistants trousers, white food handlers cap, and appropriate items from CTA 50-900 and table 4-1, AR 700-84. The distinctive garrison food service supervisor uniform consists of a white shirt and black trousers. For other accessories and accouterments, see appendix A.

10–19. Occasions for wear. The food service uniforms are prescribed for wear by enlisted men engaged in food handling and/or related activities and will be worn as prescribed by local commanders. This uniform will not be worn as a field or utility uniform.

10–20. Coat, food service, white cotton drill. The coat is of approved Government specification or pattern and will be worn tucked into the trousers. When the medical assistants smock is worn by food service personnel, it will be worn over the trousers.

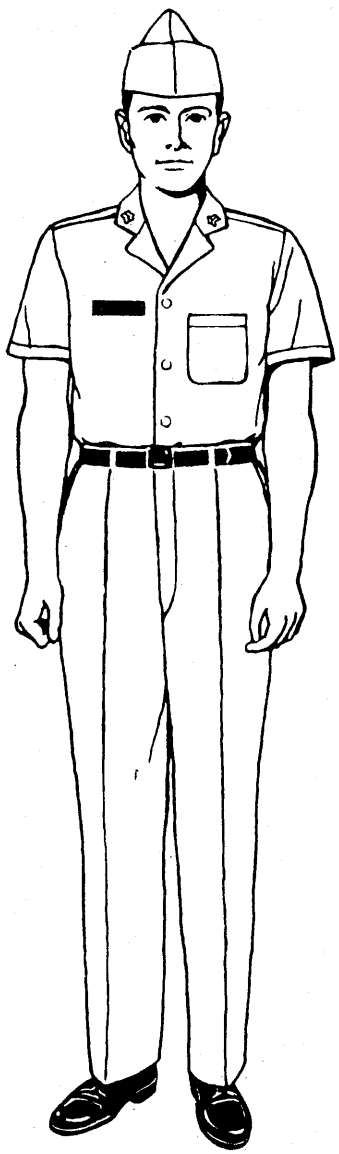


Figure 10-6. Food service uniforms.

10–21. Smock, food inspector, white cotton twill. The smock is of approved Government specification or pattern and will be worn over the trousers.

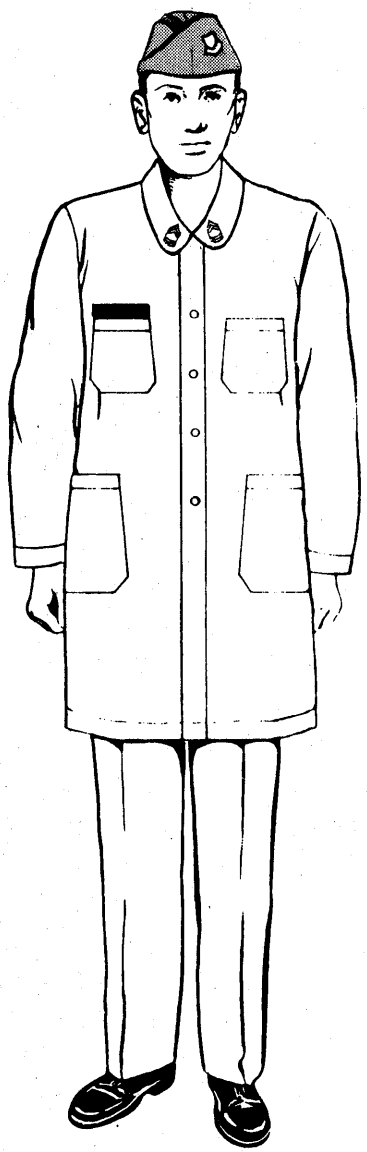


Figure 10–7. Food inspector's smock.

10–22. Trousers, food service, white cotton drill. The trousers are of approved Government specification or pattern and will be worn with the food service coat or the food inspector's smock. The trousers will not be tucked into the boots.

10–23. Items worn with and on the uniforms. *a. Headgear.*

(1) The Army green garrison cap may be worn with the food service uniforms when outdoors.

(2) The white disposable food handler's cap will be worn only in the immediate vicinity of the dining facility when prescribed by local commanders. No insignia will be worn on this cap.

b. Footwear. Black combat boots or black oxford shoes will be worn with the food service uniforms as prescribed by the local commander. Combat boots will not be bloused.

c. Insignia and accouterments. Polished brass pin-on insignia of grade and nameplates are the only items authorized for wear on the food service uniforms.

d. Exceptions to prescribed wear of the food service coat may be authorized in the interest of health and efficiency and to prevent heat injury.

CHAPTER 11
MEN'S ACCESSORIES

11–1. Belt, web, waist and buckles *a. Belt, web.* The belt will be a 1¼-inch web or woven elastic web belt of black color with a black or brass tip.

b. Buckle, belt, web.

(1) A plain-faced solid brass buckle, oval shaped, 2¼ inches long and 1¾ inches wide, will be worn on the belt with the service, dress, hospital duty, and food service uniforms. Either the black tipped belt or the optional brass tipped belt is authorized with this buckle.

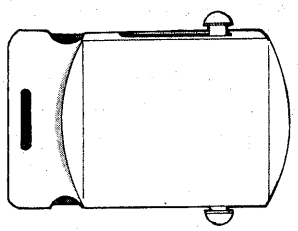


Figure 11-1. Brass buckle.

(2) A black, open faced buckle, 1 11/16 inches long and 1⅝ inches wide, will be worn on the belt with all field and work uniforms. Only the black tipped belt is authorized with this buckle.

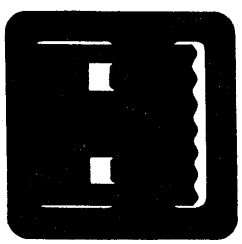


Figure 11-2. Black buckle.

c. Wear. The tipped end of the belt will pass through the buckle to the wearer's left and will not extend more than 2 inches beyond the end of the buckle. The belt and buckle must be worn when the shirt is worn as an outer garment. Wear of the belt and buckle at other times is at the option of the individual. Suspenders of commercial design may be worn in lieu of the belt and buckle but must not be visible.

11–2. Beret. *a. Material.* Knitted wool, moth resistant and water repellent treated.

b. Design. Of approved specification or pattern.

c. Wear. Berets may be worn with the Army green, Army tan, and utility uniforms when in a garrison environment.

(1) The rifle green beret, Army shade 297, will be worn by the following categories of individuals.

(*a*) All personnel assigned to Special Forces units.

(*b*) All personnel assigned to the Special Forces Training Group (Airborne).

(*c*) Trainees attached to the Special Forces Training Group when so authorized by Commandant, United States Army Institute for Military Assistance (USAIMA).

(*d*) Personnel assigned to Headquarters, United States Army John F. Kennedy Center for Military Assistance (USAJFKCENMA) (Airborne), USAIMA, and the Joint Unconventional Warfare Task Force Atlantic (JUWTFA), if they are Special Forces qualified.

(*e*) Active duty advisors to Reserve Special Forces units provided they are Special Forces qualified and that advising Special Forces Reserve units is the individual's primary duty. Active duty advisors authorized to wear the beret will wear the Special Forces flash of the unit which they are advising.

(*f*) Qualified enlisted instructor personnel assigned to designated Special Forces positions in Senior ROTC Instructor Groups. These individuals will wear the USAJFKCENMA flash. Enlisted instructors qualified as ranger or airborne will wear the black or maroon beret if not special forces qualified.

(2) The black beret will be worn by the following categories of individuals:

(*a*) All personnel assigned to ranger units.

(*b*) All personnel assigned to the Ranger Department, US Army Infantry School.

(*c*) Active duty advisers to Reserve ranger units.

(3) The maroon beret will be worn by the following categories of individuals:

(*a*) All personnel assigned to airborne units when the unit is on jump status.

(*b*) Active Army advisers to Reserve airborne units on jump status.

(*c*) All personnel assigned to the Airborne Department, US Army Infantry School.

d. Manner of wear. Headband (edge binding) straight across forehead, 1 inch above eyebrow; top of beret draped over right ear; and stiffener for affixing insignia positioned over left eye. Ends of adjusting ribbon will be cut off and the ribbon knot secured inside the edge binding at the rear of the head.

e. Insignia. Only distinctive unit insignia for enlisted personnel or insignia of grade for officers will be worn. Insignia will be centered on stiffener above left eye. Approved flashes and recognition bar will be worn as described in chapter 26.



Figure 11–3. Beret with flash.



Figure 11–4. Beret, green, Special Forces with recognition bar.



Figure 11–5. Beret with distinctive unit insignia.

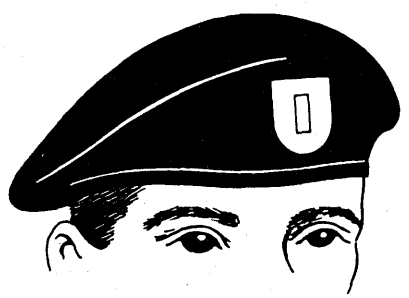


Figure 11–6. Beret with Ranger flash.

11–3. Boots, combat, black. *a. Material.* Leather, black.

b. Design. Of approved specification or pattern; on an optional basis a similar commercial design is authorized. Plain toe or capped toe may be worn. Patent leather is not authorized.

c. Wear. The black combat boot is authorized for wear with the field, utility, and work uniforms. When prescribed by local commanders, personnel assigned to military police and air assault units and airborne qualified personnel assigned to an airborne unit may also wear the black combat boot with the Army tan uniform, Army green uniform, and Army green shade 415 shirt when worn as an outer garment with the Army green trousers. Uniform trousers will be bloused when worn with the black combat boot.

11–4. Buttons. *a. Regular Army buttons.*

(1) *Description.* The buttons will be goldplated or anodized aluminum and will have the Coat of Arms of the United States superimposed thereon.

(2) *Size.* Buttons will be 20-ligne, 25-ligne, 30-ligne, and 36-ligne size. There are 40 lignes to an inch.

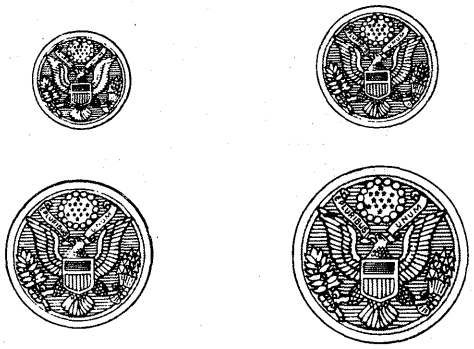


Figure 11–7. Regular Army buttons.

(3) *How worn.* Buttons will be worn on the coats, jackets, and caps of all service, dress, and mess uniforms by all personnel in the Army other than in *b* below.

b. Corps of Engineers buttons.

(1) *Description.* The buttons will be goldplated or anodized aluminum and will have an eagle holding in his beak a scroll with the word "Essayons," a bastion with embrasures in the distance surrounded by water, and with a rising sun.

(2) *Size.* Buttons will be 20-ligne, 25-ligne, 30-ligne, and 36-ligne size. There are 40 lignes to an inch.

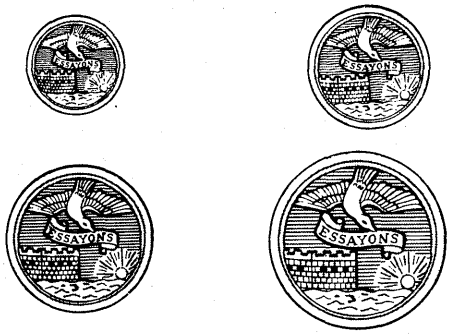


Figure 11–8. Corps of Engineer buttons.

(3) *How worn.* Buttons will be worn on the coats, jackets, and caps of all service, dress, and mess uniforms by all commissioned officers of the Corps of Engineers and all warrant officers with a Corps of Engineers occupational specialty.

c. Buttons on the overcoats and raincoats. These buttons will be of plastic conforming in color to the material of the coat for all personnel in the Army. Sizes are prescribed in the specifications for each article of clothing.

11–5. Cape, Army blue. *a. Material.*

(1) Wool, barathea, 14- or 18-ounce weight, dark blue, Army shade 150.

(2) Wool, gabardine, 14.5-ounce weight, dark blue, Army shade 150.

(3) Wool elastique, 16- or 18-ounce weight, dark blue, Army shade 150.

b. Design. To be of such length as to reach the midpoint of the knee but to reach no lower than a point 2 inches below the knee.



Figure 11–9. Cape, Army blue.

c. Lining. The lining of the Army blue cape will be of rayon, acetate, or other synthetic fabric with a satin face and wool nap back, and a minimum of 5-ounce weight in the following colors:

(1) *General officers.* Dark blue.

(2) *All other officers.* The first named color of the officer's basic branch.

d. Wear.

(1) *Officers.* The Army blue cape is authorized for wear with the Army blue evening dress uniform and on an optional basis with the Army blue and Army blue mess uniforms.

(2) *Enlisted personnel.* Are not authorized to wear the cape.

11–6. Chaplains apparel. *a. Scarves.*

(1) *Christian faith.* A scarf of standard Army ecclesiastical pattern, of suitable black material 9 feet long. On each end, in gold color schiffi embroidery, will be embroidered the Coat of Arms of the United States, 3 inches high, with the chaplain's insignia, Christian, 4 inches high, spaced ½ inch below the Coat of Arms. The bottom edge of the Christian insignia will be 6½ inches from the end of the scarf.

(2) *Jewish faith.* A scarf of standard Army ecclesiastical pattern, of suitable white or black material 9 feet long. On each end, in gold color schiffi embroidery, will be embroidered the Coat of Arms of The United States, 3 inches high, with the chaplain's insignia, Jewish, 4 inches high, spaced ½ inch below the Coat of Arms. The bottom edge of the Jewish insignia will be 6½ inches from the end of the scarf.

b. Vestments. Chaplains are authorized to wear the military uniform, vestments, or other appropriate attire prescribed by ecclesiastical law or denominational practice when conducting religious services. The chaplain's scarf or stole may be worn with the uniform, vestments, or other appropriate attire when conducting religious services.

11–7. Cover, cap, rain. Authorized for optional purchase and wear by officers and enlisted personnel with the service caps and the raincoat, overcoat, or windbreaker in inclement weather. The cover will be transparent plastic with or without a visor protector.

11–8. Cummerbund, Black. *a. Material.* Black silk or satin.

b. Design. Of commercial design with four pleats running the entire length of the cummerbund.

c. Wear. The black cummerbund is authorized for wear by all male personnel with the Army white mess and Army blue mess uniforms. The black cummerbund must be the same material as the black bow-tie. The cummerbund will be worn with the pleats facing down.

11–9. Gloves. *a. Black dress.*

(1) *Material.* Leather.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern or similar commercial design.

(3) *Wear.* Black gloves may be worn with the overcoat, raincoat, windbreaker, or Army green uniform at the option of the individual and in formation when prescribed by the local commander. Black leather gloves may also be worn with civilian clothes.

b. Light duty work gloves.

(1) *Material.*

(*a*) *Shells.* Black leather.

(*b*) *Inserts.* Wool and nylon knit.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

(3) *Wear.* Light duty work gloves may be worn with the field and utility uniforms at the option of the individual and in formations when prescribed by the local commander.

c. White gloves.

(1) *Material.* Cotton, kid, doeskin, silk, or other material.

(2) *Design.* Of appropriate commercial design.

(3) *Wear.* White gloves will normally be worn with the Army white, Army white mess, Army blue, Army blue mess, and Army blue evening dress uniforms. White gloves may also be worn with the service uniforms on occasions of ceremony when prescribed by local commander and when performing military police duties.

11–10. Hat, drill sergeant, men. *a. Material.* Fur felt, olive drab.

b. Design. Of approved specification or pattern.

c. Wear.

(1) By Army drill sergeants, on or off duty, with utility or service uniforms under the following conditions:

(*a*) Noncommissioned officers (NCOs) designated as drill sergeants and assigned to validated drill sergeant positions as principal trainer or assis-

tant trainer (i.e., senior drill sergeant or drill sergeant), respectively.

(*b*) NCO faculty members of a drill sergeant school who are drill sergeant graduates and who are actively engaged in instructing drill sergeant classes.

(2) Upon release from assignments cited in (1) above, NCOs are no longer authorized to wear the drill sergeant hats.

d. Proper wear position. The black leather strap, issued with the hat, will be threaded through the appropriate eyelets in the brim of the hat so that the strap goes around the front of the hat and the buckle is fastened and centered at the back of the wearer's head. The running end of the strap will be to the wearer's left. The hat will be worn without noticeable tilt to the front, rear, or either side, and to permit the brim of the hat to be as nearly level in all directions as possible. No modifications in the shape of the hat are authorized.

e. Insignia. The only insignia authorized for wear on the hat is a gold color metal Coat of Arms of the United States superimposed on a plain gold-colored disk, 1½ inches in diameter, and secured through the front eyelet provided thereon.

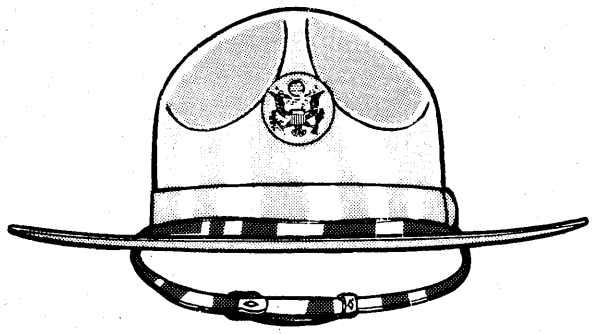


Figure 11–10. Hat, drill sergeant, men.

11–11. Judges' apparel, robes. *a. Design.* Will be judicial robes of the type customarily worn in the United States Court of Military Appeal.

b. Wear. Judicial robes will be worn by officers designated as military judges and appellate military judges when participating in trials by court-martial, hearings by a Court of Military Review, and other judicial proceedings. When judicial robes are worn, the Army uniform will be worn underneath.

11–12. Laces, shoe and boot. Laces will be of the same color as the shoe or boot.

11–13. Military police articles and accessories. The following articles are authorized for wear on the uniform by male military police personnel:

a. Badge, military police.
b. Belt, military police, black leather.
c. Boots, combat, black leather.
d. Brassard, military police.
e. Cap, service, military police.
f. Carrier, club, military police, black leather.
g. Case, field, first aid dressing, black leather.
h. Club, military police.
i. Gloves, white cotton.
j. Handcuffs, w/key, ratchet type.
k. Handcuff case, black leather.
l. Holster, .45 cal, black leather.
m. Lanyard, pistol, white nylon cord.
n. Pocket, ammunition magazine, black leather.
o. Shoulder strap, side arm, military police, black leather.
p. Whistle, patrolman, OD or brass.

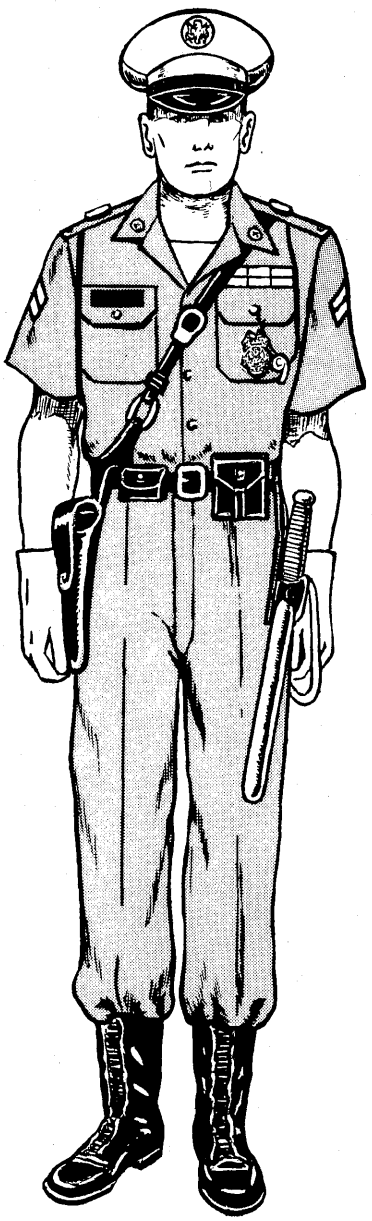


Figure 11–11. Military police accessories.

11–14. Neckties. *a. Four-in-hand tie, black.*

(1) *Material.* Tropical worsted or other similar type woven fabrics, approximately 8 ounces in weight. Knitted fabric is authorized on an optional basis.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern. A pre-tied snap-on necktie is authorized on an optional basis.

(3) *Wear.* The black four-in-hand necktie will be worn with the Army green, Army white, and Army blue uniforms, and the Army green shade 415 long sleeve shirt when worn as an outer garment with the Army green trousers. The black four-in-hand necktie may also be worn on an optional basis with the Army green shade 415 short sleeve shirt when worn as an outer garment with the Army green trousers. The tie may be worn in a Windsor or half-Windsor knot. Use of a conservative tie tack or tie clasp is authorized. The tie will be tied in a manner so that the end is 1 to 3 inches above the top of the belt buckle.

b. Bow tie, black.

(1) *Material.* Black silk or satin without stripe or figure.

(2) *Design.* Commercial type, bow with square ends, not more than 2½ inches in width.

(3) *Wear.* The black bow tie will be worn with Army white mess and Army blue mess uniforms. The black bow tie is authorized for optional wear with Army blue and Army white uniforms, and at social functions with the Army green uniform and white shirt by enlisted men.

c. Bow tie, white.

(1) *Material.* Plain white silk or satin, or material matching shirt, without stripe or figures.

(2) *Design.* Conventional civilian full dress type, not more than 2½ inches in width.

(3) *Wear.* The white bow ties will be worn with the Army blue evening dress uniform or on an optional basis with the Army white mess uniform.

11–15. Overcoat, Army green.

Note. The Army green overcoat is being replaced by the Army black 385 all weather coat. The overcoat is not authorized for wear after 30 September 1985.

a. Material. Wool, gabardine, 14.5-ounce weight, Army green shade 44.

b. Design. Of approved specification or pattern.

c. Wear. The overcoat will be worn buttoned, except for the neck closure which may be worn opened or closed, with or without a scarf. The overcoat is

authorized for wear by all male personnel with the Army green, Army blue Army blue mess, hospital duty, and food service uniforms. The overcoat without insignia is authorized for wear with civilian clothing.

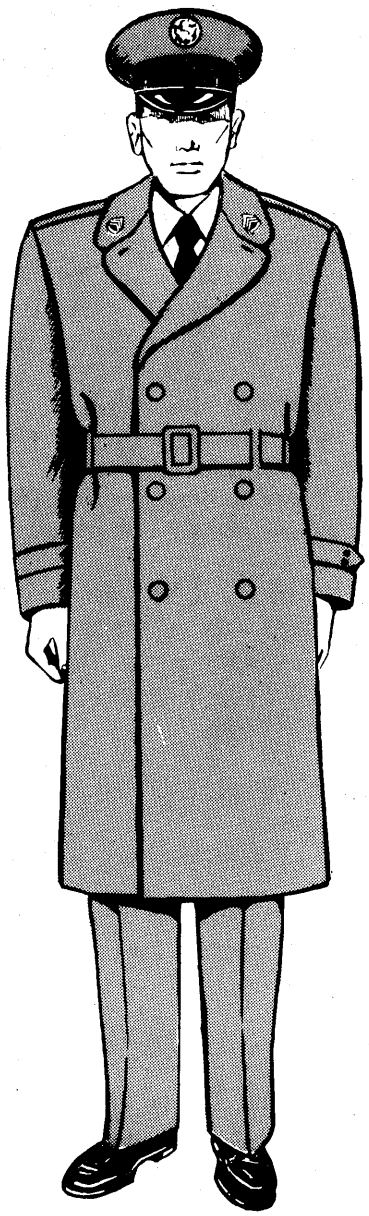


Figure 11–12. Army green overcoat.

11–16. Army black all-weather coat.

Note. The Army black all-weather coat will replace both the Army green raincoat and the Army green overcoat. Mandatory possession date is 1 October 1985.

a. Material.

(1) *Coat.* Polyester/cotton poplin (50/50), 6.0-ounce weight, with water and soil repellent treatment and durable press finish, Army black shade 410.

(2) *Liner.* Knitted acrylic pile fabric, 11.5-ounce weight, Army black shade 410.

b. Design. Of an approved specification or pattern. The all-weather coat is single-breasted with slash front pockets, a zip-in liner, and three-button fly front.

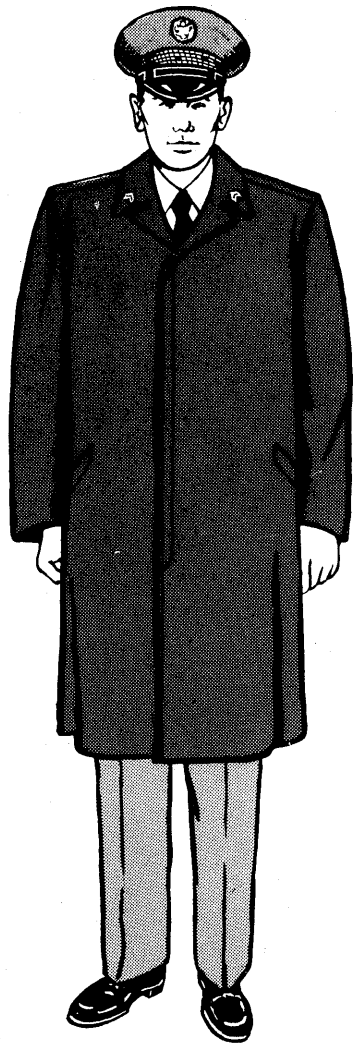


Figure 11–13. Army black all-weather coat.

c. Wear. The black all-weather coat may be worn with or without liner. The coat will be worn but-

toned, except for the neck closure which may be worn opened or closed, with or without a scarf. The all-weather coat is authorized for wear with the service, dress/mess, hospital duty, and food service uniforms. The coat may also be worn with the Army green shade 415 long and short sleeve shirt when worn as an outer garment with the Army green trousers, and with the utility uniforms when personnel are in a garrison environment only. Wear of the all-weather coat with civilian clothing is authorized.

11–17. Raincoat, Army green.

Note. The Army green raincoat is being replaced by the black all-weather coat and will not be authorized for wear after 30 September 1985.

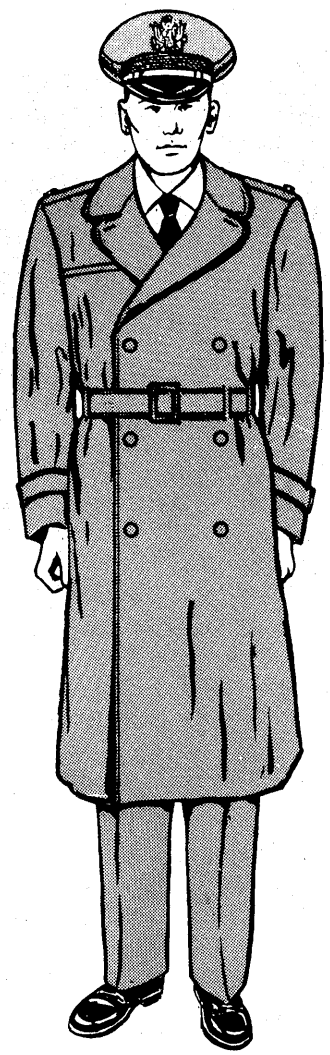


Figure 11-14. Raincoat, Army green.

a. Material. Cotton/polyester, poplin, 5.6-ounce weight, water repellent treated, Army green shade 274.

b. Design. Of approved specification or pattern. Double-breasted with water repellent treatment and durable press finish.

c. Wear. The coat will be worn buttoned, except for the neck closure which may be worn opened or closed, with or without scarf. The raincoat is authorized for wear by all personnel with service, dress/mess, food service, and hospital duty uniforms. The raincoat may also be worn with the Army green shade 415 long and short sleeve shirt when worn as an outer garment with the Army green trousers, and with the utility uniform when personnel are in a garrison environment only. Wear of the raincoat with civilian clothing is authorized.

11–18. Scarves. *a. Army green.*

(1) *Material.*

(*a*) Wool, Army green shade 44.

(*b*) Silk or rayon, Army green shade 279.

(2) *Design.* Commercial design, approximately 12 by 52 inches.

(3) *Wear.* Authorized for wear by officers and enlisted men when wearing the green raincoat or overcoat except with the Army white, Army blue, Army white mess, Army blue mess, and Army blue evening dress uniforms.

b. Olive drab.

(1) *Material.* Wool, olive drab, Army shade 208.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

(3) *Wear.* Authorized for wear by officers and enlisted men when wearing the field jacket or other field clothing.

c. White.

(1) *Material.* Rayon, silk, or wool, bleached white.

(2) *Design.* Commercial design.

(3) *Wear.*

(*a*) *Officers.* Authorized for wear with the green raincoat, green overcoat, black all-weather coat, or the blue cape when the Army white, Army blue, Army white mess, Army blue mess, or Army blue evening dress uniform is worn.

(*b*) *Enlisted men.* The white scarf is worn with the green raincoat or green overcoat when the Army blue or Army blue mess uniform is worn.

d. Black.

(1) *Material.* Wool, silk, or rayon, Army black.

(2) *Design.* Of commercial design, approximately 12 by 52 inches.

(3) *Wear.* Authorized for wear by officers and enlisted men with the Army black raincoat.

e. How worn. Scarves will be worn folded in half, lengthwise, and crossed left over right at the neck. The ends will be tucked neatly into the neckline of the outer garment.

11–19. Shirts. *a. Tan shade 446, long sleeve.*

(1) *Material.* Polyester/cotton broadcloth, 2.8 to 3.2-ounce weight, Army tan shade 446.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

(3) *Wear.* Authorized for wear by all personnel with the Army green uniform.

b. Tan shade 446, short sleeve.

(1) *Material.* Polyester/cotton broadcloth, 2.8- to 3.2-ounce weight, Army tan shade 446.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

(3) *Wear.* Authorized for optional purchase and wear by all personnel with the Army green uniform.

Note. The Army green shade 415 shirt has replaced the Army tan shade 446 shirt which is authorized for wear until 30 September 1985. Mandatory possession of one long and one short sleeve shirt is 1 March 1982, two long and two short sleeve on 1 October 1984, and two long and three short sleeve on 1 October 1985.

c. Green shade 415, long and short sleeve.

(1) *Material.* Durable press polyester/cotton broadcloth. Optional purchase and wear of the Army green shade 428 shirt, polyester/wool, is authorized.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

(3) *Wear.* Authorized for year-round wear by all male personnel with the Army green uniform or as an outer garment with the Army green trousers. The long sleeve shirt sleeves will not be rolled.

d. White.

(1) *Material.* White plain weave cotton, synthetic or blend, without stripe or figure.

(2) *Design.* Of a commercial design with barrel or French cuffs and standard turndown collar.

(3) *Wear.* Authorized for wear by all personnel with the Army blue and Army white uniforms. May also be worn by enlisted personnel with the Army green uniform at social functions.

e. White, semiformal dress.

(1) *Material.* White cotton, synthetic, or blend.

(2) *Design.* Semiformal, civilian dress shirt with a soft bosom, such as pleated types, French cuffs, and an attached or detachable turndown collar.

(3) *Wear.* Authorized for wear with the Army white mess and Army blue mess uniforms.

f. White, formal dress.

(1) *Material.* White cotton, synthetic, or blend.

(2) *Design.* Formal, civilian full dress shirt, with a stiff bosom such as plain starched or pique, French cuffs, and an attached or detachable wing type collar.

(3) *Wear.* Authorized for wear by all officers with the Army white mess and Army blue evening dress uniforms.

11–20. Shoes. *a. Shoes, oxford, black.*

(1) *Material.* Leather or poromeric material is authorized. Patent leather is not authorized.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern. A chukka boot or similar commercial design is also authorized. The buckle on the chukka style boots will be of plain design. Ornate or large buckles will not be worn. The shoes will be plain toe with noncontrasting sole.

(3) *Wear.* Black oxford shoes are authorized for wear by all male personnel with all uniforms except field and utility uniforms.

b. Shoes, oxford, white.

(1) *Material.* Leather or poromeric material is authorized. Patent leather is not authorized.

(2) *Design.* Of appropriate commercial design, untrimmed, with a plain toe and noncontrasting sole.

(3) *Wear.* White oxford shoes are authorized for wear by male ANC and AMSC officers and for optional wear by male enlisted personnel with the hospital duty uniforms.

c. Overshoes, black. (1) *Material.* Rubber or synthetic.

(2) *Design.* Of commercial design.

(3) *Wear.* Authorized for optional wear by male personnel with dress oxfords, when not in formation.

11–21. Socks. *a. Socks, black.*

(1) *Material.* Cotton or cotton/nylon, plain black rib, elastic top or stretch type.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pat-

tern or of commercial design.

(3) *Wear.* Black socks are authorized for wear by all male personnel and must be worn only with the black oxford shoe.

b. Socks, white.

(1) *Material.* Cotton or cotton/nylon, plain white rib, elastic top or stretch type.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern or of commercial design.

(3) *Wear.* White socks are authorized for wear by all male personnel with the hospital duty uniform and must be worn only with the white oxford shoes.

c. Socks, olive green.

(1) *Material.* 20 percent cotton, 30 percent nylon, 50 percent wool, Army olive green shade 408, ribbed knit top and cushion sole.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

(3) *Wear.* The olive green socks must be worn by all personnel when wearing combat or organizational boots.

11–22. Studs and cuff links. *a. Design.* Of commercial design.

b. Color.

(1) With the Army blue evening dress uniform. Plain white (such as white mother-of-pearl) with or without rims of platinum or white gold.

(2) With the Army blue mess and Army white mess uniforms. Gold or gold-colored metal, round, plain face; cuff links to be ½ to ¾ inch in diameter, of post or link type; studs to be ¼ to ⅜ inch in diameter.

(3) With the Army blue and Army white uniforms. When worn, cuff links will be of plain gold or gold color metal as described in (2) above.

11–23. Sweaters. *a. Sweater, Army green, cardigan.*

(1) *Material.* Knitted acrylic, Army green shade 412.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. Sweater, Army black, cardigan.

Note. The Army black sweater will replace the Army green sweater which is authorized for wear until 30 September 1983.

(1) *Material.* 100 percent acrylic, Army black shade 435.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

c. Sweater, Army black, pullover "V" neck.

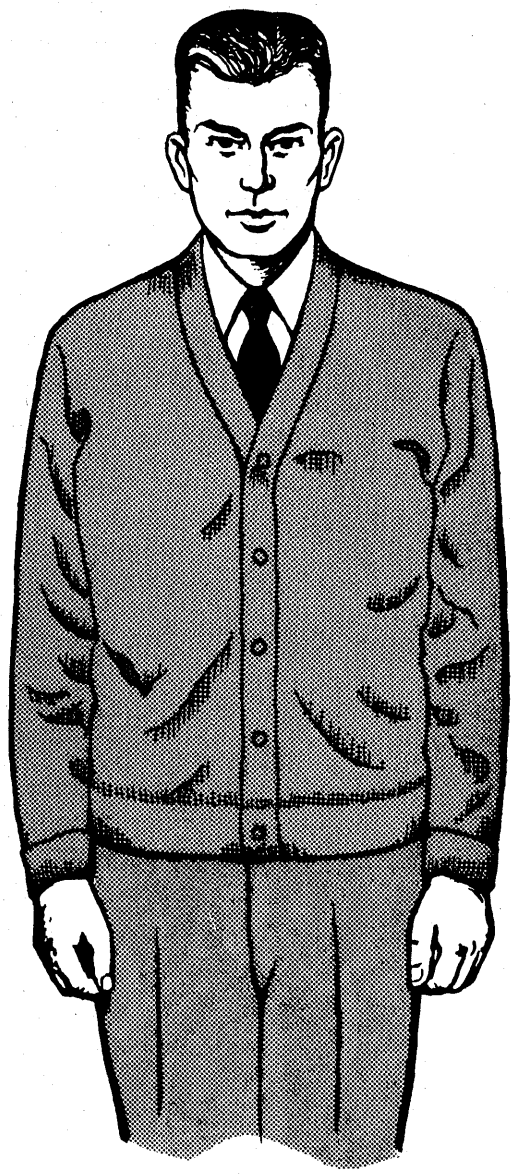
(1) *Material.* 100 percent wool, Army black shade 458.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

d. Wear of the sweaters.

(1) *Cardigan.* The sweater is authorized for optional purchase and wear as an outer garment with the Army green trousers and shirts. When worn with the Army green trousers, it will be worn only within the confines of the individual's immediate working area. The sweater may be worn with the green short sleeve shirt with or without tie. When the short sleeve shirt without tie is worn, the shirt collar will be worn outside the sweater. It may also be worn under the Army green coat and windbreakers. When worn under the windbreakers, it must not appear exposed. The sweater may also be worn as an outer garment with the hospital duty and food service uniforms while on the military reservation and when traveling to and from residence in a private vehicle. When the sweater is worn, it will be buttoned. The sweater is authorized for wear with civilian clothing.

(2) *Pullover.* The sweater is authorized for optional purchase and wear as an outer garment with the Army green trousers and green shirts. The sweater may be worn with the green short sleeve shirt with or without tie. When the short sleeve shirt without tie is worn, the short collar will be worn outside the sweater. It may also be worn under the green raincoat, all-weather coat, and black windbreakers. When worn under the windbreaker, it must not appear exposed. Officers will wear shoulder marks indicating insignia of grade. Enlisted personnel in the grade of corporal or higher will wear shoulder marks in lieu of insignia on the shirt collar. The name plate will be centered one-fourth inch above the bottom of the patch. The DUI may be worn by personnel authorized a DUI and will be centered one-fourth inch above the name plate. The sweater may be worn with civilian clothes. If DUI is not worn, the nameplate will be centered.



Cardigan, green or black.



Pullover, black.

Figure 11–15. Sweaters.

11–24. Undershirts. *a. White.*

(1) *Material.* Cotton or cotton polyester knit.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern with quarter sleeves and round or V-neck collar.

(3) *Wear.* The undershirt must be worn with the Army tan uniform, the Army green shade 415 long- and short-sleeve shirts, and the field, utility, hospital duty, and food service uniforms.

b. Olive green, Army shade 109.

(1) *Material.* Cotton or cotton polyester knit.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern with quarter sleeves and round collar.

(3) *Wear.* May be prescribed by the local commander for wear with field and utility uniforms in lieu of the white undershirt as authorized by CTA 50-900.

c. No specific type of undershirt is prescribed for wear with Army service and Army dress uniforms which have a closed shirt collar and tie. The under-

shirt must be white, however, if it is visible through the shirt.

11-25. Vest, white. *a. Material.*

(1) Cotton twill, 8.2-ounce weight, white.

(2) Polyester/wool blended fabrics in tropical, 9-ounce weight, white.

(3) Polyester/wool blended fabrics in twill weave, 10.5-ounce weight, white.

(4) Polyester texturized woven serge, 6.5-ounce weight, white.

b. Design. Of approved specification or pattern. The white vest will be single-breasted, cut low with a rolling collar and pointed bottom, and fastened with three detachable, extra small white buttons.

c. Wear. The white vest is authorized for wear by all officers with the Army white mess uniform and the Army blue evening dress uniform.

11-26. Windbreakers, Army black and Army green.

a. Windbreaker, Army black.

Note. The Army black windbreaker will replace the Army green windbreaker which is authorized for wear through 30 September 1983.

(1) *Material.* Polyester/cotton poplin, 6.0-ounce, Army black shade 385 with black nylon fleece removable liner.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification and pattern.

b. Windbreaker, Army green.

(1) *Material.* Cotton/nylon, oxford, 5.6-ounce, Army green shade 274.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification and pattern.

c. Wear of windbreakers. The windbreakers are authorized for optional purchase and wear by all male personnel with the Army tan uniform, Army green long- and short-sleeve shirts when worn as outergarments with the Army green trousers, and food service and hospital duty uniforms. The windbreakers may not be worn in formations unless authorized by local commanders. When worn with the uniform, it will be worn zipped at least three-fourths of the way up. Either windbreaker, without insignia, may be worn with civilian clothing.

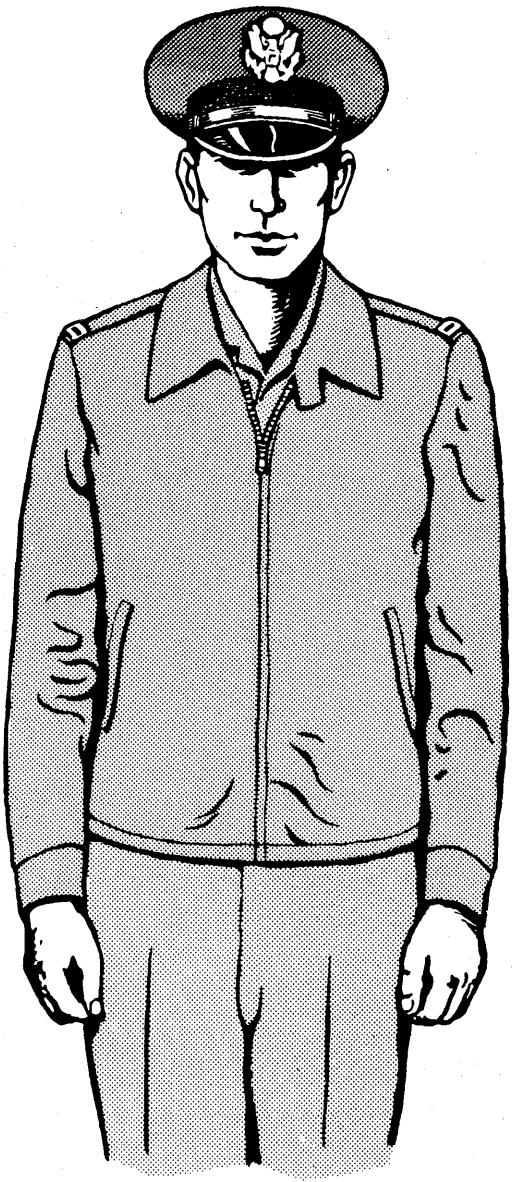


Figure 11-16. Windbreaker, green.

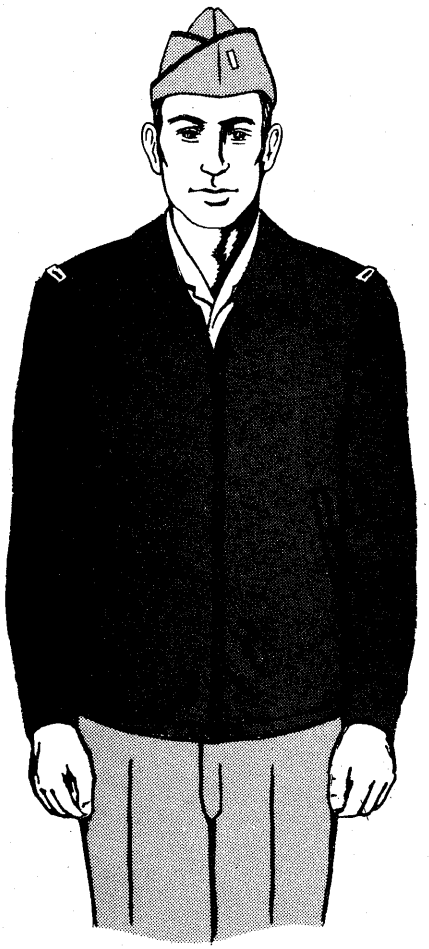


Figure 11-17. Windbreaker, black.

PART III

WOMEN'S SERVICE, DRESS, FIELD, AND WORK UNIFORMS AND ACCESSORIES

CHAPTER 12

ARMY GREEN CORD UNIFORM-WOMEN'S

12–1. Authorization for wear. The Army green cord uniform is authorized for wear by all female personnel.

Note. The Army green cord uniform is a phaseout item and is being replaced by the Army green (AG–388) skirt and jacket uniforms. The Army green cord uniform is authorized for wear through 30 September 1981.

12–2. Composition. The Army green cord uniform is comprised of an Army green cord skirt and short sleeve coat. No shirt is worn with the Army green cord uniform. For other accessories and accouterments, see appendix B.

12–3. Occasions for wear. May be worn by all female personnel when on duty, off duty, or during travel.

12–4. Materials. Coat and skirt and garrison cap—polyester/cotton blended fabric in plain weave, 4.3-ounce weight, green and white stripe, Army shade 160.

12–5. Coat, Army green cord. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The coat will be an easy fitting, short sleeve, single-breasted, open collar and lapels, four-button hip length coat with two slanted front pockets.

c. Ornamentation. Cord edge braid will be worn around the collar and sleeve cuffs.

12–6. Skirt, Army green cord. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The skirt is a knee length, slightly flared skirt, with a waistband and zipper closure on the left side.

12–7. Headgear. *a.* Garrison cap, Army green cord.

Note. The Army green cord garrison cap is a phaseout item but will continue to be authorized for wear through 30 September 1981.

(1) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

(2) *Ornamentation.* The Army green cord garrison cap will have a cord edge braid secured to the tip edge of the curtain, along the entire outer edge.

(3) *Wear.* The Army green cord garrison cap may be worn by all female personnel in the Army with the Army green cord uniform.

(4) *Proper wear position.* The garrison cap will be worn with the front vertical crease placed slightly to the right of the center of the forehead. The cap will be placed on the head in such a manner that the front and rear vertical creases and the top edge of the crown form unbroken lines in silhouette. The crown of the cap will not be crushed or shaped to form peaks at the top front or top rear of the cap. Hair will not be visible on the forehead below the front brim of the cap.

b. In addition to the garrison cap, the Army green service hat and black beret are also authorized for wear with the Army green cord uniform.

12–8. Items worn on the uniform. *a.* Only the below listed items are authorized for wear on the Army green cord uniform:

(1) Headgear insignia.
(2) US insignia (enlisted only).
(3) Insignia of grade.
(4) Insignia of branch.

(5) Distinctive unit insignia.
(6) Distinctive items authorized for other than infantry personnel.
(7) Branch of service scarves.
(8) Aiguillette, Service.
(9) Nameplate.
(10) Decoration ribbons, full size.
(11) Service medal ribbons, full size.
(12) Unit awards.
(13) Fourragere.
(14) Badges, Identification, Marksmanship, and Special Skill, full size and miniature.

b. Enlisted personnel will wear the insignia of grade embroidered on an Army green background, centered on the sleeves of the coat on the Army green cord uniform.



Officer



Enlisted

Figure 12-1. Army green cord uniform.

CHAPTER 13

ARMY GREEN (AG–388) UNIFORMS-WOMEN'S

Section I. SKIRT AND JACKET

13–1. Authorization for wear. The Army green (AG–388) skirt and jacket uniforms are authorized for wear by all female personnel.

Note: The Army green (AG–388) skirt and jacket uniforms are the authorized replacement for the Army green cord uniform. Mandatory possession of the AG 388 uniform is 1 October 1981. The green shade 415 shirt will replace AG 388 uniform and may be used in lieu of mandatory possession of the AG 388.

13–2. Composition. The Army green (AG–388) skirt and jacket uniforms are comprised of an Army green skirt, a long sleeve Army green jacket, and a short sleeve Army green jacket. The Army green skirt (AG–388) may be worn with either the long sleeve or short sleeve Army green jacket (AG–388) but neither jacket will be worn with any other uniform. No shirt is worn with the Army green (AG–388) skirt and jacket uniforms. For other accessories and accouterments see Appendix B.

13–3. Occasions for wear. May be worn by all female personnel when on duty or off duty and during travel.

13–4. Material. Skirt and long and short sleeve jackets—100 percent polyester warp knit, 6.9-ounce weight, Army green shade 388.

13–5. Jacket, long sleeve, army green shade 388. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The jacket has a collar with modified princess lines, single-breasted with four-button closure, and long sleeves, two inside hanging pockets with outside flaps, and button-down shoulder loops.

c. Ornamentation. Will be without ornamental braid.

13–6. Jacket, short sleeve, Army green shade 388. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The jacket has a collar, is single-breasted with four-button closure, short cuffed sleeves, and button-down shoulder loops.

c. Ornamentation. Will be without ornamental braid.

13–7. Skirt, Army green shade 388. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The skirt is a six-panel, knee length, slightly flared skirt, with a waistband and zipper closure on the left side.

13–8. Headgear. The Army green service hat and black beret are authorized for wear with the Army green (AG–388) skirt and jacket uniforms.

13–9. Items worn on the uniform. *a.* Only the below listed items are authorized for wear on the Army green (AG–388) skirt and jacket uniforms:

(1) Headgear insignia.
(2) Insignia of grade.
(3) Insignia of branch.
(4) Distinctive unit insignia.
(5) Distinctive items authorized for other than infantry personnel.
(6) Branch of Service scarves.
(7) Aiguillette, service.
(8) Nameplate.
(9) Decoration ribbons, full size.
(10) Service Medal ribbons, full size.
(11) Unit awards.
(12) Fourragere.
(13) Badges; Identification, Marksmanship, and Special Skill, full size and miniature.

b. Enlisted personnel will wear polished brass pin-on insignia of grade on both collars of the Army green (AG–388) skirt and jacket uniforms.

c. Officer personnel will wear full color pin-on in-

signia of grade on the right collar and branch of service insignia on the left collar of the Army green (AG–388) skirt and jacket uniform.



Figure 13–1. Army green (AG–388) skirt and jacket uniforms.

Section II. DRESS AND JACKET (OPTIONAL)

13–10. Authorization for wear. The Army green (AG 388) dress and jacket uniform is authorized for optional wear by all female personnel.

13–11. Composition. The Army green (AG 388) dress and jacket uniform is comprised of an Army green dress and an Army green cardigan jacket. The Army green dress may be worn with or without the Army green cardigan jacket, but the cardigan jacket may only be worn with the Army green dress. For other accessories and accouterments, see appendix B.

13–12. Occasions for wear. May be worn by all female personnel when on duty unless otherwise prescribed by the local commander and off duty and during travel.

13–14. Material. Dress and cardigan jacket—100 percent polyester warp knit, 6.9-ounce weight, Army green shade 388.

13–14. Jacket, cardigan, Army green shade 388. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The jacket is a collarless (cardigan) style with modified princess lines, single-breasted with four-button closure, long sleeves, two slanted flaps, and shoulder loops tacked down at the neckline.

c. Ornamentation. Will be without ornamental braid.

13–15. Dress, Army green shade 388. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The dress has a roll collar, modified princess lines in front and back, short sleeves with a back zipper closure, and shoulder loops tacked down at the neckline.

13–14. Headgear. The Army green service hat and black beret are authorized for wear with the Army green (AG–388) dress and jacket uniform.

13–17. Items worn on the uniform. *a.* Only the below listed items are authorized for wear on the Army green (AG–388) dress and jacket uniform:

(1) Headgear Insignia.
(2) Insignia of Grade.
(3) Insignia of Branch.
(4) Distinctive Unit Insignia.
(5) Distinctive items authorized for other than infantry personnel.
(6) Branch of Service Scarves.
(7) Aiguillette, Service.
(8) Nameplate.
(9) Decoration Ribbons, Full Size.
(10) Service Medal Ribbons, Full Size.
(11) Unit Awards.
(12) Fourragere.
(13) Badges; Identification, Marksmanship, and Special Skill, full size and miniature.

b. Enlisted personnel will wear polished brass pin-on insignia of grade on both collars of the Army green (AG–388) dress and jacket uniform.

c. Officer personnel will wear full color pin-on insignia of grade on the right collar and branch of service insignia on the left collar of the Army green (AG 388) dress and jacket uniform.



Figure 13-2. Army Green (AG-388) dress and jacket uniforms.

CHAPTER 14

ARMY GREEN CLASSIC UNIFORM-WOMEN'S

14–1. Authorization for wear. The Army green classic uniform is authorized for year-round wear by all female personnel.

Note. The classic design (figs. 14–1 and –2) will replace all female service uniforms.

14–2. Composition. The classic uniform is comprised of an Army green coat, skirt, and slacks and a green shade 415 long- and short-sleeve shirt. For accessories and accouterments see Army green uniform and pantsuit uniform at appendix B. The jacket, skirt, and slacks are of the same fabric and may be worn interchangeably. The tunic, Army green shade 413, is authorized for optional purchase and wear with the coat and slacks.

14–3. Occasion for wear. *a.* May be worn by all female personnel when on duty, off duty, or during travel. The uniform is also acceptable for social functions after retreat.

b. The coat and skirt may also be worn by enlisted personnel with a white shirt and black necktab at formal social functions.

14–4. Materials. Coat, skirt, and slacks.

a. Polyester/wool (55/44) blend, serge weave, 7-ounce weight, Army green shade 344.

b. Polyester texture (100%), 6.5-ounce, Army green shade 44.

14–5. Coat, Army green. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The Army green coat will be an easy fitting, button-down shoulder loops, long sleeves, notched collar, side-body construction, single-breasted, four-button hip length coat with two slanted flap front pockets.

c. Coat sleeve ornamentation.

(1) *General officers.* Will have a band of black mohair or mercerized cotton braid, 1½ inches wide, sewn on each sleeve with the lower edge parallel to and 3 inches above the bottom edge of each sleeve.

(2) *Other officers.* Will have a band of black mohair or mercerized cotton braid, ½ inch wide, sewn on each sleeve with the lower edge parallel to and 3 inches above the bottom edge of each sleeve.

(3) *Enlisted personnel.* Will be without ornamental braid.

14–6. Skirt, Army green. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The skirt is a knee-length slightly flared skirt with a waistband and zipper closure on the left side.

14–7. Slacks, Army green. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The slacks will have a straight legs with slightly flared bottoms and a zipper closure on the center front.

c. Ornamentation. Braid will be sewn on each outside seam of the trouser leg from the bottom of the waistband to the bottom of the trouser leg as follows.

(1) General officers. Two ½-inch-wide black mohair, mercerized cotton, or polyester braids sewn ½-inch apart on each slack leg.

(2) Other officers. One 1-inch black mohair, mercerized cotton, or polyester braid sewn on each slacks leg.

(3) Enlisted personnel. Will be without braid.

14–8. Shirts. *a. Army green shade 415.* The long- or short-sleeve shirt with the black service necktab will be worn with the coat. The long- or short-sleeve shirt may be worn as an outer garment with the slacks or skirt. If the long-sleeve shirt is worn as an outer garment, the necktab will be worn. When the short-sleeve shirt is worn as an outer garment, the necktab is not required. The shirts may be worn tucked inside or outside the skirt or slacks.

b. White. The white shirt may be worn as an op-

tional item with the coat and skirt for formal social functions.

14–9. Headgear. The Army green service hat and black beret are authorized for wear with the Army green classic uniform.

14–10. Items worn on the uniform. *a.* Only the below listed items are authorized for wear on the Army green classic uniform.

(1) Headgear insignia.
(2) US insignia.
(3) Insignia of grade.
(4) Insignia of branch.
(5) Shoulder sleeve insignia, current assignment.
(6) Shoulder sleeve insignia, former wartime unit.
(7) Distinctive unit insignia.
(8) Distinctive items authorized for other than infantry personnel.
(9) Branch of service scarves.
(10) Service stripes (enlisted personnel only).
(11) Oversea service bars.
(12) Aiguillette, Service.
(13) Nameplate.
(14) Decorations, medals, full size or miniature, or ribbons.
(15) Service medals, full size or miniature, or ribbons.
(16) Unit awards.
(17) Fourragere.
(18) Badges; Identification, Marksmanship, and Special Skill, full size or miniature.

b. Enlisted personnel will wear sew-on insignia of grade, service strips, and oversea service bars on an Army green background of the same shade as the uniform.

c. Only the items listed below will be worn on the Army green shade 415 long- or short-sleeve shirt when worn with or without the coat.

(1) Black service necktab (optional with short-sleeve shirt when worn as an outer garment).
(2) Green shoulder marks (officer only).
(3) Black shoulder marks (enlisted; CPL or higher).
(4) Pin-on insignia of grade, polished brass, (enlisted; SP4 and lower).

Note: Enlisted personnel in grade of CPL or higher may continue to wear the insignia of rank on the collar until shoulder mark is issued at time of promotion or until 30 September 1983, whichever occurs first.

(5) Chaplains insignia of branch, silver color (cross or tablet).
(6) Nameplate. (See para 1-13*c* for complete description.)
(7) Military police badge or recruiter badge (attached with fob). Worn only when the shirt is worn as an outer garment.

d. MACOM commanders may authorize optional wear of awards and decorations on the Army green shade 415 shirts for personnel assigned and physically present in clothing zone 1 as defined in CTA 50-900. A plastic backing may be worn on the inside of the shirt to provide additional support if necessary.

e. Shoulder marks for officers are Army green shade 344 with a ⅛-inch yellow stripe below the embroidered insignia of grade. Shoulder marks for enlisted personnel are black with the applicable insignia of grade embroidered five-eighths inch from the lower end of the shoulder mark. Shoulder marks are of two sizes.

(1) *Large.* 2⅛ inches wide at the base and 4¼ inches in length tapering to 1¾ inches wide at the top.

(2) *Small.* 2⅛ inches wide at the base and 3½ inches in length tapering to 1¾ inches wide at the top.

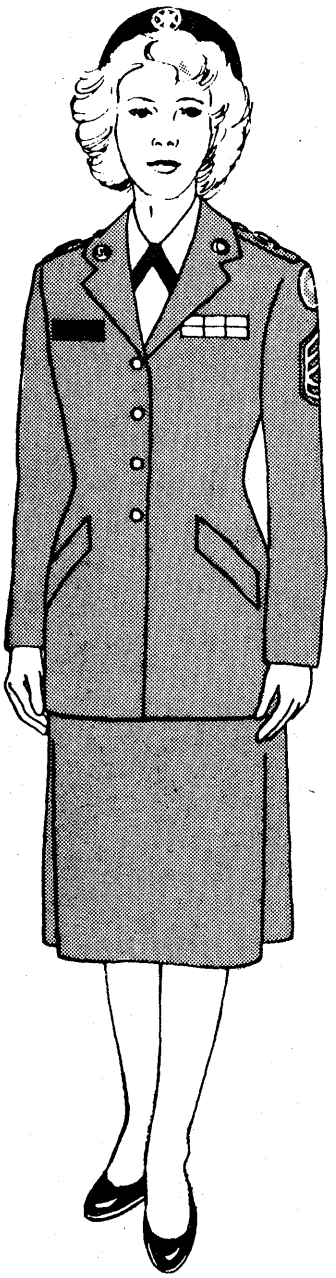


Figure 14–1. Classic uniform, coat and skirt.

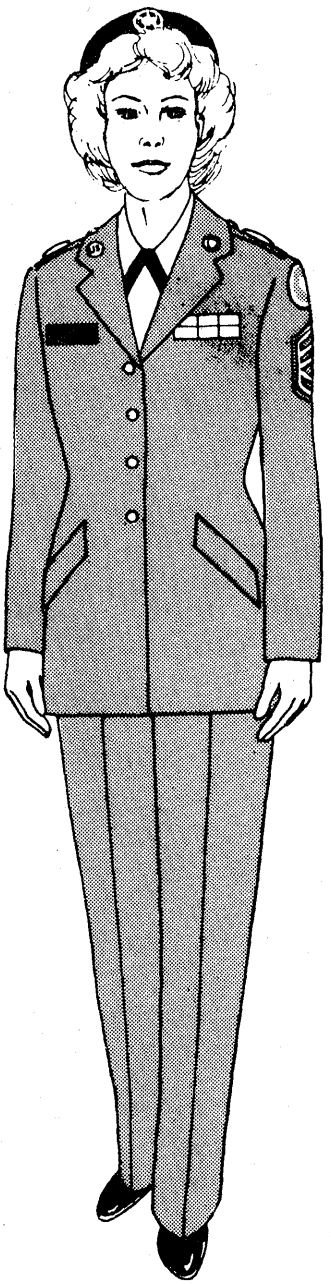
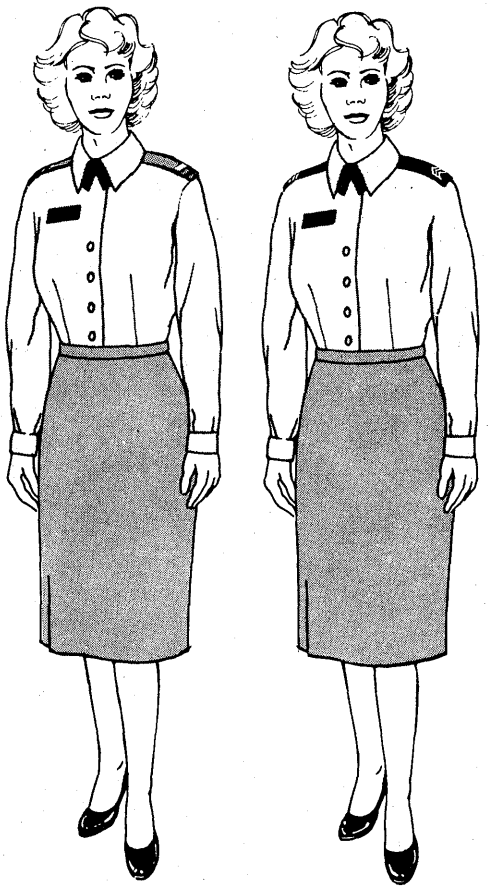
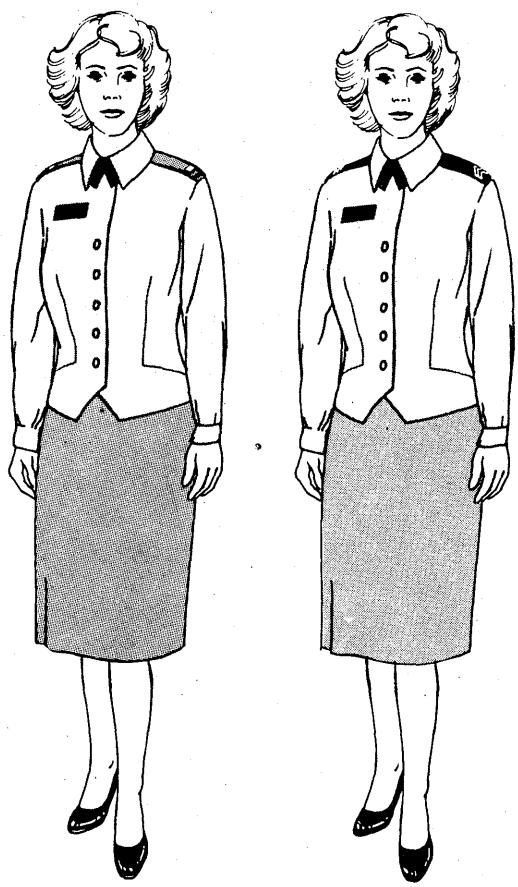


Figure 14–2. Classic uniform, coat and slacks.

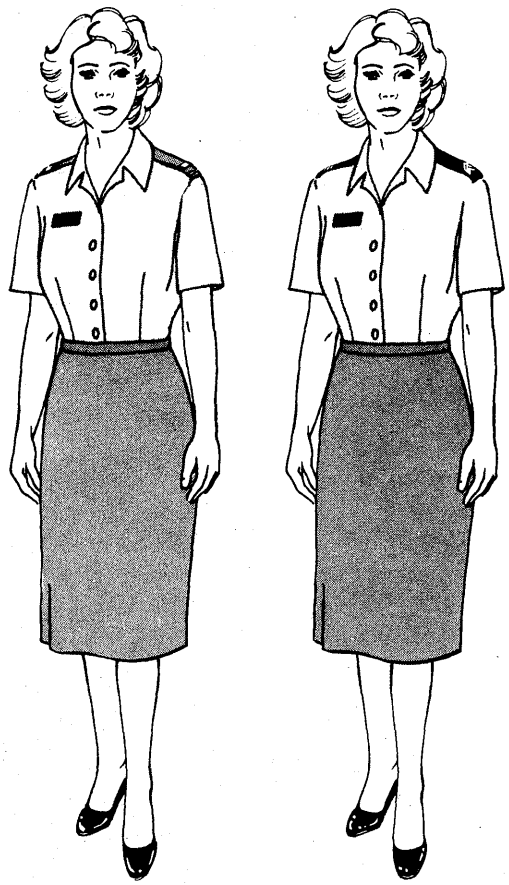


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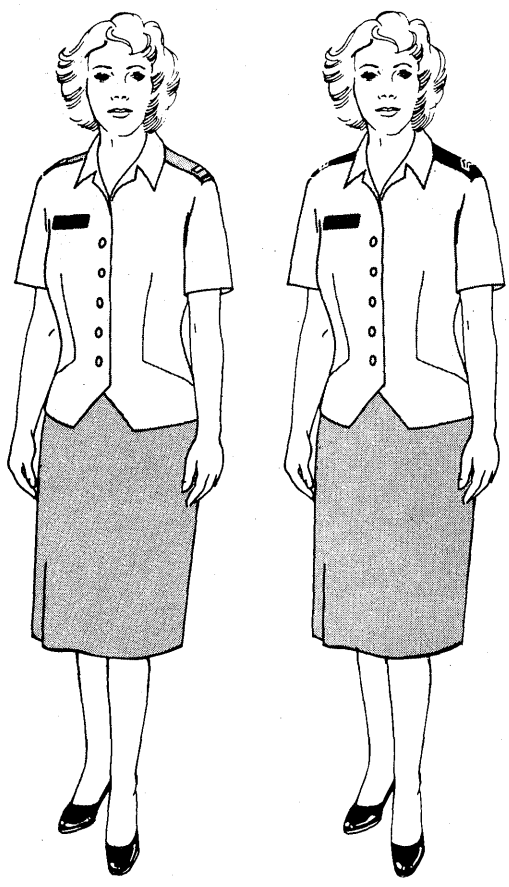


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Figure 14–3. Classic uniform, Army green shirt with skirt.

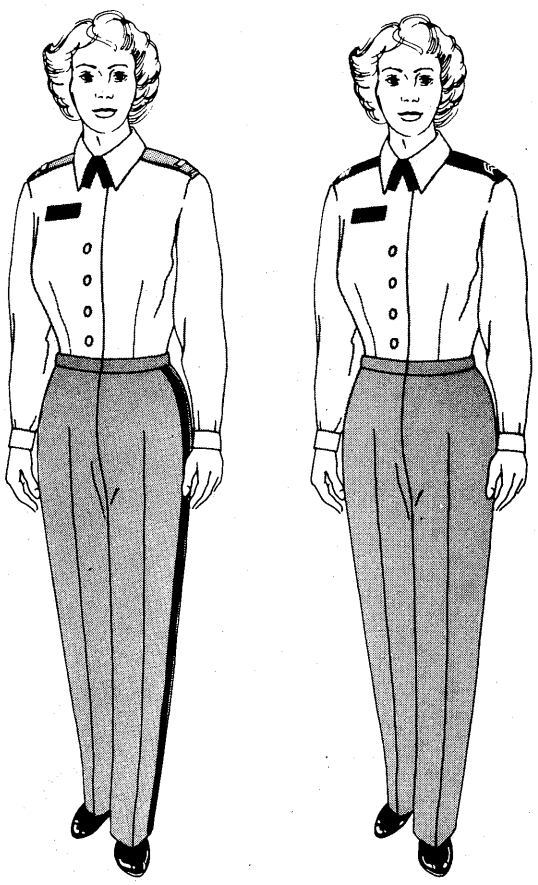


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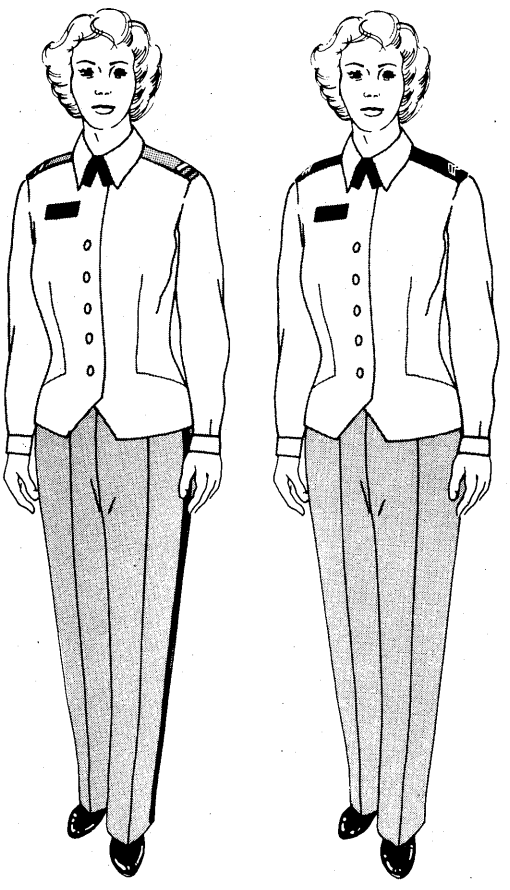


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Figure 14-3 Cont'd. Classic uniform, Army green shirt with skirt.

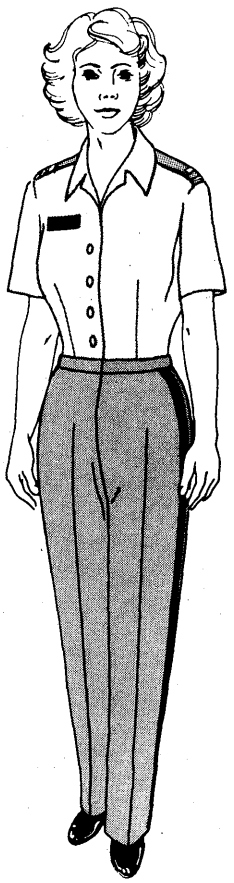


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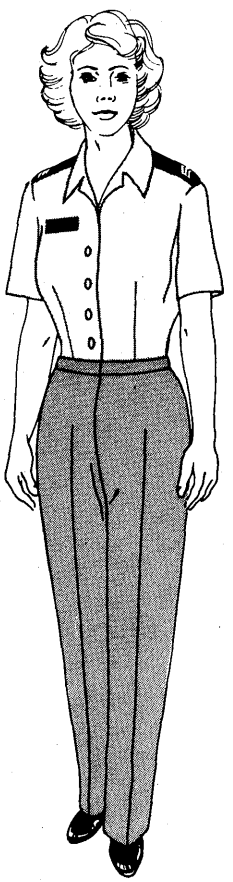


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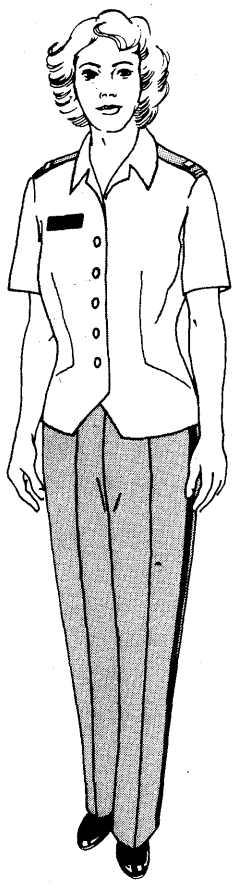
Figure 14–3 Cont'd. Classic uniform, Army green shirt with slacks.



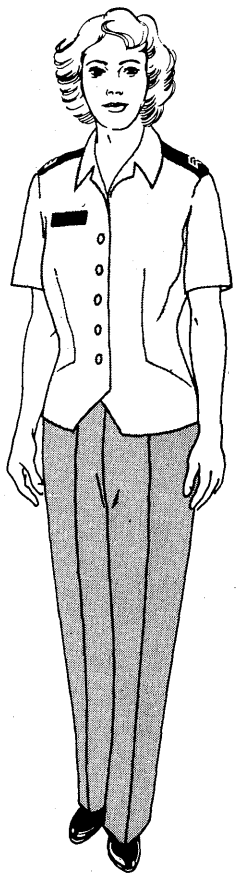
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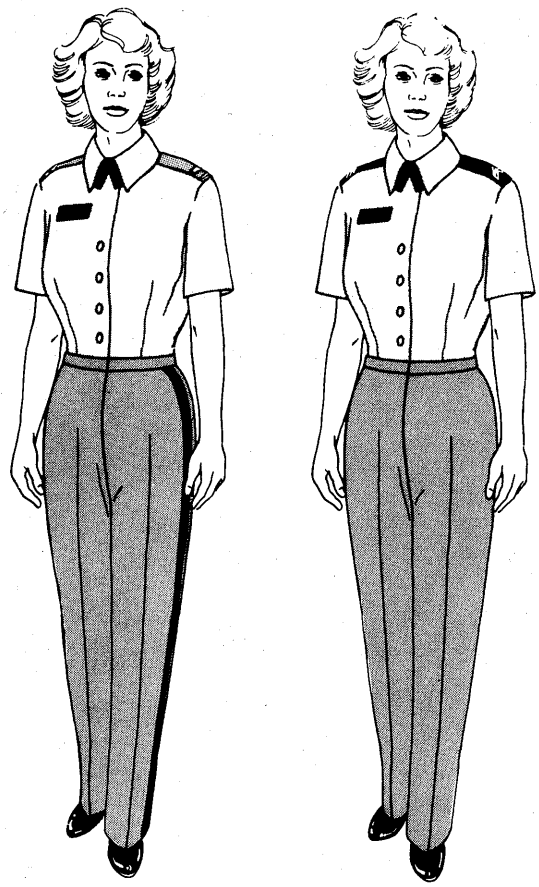


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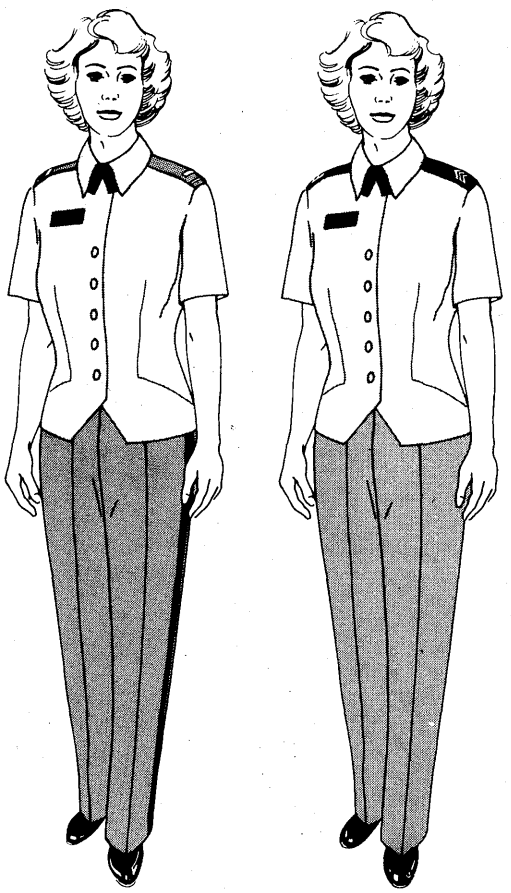


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Figure 14-3 Cont'd. Classic uniform, Army green shirt with slacks.



Officer Enlisted



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Figure 14-3 Cont'd. Classic uniform, Army green shirt with slacks.

CHAPTER 15

ARMY GREEN PANTSUIT UNIFORM—WOMEN'S

15–1. Authorization for wear. The Army green pantsuit uniform is authorized for year-round wear by all female personnel.

Note. The Army green pantsuit uniform is being replaced by the Army green classic uniform. Mandatory possession of the Army green pantsuit is 1 November 1981. Possession of the classic uniform in lieu of pantsuit is authorized.

15–2. Composition. The Army green pantsuit uniform is comprised of an Army green jacket and slacks with a green tunit, white short-sleeve, or green shade 415 long- or short-sleeve shirt. The white or green shirts may be worn as outer garments. For other accessories and accouterments see appendix B.

15–3. Occasions for wear. May be worn by all female personnel when on duty, off duty, or during travel.

15–4. Materials. *a. Jacket and slacks.*

(1) Polyester/wool blended fabric in twill weave, 10.6-ounce weight, Army green shade 344.

(2) 100 percent polyester warp knit, 6.9-ounce weight, Army green shade 444.

b. Tunic. 100 percent polyester rib knit, 5.5-ounce weight, Army green shade 413.

15–5. Jacket, Army green pantsuit. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The pantsuit jacket will be easy fitting with modified top stitched princess lines, open collar and lapels, buttondown shoulder loops, long sleeves, single breasted, five-button closure, with two slanted front patch pockets and two back vents.

c. Jacket sleeve ornamentation.

(1) *General officers.* Will have a band of black mohair or mercerized cotton braid, 1½ inches wide, sewn on each sleeve with the lower edge parallel to and 3 inches above the bottom edge of each sleeve.

(2) *Other officers.* Will have a band of black mohair or mercerized cotton braid, ½ inch wide, sewn on each sleeve with the lower edge parallel to and 3 inches above the bottom edge of each sleeve.

(3) *Enlisted personnel.* Will be without ornamental braid.

15–6. Slacks, Army green pantsuit. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The pantsuit slacks will have a straight legs with slightly flared bottoms, an elasticized waistband, a pocket on the right side, and a zipper closure on the left side.

c. Ornamentation. Will be without ornamental braid.

15–7. Tunic, Army green, shade 413. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The pantsuit tunic is green, hip length with finished hem, turtle neck collar, pullover, with a zipper closure in the back.

c. Wear. Authorized for optional purchase and wear in lieu of the shirt under the pantsuit jacket. It will not be tucked in the slacks.

15–8. Shirts. *a. Shirt, white.* The short sleeve white shirt may be worn with the jacket. When the shirt is worn, the top button will be buttoned and the shirt will be tucked inside the slacks.

b. Shirt, Army green shade 415 long- or short-sleeve. The long- or short-sleeve shirt with the black service necktab will be worn with the jacket. When the short-sleeve shirt is worn as an outer garment, the black necktab may be worn. The long- and short-sleeve shirts may be worn outside or tucked inside the Army green pantsuit slacks.

15–9. Headgear. The Army green service hat and black beret are authorized for wear with the Army green pantsuit and the Army green shade 415 shirt when worn as an outer garment.

15–10. Items worn on the uniform. *a.* Only the below listed items are authorized for wear on the Army green pantsuit:

(1) Headgear insignia.
(2) US insignia.
(3) Insignia of grade.
(4) Insignia of branch.
(5) Shoulder sleeve insignia, current assignment.
(6) Shoulder sleeve insignia, former wartime unit.
(7) Distinctive unit insignia.
(8) Distinctive items authorized for other than infantry personnel.
(9) Branch of Service scarves.
(10) Service stripes (enlisted personnel only).
(11) Oversea Service bars.
(12) Aiguillette, Service.
(13) Nameplate.
(14) Decoration ribbons, full size.
(15) Service Medal ribbons, full size.
(16) Unit awards.
(17) Fourragere.
(18) Badges; Identification, Marksmanship, and Special Skill, full size or miniature.

b. Enlisted personnel will wear sew-on insignia of grade, service stripes, and oversea service bars on an Army green background of the same shade as the uniform.

c. When the white shirt is worn as an outergarment, enlisted personnel will wear polished brass pin-on insignia of grade on both collars of the shirt and the nameplate. Officers will wear their insignia of grade on the right collar and their insignia of branch on the left collar and the nameplate. When the jacket is worn, no insignia is worn on the white shirt. Insignia is not required when the jacket is removed in the immediate work area.

15–11. Items worn on the Army green, shade 415, long- or short-sleeve shirt when worn with the Army green pantsuit uniform (jacket and slacks).

a. Only the items listed below will be worn on the Army green shade 415 long- or short-sleeve shirt when worn with or without the jacket.

(1) Black service necktab (optional with short-sleeve shirt when worn as an outer garment).
(2) Green shoulder marks (officers only).
(3) Black shoulder marks (enlisted; CPL or higher).
(4) Pin-on insignia of grade, polished brass. (enlisted; SP4 and lower).

Note. Enlisted personnel in grade of CPL or higher may continue to wear the insignia of rank on the collar until shoulder mark is issued at time of promotion, or until 30 Septmeber 1983, whichever occurs first.

(5) Chaplains insignia of branch, silver color. (cross or tablet).
(6) Nameplate. (See para 1–13*c* for complete description.)
(7) Military police badge or recruiter badge (attached unit fob). Worn only when the shirt is worn as an outer garment.

b. MACOM commanders may authorize optional wear of awards and decorations on the Army green shade 415 shirts for personnel assigned and physically present in clothing zone 1 as defined in CTA 50–900. A plastic backing may be worn on the inside of the shirt to provide additional support if necessary.

d. Shoulder marks for officers are Army green shade 344 with a ⅛-inch yellow stripe below the embroidered insignia of grade. Shoulder marks for enlisted personnel are black with the applicable insignia of grade embroidered five-eighths inch from the lower end of the shoulder mark. Shoulder marks are of two sizes.

(1) *Large.* 2⅛ inches wide at the base and 4¼ inches in length tapering to 1¾ inches wide at the top.

(2) *Small.* 2⅛ inches wide at the base and 3½ inches in length tapering to 1¾ inches wide at the top.

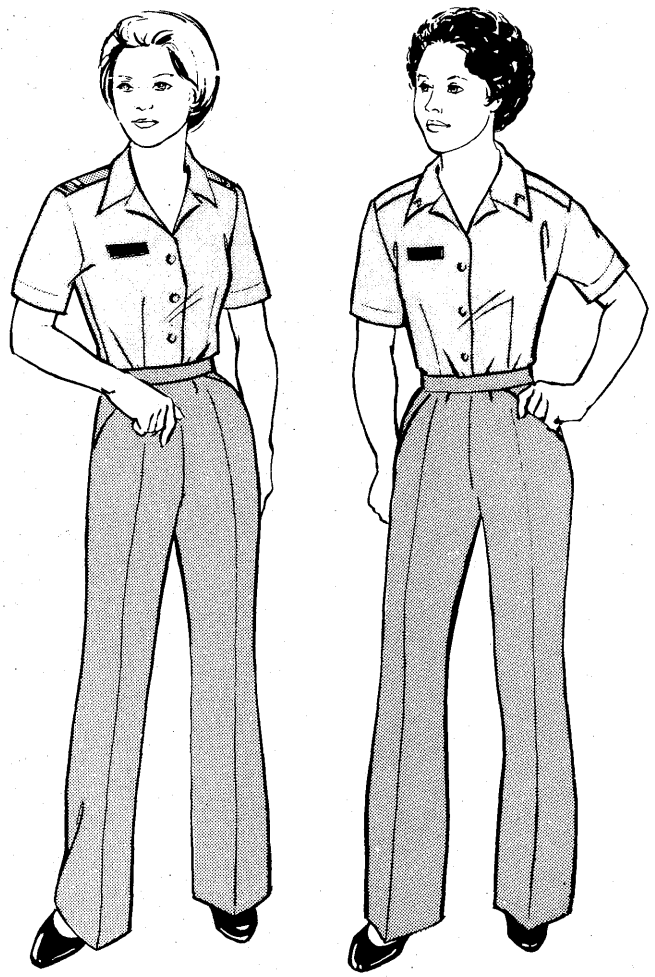
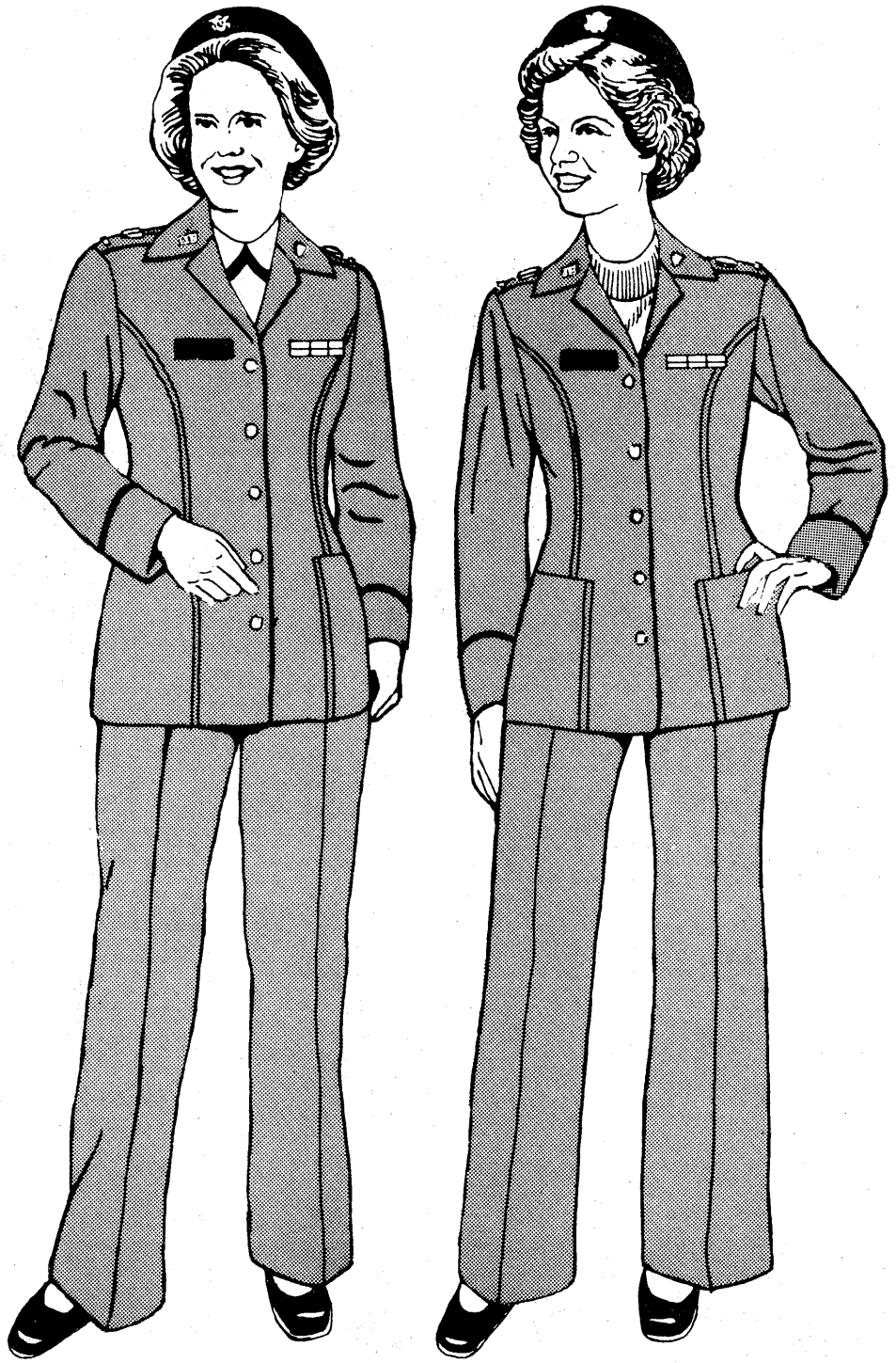
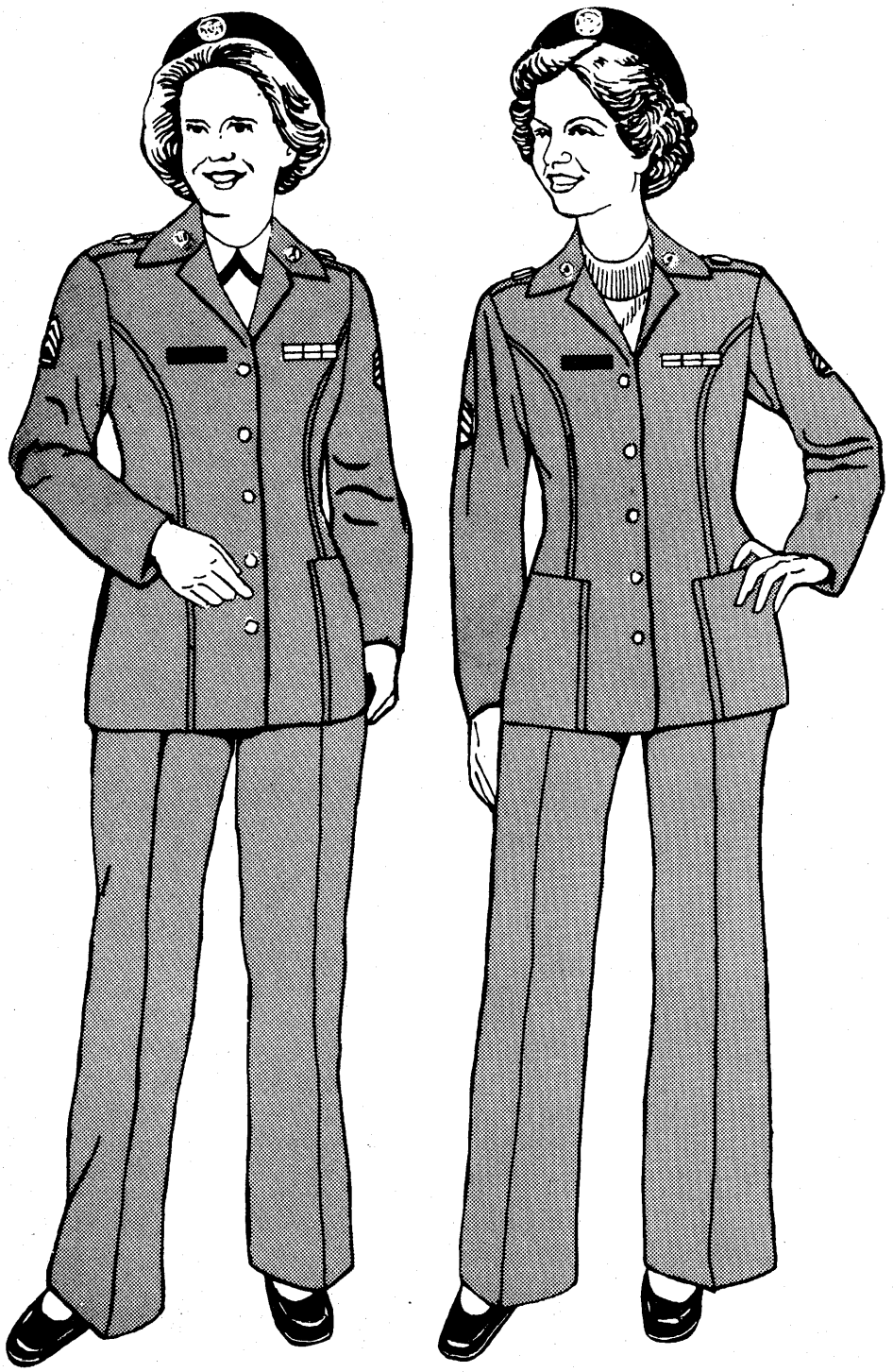


Figure 15–1. Army green pantsuit, slacks, and green shirt.



White shirt Green tunic

Figure 15–2. Army green pantsuit uniform—officer.



White Shirt

Green Tunic

Figure 15-3. Army green pantsuit uniform—enlisted.

CHAPTER 16

ARMY GREEN UNIFORM—WOMEN'S

16–1. Authorization for wear. The Army green uniform is authorized for year-round wear by all female personnel.

Note. The Army green uniform is being replaced by the Army green classic uniform.

16–2. Composition. The Army green uniform is comprised of an Army green coat and skirt and a white short-sleeve or green shade 415 long- and short-sleeve shirt. For accessories and accouterments see appendix B.

16–3. Occasions for wear. *a.* May be worn by all female personnel when on duty, off duty, or during travel. The uniform is also acceptable for social functions after retreat.

b. May also be worn by enlisted personnel with a white shirt and black necktab at formal social functions.

16–4. Materials. Coat, skirt, and service hat.

a. Wool serge, 12-ounce weight, Army green shade 44.

b. Wool gabardine, 11-ounce weight, Army green shade 44.

c. Polyester/wool blended fabric in twill weave, 9.5-ounce weight, Army green shade 344.

d. Polyester/wool blended fabric in tropical 10.5-ounce weight, Army green shade 344.

e. Polyester/wool blended fabric in double knit, 8.2-ounce weight, Army green shade 444.

f. Polyester textured woven, 6.5-ounce weight, Army green shade 434.

16–5. Coat, Army green. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The Army green coat will be an easy fitting, button-down shoulder loops, long sleeves, single-breasted, four-button hip length coat with two slanted front pockets.

c. Coat sleeve ornamentation.

(1) *General officers.* Will have a band of black mohair or mercerized cotton braid, 1½ inches wide, sewn on each sleeve with the lower edge parallel to and 3 inches above the bottom edge of each sleeve.

(2) *Other officers.* Will have a band of black mohair or mercerized cotton braid, ½ inch wide, sewn on each sleeve with the lower edge parallel to and 3 inches above the bottom edge of each sleeve.

(3) *Enlisted personnel.* Will be without ornamental braid.

16–6. Skirt, Army green. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The skirt is a knee-length slightly flared skirt with a waistband and zipper closure on the left side.

16–7. Shirt, white or Army green shade 415. A short sleeve white or Army green 415 shirt with black necktab will be worn with the Army green uniform. See paragraph 25–18 for complete description.

a. Shirt, white. When the white shirt is worn, the top buttom will be buttoned and the shirt will be worn tucked inside the skirt. The white shirt will not be worn as an outer garment.

b. Shirt, Army green, shade 415, long- or short-sleeve. The long- or short-sleeve shirt with the black service necktab may be worn with the coat. When the long-sleeve shirt is worn as an outer garment, the top button will be buttoned and the shirt will be worn with the black service necktab. Sleeves will not be rolled. When the short-sleeve shirt is worn as an outer garment, the black service necktab is not required. The long- and short-sleeve shirts may be worn outside or tucked inside the Army green skirt.

16–8. Headgear. *a. Service hat, Army green.*

(1) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

(2) *Hatband.* The detachable hatband has three rows of stitching of matching thread at the top of the band and ornamentation as follows:

(*a*) *General and field grade officers.* Will

have two arcs of laurel leaves in groups of two, embroidered in gold bullion or synthetic metallic gold braid, or in gold color nylon or rayon.



Figure 16–1. Service hat, green, general and field grade officers.

(*b*) *Company grade officers and warrant officers.* Will have a band of ½-inch two vellum gold, synthetic metallic gold, gold color nylon, or gold color rayon braid placed on the bottom edge of the hatband.



Figure 16–2. Service hat, green, company grade officers.



Figure 16–3. Service hat, green, warrant officers.

(*c*) *Enlisted personnel.* Will not have any ornamentation on the hatband.



Figure 16–4. Service hat, green, enlisted personnel.

(3) *Hat insignia.* Insignia will be worn on the service hat centered on and secured through the hatband and will be of the following types:

(*a*) *Commissioned officers.* The insignia will be the Coat of Arms of the United States, 1⅝ inches in height and of gold color metal.

(*b*) *Warrant officers.* The insignia will be an eagle rising with wings displayed, standing on a bundle of two arrows, all inclosed in a wreath. The insignia will be 1½ inches in height and of gold color metal.

(*c*) *Enlisted personnel.* The insignia will be the Coat of Arms of the United States, within a ring $1\frac{11}{16}$ inches in diameter, and of gold color metal.

(4) *Wear.* The Army green service hat may be worn by all female personnel with the Army green,

Army green cord, Army green pantsuit, Army green classic uniform, Army green (AG–388) uniforms, and the Army green shade 415 shirt when worn as an outer garment.

(5) *Proper wear position.* The service hat will be worn straight on the head so that the hatband creates a straight line around the head parallel to the floor. Hair will not be visible on the forehead below the front brim of the hat, and there should be a ½- to 1-inch distance between the eyebrow and the brim of the hat.

b. Beret, black.

(1) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

(2) *Material.* Fur felt, 9-ounce weight, Army black.

(3) *Insignia.* Will be the same as the insignia worn on the Army green service hat in *a* above, secured through the front eyelet provided thereon.

(4) *Wear.* The black beret may be worn with all uniforms except mess, evening dress, and field uniforms.

(5) *Proper wear position.* The beret will be worn tilted slightly to the back of the head. The beret will not be worn forward of the forehead hairline. It will be worn so as to retain its original hand blocked contour and not be crushed, flattened, dented, or otherwise reshaped.

16–9. Items worn on the uniform. *a.* Only the below listed items are authorized for wear on the Army green uniform.

(1) Headgear insignia.
(2) U.S. insignia.
(3) Insignia of grade.
(4) Insignia of branch.
(5) Shoulder sleeve insignia, current assignment.
(6) Shoulder sleeve insignia, former wartime unit.
(7) Distinctive unit insignia.
(8) Distinctive items authorized for other than infantry personnel.
(9) Branch of Service scarves.
(10) Service stripes (enlisted personnel only).
(11) Oversea service bars.
(12) Aiguillette, Service.
(13) Nameplate.
(14) Decoration ribbons, full size.
(15) Service Medal ribbons, full size.
(16) Unit awards.
(17) Fourragere.
(18) Badges, Identification, Marksmanship, and Special Skill, full size or miniature.

b. Enlisted personnel will wear sew-on insignia of grade, service stripes, and oversea service bars on an Army green background of the same shade as the uniform.

c. Only the items listed below will be worn on the Army green shade 415 long- or short-sleeve shirt when worn with or without the coat.

(1) Black service necktab (optional with short-sleeve shirt when worn as an outer garment).
(2) Green shoulder marks (officers only).
(3) Black shoulder marks (enlisted; CPL or higher).
(4) Pin-on insignia of grade, polished brass (enlisted; SP4 and lower).

Note. Enlisted personnel in grade of CPL or higher may continue to wear the insignia of rank on the collar until shoulder mark is issued at time of promotion, or until 30 September 1983, whichever occurs first.

(5) Chaplains insignia of branch, silver color (cross or tablet).
(6) Nameplate. (see para 1–13*c* for complete description.)
(7) Military police badge or recruiter badge (attached with fob). Worn only when the shirt is worn as an outer garment.

d. MACOM commanders may authorize optional wear of awards and decorations on the Army green shade 415 shirts for personnel assigned and physically present in clothing zone 1 as defined in CTA 50–900. A plastic backing may be worn on the inside of the shirt to provide additional support if necessary.

e. Shoulder marks for officers are Army green shade 344 with a ⅛-inch yellow stripe below the embroidered insignia of grade. Shoulder marks for enlisted personnel are black with the applicable insignia of grade embroidered five-eighths inch from the lower end of the shoulder mark. Shoulder marks are of two sizes.

(1) *Large.* 2⅛ inches wide at the base and 4¼ inches in length tapering to 1¾ inches wide at the top.

(2) *Small.* 2⅛ inches wide at the base and 3½ inches in length tapering to 1¾ inches wide at the top.

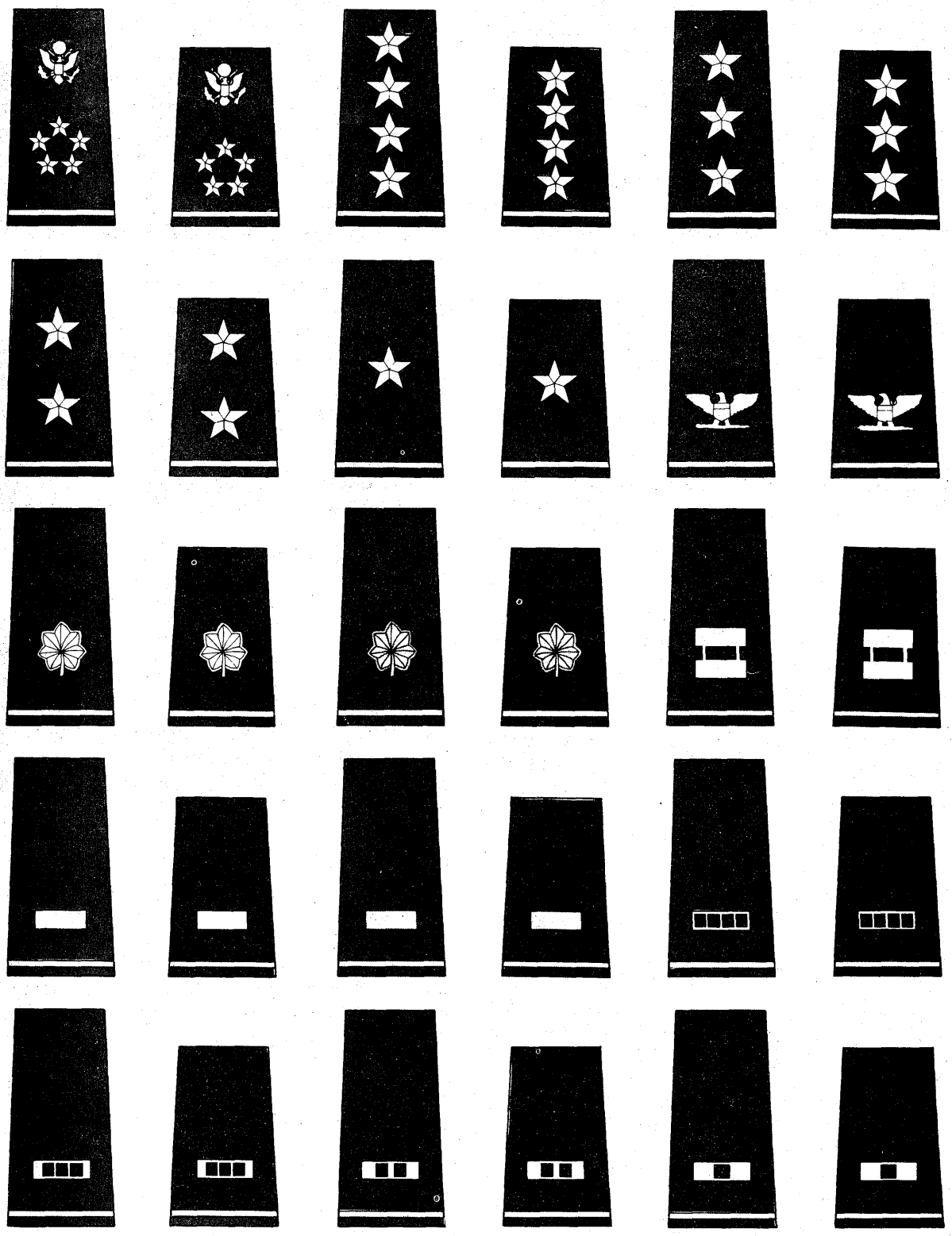


Figure 16–5. Shoulder marks, general officers, field and company grade, and warrant officers.

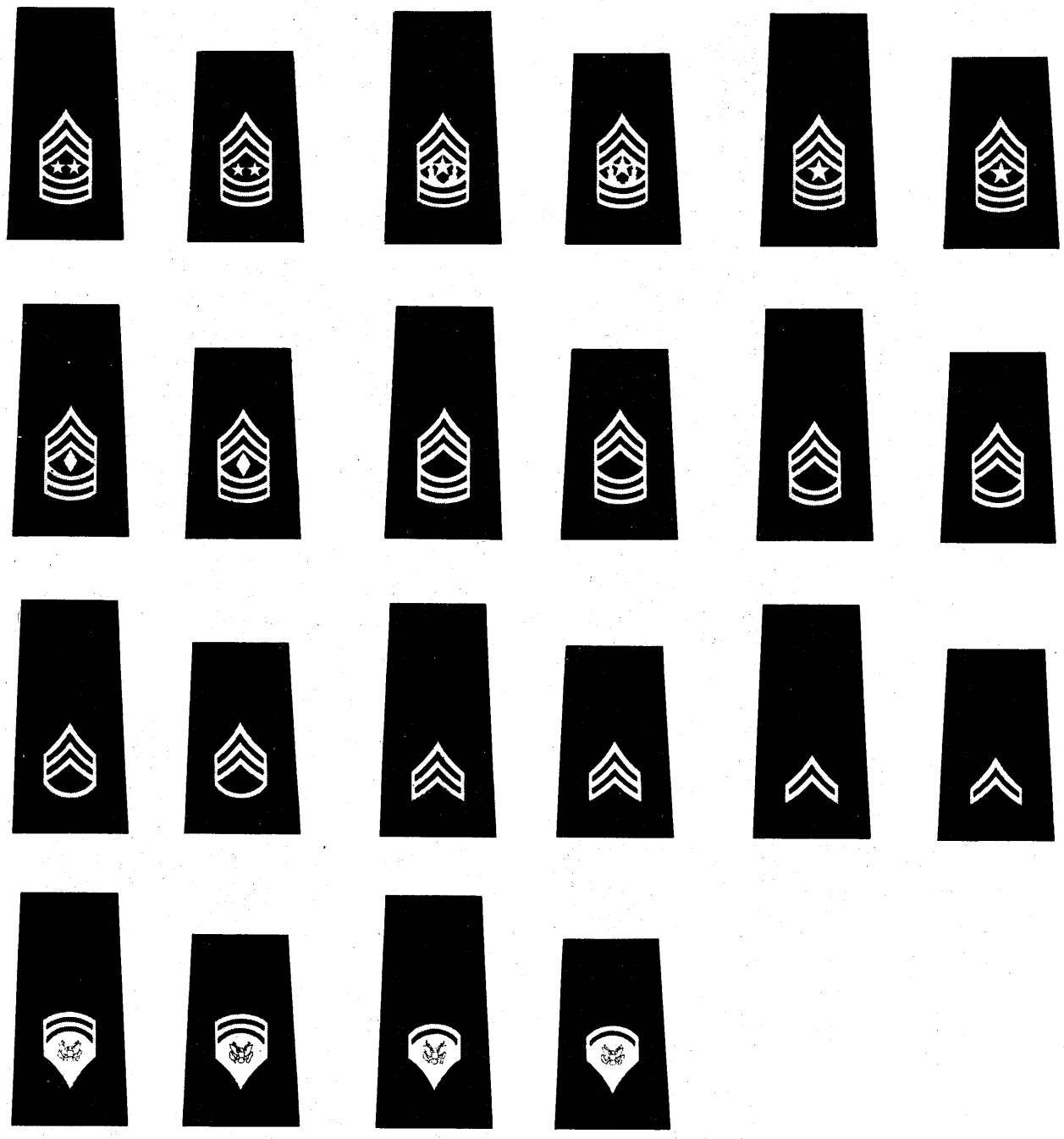


Figure 16–6. Shoulder marks, enlisted.



Figure 16–7. Army green uniform.

CHAPTER 17

ARMY WHITE UNIFORM-WOMEN'S

17–1. Authorization for wear. The Army white uniform is authorized for optional year-round wear by all female personnel except as follows. All officers serving in clothing allowance zones I and II, as defined in CTA 50-900, may be required by their MACOM commander to own the Army white uniform and wear it on appropriate occasions. Excepted are nonregular Army officers who have 2 years or less to serve on their current tour of active duty or category commitment.

17–2. Composition. The Army white uniform is comprised of an Army white coat and skirt and a white shirt with a black necktab. For other accessories and accouterments, see appendix B.

17–3. Occasions for wear. *a. Officers.*

(1) On duty as prescribed by local commanders in those areas where possession of this uniform is mandatory, and off duty as appropriate.

(2) On duty and off duty in all other areas, when appropriate, as desired by the individual officer.

b. Enlisted personnel. On duty when authorized by the local commander or when off duty.

17–4. Materials. Coat, skirt, and service hat.

a. Cotton, uniform twill, 8.2-ounce weight, white.

b. Polyester/rayon blended fabrics in gabardine, 6- or 8-ounce weight, white.

c. Polyester, texturized woven serge, 6.5-ounce weight, white.

17–5. Coat, Army white. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The Army white coat will be an easy fitting, open collar and lapels, long sleeve, single-breasted, four button hip length coat with two slanted front pockets and button down shoulder loops.

c. Coat sleeve ornamentation.

(1) *All officers.* Will have a band of white mohair braid or white mercerized cotton braid, ½ inch wide, sewn on each sleeve, with the lower edge parallel to and 3 inches above the bottom edge of each sleeve.

(2) *Enlisted personnel.* Will be without braid.

17–6. Skirt, Army white. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The skirt is a knee length, slightly flared skirt, with a waistband and zipper closure on the left side.

17–7. Shirt, white. A short sleeve white shirt and black necktab will be worn with the Army white uniform. See paragraph 25-18 for complete description.

17–8. Headgear, service hat, Army white. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

(1) *Hatband.* The detachable hatband has three rows of stitching of matching thread at the top of the band and ornamentation as follows:

(*a*) *General and field grade officers.* Will have two arcs of laurel leaves in groups of two, embroidered in gold bullion, synthetic metallic gold, gold color nylon, or gold color rayon braid.



Figure 17-1. Service hat, white, general and field grade officers.

(*b*) *Company grade officers and warrant officers.* Will have a band of ½-inch two vellum gold, snythetic metallic gold, gold color nylon, or gold color rayon braid placed on the bottom edge of the hatband.



Figure 17–2. Service hat, white, company grade officers.



Figure 17–3. Service hat, white, warrant officers.

(*c*) *Enlisted personnel.* Will not have any ornamentation on the hatband.



Figure 17–4. Service hat, white, enlisted personnel.

(2) *Hat Insignia.* Insignia will be worn on the service hat centered on and secured through the hatband and will be of the following types:

(*a*) *Commissioned officers.* The insignia will be the Coat of Arms of the United States, 1⅝ inches in height and of gold color metal.

(*b*) *Warrant officers.* The insignia will be an eagle rising with wings displayed, standing on a bundle of two arrows, all inclosed in a wreath. The insignia will be 1½ inches in height and of gold color metal.

(*c*) *Enlisted personnel.* The insignia will be the Coat of Arms of the United States, within a ring 1 11/16 inches in diameter, and of gold color metal.

b. Wear. All personnel may wear the Army white service hat with the Army white uniform.

c. Proper wear position. The service hat will be worn straight on the head so that the hatband creates a straight line around the head parallel to the floor. Hair will not be visible on the forehead below the front brim of the hat and there should be ½- to 1-inch distance between the eyebrow and the brim of the hat.

17–9. Items worn on the uniform. *a.* Only the below listed items are authorized for wear on the Army white uniform:

(1) Headgear insignia.
(2) U.S. insignia.
(3) Insignia of grade.
(4) Insignia of branch.

(5) Distinctive items authorized for other than infantry personnel.

(6) Aiguillette, Service.

(7) Aiguillette, dress (officer only).

(8) Service stripes (enlisted personnel only).

(9) Nameplate.

(10) Decorations, full size or miniature, or ribbons.

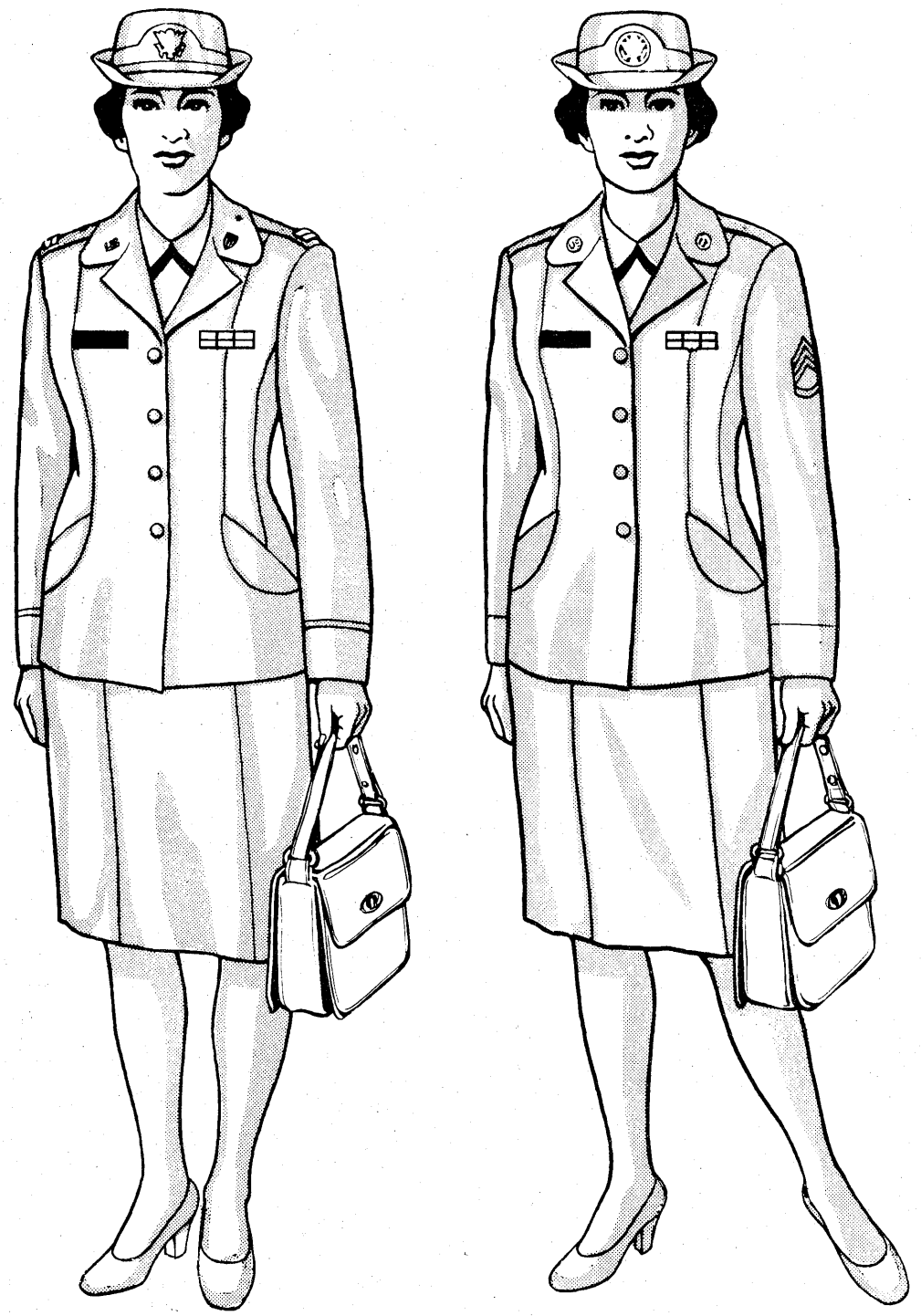
(11) Medals, Service, full size or miniature, or ribbons.

(12) Unit awards.

(13) Fourragere.

(14) Badges; Identification, Marksmanship, and Special Skill, full size, miniature, or dress miniature.

b. Enlisted personnel will wear their insignia of grade and service stripes on an Army white background of the same shade as the uniform.



Officer Enlisted

Figure 17–5. Army white uniform.

CHAPTER 18

ARMY BLUE UNIFORM-WOMEN'S

18–1. Authorization for wear. *a.* The Army blue uniform is authorized for year-round wear by all female personnel.

b. All officers will be required to own the Army blue uniform for wear on appropriate occasions, except those on active duty for a period of 6 months or less who may purchase this uniform on an optional basis.

c. The Army blue uniform is authorized for optional wear by enlisted personnel.

18–2. Composition. The Army blue uniform is comprised of an Army blue coat and skirt and a white shirt with a black necktab. For other accessories and accouterments, see appendix B.

18–3. Occasions for wear. *a. Officers.*

(1) On duty, as prescribed by local commanders.

(2) Off duty, for social functions.

(3) On other appropriate occasions, as desired by the individual officer.

b. Enlisted personnel. On duty, when authorized by the local commander, and off duty as appropriate.

18–4. Materials. *a. Coat, skirt, and service hat.*

(1) Wool, barathea, 12- or 14-ounce weight, Army blue shade 150.

(2) Wool, gabardine, 11- or 14.5-ounce weight, Army blue shade 150.

(3) Wool elastique, 16-ounce weight, Army blue shade 150.

(4) Wool tropical, 10.5-ounce weight, Army blue shade 150.

(5) Polyester/wool blended fabric in gabardine, 9.5-ounce weight, Army blue shade 450.

(6) Polyester/wool blended fabric in tropical 9.5-ounce weight, Army blue shade 450.

b. Braid. Nylon gold color braid or synthetic metallic gold braid is more suitable than gold bullion when attached to lightweight fabrics (those uniforms of 11-ounce weight or less).

18–5. Coat, Army blue. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The Army blue coat will be an easy fitting open collar and long sleeves, single-breasted, four-button hip length coat with two slanted front pockets.

c. Shoulder buttons.

(1) On the Army blue uniform of those personnel authorized to wear an aiguillette, a 20-ligne button will be attached on the left or right outside shoulder seam of the coat depending upon the position in which the aiguillette is worn.

(2) On the Army blue uniform of those personnel authorized to wear the fourragere, a 20-ligne button will be attached to the left shoulder seam one-half inch outside the collar edge.

d. Shoulder ornamentation and insignia.

(1) *Shoulder straps for officers.* On each shoulder a shoulder strap will be sewn, snapped or hooked to the coat, centered lengthwise on the outside shoulder seam.

(*a*) *Design.* The shoulder strap will be 1⅝ inches wide and 3½ inches long and curved to fit the shoulder. For general officers, the background will be blue-black velvet. For all other officers, the background is of silk or synthetic grosgrain or satin cloth of the first named color of the officer's basic branch. The strap has a gold or gold color nylon, rayon, or synthetic metallic gold border, three-eighths inches wide, surrounded on the inside and outside by a single strand of gold jaceron. If the officer's branch has two colors, the second named color is used as a ⅛-inch border in lieu of the inside strand of gold jaceron. When gold color nylon, rayon, or synthetic metallic gold yarn is used, the jaceron design is simulated.

(*b*) *Insignia of grade on shoulder strap.* Embroidered insignia of grade for officers will be attached to the shoulder strap and will be of the following design:

1. General officer. Insignia will be the appropriate number of silver stars, each star five-

eighths inch in diameter. All stars will be worn with one point facing the neck.

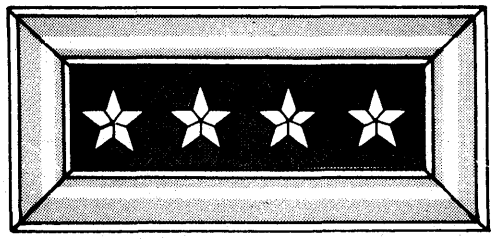


Figure 18-1. Shoulder strap, blue, general.

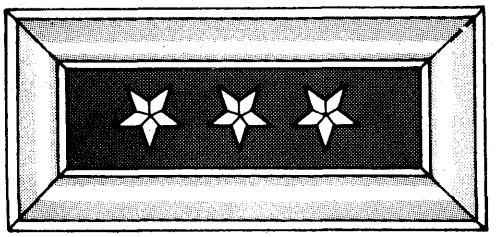


Figure 18-2. Shoulder strap, blue, lieutenant general.

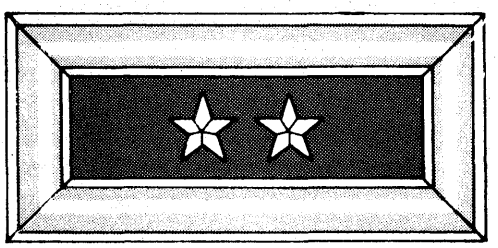


Figure 18-3. Shoulder strap, blue, major general.

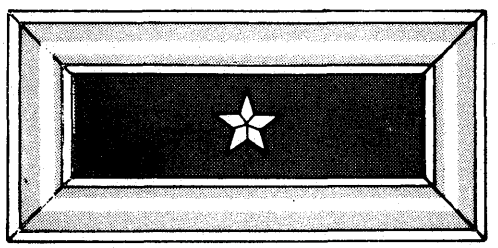


Figure 18-4. Shoulder strap, blue, brigadier general.

2. Colonel. The insignia will be a silver spread eagle ⅝ inch in height and 1¼ inches between the tips of the wings. Shoulder straps are made in pairs and each strap will have the one eagle centered on the strap with the head facing forward.

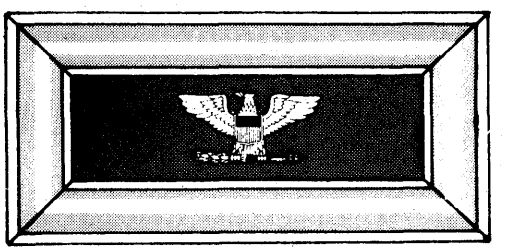


Figure 18-5. Shoulder strap, blue, colonel.

3. Lieutenant colonel. The insignia will be a silver oak leaf ⅝ inch in length and ⅝ inch in width positioned on each end of the shoulder strap.

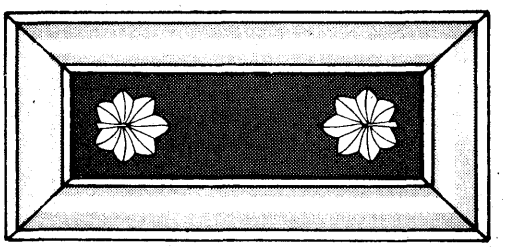


Figure 18-6. Shoulder strap, blue, lieutenant colonel.

4. Major. The insignia will be a gold oak leaf ⅝ inch in length and ⅝ inch in width positioned on each end of the shoulder strap.

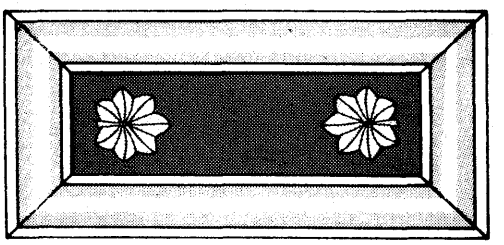


Figure 18-7. Shoulder strap, blue, major.

5. Captain. The insignia will be two silver bars each ¼ inch in width and ⅝ inch in length parallel to the ends of the strap 3/16 inch apart and 3/16 inch from the inside border positioned at each end of the shoulder strap.

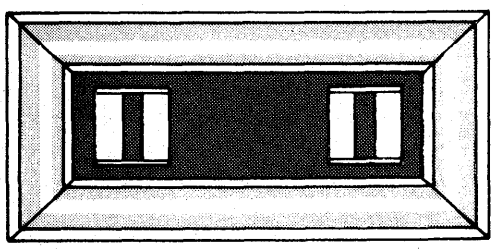


Figure 18–8. Shoulder strap, blue, captain.

6. First lieutenant. The insignia will be a silver bar ¼ inch in width and ⅝ inch in length parallel to the ends of the strap and 3/16 inch from the inside border positioned at each end of the shoulder strap.

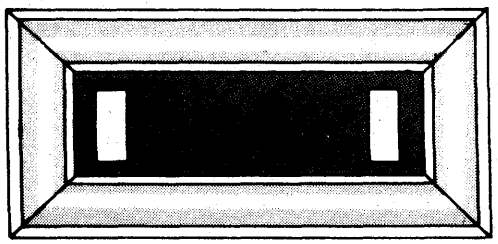


Figure 18–9. Shoulder strap, blue, first lieutenant.

7. Second lieutenant. The insignia will be a gold bar ¼ inch in width and ⅝ inch in length parallel to the ends of the strap and 3/16 inch from the inside border positioned at each end of the shoulder strap.

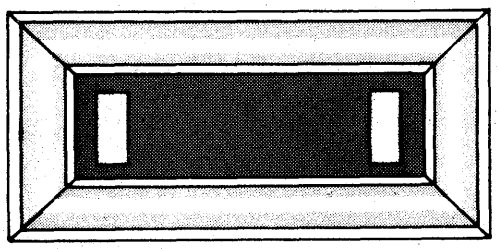


Figure 18–10. Shoulder strap, blue, second lieutenant.

8. Warrant officer, grade 4. Insignia will be a silver bar ¼ inch in width and ¾ inch in length with 4 black squares centered on the silver bar, and positioned parallel to and at each end of the shoulder strap.

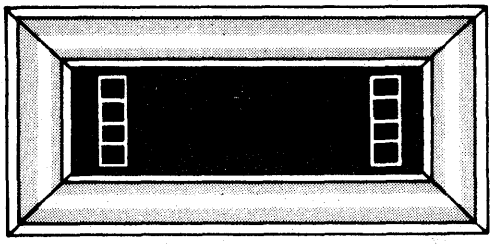


Figure 18–11. Shoulder strap, blue, warrant officer 4.

9. Warrant officer, grade 3. Insignia will be a silver bar ¼ inch in width and ¾ inch in length with 3 black squares centered on the silver bar, and positioned parallel to and at each end of the shoulder strap.

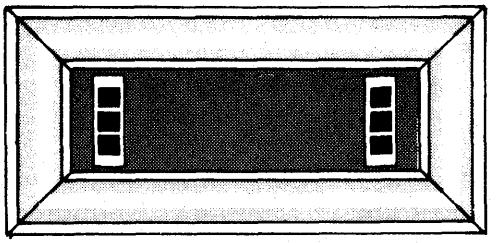


Figure 18–12. Shoulder strap, blue, warrant officer 3.

10. Warrant officer, grade 2. Insignia will be a silver bar ¼ inch in width and ¾ inch in length with two black squares centered on the silver bar, and positioned parallel to and at each end of the shoulder strap.

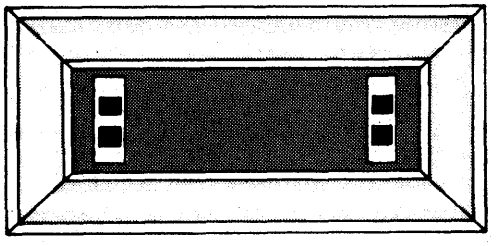


Figure 18–13. Shoulder strap, blue, warrant officer 2.

11. Warrant officer, grade 1. Insignia will be a silver bar ¼ inch in width and ¾ inch in length with one black square centered on the silver bar, and positioned parallel to and at each end of the shoulder strap.

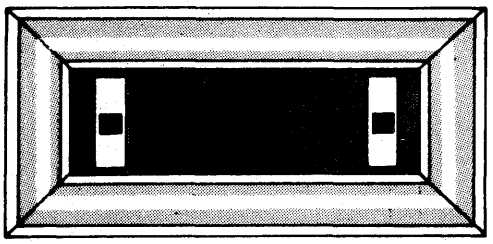


Figure 18-14. Shoulder strap, blue, warrant officer 1.

(2) *Shoulder loops for enlisted personnel.*

(*a*) On each shoulder a shoulder loop of the same material as that used for the coat will be attached.

(*b*) Design. A loop 2¼ inches wide at the outside shoulder edge and 1½ to 1¾ inches wide at the inside collar edge and piped all around with gold color nylon or rayon cord edge brade ⅛ inch wide. The braid will be inserted in the joining seams so as to be visible completely around each loop. The loop will be sewn on the outside shoulder seam and extend to a point approximately one-half inch from the inside collar seam. The loop will have a button hole ⅜ inch from the inside edge of the loop and will be buttoned to the shoulder with a 25-ligne button.

e. Coat sleeve ornamentation. Ornamental braid will be worn on both sleeves of the Army blue coat. Gold, synthetic metallic gold, gold color nylon, or gold color rayon braid is authorized for officers. Gold color nylon or rayon braid is authorized for enlisted personnel. The sleeve ornamentation will be as follows:

(1) *General officers.* Will have on each sleeve one 1½-inch gold braid, the bottom of the braid positioned parallel to and 3 inches above the bottom of the sleeve.

(2) *All other officers.* Will have on each sleeve a ¾-inch braid consisting of two ¼-inch gold braids placed ¼ inch apart on silk material of the first named color of their basic or detailed branch. The bottom of the braid will be positioned parallel to and three inches above the bottom of the sleeve.

(3) *Enlisted personnel.* Will have on each sleeve a ⅛-inch soutache braid of gold color nylon or rayon. The bottom of the braid will be positioned parallel to and three inches above the bottom of the sleeve.

18-6. Skirt, Army blue. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The skirt is a knee length slightly flared skirt with waistband and zipper closure on the left side.

18-7. Shirt, white. A short sleeve white shirt and black necktab will be worn with the Army blue uniform. See paragraph 25-18 for complete description.

18-8. Capes. Both the Army blue and Army black capes are authorized for wear with the Army blue uniform by officers on an optional basis, in lieu of the overcoat or raincoat. Enlisted personnel are not authorized to wear the capes. See paragraph 25-6 for material, design, and wear of the Army blue and Army black capes.

18-9. Headgear. *a. Service hat, Army blue.*

(1) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

(2) *Hatband.* The detachable hatband has three rows of stitching of matching thread at the top of the band and ornamentation as follows:

(*a*) *General and field grade officers.* Will have two arcs of laurel leaves in groups of two, embroidered in gold bullion or synthetic metallic gold braid or in gold color nylon or rayon.



Figure 18-15. Service hat, blue, general and field grade officers.

(*b*) *Company grade officers and warrant officers.* Will have a band of ½-inch two vellum gold braid, synthetic metallic gold braid, or gold color nylon or rayon placed on the bottom edge of the hatband.



Figure 18–16. Service hat, blue, company grade officers.



Figure 18–17. Service hat, blue, warrant officers.

(*c*) *Enlisted personnel.* Will not have any ornamentation on the hatband.



Figure 18–18. Service hat, blue, enlisted personnel.

(3) *Hat insignia.* Insignia will be worn on the Army blue service hat centered on and secured through the hatband and will be of the following types:

(*a*) *All commissioned officers.* The insignia will be the Coat of Arms of the United States, 1⅝ inches in height and of gold color metal.

(*b*) *Warrant officers.* The insignia will be an eagle rising with wings displayed, standing on a bundle of two arrows, all inclosed in a wreath. The insignia will be 1½ inches in height and of gold color metal.

(*c*) *Enlisted personnel.* The insignia will be the Coat of Arms of the United States, within a ring 1 11/16 inches in diameter, and of gold color metal.

(4) *Wear.* The Army blue service hat is the authorized headgear for wear with the Army blue uniform.

(5) *Proper wear position.* The service hat will be worn straight on the head so that the hatband creates a straight line around the head parallel to the floor. Hair will not be visible on the forehead below the front brim of the hat and there should be ½- to 1-inch distance between the eyebrow and the brim of the hat.

18–10. Items worn on the uniform. *a.* Only the below listed items are authorized for wear on the Army blue uniform:

(1) Headgear insignia.
(2) U.S. insignia.
(3) Insignia of grade.
(4) Insignia of branch.
(5) Distinctive items authorized for other than infantry personnel.
(6) Aiguillette, Service.
(7) Aiguillette, dress (officers only).
(8) Service stripes (enlisted personnel only).
(9) Namplate.
(10) Decorations, full size or miniature, or ribbons.
(11) Medals, Service, full size or miniature, or ribbons.
(12) Unit awards.
(13) Fourragere.
(14) Badges; Identification, Marksmanship, and Special Skill, full size, miniature, or dress miniature.

b. Enlisted personnel will wear sew-on insignia of grade and service stripes on an Army blue background of the same shade as the uniform.

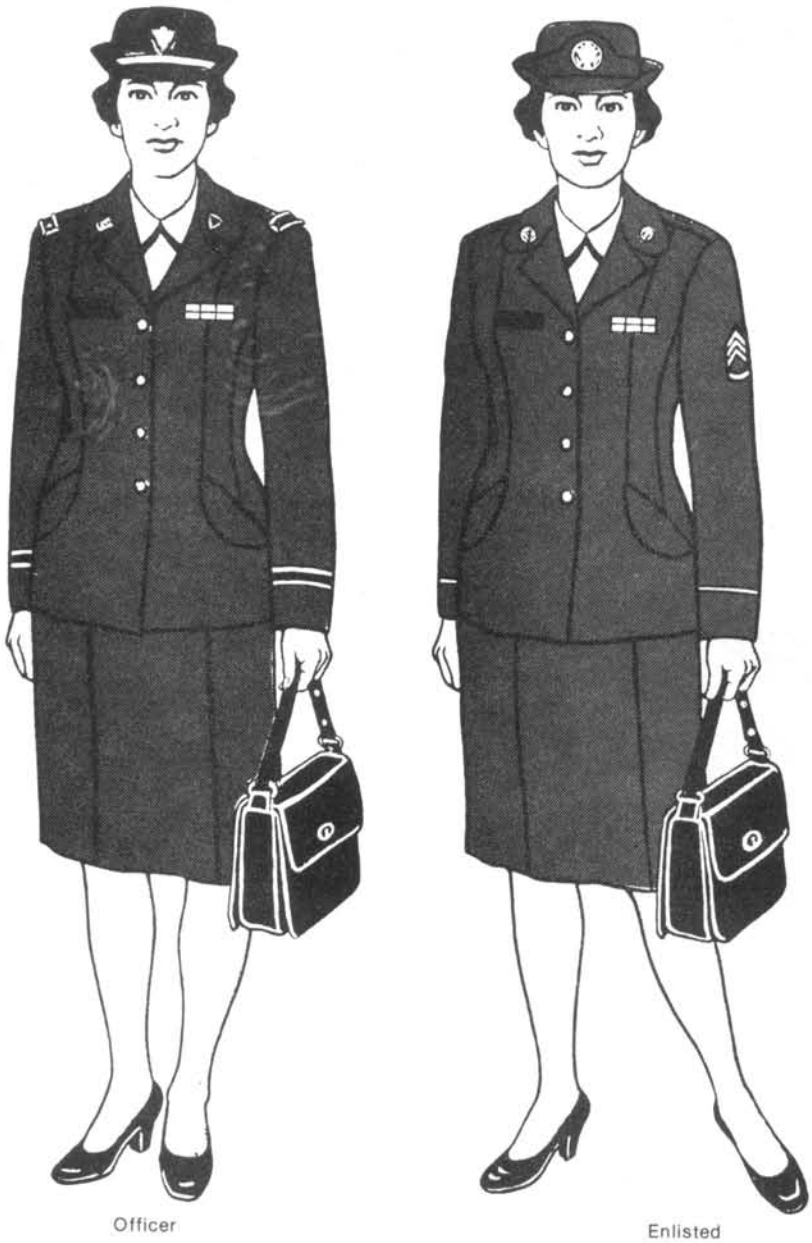


Figure 18–19. Army blue uniform.

CHAPTER 19

ARMY WHITE MESS UNIFORMS—WOMEN'S

19–1. Authorization for wear. The Army white mess uniform is authorized for optional year-round wear by all female officers.

19–2. Composition. The Army white mess uniform is comprised of the Army white jacket, a short Army black skirt, an Army black cummerbund, a white formal blouse, and a black dress necktab. For other accessories and accouterments see appendix B.

19–3. Occasions for wear. *a.* Social functions of a general or official nature after retreat.

b. Private formal dinners and other private social functions after retreat.

19–4. Materials. *a. Jacket.* Polyester rayon fabric in gabardine weave, 6- or 8-ounce weight, Army white, or texturized polyester serge, 6.5-ounce weight, white.

b. Skirt (short) and cummerbund.

(1) Wool tropical, 8.5-ounce weight, Army black shade 149.

(2) Polyester/wool blended fabric in tropical weave, 10-ounce weight, Army black shade 332.

c. Blouse. Polyester/cotton broadcloth, white.

d. Necktab, Dress. Polyester/cotton broadcloth, Army black shade 305.

19–5. Jacket, Army white. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The jacket is single-breasted with a natural waistlength and a shawl type collar. It has a two-piece front (each side) and a two panel back. The front pieces have three 20-ligne buttons on each side and the shoulders are provided with two loops to attach to shoulder boards or shoulder knots.

c. Shoulder Ornamentation and Insignia.

(1) *General Officers.* Detachable shoulder knots are worn on each shoulder fastened to the shoulder loops and positioned with the button on the inside shoulder seam nearest the collar.

(*a*) *General description.* The shoulder knot will be made from ¼-inch-diameter cord of gold bullion or synthetic metallic gold or gold color nylon or rayon. The shoulder knot is to be formed of four plaits comprised of three cords interlaced as one and rounded at the top with a 20-ligne gold button positioned in the upper end of the knot. The knot will be no more than 4½ inches in length and 1⅞ inches in width, conforming to the shoulder and stiffened on the underside with a flexible backing covered with black cloth. The flexible backing will have a suitable attachment for fastening to the shoulders of the jacket.

(*b*) *How worn.* Shoulder knots will be worn attached to the shoulders of the Army White Jacket by general officers only.

(2) *Other Officers.* Detachable shoulder boards are worn on each shoulder, snapped to the jacket through the shoulder loops with the square end of the shoulder board positioned on the outside shoulder seam.

(*a*) *General description.* The shoulder board will be 4 11/16 inches long and 2 inches wide at the outer end. The background is of wool facing cloth, silk or synthetic grosgrain or satin cloth of the first named color of the officer's basic branch. The shoulder board has a gold or gold color nylon, rayon or synthetic metallic gold border, ⅜ inches wide, placed 1/16 inch from the outer edge of each side of the board. If the officers branch has two colors, the second named color is used as a ⅛-inch border placed on the inside edge of each gold border.

(*b*) *Insignia of grade on shoulder boards.* Insignia of grade of standard size and configuration will be embroidered in gold or silver bullion or synthetic metallic gold or silver yarn and centered five-eighths inches from the outside edge of the shoulder board.

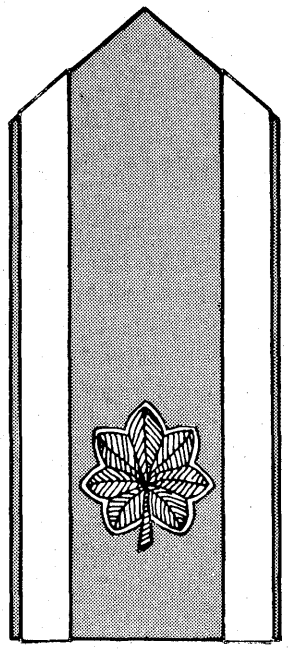


Figure 19–1. Shoulder board, Army mess and evening dress uniforms, female.

(c) *How worn.* Shoulder boards with embroidered insignia of grade will be worn attached to the shoulders of the Army white jacket by all officers with the exception of general officers.

d. Jacket sleeve ornamentation and insignia.

(1) *General officers.* Will wear a cuff of white mohair braid or white mercerized cotton braid, 4 inches in width, positioned ⅛ inch from the bottom edge of each sleeve. General officer insignia of grade will be centered on the outside sleeves, 1 inch above the cuff braid. When general officers also wear their insignia of branch, it will be centered on the outside sleeves, 1 inch above the cuff braid, and their insignia of grade will be positioned 1 inch above their insignia of branch. Insignia of grade and branch will be embroidered white cloth. General officer stars will be 1 inch in diameter with one point facing upward.

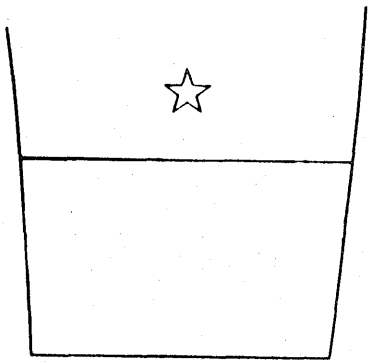


Figure 19–2. Jacket sleeve ornamentation, general officers, Army white jacket.

(2) *All other officers.* Will wear a band of white mohair braid or white mercerized cotton braid, ½ inch wide, sewn on each sleeve, with the lower edge parallel to and 3 inches above the bottom edge of each sleeve.

19–6. Skirt, Army black, mess. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The skirt is a black knee-length short skirt, with a one-panel front and a four-panel back of straight design, with a waistband and zipper closure on the left side.

19–7. Cummerbund, black. A Black cummerbund will be worn with the Army white mess uniform. See paragraph 25-7 for complete description.

19–8. Blouse, white, formal. A white formal blouse will be worn with the Army white mess uniform. See paragraph 25-5 for complete description.

19–9. Necktab, black, dress. A black dress necktab worn under the collar of the white formal blouse will be worn with the Army white mess uniform. See paragraph 25-13 for complete description.

19–10. Capes, Army blue and Army black. Both the Army blue and Army black capes are authorized for wear with the Army white mess uniform by all officers on an optional basis in lieu of the raincoats.

19–11. Headgear. No headgear is authorized for wear with the Army white mess uniform.

19–12. Items worn on the uniform. Only the below listed items are authorized for wear on the Army white mess uniform:

a. Insignia of grade.
b. Aiguillette, Service.
c. Decorations, miniature.
d. Medals, Service, miniature.
e. Fourragere.
f. Badges, Special Skill, dress miniature.
g. Badges, identification.

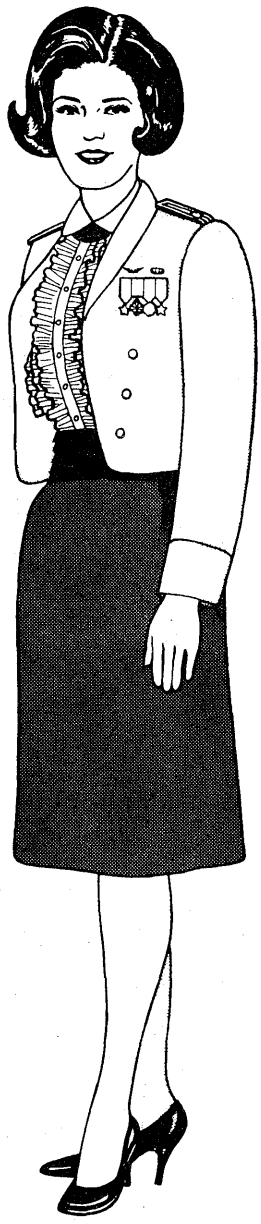


Figure 19–3. Army white mess uniform.

CHAPTER 20

ARMY ALL-WHITE MESS UNIFORM—WOMEN'S

20–1. Authorization for wear. The Army all-white mess uniform is authorized for optional year-round wear by all female officers.

20–2. Composition. The Army all-white mess uniform is comprised of the Army white jacket, a short Army white skirt, an Army white cummerbund, a white formal blouse, and a black dress necktab. The Army all-white mess uniform is the same as the Army white mess uniform except a white skirt and white cummerbund are worn in lieu of a black skirt and black cummerbund. For other accessories and accouterments see appendix B.

20–3. Occasions for wear. *a.* Social functions of a general or official nature after retreat.

b. Private formal dinners and other private social functions after retreat.

20–4. Materials. *a. Jacket, skirt (short), and cummerbund.* Polyester/rayon blended fabrics in gabardine, 6- or 8-ounce weight, Army white.

b. Blouse, formal. Polyester/cotton blended fabric in broadcloth, Army white.

c. Necktab, dress. Polyester/cotton blended fabric in broadcloth, Army black shade 305.

20–5. Jacket, Army white. The Army white jacket worn with the Army white mess uniform is also worn with the Army all-white mess uniform.

20–6. Skirt, Army white, mess. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The skirt is a white knee length skirt, with a one-panel front and four-panel back of straight design, with a waistband and zipper closure on the left side.

20–7. Cummerbund, white. A white cummerbund will be worn with the Army all-white mess uniform. See paragraph 25–7 for complete description.

20–8. Blouse, white, formal. The white formal blouse worn with the Army White Mess Uniform is also worn with the Army All-White Mess Uniform.

20–9. Necktab, black, dress. The Black Dress Necktab worn with the Army White Mess Uniform is also worn with the Army All-White Mess Uniform.

20–10. Capes. Army blue and Army black. Both the Army blue and Army black capes are authorized for wear with the Army all-white mess uniform by all officers in lieu of the raincoats.

20–11. Headgear. No headgear is authorized for wear with the Army all-white mess uniform.

20–12. Items worn on the uniform. Only the below listed items are authorized for wear on the Army all-white mess uniform:

a. Insignia of grade.
b. Aiguillette, Service.
c. Decorations, miniature.
d. Medals, Service, miniature.
e. Fourragere.
f. Badges, Special Skill, dress miniature.
g. Badges, identification.

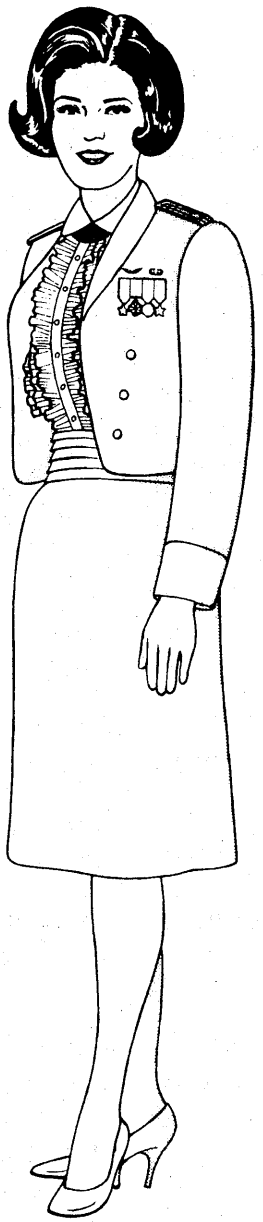


Figure 20–1. Army all-white mess uniform.

CHAPTER 21

ARMY BLACK MESS UNIFORM—WOMEN'S

21–1. Authorization for wear. The Army black mess uniform is authorized for optional year-round wear by all female officers.

21–2. Composition. The Army black mess uniform is comprised of the Army black jacket, a short Army black skirt, an Army black cummerbund, a white formal blouse, and a black dress necktab. The Army black mess uniform is the same as the Army white mess uniform except an Army black jacket is worn in lieu of an Army white jacket. For other accessories and accouterments, see appendix B.

21–3. Occasions for wear. *a.* Social functions of a general or official nature after retreat.

b. Private formal dinners and other private social functions after retreat.

21–4. Materials. *a. Jacket, skirt (short), and cummerbund.*

(1) Wool tropical, 8.5-ounce weight, Army black shade 149.

(2) Polyester/wool blended fabric in tropical 10-ounce weight, Army black shade 332.

b. Blouse. Polyester/cotton broadcloth, white.

c. Necktab, dress. Polyester/cotton broadcloth, Army black shade 305.

21–5. Jacket, Army black. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The jacket is single-breasted with a natural waistlength and a shawl type collar. It has a two-piece front (each side) and a two-panel back. The front pieces have three 20-ligne buttons on each side and the shoulders are provided with two loops to attach the shoulder boards or shoulder knots.

c. Shoulder ornamentation and insignia.

(1) *General officers.* Detachable shoulder knots are worn on each shoulder fastened to the shoulder loops and positioned with the button on the inside shoulder seam nearest the collar.

(*a*) *General description.* The shoulder knot will be made from ¼-inch-diameter cord of gold bullion or synthetic metallic gold or gold color nylon or rayon. The shoulder knot is to be formed of four plaits comprised of three cords interlaced as one and rounded at the top with a 20-ligne gold button positioned in the upper end of the knot. The knot will be no more than 4½ inches in length and 1⅞ inches in width, conforming to the shoulder and stiffened on the underside with a flexible backing covered with black cloth. The flexible backing will have a suitable attachment for fastening to the shoulders of the jacket.

(*b*) *How worn.* Shoulder knots will be worn attached to the shoulders of the Army black jacket by general officers only.

(2) *Other officers.* Detachable shoulder boards are worn on each shoulder, snapped to the jacket through the shoulder loops, with the square end of the shoulder board positioned on the outside shoulder seam.

(*a*) *General description.* The shoulder board will be $4\frac{11}{16}$ inches long and 2 inches wide at the outer end. The background is of wool facing cloth, silk or synthetic grosgrain, or satin cloth of the first named color of the officer's basic or detailed branch. The shoulder board has a gold or gold color nylon, rayon, or synthetic metallic gold border, ⅜ inches wide, placed $\frac{1}{16}$ inch from the outer edge of each side of the board. If the officer's branch has two colors, the second named color is used as a ⅛-inch border placed on the inside edge of each gold border.

(*b*) *Insignia of grade on shoulder boards.* Insignia of grade of standard size and configuration will be embroidered in gold or silver bullion or synthetic metallic gold or silver yarn and centered five-eighths inches from the outside edge of the shoulder board.

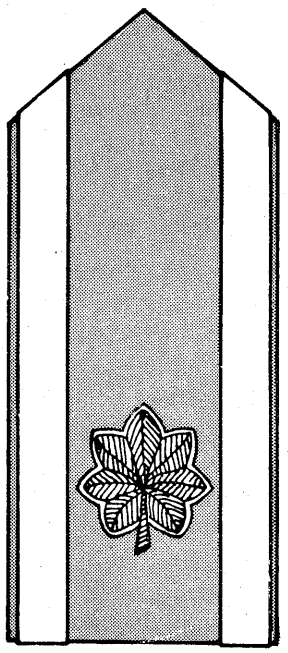


Figure 21-1. Shoulder board, Army mess and evening dress uniforms, female.

(c) *How worn.* Shoulder boards with embroidered insignia of grade will be worn attached to the shoulders of the Army black jacket by all officers with the exception of general officers.

d. Jacket sleeve ornamentation and insignia.

(1) *General officers.* Will wear a cuff of blue-black velvet braid, 4 inches in width, positioned ⅛ inch from the bottom edge of each sleeve. On each cuff braid, 1 inch below the upper edge, will be embroidered a band of oak leaves in groups of two, 1 inch in width, of gold bullion, synthetic metallic gold, gold color nylon, or gold color rayon. General officer insignia of grade will be centered on the outside sleeves, 1 inch above the upper edge of the cuff braid. When general officers also wear their insignia of branch, it will be centered on the outside sleeves, 1 inch above the upper edge of the cuff braid, and their insignia of grade will be positioned 1 inch above their insignia of branch. Insignia of grade and branch will be embroidered silver bullion. General officer stars will be 1 inch in diameter with one point facing upward.



Figure 21-2. Jacket sleeve ornamentation, Army black jacket, general officers.

(2) *All other officers.* Will wear a band of black mohair braid or black mercerized cotton braid, ½ inch wide, sewn on each sleeve, with the lower edge parallel to and 3 inches above the bottom edge of each sleeve.

21-6. Skirt, Army black, mess. The short Army black skirt worn with the Army white mess uniform is also worn with the Army black mess uniform.

21-7. Cummerbund, black. The black cummerbund worn with the Army white mess uniform is also worn with the Army black mess uniform.

21-8. Blouse, white, formal. The white formal blouse worn with the Army white mess uniform is also worn with the Army black mess uniform.

21-9. Necktab, black, dress. The black dress necktab worn with the Army white mess uniform is also worn with the Army black mess uniform.

21-10. Capes, Army blue and Army black. Both the Army blue and the Army black capes are authorized for wear with the Army black mess uniform by all officers on an optional basis in lieu of the raincoats.

21-11. Headgear. No headgear is authorized for wear with the Army black mess uniform.

21-12. Items worn on the uniform. Only the below listed items are authorized for wear on the Army black mess uniform.

a. Insignia of grade.
b. Aiguillette, Service.
c. Decorations, miniature.
d. Medals, Service, miniature.
e. Fourragere.
f. Badges, Special Skill, dress miniature.
g. Badges, identification.

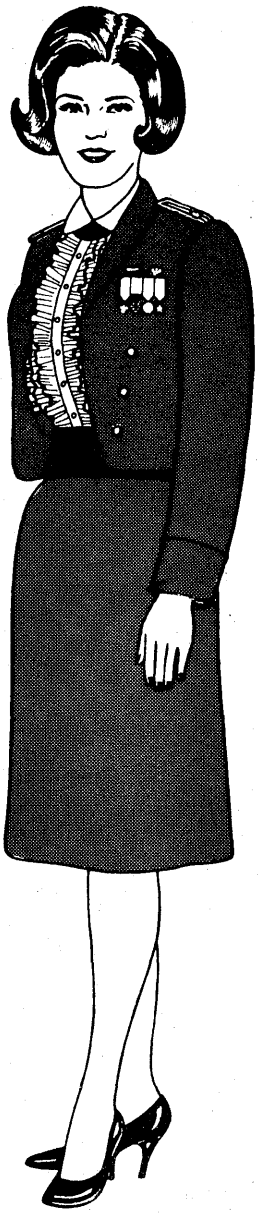


Figure 21–3. Army black mess uniform.

CHAPTER 22

ARMY WHITE EVENING DRESS UNIFORM-WOMEN'S

22–1. Authorization for wear. The Army white evening dress uniform is authorized for optional year-round wear by all female officers.

22–2. Composition. The Army white evening dress uniform is comprised of the Army white jacket, a long Army black shirt, and Army black cummerbund, a white formal blouse, and a black dress necktab. The Army white evening dress uniform is identical to the Army white mess uniform except the skirt is a full length skirt in lieu of a short skirt. For other accessories and accouterments, see appendix B.

22–3. Occasions for wear. *a.* Social functions of a general or official nature after retreat.

b. Private formal dinners and other private social functions after retreat.

c. When the Army blue evening dress uniform is prescribed for male officers.

22–4. Materials. *a. Jacket.* Polyester/rayon fabric in gabardine, 6- or 8-ounce weight, Army white, or texturized polyester serge, 6.5-ounce weight, white.

b. Skirt (long) and cummerbund.

(1) Wool tropical, 8.5-ounce weight, Army black shade 149.

(2) Polyester/wool blended fabric in tropical 10-ounce weight, Army black shade 332.

c. Blouse. Polyester/cotton broadcloth, white.

d. Necktab, dress. Polyester/cotton broadcloth, Army black shade 305.

22–5. Jacket, Army white. The Army white jacket worn with the Army mess uniform is also worn with the Army white evening dress uniform.

22–6. Skirt, Army black, evening. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The skirt is a black, full length skirt with a one-panel front and a four-panel back of straight design with an overlapped center back pleat, and a waistband and zipper closure on the left side.

22–7. Cummerbund, black. The black cummerbund worn with the Army white mess uniform is also worn with the Army white evening dress uniform.

22–8. Blouse, white, formal. The white formal blouse worn with the Army white mess uniform is also worn with the Army white evening dress uniform.

22–9. Necktab, black, dress. The black dress necktab worn with the Army white mess uniform is also worn with the Army white evening dress uniform.

22–10. Capes, Army blue and Army black. Both the Army blue and Army black capes are authorized for wear with the Army white evening dress uniform by all officers in lieu of the raincoats.

22–11. Headgear. No headgear is authorized for wear with the Army white evening dress uniform.

22–12. Items worn on the uniform. Only the below listed items are authorized for wear on the Army white mess uniform:

a. Insignia of grade.
b. Aiguillette, Service.
c. Decorations, miniature.
d. Medals, Service, miniature.
e. Fourragere.
f. Badges, Special Skill, dress miniature.
g. Badges, identification.

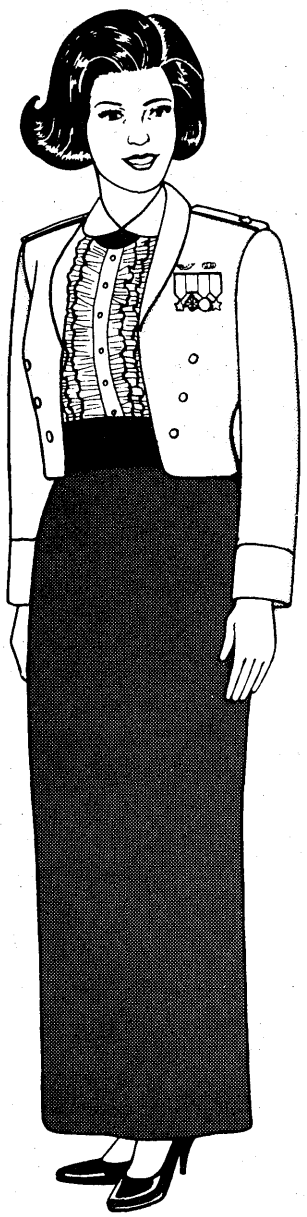


Figure 22–1. Army white evening dress uniform.

CHAPTER 23

ARMY BLACK EVENING DRESS UNIFORM-WOMEN'S

23–1. Authorization for wear. The Army black evening dress uniform is authorized for optional year-round wear by all female officers.

23–2. Composition. The Army black evening dress uniform is comprised of an Army black jacket, a long Army black skirt, an army black cummerbund, a white formal blouse, and a black dress necktab. The Army black evening dress uniform is identical to the Army black mess uniform except the skirt is a full length skirt in lieu of a short skirt. For other accessories and accouterments, see appendix B.

23–3. Occasions for wear. *a.* Social functions of a general or official nature after retreat.

b. Private formal dinners and other private social functions after retreat.

c. When the Army blue evening dress uniform is prescribed for male officers.

23–4. Materials. *a. Jacket, skirt (long), and cummerbund.*

(1) Wool tropical, 8.5-ounce weight, Army black shade 149.

(2) Polyester/wool blended fabric in tropical 10-ounce weight, Army black shade 332.

b. Blouse, dress. Polyester/cotton broadcloth, white.

c. Necktab, dress, Polyester/cotton broadcloth, Army black shade 305.

23–5. Jacket, Army black. The Army black jacket worn with the Army black mess uniform is also worn with the Army black evening dress uniform.

23–6. Skirt, Army black, evening. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The skirt is a black full length skirt, with a one-panel front and a four-panel back of straight design with an overlapped center back pleat, with a waistband and zipper closure on the left side.

23–7. Cummerbund, black. The black cummerbund worn with the Army black mess uniform is also worn with the Army black evening dress uniform.

23–8. Blouse, white, formal. The white formal blouse worn with the Army black mess uniform is also worn with the Army black evening dress uniform.

23–9. Necktab, black, dress. The black dress necktab worn with the Army black mess uniform is also worn with the Army black evening dress uniform.

23–10. Capes, Army blue and Army black. Both the Army Blue and Army black capes are authorized for wear with the Army black evening dress uniform by all officers in lieu of the raincoats.

23–11. Headgear. No headgear is authorized for wear with the Army black evening dress uniform.

23–12. Items worn on the uniform. Only the below listed items are authorized for wear on the Army black evening dress uniform:

a. Insignia of grade.
b. Aiguillette, Service.
c. Decorations, miniature.
d. Medals, Service, miniature.
e. Fourragere.
f. Badges, Special Skill, dress miniature.
g. Badges, identification.

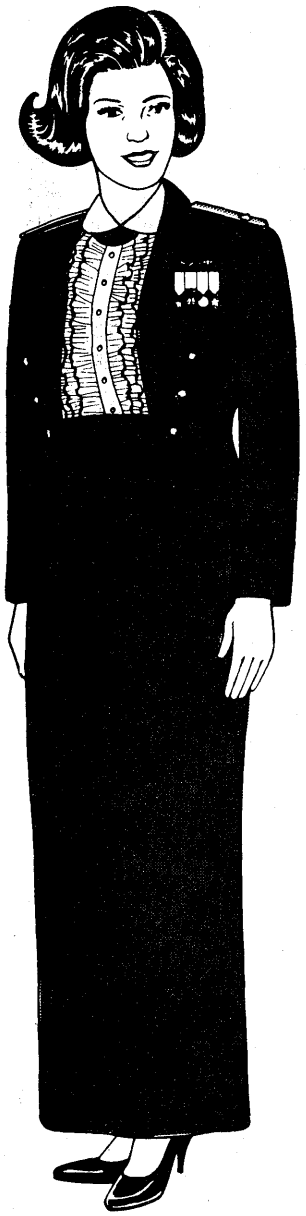


Figure 23–1. Army black evening dress uniform.

CHAPTER 24

FIELD, WORK, HOSPITAL DUTY, FOOD SERVICE, AND MATERNITY UNIFORMS-WOMEN'S

Section I. FIELD AND UTILITY UNIFORMS

24–1. Authorization for wear. Field and utility uniforms are authorized for year-round wear by all female officers and enlisted personnel.

24–2. Composition. Commanding officers will prescribe field and utility uniforms from appropriate items in CTA 50-900 and table 4-2 of AR 700-84. For other accessories and accouterments, see appendix B.

24–3. Occasions for wear. Field and utility uniforms are worn by female officers and enlisted personnel on duty as described by local commanders.

24–4. Materials. Field and utility uniform materials are as follows:

a. Cold weather uniform. Shirt, wool flannel, and slacks, wool serge, olive green, Army shade 108.

b. Cold weather uniform. Coat and skirt or slacks, wool serge, olive green, Army shade 108.

c. Hot weather uniform (tropical combat uniform). Shirt and trousers, cotton poplin, olive green, Army shade 107.

d. Utility uniform. Shirt and slacks, cotton poplin, olive green, Army shade 107 or OG 507 durapress shirt and trousers, cotton polyester.

e. Coat, cold weather, women (field jacket). Cotton and nylon sateen, olive green, Army shade 107.

f. Combat camouflage uniform. Shirt and trousers, 50/50 nylon and cotton-blend, in a four-color, standard woodland camouflaged pattern with infrared reflectance.

24–5. Cold weather uniform (shirt and slacks). Wool flannel shirt and wool serge slacks, Army olive green shade 108. These items are designed to be loose fitting for ease in movement. Alterations to make these items form fitting are not authorized. The shirt is worn as an outer garment with the wool serge slacks and is not authorized for wear with any other garment. The collar of the shirt may be worn open or closed. The sleeves will not be rolled up and the shirt will be tucked into the slacks. The slacks will be bloused when worn with the black combat boots. Exceptions to the prescribed wear of the shirt may be authorized at the discretion of MACOM commanders in the interest of troop health, morale, and efficiency under conditions deemed appropriate by the respective commanders.

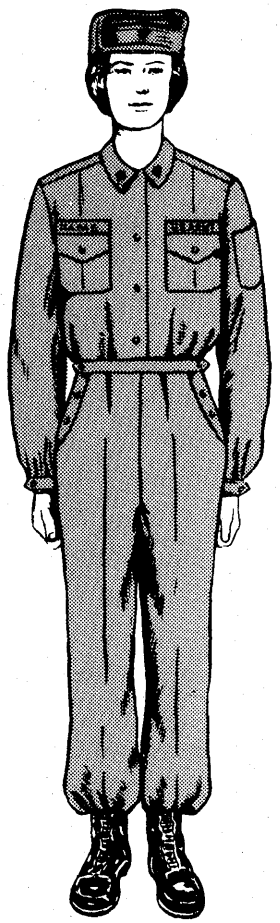
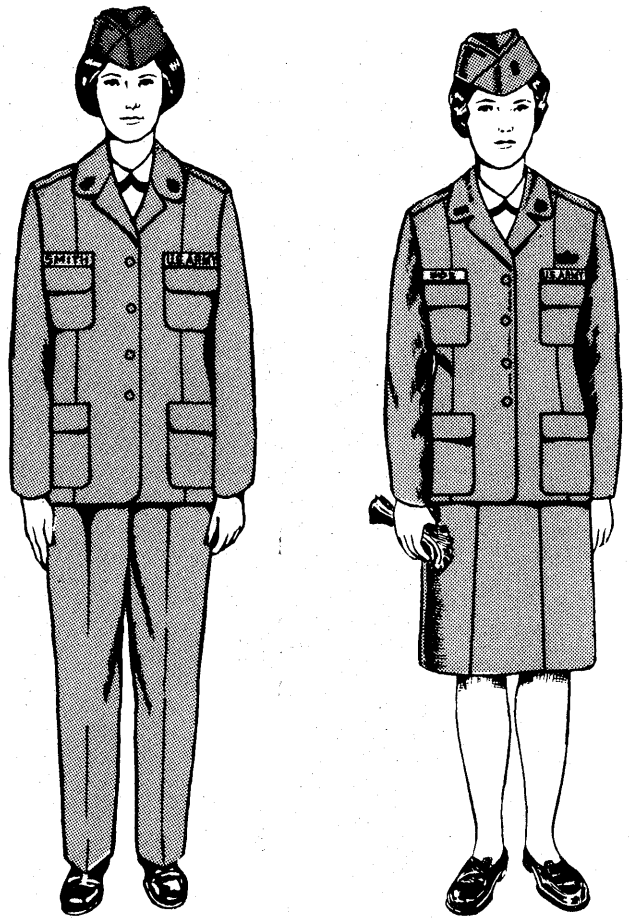


Figure 24–1. Cold weather uniform (shirt and slacks).

24–6. Cold weather uniform (coat and shirt or slacks). Wool serge coat and skirt or slacks, Army olive green shade 108. The wool serge coat and skirt and wool serge coat and slacks are authorized for wear as separate uniforms. The white shirt with black service necktab is worn with the wool serge skirt or slacks under the wool serge coat. The shirt will be tucked inside the slacks and skirt. Nylon stockings will be worn when the coat and skirt are utilized as a uniform.



Coat and Slacks Coat and Skirt

Figure 24–2. Cold weather uniform (coat and skirt or slacks).

24–7. Hot weather uniform (tropical combat uniform). Cotton poplin coat and trousers, Army olive green shade 107. These items comprise the combat uniform in a temperate or tropical environment. The items are designed to be loose fitting and alterations to make them form fitting are not authorized. Other alterations such as cuffs, additional pockets, or flaps on sleeves are not authorized. The coat will be worn over the trousers, and a belt will be worn on the trousers. Sleeves may be rolled when prescribed by local commanders but they will not be shortened. Trousers will be bloused and the uniform will not be starched.

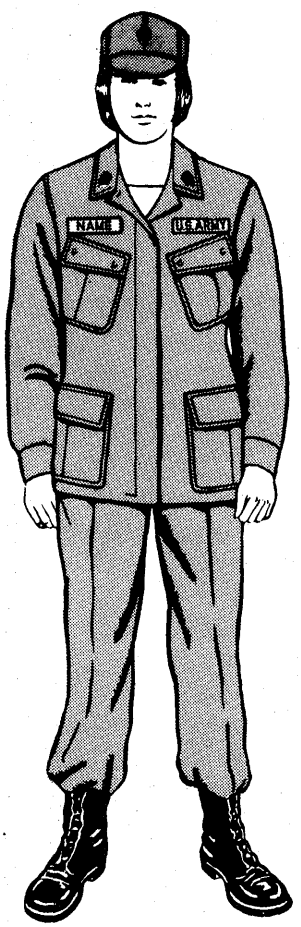


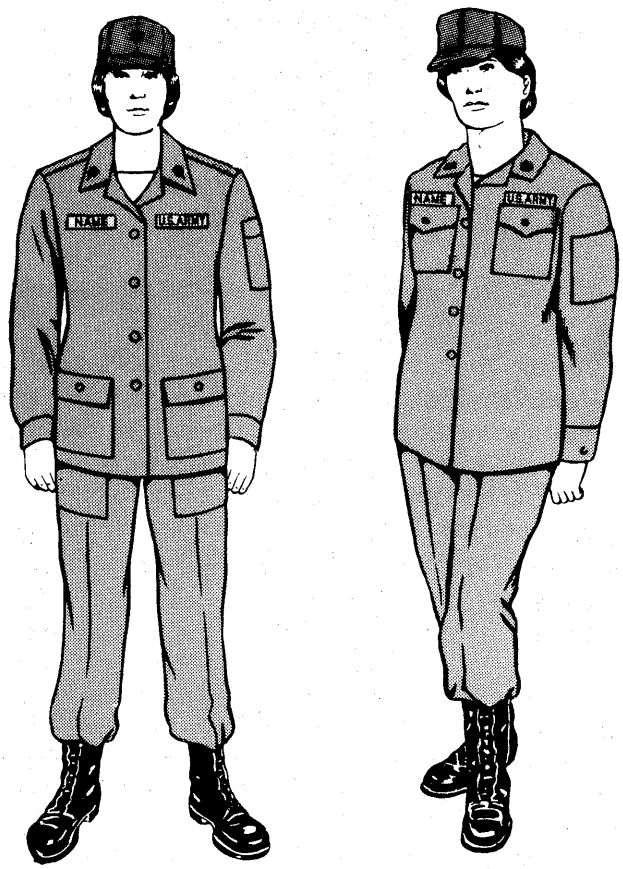
Figure 24–3. Hot weather uniform (tropical combat).

24–8. Utility uniform. *a. Cotton poplin shirt and slacks, Army olive green shade 107.* The cotton poplin shirt and slacks comprise the utility uniform for all female personnel. These items are designed to be loose fitting. Alterations such as pockets or flaps on sleeves and shortening of sleeves are not authorized. The shirt will be worn outside the slacks, the collar may be open or closed, sleeves may be rolled when prescribed by local commanders, and the slacks will be bloused.

b. Replacement. The female OG 107 cotton poplin shirt and slacks are being replaced by the male OG 507, durable press, cotton polyester shirt and

trousers with standard black webbed belt and open faced buckle. The cotton poplin items are serviceable. The cotton poplin and the cotton polyester uniforms will not be intermixed. All items are designed to be loose fitting. Alterations to make them form fitting are not authorized. Alterations to obtain a proper fit are authorized and will be accomplished in accordance with chapter 15 and table 15-2 (for coat and slacks), AR 700-84. Other alterations such as pockets or flaps on sleeves and cutting off sleeves are not authorized. The male OG 507 durable press, cotton polyester shirt and trousers will not be starched. When the male, durable press utility uniform is worn, the shirt will be tucked into the trousers, trousers will be bloused, and a belt will be worn. Sleeves may be rolled when prescribed by local commanders. Other exceptions to the prescribed wear of the shirt and trousers may be authorized at the discretion of MACOM commanders under conditions deemed appropriate in the interest of troop health, morale, and efficiency.

Note: The combat camouflage uniform will replace the utility uniforms. Mandatory possession by active army personnel of camouflage uniform will be two on 1 October 1982, three on 1 October 1984, and four on 1 October 1985. The utility uniform will not be authorized for wear after 1 October 1985.



OG 507 uniform



Camouflage uniform

Figure 24-4. Utility uniforms.

c. Utility cap, Army olive green shade 507. Will be of approved specification or design. On an optional basis, a similar commercial design is authorized.

Note: The camouflage ranger style cap will replace the OG 507 cap and is authorized for wear with the combat camouflage uniform. The OG 507 cap will be worn with the durable press uniform.

d. Proper wear position for the utility cap. The utility cap will be worn straight on the head so that the cap band creates a straight line around the head parallel to the ground. Such positioning of the cap will automatically position the bill correctly so that it does not interfere with vision nor ride up on the head.

24–9. Coat, cold weather, women's (field jacket). The women's cold weather coat is cotton and nylon sateen with a button-in liner of cotton oxford, and a detachable hood of cotton and nylon sateen, all of Army olive green shade 107. The coat is designed to be loose fitting. Alterations to make it form fitting are not authorized. The coat is hip length, with two lower inside hanging pockets with flaps and a five-button front closure. The cold weather coat is only authorized for wear with the gold weather, hot weather, and utility uniforms.

b. Footwear. Black combat boots are authorized for wear with the utility uniform and cold weather uniform when wearing the OG 108 slacks. When the OG 108 coat and skirt are worn, black oxford shoes or black pumps are the prescribed footwear. Black hot weather boots are worn with the hot weather uniform.

c. Gloves. The standard Army light duty work gloves, consisting of black leather shells and OG wool inserts, are authorized for wear with the field and utility uniforms.

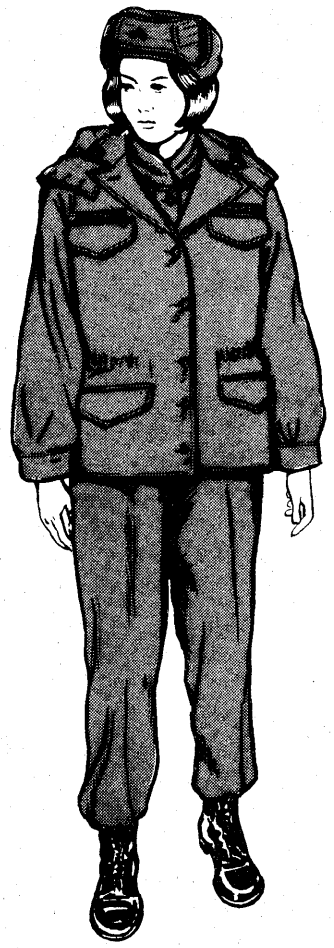


Figure 24–5. Coat, cold weather, women's (field jacket).

24–10. Items worn with and on the uniforms. *a. Headgear.* The OG 507 utility cap, OG 107 cold weather insulated cap, OG 108 garrison cap, helmet, and helmet liner are authorized for wear with the field and utility uniforms, as prescribed by local commanders. Ornamentation and insignia worn on headgear are described in paragraph 26–3.

d. Insignia and accouterments. Only the following listed items are authorized for wear on the field and utility uniforms:

(1) Insignia of grade (subdued type).

(2) Insignia of branch (officers only, subdued type).

(3) Shoulder sleeve insignia, current and former wartime unit (subdued type). (Will not be worn on the OG 108 cold weather uniform.).

(4) Distinctive unit insignia.

(5) Bib type branch of service scarves, or camouflage scarf.

(6) Brassards.

(7) Nametapes.

(8) "U.S. ARMY" distinguishing tape.

(9) Special military police markings.

(10) Special skill, drill sergeant, and career counselor identification badges (subdued type).

(11) Insignia of grade (officers only on utility cap), full color.

24–11. Wear policy for flight clothing. *a.* One-piece Nomex flight suit.

(1) In lieu of insignia, a black leather plate, 2 inches by 4 inches, with embossed ½-inch block-style lettering in silver may be worn. This plate will include appropriate skill badge on the first line, full name (first, middle initial, and last name) on the second line, and abbreviated grade and the words "U.S. Army" on the third line. The leather plate will be attached to the 2-inch by 4-inch velcro attachment issued with the one-piece flight suit.

(2) No shoulder sleeve insignia will be worn on the one-piece Nomex flight suit.

b. Wearing of insignia on other flight clothing by Army personnel may be prescribed locally by commanders. If prescribed, type and location should conform to placement of insignia on utility uniform.

c. In lieu of *b* above, local commanders may authorize wearing of nametapes on flight clothing with the individual's rank, in abbreviated form, and name imprinted on the nametape. Such nametapes will conform to the provisions of paragraph 1–13.

d. The appropriate headgear to be worn with all flight clothing is the fatigue cap. The black beret may be worn in association with administrative flights.

e. Flight jackets will be worn only with appropriate flight uniforms.

f. Local commanders may authorize enlisted aviation personnel, who are not authorized flight clothing, to remove pin-on metal insignia from the work uniform while engaged in maintenance activities in close proximity to aircraft. Commanders may also direct the removal of hairpins from individuals working in maintenance activities.

g. Local commanders may authorize the wearing of solid color baseball caps at no expense to the individual by aircraft and ground crewmembers as a safety and identification measure.

Section II. HOSPITAL DUTY UNIFORMS

24–12. Authorization for wear. The hospital duty uniforms are authorized for year-round wear by all female officers in the Army Medical Department and also by enlisted women with a medical, dental, or veterinary MOS.

24–13. Composition. The hospital duty uniforms consists of a white dress and on an optional basis, when considered more appropriate, a white pantsuit. For other accessories and accouterments, see appendix B. The white maternity uniform listed in CTA will be worn by pregnant soldiers.

24–14. Occasions for wear. The hospital duty uniform will be worn on duty in Army health care facilities as prescribed by the medical commander.

24–15. Dress, hospital duty, white. *Polyester/cotton bengaline.* The white polyester/cotton

bengaline dress with wash and wear finish is of approved Government specification or pattern. The belt will be worn with the dress at all times, with the pointed end to the wearer's left. Only the dome shaped white polyester shank type buttons issued with the dress are authorized for wear on the belt (secured with safety pins on back of belt).

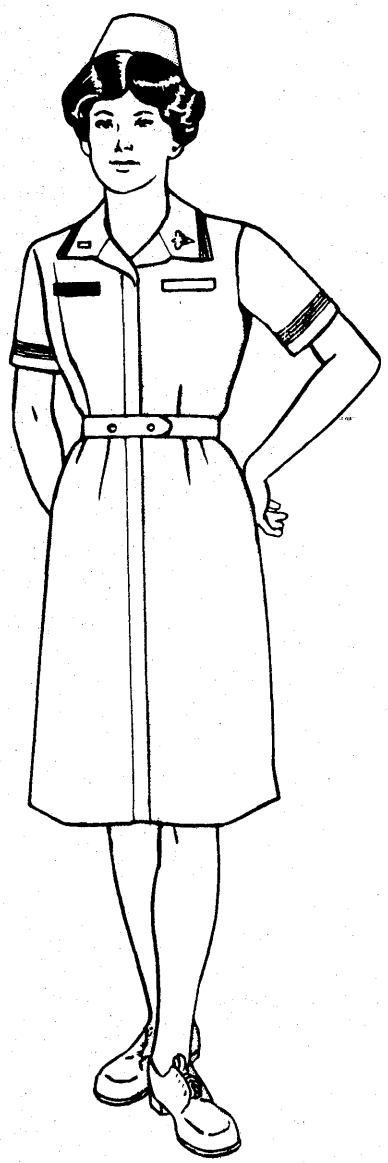


Figure 24–6. Hospital duty dress.

24–16. Pantsuit, hospital, duty, white. *Polyester double knit.* The white polyester double knit pantsuit is of approved Government specification or pattern.

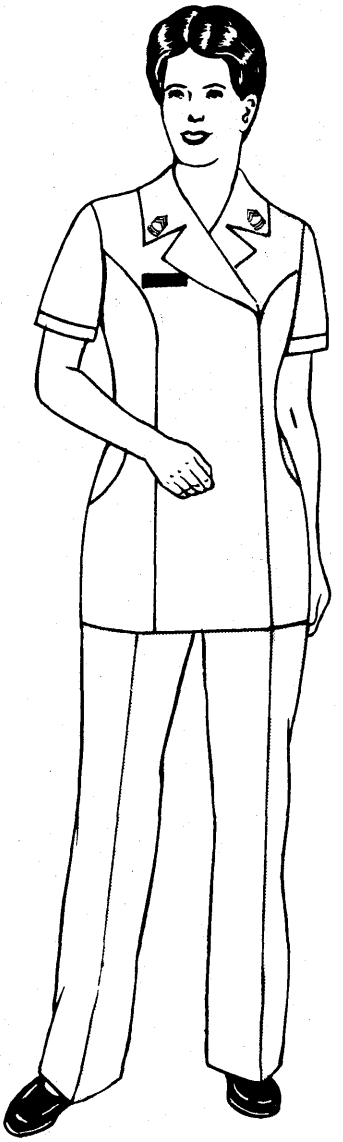


Figure 24–7. Hospital duty pantsuit.

24–17. Items worn with and on the uniforms. *a. Headgear.*

(1) The white cotton broadcloth hospital duty cap is only authorized for optional wear by officers of the Army Nurse Corps and the Army Medical Specialist Corps. The hospital duty cap will be worn centered and high on the back of the head. Only the dome white polyester shank type buttons (with tog-

gles) issued with the cap are authorized for wear on the cap.

(2) The black beret is the authorized headgear for wear with the hospital duty uniforms when outdoors.

b. Footwear. White oxford shoes and white stockings will be worn with the hospital duty uniforms by officers. Wear of these items by enlisted personnel is optional. If this option is not exercised, black oxford shoes and standard nylon stockings will be worn with the hospital duty uniform.

c. Insignia and accouterments. Polished brass insignia of grade and branch and nameplates are the only items authorized for wear on the hospital duty uniforms.

24–18. Precautionary wear restrictions. Cognizance should be taken of the fact that this uniform was not designed for use in areas where flammable gases are employed. Commanders will prohibit the wearing of hospital duty dresses and polyester pantsuits in flammable anesthetizing locations and mixed facilities (as defined in National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Standards) or in any area where easily ignitable substances such as anesthetizing agents are present. This restriction does not apply to inhalation thereapy areas where oxygen is administered, providing that easily ignitable substances such as ether, cyclopropane, alcohol, acetone, oils, greases, or lotions are not present. The presence of such flammable combustible substances in oxygen enriched atmospheres is prohibited by NFPA Standards.

Section III. FOOD SERVICE UNIFORMS

24–19. Authorization for wear. The food service uniform is authorized for year-round wear by all enlisted women with—

a. A food service MOS working as a cook, baker, or food handler in an authorized dining facility.

b. Instructors or students in cook's training.

c. A food inspector MOS.

24–20. Composition. The food service uniform is comprised of a white apron, white pantsuit, white food handler's cap, and appropriate items from CTA 50-900 and table 4-2 of AR 700-84. The distinctive garrison food service uniform consists of a white blouse and black skirt or slacks. For other accessories and accouterments, see appendix B. The white maternity uniform listed in the CTA is authorized for year by pregnant soldiers.

24–21. Occasions for wear. The food service uniform is prescribed for wear by enlisted women engaged in food handling and or related activities and will be worn as prescribed by local commanders. This uniform will not be worn as a field or utility uniform.

24–22. Pantsuit, food service, white. Polyester/cotton poplin or fine line twill. The food service uniform pantsuits are of approved Government specification or pattern. They will be either white polyester/cotton (65/35) fine line twill or white polyester/cotton (65/35) poplin and post cured dura-

ble press. The pantsuit will be worn with the collar open and the coat fully buttoned.

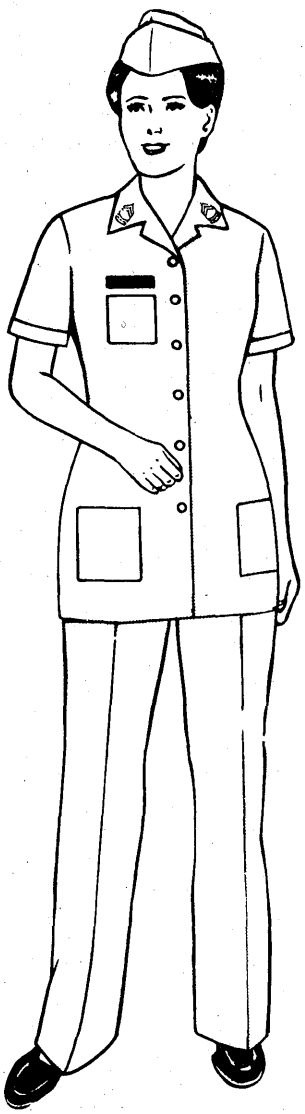


Figure 24–8. Food service pantsuit.

24–23. Apron, food handlers, white cotton drill. The white food handler's apron is of approved Government specification or pattern. This bib type, white cotton drill apron with tie tapes is worn over the pantsuit when on the serving line or when engaged in food preparation to protect against grease, oil, and other type stains.

24–24. Items worn with and on the uniforms.

a. Headgear.

(1) The white disposable food handler's cap or hairnet will be worn only in the immediate vicinity of the dining facility when prescribed by local commanders. No insignia will be worn on the disposable food handler's cap.

(2) The black beret is the authorized headgear for wear with the food service uniforms when outdoors.

b. Footwear. Black combat boots or black oxford shoes will be worn with the food service uniforms as prescribed by local commanders. When boots are worn, the pantsuit slacks will not be tucked into the boots.

c. Insignia and accouterments. Polished brass pin-on insignia of grade and nameplates are the only items authorized for wear on the food service uniforms.

Section IV. MATERNITY UNIFORMS

24–25. Authorization for wear. The maternity uniform is authorized for year-round wear by pregnant soldiers as prescribed by local commanders.

24–26. Composition. The maternity uniform is comprised of an Army green shade 434 tunic, skirt, and slacks with expanded front panels, with either a white short-sleeve or Army green shade 415 long- or short-sleeve shirt.

24–27. Occasions for issue and wear. A pregnant soldier is entitled to the issue of the maternity uniform upon counseling in accordance with AR 635-100 and 635-200, and under provisions of

AR 700–84. After the 24th week of pregnancy, only the maternity uniform will be worn as the duty uniform. Commanders may direct an individual soldier to begin wear of the maternity uniform earlier than the 24th week if the woman's condition becomes obvious in a normally fitted uniform or, in the commander's judgment, the normal duty uniform, when worn, does not meet Army appearance standards. Commanders may permit wear of the maternity uniform for up to 30 days subsequent to delivery if necessary.

24–28. Design. *a. Type.* Of approved specifications and pattern.

b. Material. Tunic, skirt, and slacks, 100 percent texturized polyester twill, durable press finish, 6.5-ounce weight, Army green shade 434.

c. General description.

(1) *Tunic.* Hip length, sleeveless with inserted pleat, waist adjustment tabs, and back center slide closure.

(2) *Skirt.* 3-gored knee length, elastic waistband, with 100 percent nylon knitted stretch front panel.

(3) *Slacks.* Straight leg, elastic waistband, with 100 percent nylon knitted stretch front panel.

24–29. Items worn with and on the maternity uniform. *a. Headgear.* Either the black beret or the army green service hat may be worn.

b. Footwear. Black pumps or oxfords may be worn with the tunic and skirt. Black pumps, oxfords, or jodhpur boots may be worn when the tunic and slacks are worn. Black anklets may be worn when jodhpur boots or oxfords are worn with the slacks.

c. Coats. The Army green overcoat, Army green raincoat, or black all-weather coat may be worn with the maternity uniform. Coats may be worn unbuttoned if necessary.

d. Insignia and accouterments. No insignia or accouterments will be worn on the maternity uniform except the nameplate on the tunic, full colored insignia of grade and branch (officer), and insignia of grade (enlisted) on shirt collars. Grade and branch for officers and grade for enlisted will be worn as prescribed for the white shirt in chapter 26. Name plates are worn on the tunic in the same relative position to the nameplate placement on other uniforms. Officer's will wear grade on both collars of the green shirts.

24–30. Exceptions to policy. Exceptions to policy are prescribed in AR 614–30.

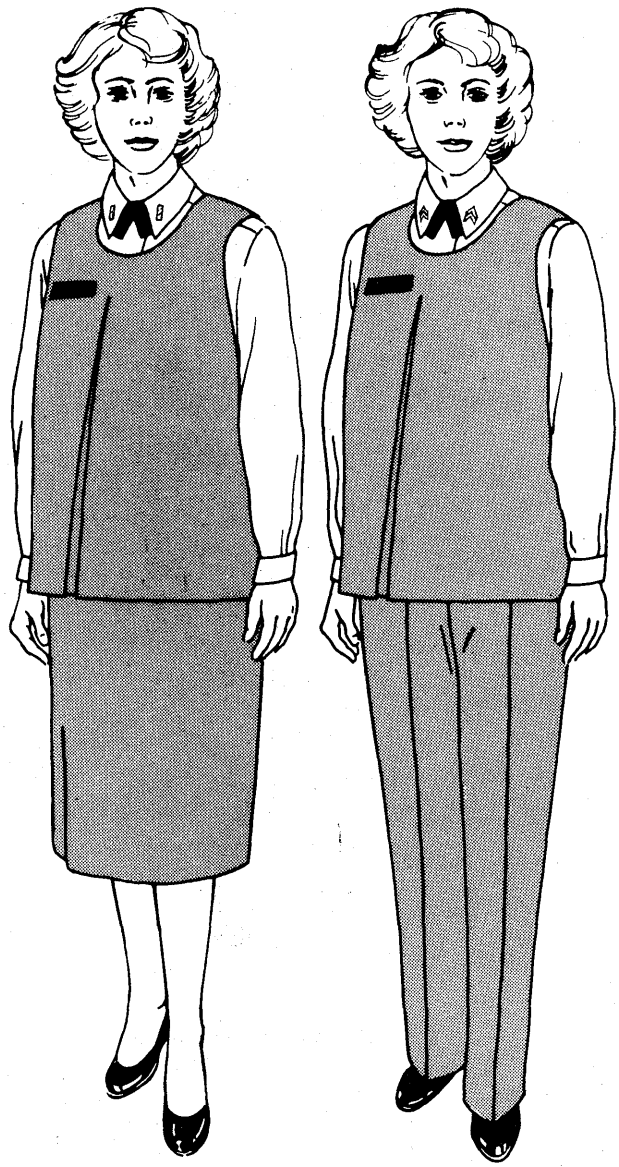


Figure 24–9. Maternity uniform.

CHAPTER 25

WOMEN'S ACCESSORIES

25–1. Belt, web, waist and buckles. *a. Belt, web.* The belt will be a 1¼-inch web or woven elastic web belt of black color with a black tip.

b. Buckle, belt, web. A black, open faced buckle, 1 11/16 inches long and 1 5/8 inches wide will be worn on the belt with the male OG 507 utility uniform. Only the black tipped belt is authorized with this buckle.

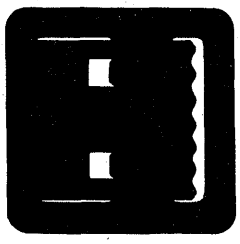


Figure 25–1. Buckle, black.

c. Wear. The tipped end of the belt will pass through the buckle to the wearer's left and will not extend more than 2 inches beyond the end of the buckle.

25–2. Beret. *a. Black.*

(1) *Material.* Fur felt, 9-ounce weight, Army black.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

(3) *Insignia.* Will be the same insignia as worn on the Army green service hat. The insignia will be placed three-fourths inch from the bottom edge of the beret front, parallel to the floor, and centered from left to right on the beret eyelet.

(4) *Wear.* All female personnel may wear the black beret with the Army green, Army green pantsuit, Army green cord, Army green (AG–388) dress and jacket, Army green (AG–388) skirt and jackets, Army green classic uniform, maternity, hospital duty, and food service uniforms.

(5) *Proper wear position.* The black beret will be worn tilted slightly to the back of the head. The beret will be worn with the insignia centered on the forehead and not over one eye. The beret will not be worn forward of the forehead hairline. The beret will be worn so as to retain its original hand blocked contour and not be crushed, flattened, dented or otherwise reshaped.

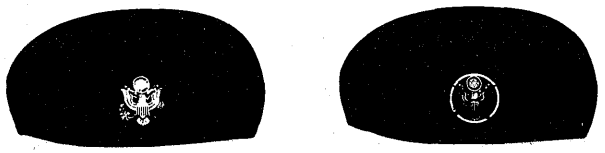


Figure 25–2. Beret, female, black.

b. Maroon and green.

(1) *Material.* Knitted wool, moth resistant and water repellent treated.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

(3) *Wear.* The beret may be worn with the Army green, Army green pantsuit, Army green cord, Army green (AG–388), hospital duty, food service, and the utility uniforms in a garrison environment. Distinctive color beret may be worn by personnel assigned to units as indicated in chapter 11.

(4) *Manner of wear.* Headband (edge binding) straight across forehead, 1 inch above eyebrow. Top of beret draped over right ear; and stiffener for affixing insignia positioned over left eye. Ends of adjusting ribbon will be cut off and the ribbon knot secured inside the edge binding at rear of the head.

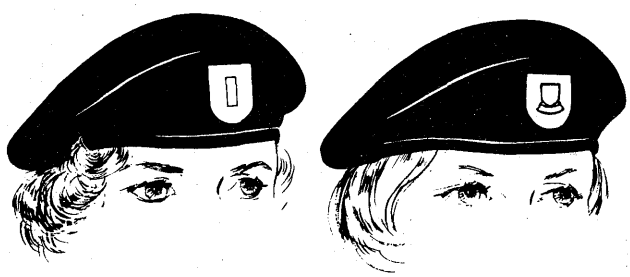


Figure 25–3. Unit berets.

(5) *Insignia.* Only distinctive unit insignia for enlisted personnel or insignia of grade for officers will be worn. Insignia will be centered on stiffener above left eye. Flashes and recognition bar will be worn as described in chapter 26.

25–3. Boots. *a. Boots, combat, black.*

(1) *Material.* Leather, black.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern or on an optional basis, a similar commercial design is authorized. Plain toe or capped toe may be worn.

(3) *Wear.* The black combat boot is authorized for wear with the field, work, and utility uniforms. The black combat boot is also authorized for wear with the Army green pantsuit and the Army green shade 415 shirt when worn as an outer garment only by those personnel assigned to military police units, air assault units, and personnel assigned to active airborne status units only when prescribed by the local commander and will be bloused when worn.

b. Boots, optional, inclement weather.

(1) *Material.* Leather, rubber or synthetic, black.

(2) *Design.* Of commercial design, over the foot boot, not more than knee-high and of plain style with no decorative trimming of any sort. The boots will be zipper or snap type closure which is inconspicuously placed. The heels will be no higher than 3 inches.

(3) *Wear.* These commercial boots are authorized for optional wear with the service uniforms while the wearer is going to or from duty, in rain, ice, snow, or cold weather. The boots will be exchanged for standard footgear when indoors.

25–4. Buttons. *a. Regular Army buttons.*

(1) *Description.* The buttons will be gold plated or anodized aluminum and will have the Coat of Arms of the United States superimposed thereon.

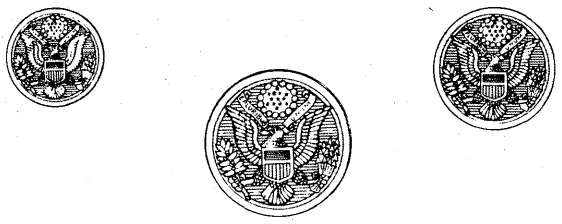


Figure 25–4. Buttons, Regular Army.

(2) *Size.* Buttons will be 20-ligne, 25-ligne, and 30-ligne size. There are 40-lignes to an inch.

(3) *How worn.* Buttons will be worn on the coats and jackets of all service, dress and mess uniforms by all personnel in the Army other than those referred to in *b* below.

b. Corps of Engineer buttons.

(1) *Description.* The buttons will be gold plated or anodized aluminum and will have an eagle holding in his beak a scroll with the words "Essayons," a bastion with embrasures in the distance surrounded by water, and with a rising sun.

(2) *Size.* Buttons will be 20-ligne, 25-ligne and 30-ligne size. There are 40 lignes to an inch.



Figure 25–5. Buttons, Corps of Engineer.

(3) *How worn.* Buttons will be worn on the coats and jackets of all service, dress and mess uniforms by all commissioned officers of the Corps of Engineers and all warrant officers with a Corps of Engineers primary specialty.

c. Buttons on the overcoats and raincoats will be of plastic conforming in color to the material of the coat for all personnel. Sizes are prescribed in the specifications for each article of clothing.

25–5. Blouse, white, formal. *a. Material.* Polyester cotton, white.

b. Design. Of approved specification or pattern. The blouse will be a white tuck-in style with a front closure containing seven removeable dome-shaped buttons. On each side of the front opening there will be three vertical rows of ruffles. The blouse will have short sleeves and a rounded edge collar.

c. Wear. The formal white blouse is authorized for wear by all female officers with all the Army mess and Army evening dress uniforms.

25–6. Capes, Army, blue and Army black. *a. Army, blue, cape.*

(1) *Material.*

(a) Wool barathea, 12-14-ounce weight, Army blue shade 150.

(*b*) Wool gabardine, 11- or 14.5-ounce weight, Army blue shade 150.

(*c*) Wool tropical 10.5-ounce weight, Army blue shade 450.

(*d*) Polyester/wool tropical, 10-ounce weight, Army blue shade 450.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern. The Army blue cape will be finger tip length with fitted shoulders, high rounded soft collar and lined with rayon twill, 4.2-ounce weight, or satin, 4.5-ounce weight, in the following colors:

(*a*) *General officers.* Dark blue.

(*b*) *All other officers.* The first named color of the officers basic branch.



Figure 25–6. Army blue cape.

b. Army, black, cape.

(1) *Material.* Wool, garbardine, 11 ounce weight, Army black shade 149.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern. The Army black cape will be knee length approximately 1 inch below the skirt hem of the Army mess uniform skirts and lined with white rayon satin, 4-5-ounce weight. An agraffe will be worn across the center front neck closure of the cape with the ends of the agraffe attached in the right and left front neckline dart seams.

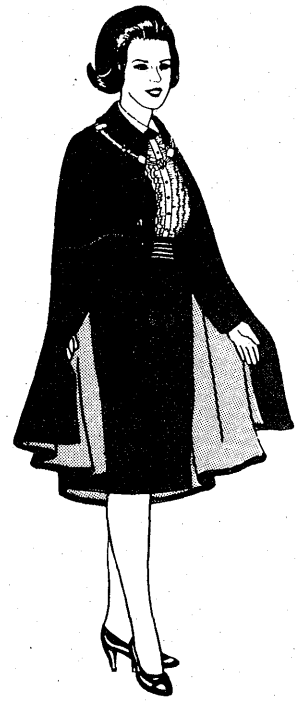


Figure 25–7. Army black cape.

c. Wear of the Capes.

(1) *Officers.* The Army blue and Army black capes are authorized for wear with the Army blue uniform; the Army mess uniforms, and the Army evening dress uniforms.

(2) *Enlisted personnel.* Are not authorized to wear the capes.

25–7. Cummerbunds. *a. Black cummerbund.*

(1) *Materials.*

(*a*) Wool tropical, 8.5-ounce weight, Army black shade 149.

(*b*) Polyester/wool blended fabric in tropical weave, 10-ounce weight, Army black shade 332.

(2) *Design.* Of commercial design with four pleats running the entire length of the cummerbund.

(3) *Wear.* The black cummerbund is authorized for wear by all officers with the Army black mess, Army white mess, Army black evening dress and Army white evening dress uniforms. The cummerbund will be worn with the pleats facing down.

b. White cummerbund.

(1) *Material.* Polyester/rayon blended fabrics in gabardine, 6 or 8-ounce weight, Army white.

(2) *Design.* Of commercial design with four pleats running the entire length of the cummer-

bund.

(3) *Wear.* The white cummerbund is authorized for wear by all officers with the Army all-white mess uniforms. The cummerbund will be worn with the pleats facing down.

25-8. Gloves. *a. Black gloves.*

(1) *Material.* Leather.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern or similar commercial design.

(3) *Wear.* Black gloves are authorized for wear with the Army green coat, Army green (AG-388) jacket, windbreaker, overcoat, all-weather coat, raincoat, and Army green pantsuit coat.

b. White gloves, dress.

(1) *Material.* Cotton, cottony/nylon, nylon, kid, doeskin or leather.

(2) *Design.* Of appropriate commercial design.

(3) *Wear.* White dress gloves are authorized for year-round wear with the Army blue, Army white, Army mess and Army evening dress uniforms.

c. Light duty work gloves.

(1) Material.

(*a*) *Shells.* Black leather.

(*b*) *Inserts.* Wool and nylon knit.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

(3) *Wear.* Light duty work gloves may be worn with the field and utility uniforms at the option of the individual and in formations when prescribed by the local commander.

25-9. Handbags. *a. Black dress.*

(1) *Material.* Leather or fabric.

(2) *Design.* Of commercial design, untrimmed, envelope or cluth style, with or without chain.

(3) *Wear.*

(*a*) Leather. Authorized for wear with the Army blue uniform, during or after duty hours.

(*b*) Fabric. Authorized for wear with the Army black mess and Army black evening dress uniforms. Also authorized for optional wear with the Army blue uniform after duty hours.

(*c*) Handbag and shoes will be of the same material.

b. Black, service.

(1) *Material.* Leather or polyurethane.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

(3) *Wear.* Authorized for wear with all service, field and utility uniforms, Army blue uniform. May also be carried when wearing civilian clothes.

c. Black, clutch type.

(1) *Material.* Coarse grain leather.

(2) *Design.* Of commercial design, clutch type with zipper opening at top.

(3) *Wear.* Authorized for optional wear with the field and utility uniforms.

d. White, Dress.

(1) *Material.* Leather or fabric.

(2) *Design.* Of commercial design, untrimmed, envelope or clutch style, with or without chain.

(3) *Wear.*

(*a*) *Leather.* Authorized for wear with the Army white uniform during or after duty hours.

(*b*) *Fabric.* Authorized for wear with the Army all-white mess uniform. Also authorized for optional wear with the Army white uniform after duty hours.



Figure 25-8. Handbags.

25-10. Hat, drill sergeant, women. *a. Material.* 50/50 polyester/cotton poplin, water repellent treated, 5.6-ounce weight, beige.

b. Design. Of approved specification or pattern.

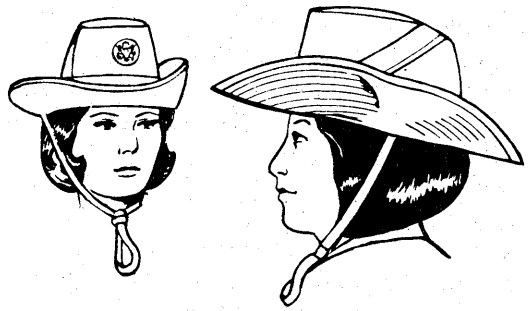


Figure 25-9. Hat, drill sergeant, women.

c. Wear.

(1) By Army women drill sergeants, on or off duty with utility or service uniforms under the following conditions:

(*a*) Noncommissioned officers designated as drill sergeants and assigned to validated drill ser-

geant postions as principal trainer or assistant trainer (i.e. senior drill sergeant or drill sergeant) respectively.

(*b*) Noncommissioned officer faculty members of a drill sergeant school who are drill sergeant school graduates and who are actively engaged in instructing drill sergeant classes.

(2) A noncommissioned officer, upon release from assignments cited in (1) above, will no longer be authorized to wear the drill sergeant hat.

d. Proper wear position. The hat will be worn straight on the head. Hair will not be visible on the forehead below the front brim of the hat. It will be worn so as to retain its original design and not be crushed, flattened, dented or otherwise reshaped. The left side of the brim will be snapped and the right side will be parallel to the ground.

e. Insigna. The only insignia authorized for wear on the drill sergeant hat will be a gold color metal Coat of Arms of the United States within a gold color metal disk, $1^{11}/_{16}$ inches in diameter, and centered on the front of the hat.

25–11. Laces, shoe and boot. Laces will be of the same color as the shoe or boot.

25–12. Military police articles and accessories. The following articles are authorized for wear on the Army uniform by female military police personnel.

a. Badge, military police.
b. Belt, military police, black leather.
c. Boots, combat, black.
d. Brassard, military police.
e. Hat, service, womens, white top.
f. Carrier, club, military police, black leather.
g. Case, field, first aid dressing, black leather.
h. Club, military police.
i. Gloves, white cotton.
j. Handcuffs, w/key, ratchet type.
k. Handcuff case, black leather.
l. Holster, .38 Cal, black leather.
m. Lanyard, pistol, white nylon cord.
n. Pocket, ammunition magazine, black leather.
o. Shoulder strap, side arm, military police, black leather.
p. Whistle, patrolman, OD or brass.

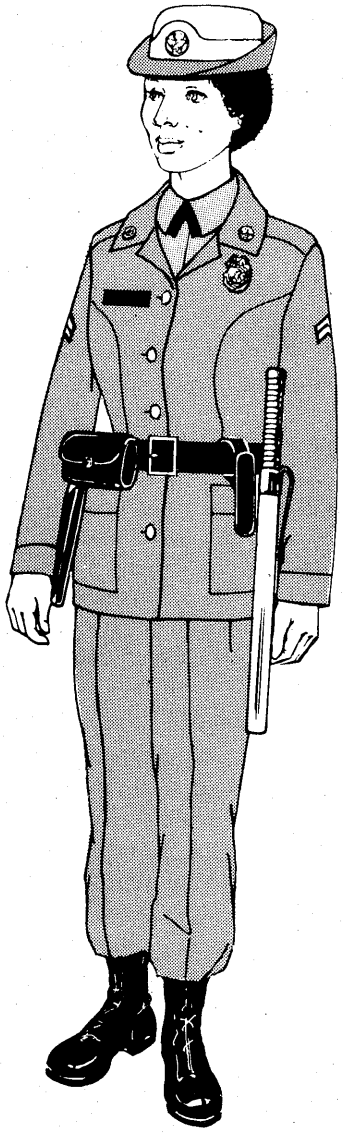


Figure 25–10. Military police accessories.

25–13. Necktabs, black. *a. Service.*

(1) *Material.* Polyester/cotton, Army black shade 305.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification and pattern.

(3) *Wear.*

(*a*) The black service necktab will be worn with the long- and short-sleeve shirt when worn with the Army green uniform coat and jacket.

(*b*) The black service necktab will be worn with the Army green shade 415 long-sleeve shirt when worn as an outer garment with the Army green skirt or slacks. The black service necktab may

be worn on an optional basis with the Army green shade 415 short-sleeve shirt when worn as an outer garment with the Army green skirt or slacks.

b. Dress necktab, black.

(1) *Material.* Polyester/cotton, broadcloth, 3-ounce weight, Army black shade 305.

(2) *Design.* A commercial design, black, quarter-moon necktab, which fits under the collar of the white formal blouse.

(3) *Wear.* The black dress necktab will be worn with the white formal blouse with all the Army mess and Army evening dress uniforms.

25–14. Overcoat, Army green.

Note. The Army green overcoat is being replaced by the Army black all-weather coat. The Army green overcoat is authorized for wear through 30 September 1985.

a. Material.

(1) *Overcoat.* Wool, gabardine, 14.5 ounces, Army green shade 44.

(2) *Liner.* Rayon face/acrylic back, 7.5 ounces, Army green shade 335.

b. Design. Of approved specification or pattern.

c. Wear. The overcoat may be worn with or without liner. The overcoat will be worn buttoned, except for the neck closure which may be worn opened or closed with or without a scarf. The overcoat will cover uniform sleeves by ½ inch at the cuff and 1 inch at the skirt hem. The overcoat is authorized for wear by all female personnel with the Army green pantsuit, Army green, Army blue, Army black mess, Army black evening dress, maternity, hospital duty, and food service uniforms. The overcoat, without insignia, is authorized for wear with civilian clothing.

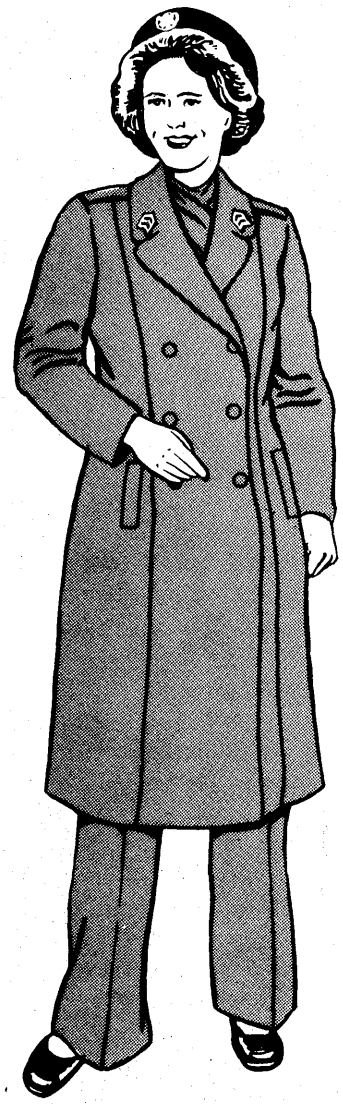


Figure 25-11. Army green overcoat.

25–15. Overshoes, black. *a. Material.* Rubber or synthetic.

b. Design. Of commercial design.

c. Wear. Authorized for optional wear by all female personnel with dress oxford shoes, when not in formation.

25–16. Raincoats, Army, green and black all-weather coat. *a. All-weather coat, black.*

Note. The black all-weather coat will replace both the Army green raincoat and the Army green overcoat.

(1) *Material.*

(*a*) *Coat and Havelock.* Polyester/cotton poplin (50/50), 6.0-ounce weight, with water and

soil repellent treatment and durable crease resistent finish, Army black shade 385.

(*b*) *Liner.* Knitted acrylic pile fabric, 11.5-ounce weight, Army black shade 410.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. Raincoat, Army, green.

Note. The Army green raincoat is being replaced by the Army black all-weather coat. The Army green raincoat is authorized for wear through 30 September 1985.

(1) *Material.* Polyester/cotton poplin, 5.6-ounce weight, water repellent treated, Army green shade 274.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

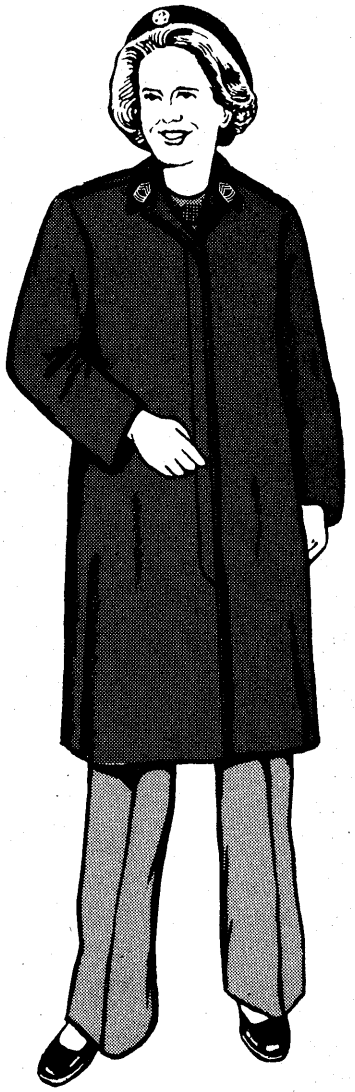


Figure 25–12. Army black all-weather coat.

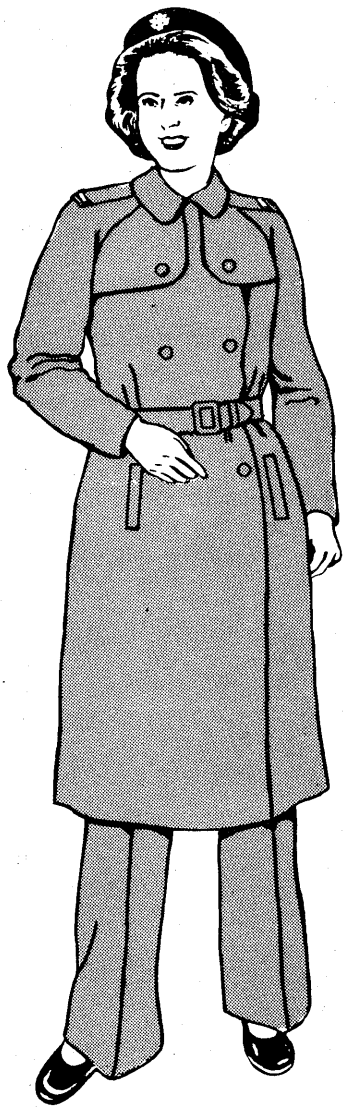


Figure 25–13. Army green raincoat.

c. Wear. The black all-weather coat may be worn with or without the liner. Both coats will be worn buttoned, except for the neck closure which may be worn opened or closed, with or without a scarf. The coats will cover uniform sleeves by ½ inch at the cuff and skirt by at least 1 inch at the hem. The coat may be worn without the havelock. The coat is authorized for wear by all female personnel with the service, dress, mess, evening dress, hospital duty, and food service uniforms. The coats may be worn with the Army green shade 415 long- and short-sleeve shirts when the shirts are worn as outer garments with the Army green skirt or slacks. The coats may also be worn with the field and utility

uniforms when personnel are in a garrison environment only. The coats without insignia, is authorized for wear with civilian clothing.

25–17. Scarves. *a. White.*

(1) *Material.* 100 percent acrylic woven fiber, white.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

(3) *Wear.* The white scarf will be worn folded in half, lengthwise, and crossed right over left at the neck. The ends will be tucked neatly into the neckline of the raincoat, all-weather coat, or overcoat. The white scarf is authorized for wear with all service, dress, mess and evening dress uniforms when the overcoat, raincoat, or all-weather coat is worn.

b. Olive Drab.

(1) *Material.* Wool olive drab, Army shade 30 A.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

(3) *Wear.* The olive drab scarf is authorized for wear with the field jacket or other field clothing.

c. Black.

(1) *Material.* Wool, silk or rayon, Army black.

(2) *Design.* Of commercial design, approximately 12 by 52 inches.

(3) *Wear.* Authorized for optional wear when wearing the Army black.

25–18. Shirts. *a.* Army green shade 415, long- and short-sleeve.

(1) *Material.* Precured durable press, 65/35 polyester/cotton broadcloth, stock dyed in end-on-end configuration, 3.2-ounce weight.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification and pattern.

(3) *Wear.* Authorized for year-round wear by all female personnel with the Army green, Army green pantsuit, Army green classic uniforms, and as an outer garment with the Army green skirt or slacks, or the maternity uniform.

Note. The Army green shade 415 long- and short-sleeve shirts are authorized replacements for the Army white short-sleeve shirt. The white short sleeve shirt will remain an optional item for wear with the Army white, Army blue, and Army green uniforms when worn for social occasions. The white shirt is authorized for wear through 30 September 1985 with the service uniforms.

b. White, Short Sleeve.

(1) *Material.* Polyester/cotton, broadcloth, durable press, 3.0-ounce weight, Army white.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

(3) *Wear.* The white shirt will be worn with the collar closed and with a black service necktab. The white shirt is authorized for year-round wear with the Army green pantsuit, Army green classic, Army white, Army blue, and the maternity uniforms.

25–19. Shoes and pumps. *a. Shoes, oxford, black.*

(1) *Material.* Leather or poromeric/corfam type material is authorized. Patent leather is not authorized.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern, or a similar commercial design dress tie oxford with a minimum of three eyelets, with closed toe and heel, with the heels being no higher than 2 inches. A jodhpur boot or similar commercial design is also authorized. The heel and sole will be of a non-contrasting color.

(3) *Wear.* Black oxford shoes are authorized for wear by all female personnel with all uniforms except the Army white, Army blue, Army mess, Army evening dress, hot weather, and utility uniforms.

b. Shoes, oxford, white.

(1) *Material.* Leather or poromeric material is authorized. Patent leather is not authorized.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern or a similar commercial design dress tie oxford with a minimum of two eyelets, with closed toe and heel, with the heels being no higher than 2 inches.

(3) *Wear.* White oxford shoes are authorized for wear by all female personnel with the hospital duty uniforms.

c. Pumps, service, black or white.

(1) *Material.* Calfskin, fine grain, or poromeric materials. Patent leather is also authorized.

(2) *Design.* Plain, untrimmed pumps of current commercial design; closed toe and heel; black or white heels from 1 to 3 inches. The sole thickness cannot exceed one-half inch.

(3) *Wear.*

(*a*) *Pumps, service, black.* Black service pumps are authorized for wear by all female personnel with all service uniforms except the Army white uniform and required for mandatory possession.

(*b*) *Pumps, service, white.* White service pumps are authorized for wear by all female personnel with the Army white uniform.

d. Pumps, dress, black or white.

(1) *Material.* Fabric.

(2) *Design.* Plain, untrimmed pumps of current

commercial design; closed toe and heel; black or white heels from 1 to 3 inches. The sole thickness cannot exceed one-half inch.

(3) *Wear.*

(*a*) *Pumps, dress, black.* Black dress pumps are authorized for wear by all officers with the Army black mess, Army white mess, Army black evening dress and Army white evening dress uniforms. Black dress pumps are also authorized for wear by all female personnel with the Army blue uniform after duty hours.

(*b*) *Pumps, dress, white.* White dress pumps are authorized for wear by all officers with the Army all-white mess uniform. White dress pumps are also authorized for wear by all female personnel with the Army white uniform after duty hours.

(*c*) *Shoes and handbag.* Both will be of the same material.

25–20. Stockings and socks. *a. Stockings.* Materials of sheer or semi-sheer, with or without seams, and a shade complementary to the uniform. No patterned or pastel stockings are permitted to be worn while in uniform. White stockings will be worn with the hospital duty uniform when white shoes are worn. On an optional basis, plain black cotton or cotton nylon socks may be worn with the black oxford shoes or jodhpur boot when wearing the Army green pantsuit.

b. Socks, olive green, boots.

(1) Material. 20 percent cotton, 30 percent nylon, 50 percent wool, Army olive green shade 408, ribbed knit top and cushion sole.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

(3) *Wear.* The Olive green socks must be worn by all personnel when wearing combat or organizational boots.

25–21. Sweaters. *a. Sweater, Army green, cardigan.*

(1) *Material.* Knitted acrylic, double-pique, Army green shade 329.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. Sweater, Army black, cardigan.

Note. The Army black sweater will replace the Army green sweater which is authorized for wear until 30 September 1983.

(1) Material. 100 percent acrylic, Army black shade 435.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

c. Sweater, Army black, pullover. "V" neck.

(1) *Material.* 100 percent wool, Army black shade 458.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

d. Wear of the sweaters.

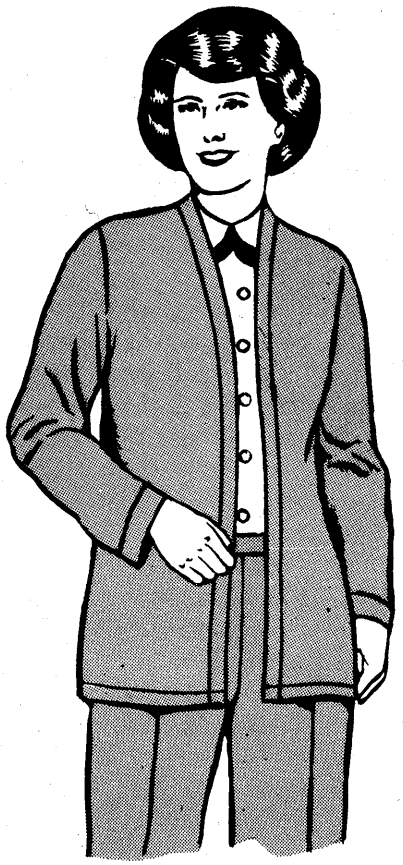
(1) *Cardigan.* The sweater is authorized for optional purchase and wear by all female personnel as follows:

(*a*) As an outer garment with the Army green skirt, Army green pantsuit slacks, and the Army green shade 415 long- and short-sleeve shirt within the immediate confines of the individual's working area. The sweater may also be worn with the green short-sleeve shirt with or without the necktab and as a subgarment under the Army green coat and Army green pantsuit jacket.

(*b*) As an outergarment with the Army green cord, maternity, hospital duty, and food service uniforms, indoor and outdoors while on the military reservation and when traveling to and from a residence in a private or Government vehicle.

(*c*) With civilian clothes.

(2) *Pullover.* The sweater is authorized for optional purchase and wear as an outer garment with the Army green slacks or skirt snd green shirt. The sweater may be worn with the green short sleeve shirt with or without necktab. When the short sleeve shirt without neck tab is worn, the short collar will be worn outside the sweater. It may also be worn under the green raincoat, all weather coat, and black windbreakers. When worn under the windbreaker, it must not appear exposed. Officers will wear shoulder marks indicating insignia of grade. Enlisted personnel in the grade of corporal or higher will wear shoulder marks in lieu of insignia on the shirt collar. The name plate will be centered one-fourth inch above the bottom of the patch. The DUI may be worn by personnel authorized a DUI and will be centered one-fourth inch above the name plate. The pullover sweater may be worn with civilian clothes. If DUI is not worn, the nameplate will be centered.



Cardigan, green or black



Pullover, black

Figure 25–14. Sweaters.

25–22. Umbrella, black. All female personnel in the US Army are authorized the optional purchase and use of a plain black umbrella of commercial design. The umbrella is not authorized for use with the field or utility uniforms.

25–23. Undershirts *a. White.*

(1) *Material.* Cotton or cotton polyester knit.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern with quarter sleeves and round or V-neck collar.

(3) *Wear.* Will be worn only with the durable press utility uniform.

b. Olive green or brown.

(1) *Material.* Cotton or cotton polyester knit.

(2) *Design.* Of approved specification or pattern with quarter sleeves and round collar.

(3) Wear. Subdued undershirts may be worn in lieu of white undershirts with the durable press utility uniform. Only the subdued undershirt will be worn with the battle dress uniform.

c. Restrictions. Wear of an undershirt as an outer garment in such activities as physical training is at the discretion of the individual. Female personnel

will not be required to wear the under shirt as an outer garment nor be required to remove the utility shirt for physical training.

25–24. Tunic, Army green shade 413. *a. Design.* Of approved specification or pattern.

b. General description. The pantsuit tunic is green, hip length with finished hem, turtle neck collar, pullover with a zipper closure in the back.

c. Wear. Authorized for optional purchase and wear with the Army green pantsuit and the Army green classic slacks. The tunic will not be worn as an outer garment except in the immediate work area. When worn, it will not be tucked into the slacks.

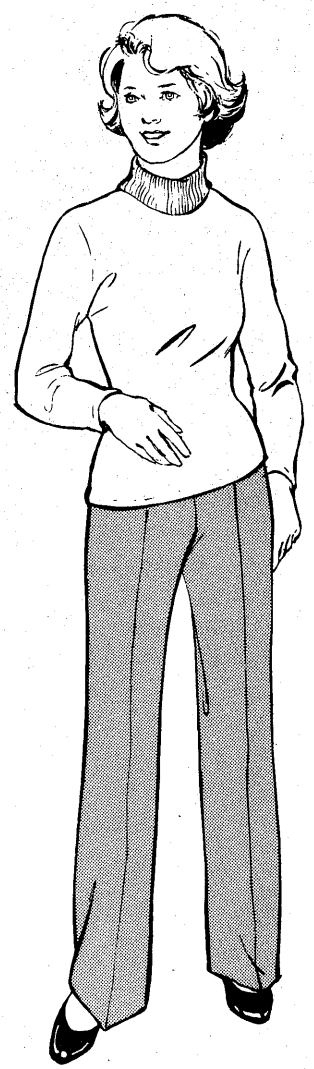


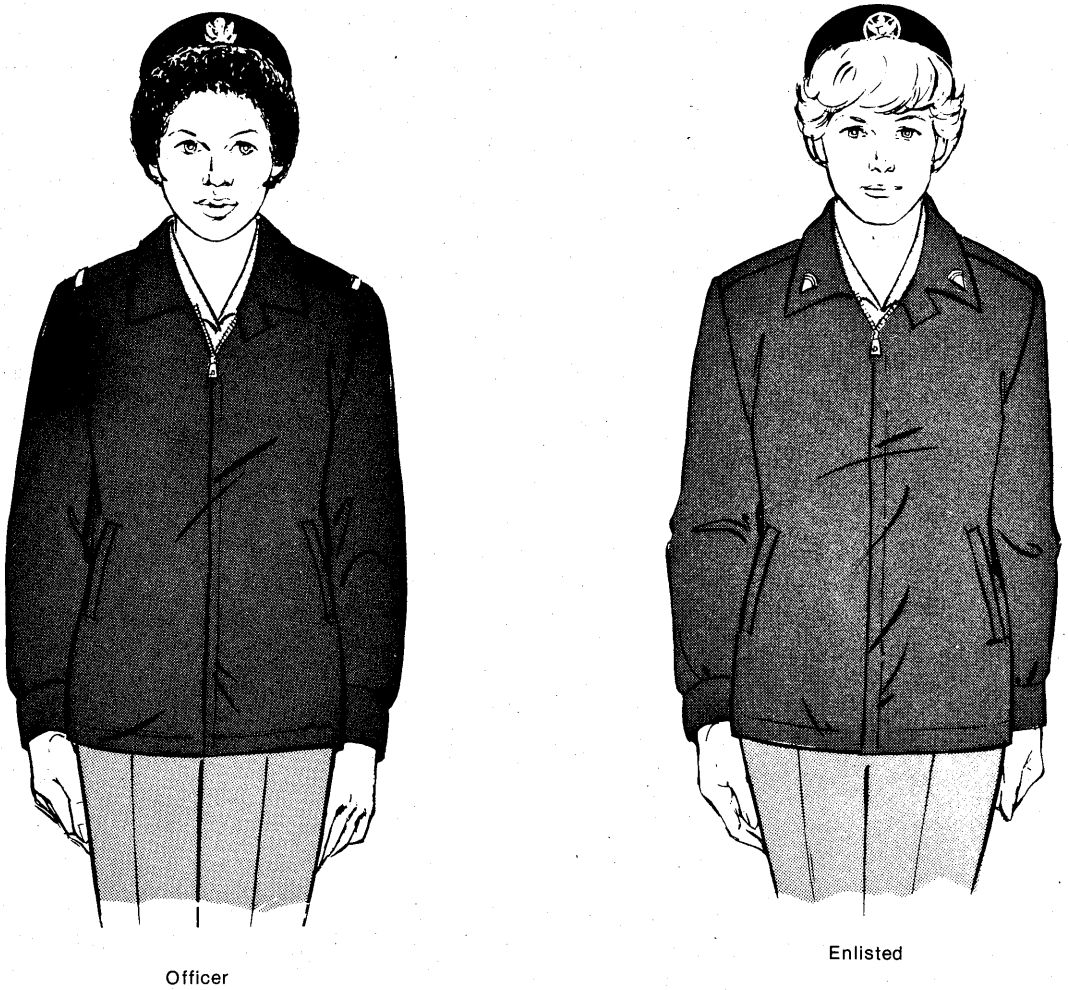
Figure 25–15. Tunic with slacks.

25–25. Windbreaker, Army, black.

a. Material. Polyester/Cotton poplin, 6.0-ounce, Army black shade 385.

b. Design. Of approved specification and pattern.

c. Wear. Authorized for optional purchase and wear by all female personnel with the white blouse when worn as an outer garment with the Army green pantsuit slacks, AG 388 long- and short-sleeve jacket and skirt and jacket dress uniforms, AG 160 green cord, maternity, food service, and hospital duty uniforms (dress and pantsuit), and long- and short-sleeved AG 415 shirt when worn as an outer garment with the Army green skirt or pantsuit slacks. The windbreaker may not be worn in formations unless authorized by local commanders. When worn with the uniform, it will be zipped at least three-fourths of the way up. The windbreaker, without insignia, may be worn with civilian clothing.



Officer

Enlisted

Figure 25–16. Windbreaker

PART IV

INSIGNIA AND ACCOUTERMENTS AND WEARING OF AWARDS, DECORATIONS AND BADGES

CHAPTER 26

INSIGNIA AND ACCOUTERMENTS

26–1. General. *a.* This regulation and special authorization by HQDA specify the only items of insignia which may be worn on any of the US Army uniforms.

b. The insignia worn by military personnel designates grade, branch of service, organization, duty assignment, and prior Army service.

c. Members of bands, honor guards, color guards, and similar details will wear the prescribed uniform with regulation accouterments. The only exception to this policy will be for those units authorized to wear distinctive uniforms by CTA 50-900.

d. All requests for insignia designs will be submitted to The Institute of Heraldry, US Army, Cameron Station, Alexandria, VA 22314.

26–2. General description. *a. Material.* Insignia will meet the approved military specifications and conform to proper color designation (gold, silver, or subdued). The term gold color means yellow in color and includes gold plated, gold bullion, synthetic metallic gold, etc. The term silver color includes silver filled, silver plated, sterling silver, silver bullion, anodized aluminum, etc. An exception to the standard color designations will be made for the anodized aluminum buttons which will be white gold in color. All other anodized aluminum items will be yellow gold in color. Officers may wear embroidered insignia in lieu of full color metal insignia on all dress and service uniforms. All personnel may wear embroidered subdued insignia in lieu of subdued metal insignia on utility uniforms. Embroidered insignia will be on a cloth backing. Embroidered sew-on subdued insignia will not be worn on organizational items. The US and branch insignia worn on the collar and lapel will be of the same material.

b. Attachment. Insignia will be attached so as to rest firmly on the uniform without turning. Embroidered insignia will be sewn on the uniform so the stitching blends inconspicuously with the background.

26–3. Headgear insignia. *a. Full color insignia.*

(1) *Garrison cap, Army green, male personnel, and garrison cap, Army green cord, female personnel.*

(*a*) *Officers.* Will wear their insignia of grade and on an optional basis the approved "airborne" insignia for authorized personnel (para 26-30).

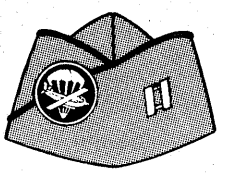
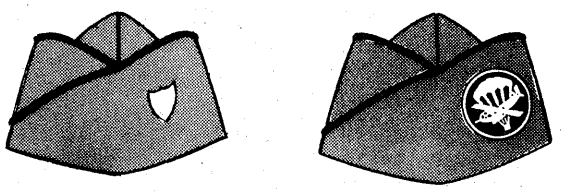


Figure 26-1. Garrison cap insignia, officer, male.

(*b*) *Enlisted personnel.* Will wear their approved distinctive unit insignia. On an optional basis the approved "airborne" insignia may be substituted for the distinctive unit insignia (DUI) by personnel if authorized in accordance with para-

graph 26–30. The Sergeant Major of the Army (SMA) may wear the SMA Shield in lieu of the DUI.



Distinctive unit insignia Airborne insignia

Figure 26–2. Garrison cap insignia, enlisted, male.

Note. The Army green cord garrison cap for female personnel is not authorized for wear after 30 September 1981.

(2) *Service cap, Army green, Army blue or Army white, male personnel.* The following insignia, secured through the front eyelet provided, are worn on the service cap:

(*a*) *Commissioned officers.* The insignia will be the Coat of Arms of the United States, 2⅜ inches in height and of gold color metal.



Figure 26–3. Service cap insignia, commissioned officer, male.

(*b*) *Warrant officers.* The insignia will be an eagle rising with wings displayed, standing on a bundle of two arrows, all inclosed in a wreath. The insignia will be 1½ inches in height and of gold color metal.



Figure 26–4. Service cap insignia, warrant officer, male.

(*c*) *Enlisted personnel.* The insignia will be a plain gold color disk, 1½ inches in diameter, with a gold color metal Coat of Arms of the United States superimposed thereon.



Figure 26–5. Service cap insignia, enlisted, male.

(3) *Service hat, Army green, blue or white, female personnel.* The following insignia, centered on the hatband, are worn on the service hat.

(*a*) *Commissioned officers.* The insignia will be the Coat of Arms of the United States, 1⅝ in height, and of gold color metal.



Figure 26–6. Service cap insignia, commissioned officers, female.

(*b*) *Warrant officers.* The insignia will be an eagle rising with wings displayed, standing on a bundle of two arrows, all inclosed in a wreath. The insignia will be 1½ inches in height and of gold color metal.



Figure 26–7. Service cap insignia, warrant officers, female.

(*c*) *Enlisted personnel.* The insignia will be the Coat of Arms of the United States, within a ring $1^{11}/_{16}$ inches in diameter, and of gold color metal.



Figure 26–8. Service cap insignia, enlisted, female.

(4) *Black ranger beret for male personnel.* The following insignia, centered on the stiffener provided, are worn on the black beret.

(*a*) *Officers.* Will wear their insignia of grade.



Figure 26–9. Black ranger beret with grade insignia, officer, male.

(*b*) *Enlisted personnel.* Will wear their approved distinctive unit insignia.



Figure 26–10. Black ranger beret with distinctive unit insignia, enlisted, male.

(*c*) *The Ranger flash,* when authorized, will be sewn centered underneath the insignia of grade or distinctive unit insignia.



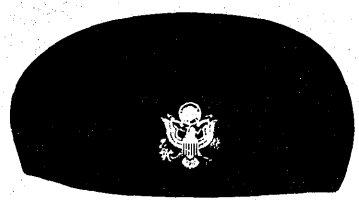
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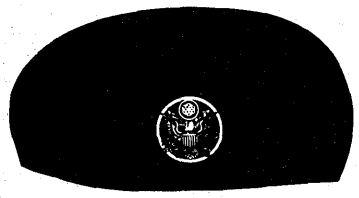
Enlisted (Male)

Figure 26–11. Black Ranger beret with flash.

(5) *Black beret for female personnel.* Commissioned officers, warrant officers and enlisted personnel will wear the same insignia as they wear on the service hat, secured through the front eyelet provided thereon.



Officer



Enlisted

Figure 26-12. Black beret, female.

(6) *Green Special Forces beret for male personnel.* The following insignia, centered on the stiffener provided, are worn on the green beret.

(*a*) *Officers.* Will wear their insignia of grade.

(*b*) *Enlisted personnel.* Will wear their approved distinctive unit insignia.

(*c*) *Special Forces recognition bar.* When authorized will be sewn below the insignia of grade or distinctive unit insignia.



Officer (Male)

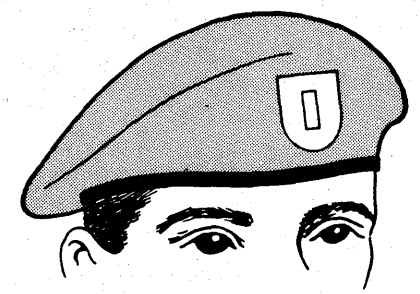
Figure 26-13. Green Special Forces beret with recognition bar and grade insignia.



Enlisted (Male)

Figure 26-14. Green Special Forces beret with recognition bar and distinctive unit insignia.

(*d*) *The Special Forces flash.* When authorized, will be sewn beneath the insignia of grade or distinctive unit insignia.



Officer (Male)



Enlisted (Male)

Figure 26-15. Green Special Forces beret with flash.

(7) *Hat, drill sergeant, male enlisted personnel.* The insignia will be a gold color metal Coat of Arms of the United States superimposed on a plain gold color disk, 1½ inches in diameter and will be secured through the front eyelet of the drill sergeant hat.

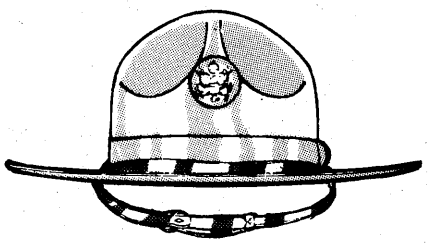


Figure 26–16. Hat, drill sergeant, male enlisted.

(8) *Hat, drill sergeant, female enlisted personnel.* The insignia will be a gold color metal Coat of Arms of the United States, within a gold color metal ring, 1 11/16 inches in diameter, and will be centered on the front of the drill sergeant hat.

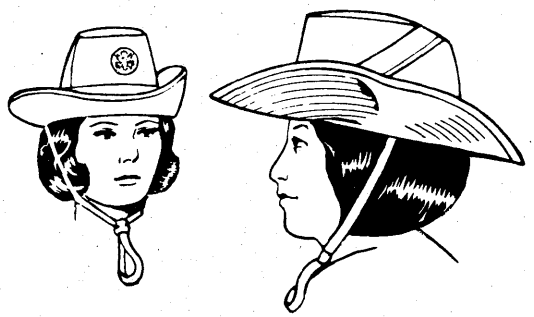


Figure 26–17. Hat, drill sergeant, female enlisted.

(9) *Helmet and helmet liner.* Only the insignia prescribed below will be placed on the helmet or helmet liner. The color of the helmet or helmet liner will not be altered except for special safety or training requirements. Pin-on insignia may be used when the camouflage cover is worn.

(*a*) *Officers (except chaplains).* Will wear their insignia of grade centered on the front of the helmet or helmet liner, 2½ inches up from the bottom rim. A replica or decal of their authorized shoulder sleeve insignia and/or distinctive unit insignia may be worn, centered, approximately over the ears. The shoulder sleeve insignia will be worn over the left ear and the distinctive unit insignia will be worn over the right ear.

(*b*) *Chaplains.* Will wear their appropriate insignia of branch centered on the front of the helmet or helmet liner, 2½ inches up from the bottom rim in lieu of their insignia of grade.

(*c*) *Enlisted personnel.* Will wear their insignia of grade, in black color, centered on the front of the helmet or helmet liner, 2 inches wide and 2½ inches up from the bottom rim. A replica or decal of their authorized shoulder sleeve insignia and/or distinctive unit insignia may be worn in the same manner as the officers described above.

(*d*) *All Military police personnel.* Will have the letters "MP" in white color, centered on the front of the helmet or helmet liner, 1½ inches up from the bottom rim and their insignia of grade centered ½ inch above the letters "MP." There will also be a painted stripe, 1¼ inches wide and 2 inches from the bottom rim, parallel to the rim and following the contour of the helmet or helmet liner. On an optional basis, the numerical designation of the unit and the distinctive unit insignia may be worn over the left and right ears respectively and centered on the painted stripe. The following color stripes will be worn on the helmet and helmet liner:

1. Division units. A red stripe, 1¼ inches wide.

2. Corps units. A blue stripe, ⅝ inch wide over top of a red stripe, ⅝ inch wide.

3. Army units. A white stripe, ⅝ inch wide over top of a red stripe, ⅝ inch wide.

4. All other military police units. A white stripe, 1¼ inches wide.

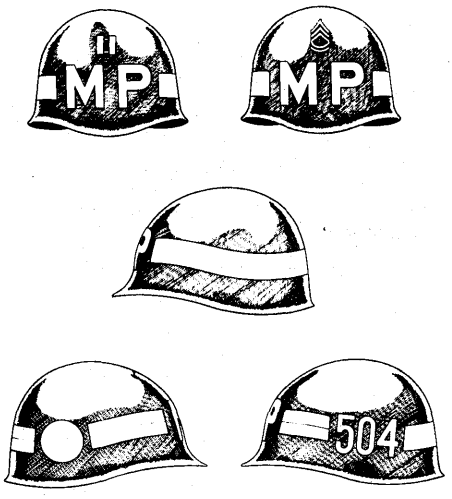


Figure 26–18. Helmet, insignia, military police.

b. Subdued insignia.

(1) Subdued insignia of grade will be worn on the utility and cold weather insulated caps by all personnel except chaplains who will wear their branch of service insignia. Female personnel will also wear subdued insignia of grade on the OG-108 garrison cap. MACOM commanders are authorized to prescribe nonsubdued insignia of grade for wear on headgear by all officers except nonsubdued insignia of grade will not be worn on the camouflage cap. Commanders are authorized to direct the wear of either a special skill badge or distinctive unit insignia in addition to the insignia of grade on the utility cap for enlisted personnel and a special skill badge in addition to the insignia of grade for officer personnel. Only insignia of grade will be worn on the camouflage cap.

(2) When insignia of grade is worn alone, it will be centered on the front of the utility and cold weather insulated caps, 1 inch up from the bill. On the OG-108 garrison cap, it will be centered on the left curtain, 1 inch from the front. When insignia of grade is worn with either a distinctive unit insignia or special skill badge, the two items will be equally spaced vertically and centered on the front of the utility cap with the insignia of grade on the bottom. On the OG-108 garrison cap, the two items will be equally spaced on the left curtain, 1 inch from the front with the insignia of grade on the bottom.

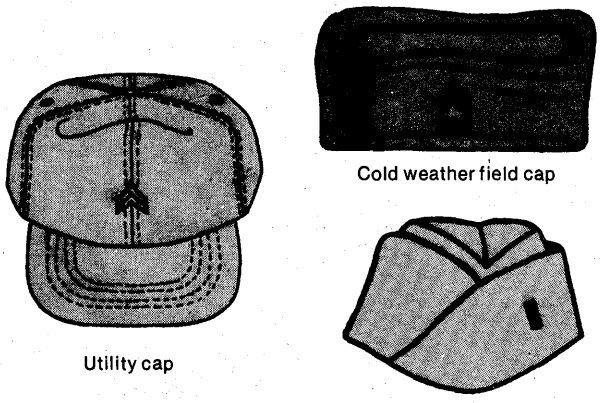


Figure 26-19. Cap insignia, utility, cold weather and OG-108.

(3) Only the following special skill badges are authorized for wear on the utility cap by all personnel and the OG-108 garrison cap for female personnel:

(*a*) Air assault badge.
(*b*) Aircraft crewman badges.
(*c*) Flight surgeon badges.
(*d*) Army aviator badges.
(*e*) Diver badges.
(*f*) Explosive ordnance disposal badges.
(*g*) Glider badge.
(*h*) Nuclear reactor operator badges.
(*i*) Parachutist badges.
(*j*) Pathfinder badge.

26-4. "U.S." insignia. *a. All officers.*

(1) *Description.* Will be block letters "U.S." of gold color metal, seven-sixteenths inches in height and each letter is followed by a period.



Figure 26-20. "U.S." insignia, officers.

(2) *How worn.*

(*a*) *Male officers.* The "U.S." insignia will be worn five-eighths inch above the notch on both collars with the center line of the insignia bisecting the notch and parallel to the inside edge of the collar on the Army green, Army white and Army blue uniform coats.

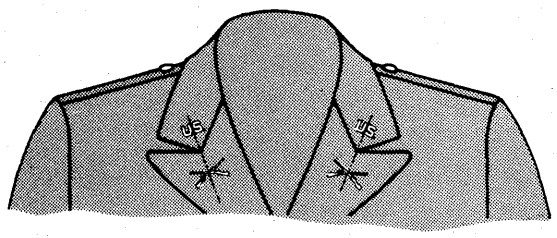


Figure 26-21. Wear of "U.S." insignia, officer, male.

(*b*) *Female officers.* The "U.S." insignia will be worn 1 inch above the notch on the right collar with the center line of the insignia bisecting the notch and parallel to the inside edge of the collar on the Army green, Army white, Army blue uniform coats and the Army green pantsuit jacket. The "U.S." insignia on the classic uniform will be centered at an equal distance from each edge of the collar with the center line of the insignia parallel to the inside edge of the collar.

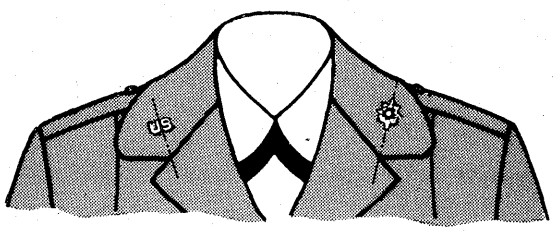


Figure 26–22. Wear of "U.S." insignia, officer, female.

b. Enlisted personnel.

(1) *Description.* Will be block letters "U.S." of gold color metal, 7/16 inches in height and each letter followed by a period and the "U.S." placed on a 1 inch diameter disk of gold color metal.

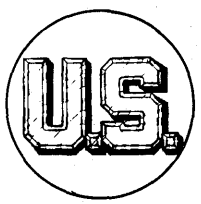
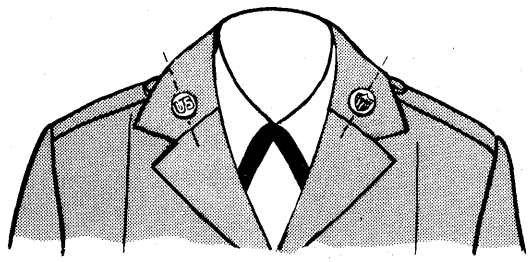


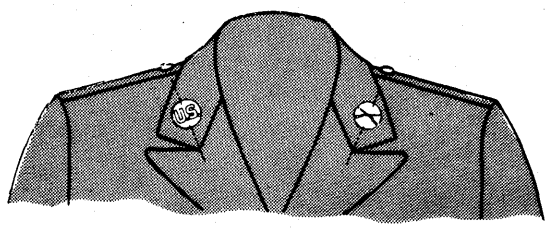
Figure 26–23. U.S. insignia, enlisted.

(2) *How worn.*

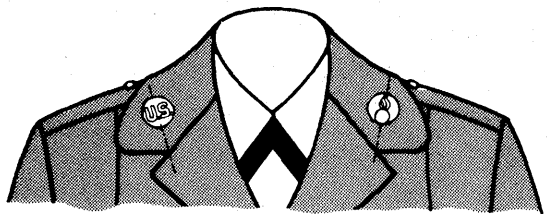
(*a*) *All enlisted personnel except basic trainees.* The "U.S." insignia will be worn 1 inch above the notch centered on the right collar with the center line of the insignia bisecting the notch and parallel to the inside edge of the collar on the Army green pantsuit jacket, Army green cord, Army green, Army white, Army blue uniform coats and the Army tan uniform shirt. The US insignia on the classic uniform will be centered at an equal distance from each edge of the collar with the center line of the insignia parallel to the inside edge of the collar.



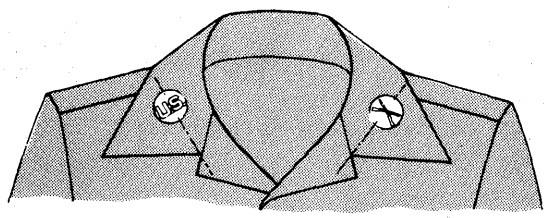
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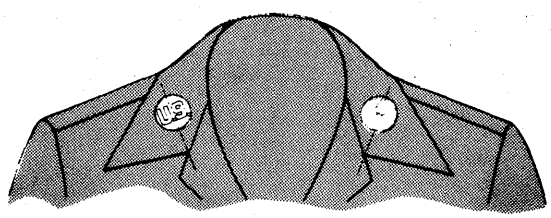
Army green, Army white and Army blue uniforms, male



Army green, Army green cord, Army white and Army blue uniforms, female



Army tan shirt, male



Army green pantsuit, female

Figure 26–24. Wear of U.S. insignia, enlisted.

(*b*) *Basic trainee personnel.* The "U.S." insignia will be worn 1 inch above the notch on both collars with the center line of the insignia bisecting the notch and parallel to the inside edge of the collar on all their service and dress uniforms until the award of their basic MOS. Upon the award of their basic MOS, the "U.S." insignia will be worn in accordance with paragraph 26-4*b*(2)(*a*).

26-5. Insignia of grade for general officers. *a. Description.* The insignia of grade described below is applicable for both male and female officers.

(1) *General of the Army.*

(*a*) *Full color.* Five silver color five pointed stars, each star three-eighths inch in diameter, fastened together on a pentagon, inner points touching, the surface of the stars to be smooth, center ridges raised in "V" section, ridges and points rounded. A Coat of Arms of the United States in gold color metal seven-eighths inch in height, with the shield and crest enameled is also worn.

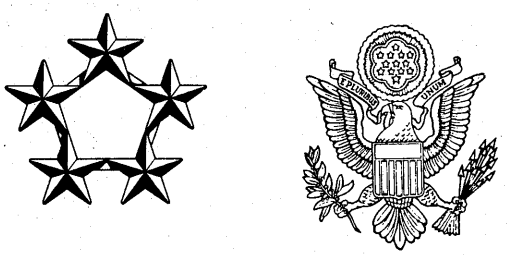


Figure 26-25. Insignia of grade, General of the Army.

(*b*) *Subdued.* Same as (1)(*a*) except that color is black.

(2) *General.*

(*a*) *Full color.* Four silver color five pointed stars, each star 1 inch in diameter, center ridges raised in "V" section, ridges and points sharp, or miniature silver color stars ⅝ inch in diameter.

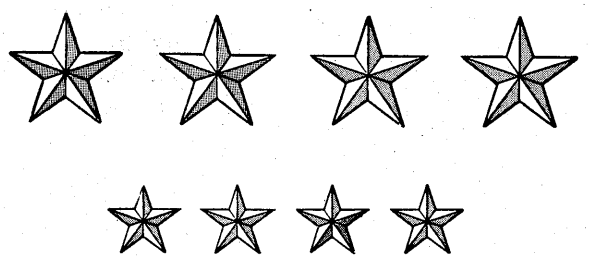


Figure 26-26. Insignia of grade, general.

(*b*) Subdued. Same as (2)(*a*) except that color is black.

(3) *Lieutenant general.*

(*a*) *Full color.* Three silver color five pointed stars, each star 1 inch in diameter, center ridges raised in "V" sections, ridges and points sharp, or miniature silver colors stars ⅝ inch in diameter.

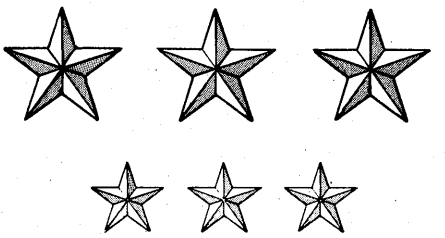


Figure 26-27. Insignia of grade, lieutenant general.

(*b*) *Subdued.* Same as (3)(*a*) except that color is black.

(4) *Major general.*

(*a*) *Full color.* Two silver color five pointed stars, each star 1 inch in diameter, center ridges raised in "V" sections, ridges and points sharp, or miniature silver color stars ⅝ inch in diameter.

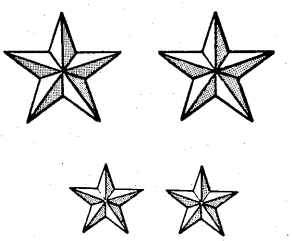


Figure 26-28. Insignia of grade, major general.

(*b*) *Subdued.* Same as (4)(*a*) except that color is black.

(5) *Brigadier general.*

(*a*) *Full color.* One silver color five-pointed star, 1 inch in diameter, center ridges raised in "V" sections, ridges and points sharp, or miniature silver color star five-eighths inch in diameter.

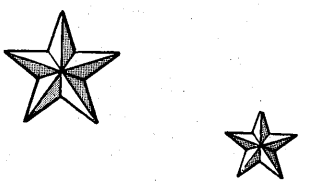


Figure 26-29. Brigadier general.

(*b*) *Subdued.* Same as (5)(*a*) except that color is black.

b. How worn-General of the Army.

(1) *Full Color.*

(*a*) The stars will be worn centered on the shoulder loops five-eighths inch from the outside shoulder seam, of the uniform coats, raincoats, overcoats, and windbreaker jacket. The Coat of Arms of the United States will be worn centered, equidistance between the tip of the inside star and the outer edge of the shoulder loop button. Army green shade 344 shoulder marks will be worn on the Army green shade 415 long- and short-sleeve shirt. Shoulder marks will be attached to the shirt shoulder loops with the gold stripe nearest the shoulder sleeve seam.

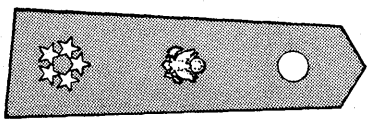


Figure 26–30. Insignia of grade on shoulder loop.

(*b*) The stars will be worn centered 1 inch from the lower edge of the collar and parallel to the floor on both collars of the shirt when the shirt is worn as an outer garment.

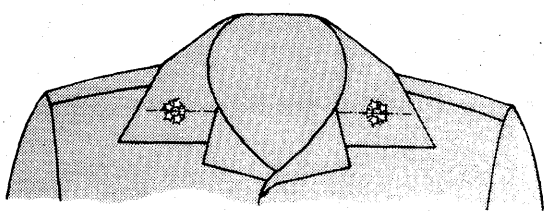


Figure 26–31. Insignia of grade on shirt collar.

(*c*) The stars will be worn on the garrison caps, centered on the left curtain, 1 inch from the front.

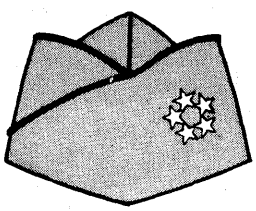


Figure 26–32. Insignia of grade on garrison cap.

(*d*) The stars will be worn on the front of the helmet and helmet liner, centered, 2½ inches from the bottom and painted in the prescribed color and size. Decals of the prescribed color and size may be used in lieu of paint.

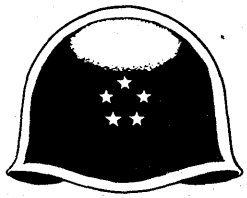


Figure 26–33. Insignia of grade on helmet.

(2) *Subdued.* Subdued insignia of grade will be worn on all field clothing in the same manner as the full color insignia of grade covered above.

e. How worn-All other general officers.

(1) *Full color.*

(*a*) The appropriate number of stars will be worn centered on the shoulder loops, equidistant between the outside edge of the shoulder loop and the outer edge of the shoulder loop button on the uniform coats, jackets, raincoats, and overcoats for all personnel and the windbreaker for male personnel. Army green shade 344 shoulder marks will be worn on the male and female Army green shade 415 long- or short-sleeve shirts. Shoulder marks will be attached to the shirt shoulder loops with the gold stripe nearest the shoulder sleeve seam.

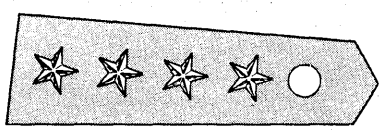


Figure 26–34. Insignia of grade, shoulder loop.

(*b*) The appropriate number of stars will be worn on both collars of the shirt when the shirt is worn as an outer garment. For female personnel, the stars are also worn on the collars of the Army green cord, Army green (AG–388) dress and jacket and Army green (AG–388) skirt and jackets uniforms. The stars will be worn centered with 1 point facing the neck and in a vertical line, 1 inch from the lower edge of the collar. Insignia of branch may

be worn on the left collar in lieu of the insignia of grade.

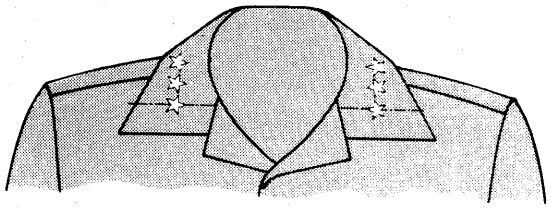


Figure 26–35. Insignia of grade, general officers, on shirt collar.

(*c*) The appropriate number of stars will be worn on the garrison caps, centered on the left curtain, 1 inch from the front.

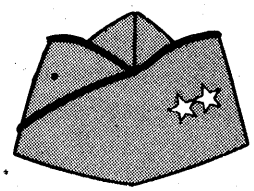


Figure 26–36. Insignia of grade, general officers, on garrison cap.

(*d*) The appropriate number of stars will be worn on the front of the helmet and helmet liner, centered, 2½ inches from the bottom and painted in the prescribed color and size. Decals of the prescribed color and size may be used in lieu of paint.



Figure 26–37. Insignia of grade, general officers, on helmet

(*e*) Miniature stars may be worn in lieu of regular size stars. Full size or miniature stars may be mounted on a bar on an optional basis. The requirement for equidistant spacing of stars is waived when stars mounted on a bar are worn on coats and jackets.

(2) *Subdued.* Subdued insignia of grade will be worn on all field and utility uniforms in the same manner as the full color insignia of grade covered above. Female personnel will also wear subdued insignia of grade on the OG–108 wool serge coat.

26–6. Insignia of grade for all other officers. *a. Description.* The insignia described below is applicable for both male and female officers.

(1) *Colonel.*

(*a*) *Full Color.* A silver color spread eagle, shiny or satin finish, ¾ inch high and 1½ inches between the tips of the wings. The head of the eagle will face to the front. When the eagle is worn on the headgear, the head will face to the right.

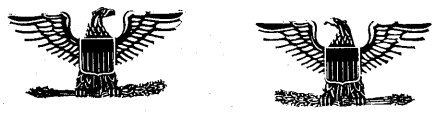


Figure 26–38. Insignia of grade, colonel.

(*b*) *Subdued.* Same as (1)(*a*) except that color is black.

(2) *Lieutenant Colonel.*

(*a*) *Full Color.* A silver color oak leaf, satin finish, with irregular surface, 1⅛ inch high and1 inch wide. The leaf is worn with the stem facing the outside shoulder seam.

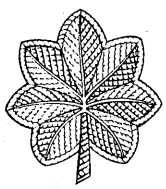


Figure 26–39. Insignia of grade, lieutenant colonel.

(*b*) *Subdued.* Same as (2)(*a*) except that color is black.

(3) *Major.*

(*a*) *Full Color.* A gold color oak leaf, satin finish with irregular surface, 1⅛ inch high and1 inch wide. The leaf is worn with the stem facing the outside shoulder seam.



Figure 26–40. Insignia of grade, major.

(*b*) *Subdued.* Same as (3)(*a*) except that color is brown.

(4) *Captain.*

(*a*) *Full Color.* Two silver color bars each ⅜ inch in width and 1 inch in length, with smooth surface. Bars are ¼ inch apart and will be worn lengthwise.

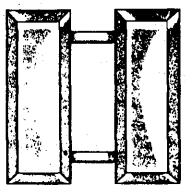


Figure 26–41. Insignia of grade, captain.

(*b*) *Subdued.* Same as (4)(*a*) except that color is black.

(5) *First lieutenant.*

(*a*) *Full color.* One silver color bar ⅜ inch in width, 1 inch in length, with smooth surface. The bar will be worn lengthwise.

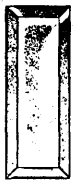


Figure 26–42. Insignia of grade, first lieutenant.

(*b*) *Subdued.* Same as (5)(*a*) except that color is black.

(6) *Second lieutenant.*

(*a*) *Full color.* One gold bar ⅜ inch in width,1 inch in length, with smooth surface. The bar will be worn lengthwise.

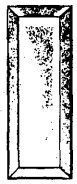


Figure 26–43. Insignia of grade, second lieutenant.

(*b*) *Subdued.* Same as (6)(*a*) except that color is brown.

(7) *Chief warrant officer CW4.*

(*a*) *Full color.* One silver color bar ⅜ inch in width, 1⅛ inches in length, with four black enamel squares. The bar will be worn lengthwise.



Figure 26–44. Insignia of grade, chief warrant officer 4.

(*b*) *Subdued.* Same as (7)(*a*) except that color is olive green with four black squares.

(8) *Chief warrant officer CW3.*

(*a*) *Full color.* One silver color bar ⅜ inch in width, 1⅛ inches in length, with three black enamel squares. The bar will be worn lengthwise.

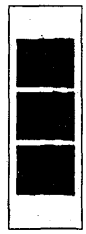


Figure 26–45. Insignia of grade, chief warrant officer 3.

(*b*) *Subdued.* Same as (8)(*a*) except that color is olive green with three black squares.

(9) *Chief warrant officer CW2.*

(*a*) *Full color.* One silver color bar ⅜ inch in width, 1⅛ inches in length, with two black enamel squares. The bar will be worn lengthwise.

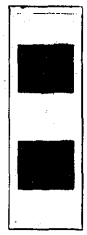


Figure 26–46. Insignia of grade, chief warrant officer 2.

(*b*) *Subdued.* Same as (9)(*a*) except that color is olive green with two black squares.

(10) *Warrant officer WO1.*

(*a*) *Full color.* One silver color bar ⅜ inch in width. 1⅛ inches in length, with one black enamel

square. The bar will be worn lengthwise.



Figure 26–47. Insignia of grade, warrant officer 1.

(*b*) *Subdued.* Same as (10)(*a*) except that color is olive green with one black square.

b. How worn.

(1) *Full color.*

(*a*) Insignia of grade will be worn centered on the shoulder loops, five-eighths inch from the outside shoulder seam of the uniform coats, jackets, raincoats and overcoats for all personnel and the windbreaker for male and female personnel.

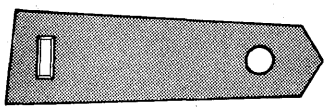
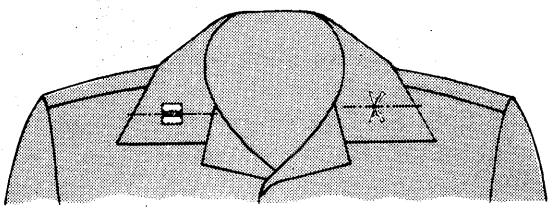
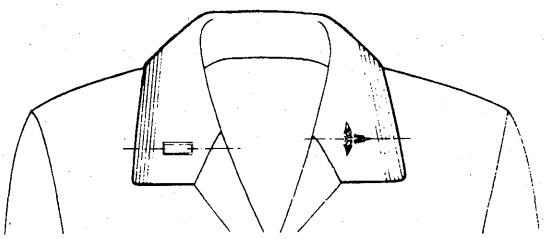


Figure 26–48. Insignia of grade, other officers, on shoulder loop.

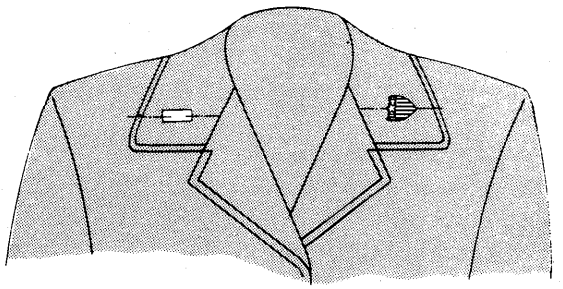
(*b*) Insignia of grade will be worn centered on the right collar, 1 inch from the lower edge of the collar, with the center line of the insignia parallel to the lower edge of the collar of the hospital duty uniform for all personnel, the Army tan uniform shirt for male personnel and the Army green cord, AG–388 dress and jacket, AG–388 skirt and jacket uniforms for female personnel. Female personnel will also wear their insignia of grade in the same manner on the right collar of the white shirt when worn as an outer garment with the Army green pantsuit slacks. The insignia of grade will be worn on both collars of the Army green 415 shirt when worn with the maternity uniform.



Army tan shirt, male



Hospital duty uniform



Army green (AG–388) jacket, female

Figure 26–49. Insignia of grade, other officers, on shirt collar.

(*c*) Army green shade 344 shoulder marks with full color insignia of grade will be worn on the Army green shade 415 shirt. Shoulder marks will be attached to the shirt shoulder loops with the gold stripe nearest the shoulder sleeve seam.

(*d*) Insignia of grade will be worn on the garrison caps, centered on the left curtain, 1 inch from the front.

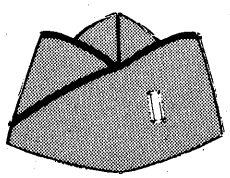


Figure 26–50. Insignia of grade, other officers, on garrison cap.

(*e*) Insignia of grade will be worn on the front of the helmet and helmet liner, centered, 2½ inches from the bottom and painted in the prescribed color and size. Decals of the prescribed color and size may be used in lieu of paint. Pin-on insignia may be worn on the camouflage cover if directed by the commander.

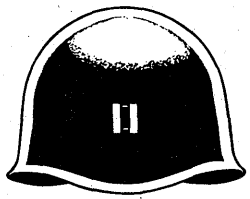


Figure 26-51. Insignia of grade, other officers, on helmet.

(2) *Subdued.* Subdued insignia of grade will be worn on all field and utility uniforms in the same maner as the full color insignia of grade covered above. Female personnel will also wear subdued insignia of grade on the OG-108 wool serge coat.

26-7. Insignia of grade for Enlisted Personnel.
a. Full color insignia of grade for other than Army specialists.

(1) *Male enlisted personnel.* Embroidered sew-on sleeve insignia of grade will be of goldenlite color. The width of each chevron and arc is $\frac{5}{16}$ inch with a $\frac{3}{16}$ inch-space between each chevron and each arc. A background cloth of Army green, Army blue or Army white, 2 inches in width provides a ⅛-inch edging around the entire insignia.

(2) *Female enlisted personnel.* Embroidered sew-on sleeve insignia of grade will be of goldenlite color. The width of each chevron and arc is $\frac{3}{16}$ inch with a ⅛-inch space between each chevron and each arc. A background cloth of Army green, Army blue or Army white, 2 inches in width provides a ⅛-inch edging around the entire insignia.

(3) *Description of enlisted grades are as follows:*

(*a*) The Sergeant Major of the United States Army. Three chevrons above three arcs with two five-pointed stars horizontally centered between the chevrons and arcs.

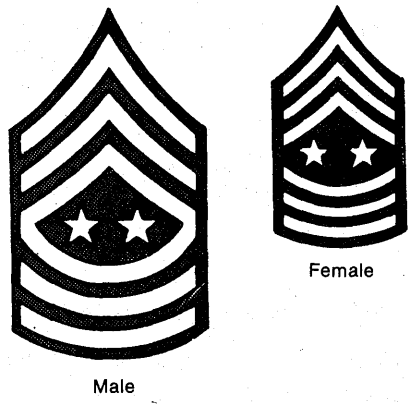


Figure 26-52. Insignia of grade, The Sergeant Major of the Army.

(*b*) *Command sergeant major.* Three chevrons above three arcs with a five-pointed star within a wreath between the chevrons and arcs.

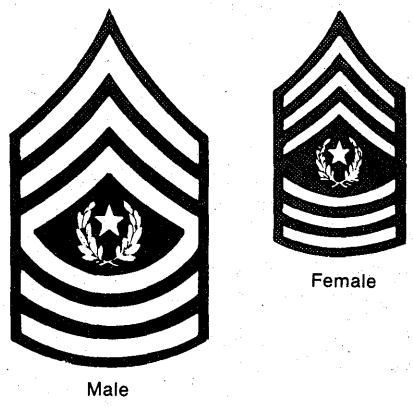


Figure 26-53. Insignia of grade, Command sergeant major.

(*c*) *Sergeant major.* Three chevrons above three arcs with a five-pointed star between the chevrons and arcs.

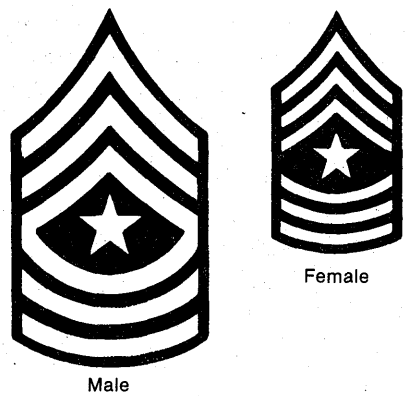


Figure 26-54. Insignia of grade, Sergeant major.

(*d*) *First sergeant.* Three chevrons above three arcs with a lozenge between the chevrons and arcs.

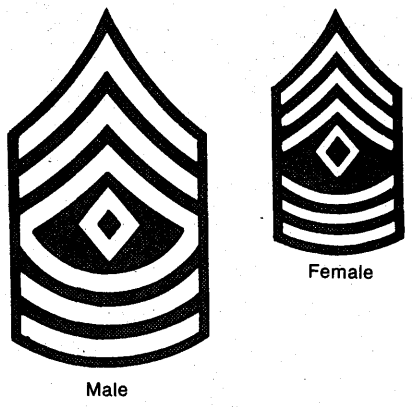


Figure 26–55. Insignia of grade, First sergeant.

(*e*) *Master sergeant.* Three chevrons above three arcs.

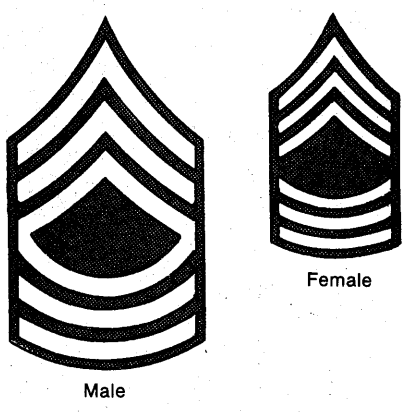


Figure 26–56. Insignia of grade, Master sergeant.

(*f*) *Platoon sergeant or sergeant first class.* Three chevrons above two arcs.

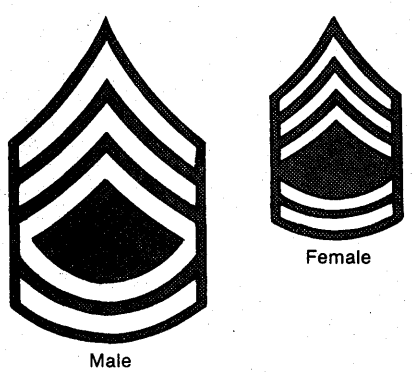


Figure 26–57. Insignia of grade, Platoon sergeant or sergeant first class.

(*g*) *Staff sergeant.* Three chevrons above 1 arc.

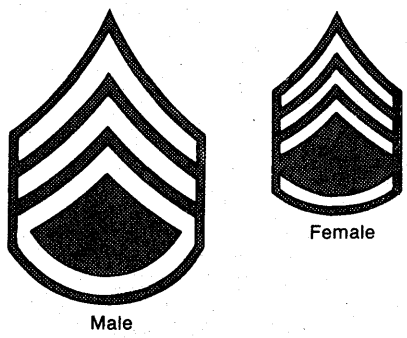


Figure 26–58. Insignia of grade, Staff sergeant.

(*h*) *Sergeant.* Three chevrons.

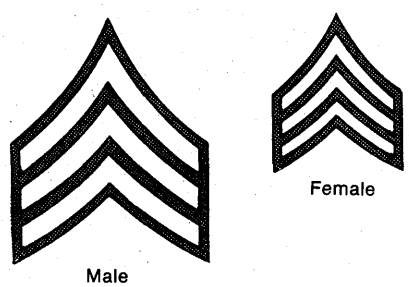


Figure 26–59. Insignia of grade, sergeant.

(*i*) *Corporal.* Two chevrons.

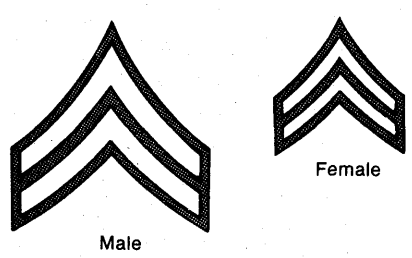


Figure 26–60. Insignia of grade, corporal.

(*j*) *Private first class.* One chevron above 1 arc.

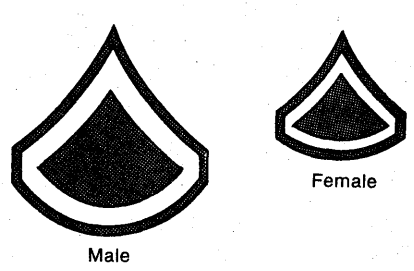


Figure 26–61. Insignia of grade, private first class.

(*k*) *Private E–2.* One chevron.

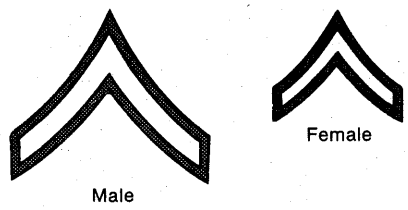


Figure 26–62. Insignia of grade, private, E2.

(*l*) *Private E1.* None.

b. Full color insignia of grade for Army specialists.

(1) *Male enlisted personnel.* Embroidered sew-on sleeve insignia of grade will be of goldenlite color with arcs at the top and shaped like an inverted chevron at the bottom and containing an eagle device in the center. The width of each arc is 5/16-inch with a 3/16-inch space between each arc. A background cloth of Army green, Army blue or Army white, 3 inches in width provides a 1/8-inch edging around the insignia.

(2) *Female enlsited personnel.* Embroidered sew-on sleeve insignia of grade will be of goldenlite color with arcs at the top and shaped like an inverted chevron at the bottom and containing an eagle device in the center. The width of each arc is 3/16 inch with a 1/8-inch space between each arc.A background cloth of Army green, Army blue or Army white, 2 inches in width provides a 1/8-inch edging around the entire insignia.

(3) *Description of enlisted grades are as follows:*

(*a*) *Specialist six.* Two arcs above the eagle device.

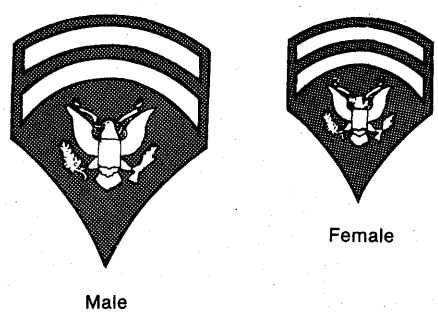


Figure 26–63. Insignia of grade, specialist six.

(*b*) *Specialist five.* One arc above the eagle device.

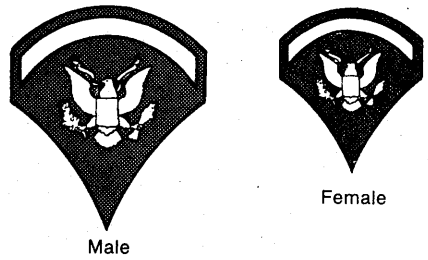


Figure 26–64. Insignia of grade, specialist five.

(*c*) *Specialist four.* Eagle device only.

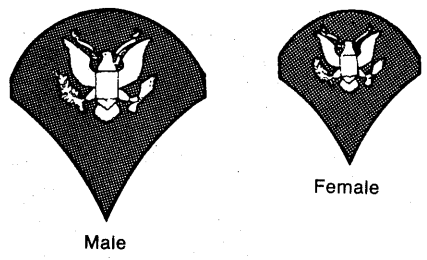


Figure 26–65. Insignia of grade, specialist four.

c. Polished brass pin-on insignia of grade for enlisted personnel.

(1) *All enlisted personnel other than Army specialists.* Polished brass pin-on insignia of grade is identical in configuration to the full color insignia of grade described in *a* above except that the width of each chevron and each arc is $\frac{3}{32}$ inch with a $\frac{1}{16}$-inch space between each chevron and the insignia has a polished brass finish.

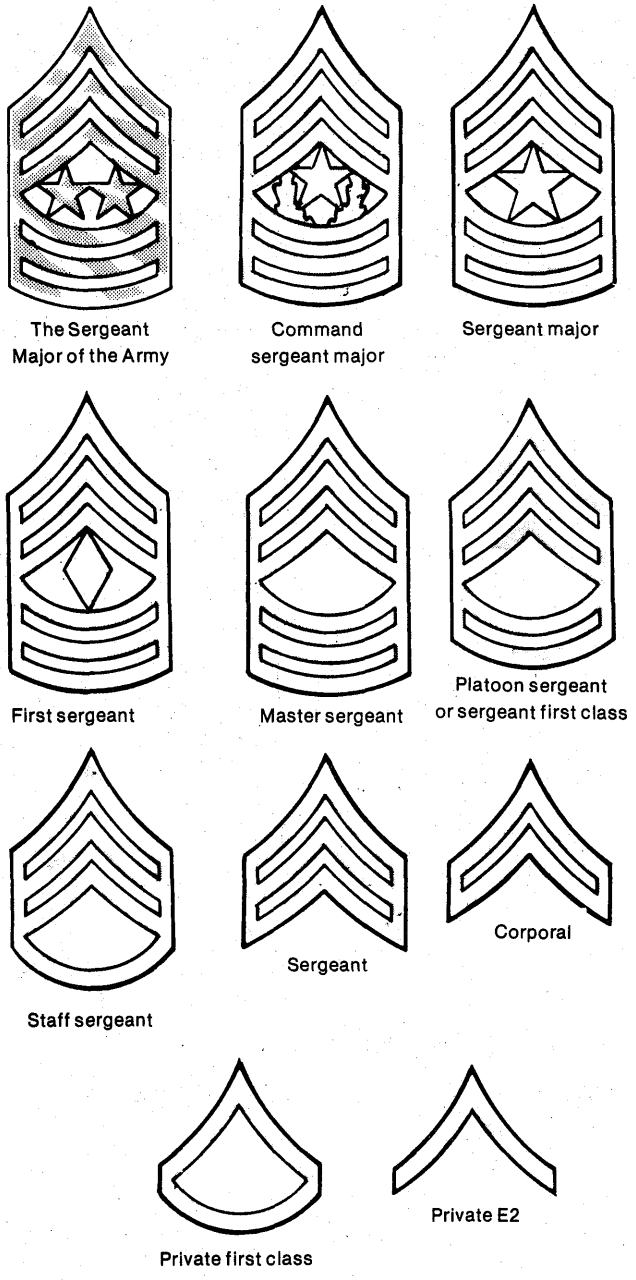


Figure 26-66. Polished Brass Pin-on insignia, enlisted personnel.

(2) *Army specialists.* Polished brass pin-on insignia of grade is identical in configuration to the full color insignia of grade described in *b* above except that the width of each arc is $\frac{3}{32}$ inch with a $\frac{1}{16}$-inch space between each arc and the insignia has a polished brass finish.

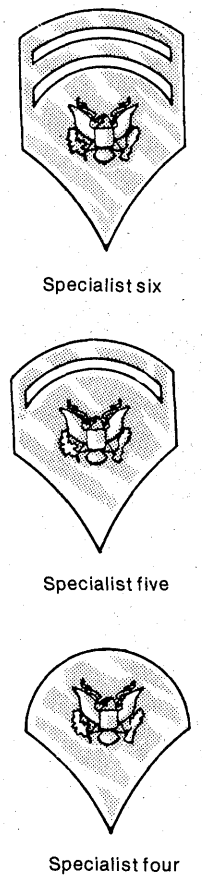


Figure 26-66. (continued) Polish brass pin-on insignia, specialist.

d. Subdued pin-on insignia of grade for enlisted personnel. Subdued metal pin-on insignia of grade is identical to the polished brass pin-on insignia of grade described in *c* above except the insignia has a

dull flat black finish.

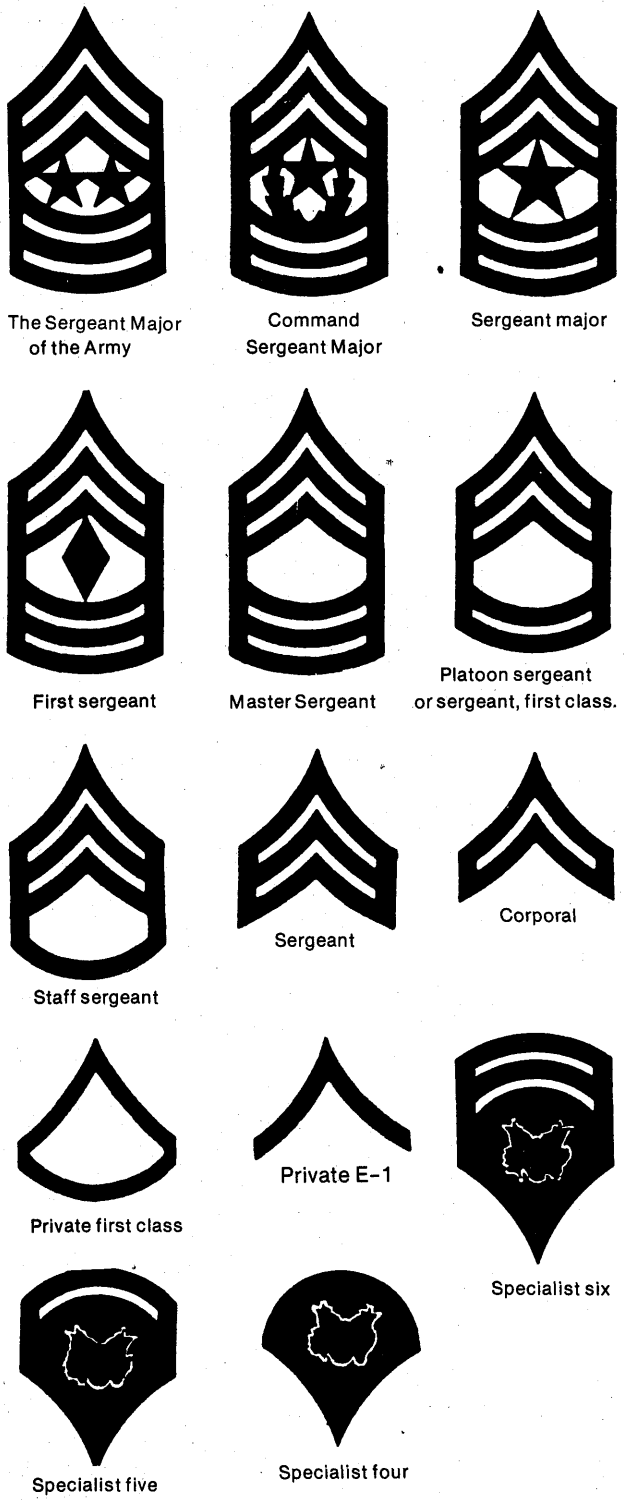


Figure 26–67. Subdued metal pin-on insignia, enlisted personnel.

e. How worn.

(1) *Full color insignia of grade.* Will be sewn-on the outer half of each sleeve of the uniform coats and shirts when worn as outer garments. The insignia will be worn centered between the shoulder seam and the elbow on all uniform coats. On short sleeve shirts for male personnel and the Army green cord coat for female personnel, the insignia will be worn centered midway between shoulder seam and bottom of the cuff of each sleeve. Insignia with an Army green background will be worn on the Army green coats for all personnel, the Army tan short sleeve shirts for male personnel and the Army green pantsuit and Army green cord coats for female personnel. Insignia with an Army blue or Army white background will be worn with the Army blue or Army white uniforms, respectively.

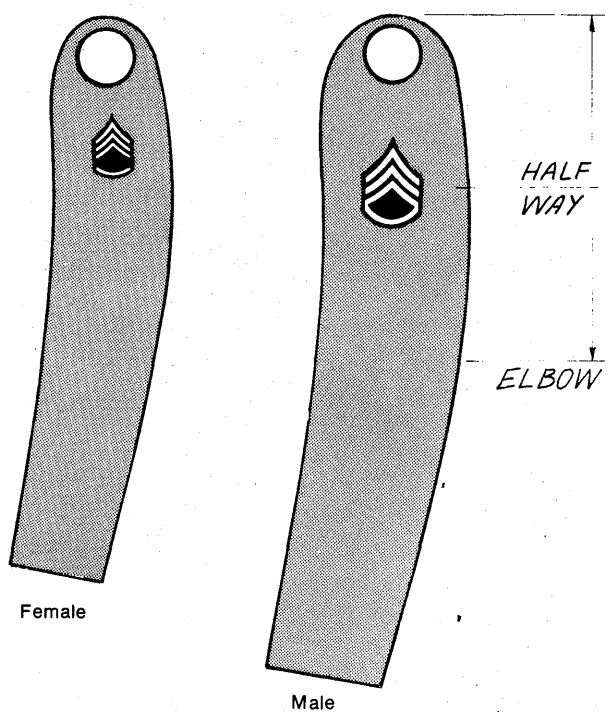
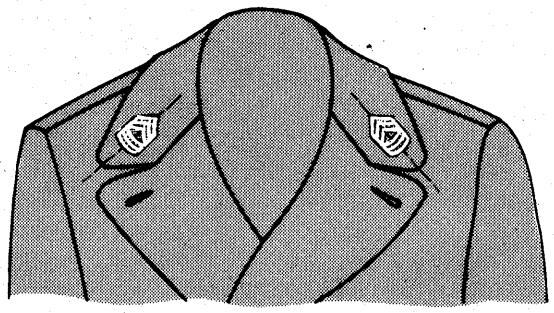
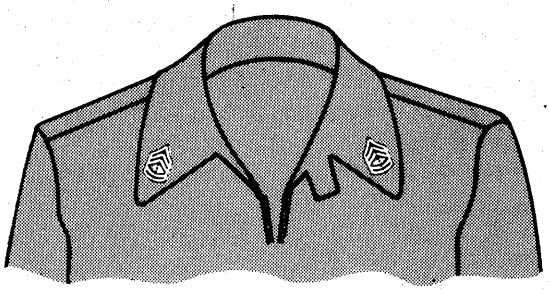


Figure 26–68. Wear of sew-on insignia of grade, enlisted.

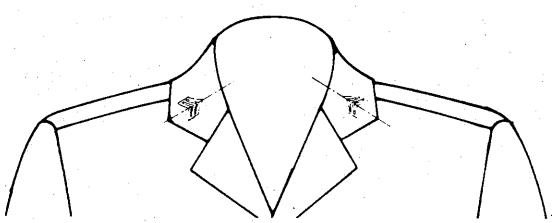
(2) *Polished brass pin on insignia of grade.* Will be worn centered on both collars with the center line of the insignia bisecting the points of the collar and 1 inch from the collar point on the hospital duty and food service uniforms, the raincoats and overcoats, the windbreaker for male and female personnel, and the male and female Army green shade 415 shirt. (Personnel in the grade of Corporal and higher will wear insignia of grade on the shoulder mark), the AG 388 dress and jacket, and the AG 388 skirt and jacket uniforms for female personnel. Female personnel will wear their insignia of grade in the same manner on both collars of the white shirt when worn as an outer garment with the pantsuit slacks, except the insignia will be centered between the point of the collar and the inside edge of the collar rather than 1 inch from the point of the collar.



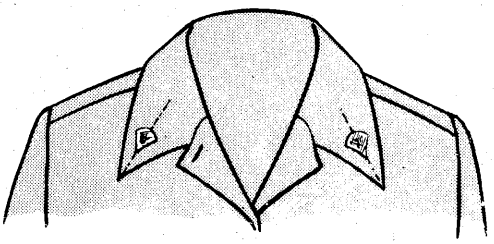
Army green raincoat and overcoat



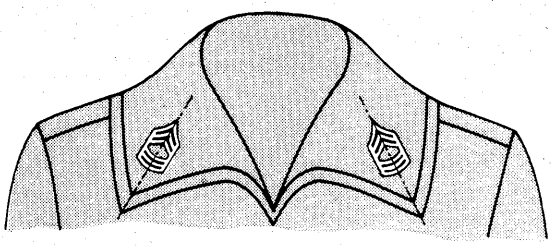
Windbreaker and black raincoat



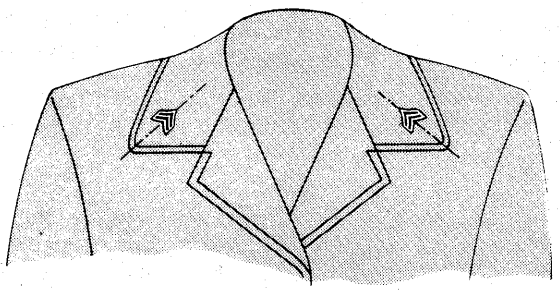
Hospital duty and food service uniforms



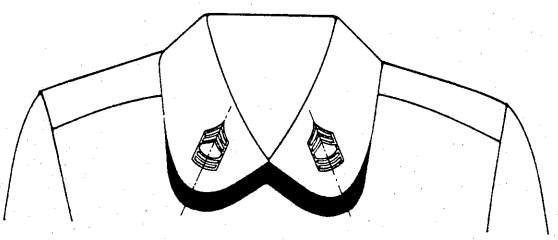
Army green shirt (AG-415) for SP4 and below (male and female)



Army green (AG-388) dress and jacket



Army green (AG-388) skirt and jacket



White shirt

Figure 26-69. Wear of polished brass pin-on insignia of grade, enlisted personnel.

(8) *Subdued insignia of grade.* Will be worn centered on both collars of all field and utility uniform coats and jackets with the center line of the insignia bisecting the points of the collar and positioned 1 inch from the collar point. Insignia of grade may be pin-on or embroidered insignia on subdued cloth backing.

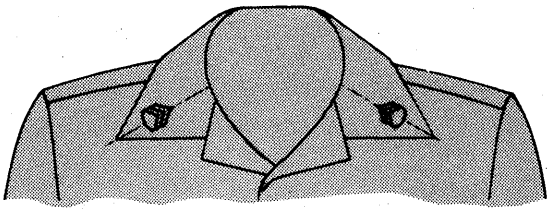


Figure 26–70. Wear of subdued pin-on insignia of grade on collars, field and utility uniforms, enlisted personnel.

26–8. Insignia of grade for retired personnel. All retired personnel when wearing the uniform on appropriate occasions of ceremony, will wear the insignia of grade in which they retired. Retired personnel who rendered honorable service in time of war in a higher grade than that in which they retired may wear either the insignia of the higher grade or that of the grade in which retired, on appropriate occasions of ceremony. Officers and enlisted personnel who will be advanced to a higher grade upon retirement are authorized to wear the insignia of such higher grade while participating in retirement ceremonies.

26–9. Insignia of branch—authority for. *a.* All general officers.

(1) Chief of Staff, former Chiefs of Staff, and Generals of the Army (5-star). Insignia will be such as they may prescribe.

(2) All other general officers. All other general officers are authorized to wear insignia of branch at their option. If this option is exercised the insignia of branch will be that in which appointed or assigned to duty.

b. All other commissioned officers serving on active duty will wear the insignia of the branch in which they are assigned or detailed.

c. All retired personnel, not on active duty, will wear the insignia of branch in which last assigned.

d. Warrant officers will wear warrant officer insignia regardless of assignment.

e. Former Army personnel who served honorably during time of war, when wearing the uniform on occasions of ceremony, may wear the insignia of the branch in which last assigned.

f. The general staff insignia of branch will be worn by those commissioned officers, other than general officers:

(1) Assigned to the Office of the Secretary of the Army, the Under Secretary of the Army, and the Assistant Secretary of the Army who are authorized by the Secretary of the Army to wear this insignia during their tour of duty in these offices.

(2) Detailed to duty on the Army General Staff.

(3) Detailed in general staff with troops. (See AR 614-100.)

(4) As directed by the Chief of Staff.

(5) Assigned to departmental or statutory tour TDA positions in the National Guard Bureau.

g. The Inspector General Insignia of Branch will be worn by the Inspector General and those officers detailed as Inspectors General under AR 614-100.

h. National Guard Bureau Insignia of Branch will be worn by those officers detailed to the National Guard Bureau for periods of 180 days or longer, and US Property and Fiscal Officers.

i. Staff Specialist Insignia of Branch will be worn by Army National Guard and US Army Reserve officers not on extended active duty who are assigned to the Staff Specialist Reserve. See NGR 600-102 (ARNG) or AR 140-10 (USAR), AR 135-318.

j. Civil affairs (CA)-USAR Insignia of Branch will be worn by Civil Affairs Reserve officers when:

(1) Assigned or detailed to the CA Branch in accordance with AR 140-108, while serving in an inactive duty or active duty for training status.

(2) Assigned to a CA-USAR Troop Program unit which has been mobilized.

(3) Serving on extended active duty with CA troop program units.

(4) Assigned to CA mobilization designation position upon mobilization.

(5) While on extended active duty with other than CA units, CA-USAR branch officers will wear the insignia of the branch in which they are detailed.

k. Officers detailed to the Judge Advocate General's Corps (JAGC) who are not yet admitted to the practice of law before a federal court or the highest court of a state will wear the insignia of their basic branch. They may wear JAGC insignia after they are admitted to practice.

l. All enlisted personnel will wear the insignia of

branch of their primary MOS as contained in appendix D, except as follows:

(1) Basic trainees will not wear insignia of branch but will wear U.S. Insignia on both collars/lapels.

(2) Noncommissioned officers in authorized Inspector General TOE/MTOE/TDA positions will wear Inspector General Insignia.

(3) Command sergeants major will wear Branch Immaterial (formerly Unassigned-to-Branch) insignia.

26-10. Insignia of Branch—description. *a. Full color insignia of branch.* The following is a list of all branch of service insignia authorized for wear by male and female personnel in the Army. On an optional basis, the numerical designation of color bearing, regimental or separate battalion size organizations, in ¼-inch numerals for officers and 3/16-inch numerals for enlisted personnel may be added to the branch of service insignia. The branches of service this option applies to are: Air Defense Artillery, Armor, Army Medical Specialist Corps, Army Nurse Corps, Corps of Engineers, Dental Corps, Field Artillery, Infantry, Medical Corps, Medical Service Corps, Military Intelligence, Military Police Corps, Ordnance Corps, Quartermaster Corps, Signal Corps, Transportation Corps and Veterinary Corps. Also on an optional basis, officers and enlisted personnel assigned to armored cavalry regiments, cavalry squadrons or separate cavalry troops are authorized to wear Cavalry Branch of Service Insignia (crossed sabres) in lieu of their regular branch of service insignia when approved by the major field commander. All optional branch of service insignia are authorized for wear only while assigned to the designated unit. Optional items will not be purchased from appropriated funds.

(1) *Adjutant General's Corps.*

(a) Officers. A silver color shield 1 inch in height, a chief of blue with 1 large and 12 small silver stars thereon, and 13 vertical stripes, 7 silver and six red.



Figure 26-71. Adjutant General's Corps, officer.

(b) Enlisted personnel. A shield consisting of a chief with 1 large and 12 small stars thereon and 13 vertical stripes on a 1-inch disk, all of gold color metal.

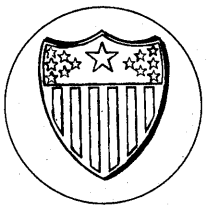


Figure 26-72. Adjutant General's Corps, enlisted.

(2) *Air Defense Artillery.*

(a) Officers. A missile surmounting two crossed field guns, all of gold color metal 1⅛ inches in height.

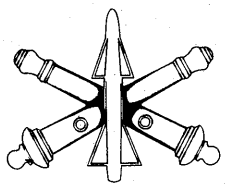


Figure 26-73. Air Defense Artillery, officer

(b) Enlisted personnel. A missile surmounting two crossed field guns on a 1-inch disk, all of gold color metal.

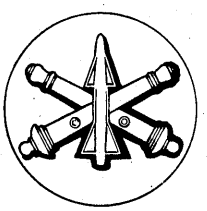


Figure 26-74. Air Defense Artillery, enlisted

(3) *Armor.*

(a) Officers. The front view of an M-26 tank, gun slightly raised, superimposed on two crossed cavalry sabres in scabbards, cutting edge up, thirteen-sixteenths inch in height overall, of gold color metal.

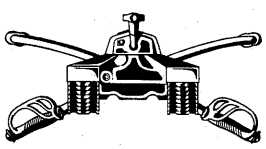


Figure 26-75. Armor, officer.

(*b*) *Enlisted personnel.* The front view of an M-26 tank gun slightly raised, superimposed on two crossed cavalry sabres in scabbards, cutting edge up, on a 1-inch disk, all of gold color metal.

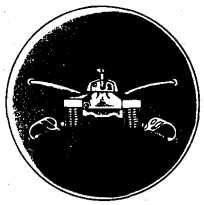


Figure 26-76. Armor, enlisted.

(4) *Army Medical Specialist Corps—officers.* A gold color metal caduceus, 1 inch in height, with a monogram consisting of the letter "S" ⅜ inch in height in black enamel superimposed thereon.



Figure 26-77. Army Medical Specialist Corps, officer.

(5) *Army Nurse Corps—officers.* A gold color metal caduceus, 1 inch in height, with the letter "N" ⅜ inch in height in black enamel superimposed thereon.



Figure 26-78. Army Nurse Corps, officer.

(6) *Branch Immaterial—enlisted personnel.* The Coat of Arms of the United States on a 1-inch disk, all of gold color metal.



Figure 26-79. Branch Immaterial, enlisted

(7) *Cavalry (formerly authorized branch of service insignia).*

(*a*) *Officers.* Two crossed sabres in scabbards, cutting edge up, eleven-sixteenths inch in height, of gold color metal.

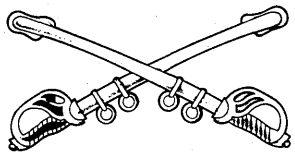


Figure 26-80. Cavalry, officer.

(*b*) *Enlisted personnel.* Two crossed sabres in scabbards, cutting edge up, on a 1-inch disk, all of gold color metal.

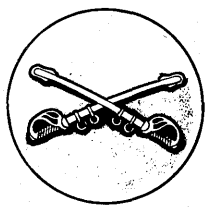


Figure 26-81. Cavalry, enlisted.

(8) *Chaplains.*

(*a*) *Christian faith.* A silver color Latin cross 1 inch in height.



Figure 26-82. Chaplain, Christian faith.

(*b*) *Jewish faith.* A double tablet bearing Hebrew numerals from I to X surmounted by two equilateral triangles interlaced, all of silver color 1 inch in height.



Figure 26-83. Chaplain, Jewish faith.

(9) *Chemical Corps.*

(a) Officers. A benzene ring of cobalt blue enamel superimposed in the center of crossed gold color retorts, ½ inch in height and 1 13/16 inches in width overall.



Figure 26-84. Chemical Corps, officer.

(b) Enlisted personnel. A benzene ring superimposed in the center of crossed retorts on a 1-inch disk, all of gold plated metal.

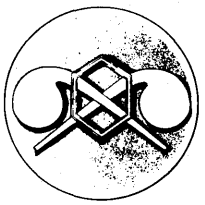


Figure 26-85. Chemical Corps, enlisted.

(10) *Civil Affairs, USAR.*

(a) Officers. On a globe ⅝ inch in diameter,a torch of liberty 1 inch in height surmounted by a scroll and sword crossed in saltire, all of gold color.



Figure 26-86. Civil Affairs, officer.

(b) Enlisted personnel. On a globe, a torch of liberty surmounted by a scroll and sword crossed in saltire, on a 1-inch disk, all of gold color metal.



Figure 26-87. Civil Affairs, enlisted.

(11) *Corps of Engineers.*

(a) Officers. A gold color metal triple turreted castle eleven-sixteenths inch in height.

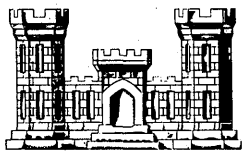


Figure 26-88. Corps of Engineers, officer.

(b) Enlisted personnel. A triple turreted castle on a 1-inch disk, all of gold color metal.

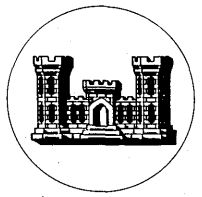


Figure 26-89. Corps of Engineers, enlisted.

(12) *Dental Corps—officers.* A gold color metal caduceus, 1 inch in height, with the letter "D" ⅜ inch in height in black enamel thereon.



Figure 26-90. Dental Corps, officer.

(13) *Field artillery.*

(a) Officers. Two crossed field guns, gold color metal, thirteen-sixteenths inch in height.

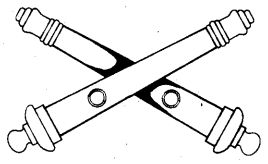


Figure 26-91. Field Artillery, officer.

(*b*) *Enlisted personnel.* Two crossed field guns on a 1-inch disk, all of gold color metal.

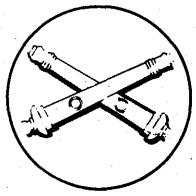


Figure 26-92. Field Artillery, enlisted.

(14) *Finance Corps.*

(*a*) *Officers.* A gold color metal diamond, 1 inch by ¾ inch, short axis vertical.

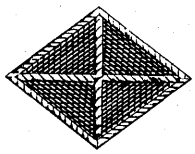


Figure 26-93. Finance Corps, officer.

(*b*) *Enlisted personnel.* A diamond on a 1-inch disk, all of gold color metal.

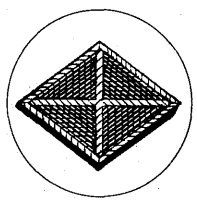


Figure 26-94. Finance Corps, enlisted.

(15) *General Staff—officers.* The coat of arms of the United States, ⅝ inch in height, of gold color metal superimposed on a five-pointed silver color star, 1 inch in circumscribing diameter. The shield to be in enamel stripes of white and red, chief of blue, and the glory blue.



Figure 26-95. General Staff, officer.

(16) *Infantry.*

(*a*) *Officers.* Two gold color metal crossed muskets three-fourths inch in height.

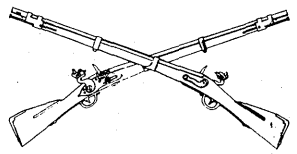


Figure 26-96. Infantry, officer.

(*b*) *Enlisted personnel.* Two crossed muskets on a 1-inch disk all of gold color metal.

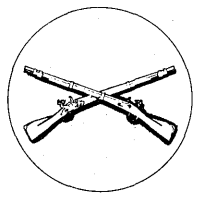


Figure 26-97. Infantry, enlisted.

(17) *Inspector General.*

(*a*) *Officers.* A sword and fasces three-fourths inch in height, crossed and wreathed in gold color metal with the inscription "DROIT ET AVANT" (Right and Forward) in blue enamel on upper part of wreath.

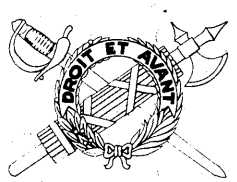


Figure 26-98. Inspector General, officer.

(*b*) *Enlisted personnel.* A sword and fasces 9/16 inch in height, crossed and wreathed with the inscription "DROIT ET AVANT" (Right and Forward) on upper part of wreath, on a 1-inch disk, all of gold color metal.

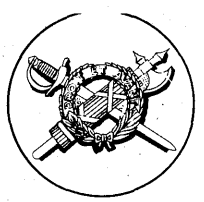


Figure 26-99. Inspector General, enlisted.

(18) *Judge Advocate General's Corps.*

(a) Officers. A gold color metal sword and pen crossed and wreathed, eleven-sixteeths inch in height.



Figure 26-100. Judge Advocate General, officer.

(b) Enlisted personnel. A sword and pen crossed and wreathed, 7/16 inch in height on a 1-inch disk, all of gold color metal.



Figure 26-101. Judge Advocate General, enlisted.

(19) *Medical Corps.*

(a) Officers. A gold color medal caduceus, 1 inch in height.



Figure 26-102. Medical Corps, officer.

(b) Enlisted personnel. A caduceus on a 1-inch disk, all of gold color metal.



Figure 26-103. Medical Corps, enlisted.

(20) *Medical Services Corps—officers.* A silver color caduceus, 1 inch in height with a monogram consisting of the letters "MS" 3/8 inch in height in black enamel superimposed thereon.



Figure 26-104. Medical Service Corps, officer.

(21) *Military Intelligence.*

(a) Officers. On a gold color metal dagger, point up, 1¼ inches overall in height, a gold color metal heraldic sun composed of four straight and four wavy alternating rays surmounted by a gold heraldic rose, the petals dark blue oriental enamel.

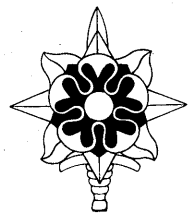


Figure 26-105. Military intelligence, officer.

(b) Enlisted personnel. A dagger, point up, 7/8 inch overall in height, surmounted by a heraldic sun composed of four straight and four wavy alternating rays and charged with a heraldic rose, on a 1-inch disk, all gold color metal.

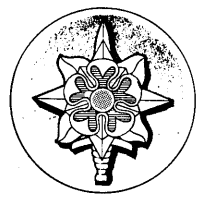


Figure 26-106. Military Intelligence, enlisted.

(22) *Military Police Corps.*

(*a*) *Officers.* Two crossed gold color metal pistols three-fourths inch in height.

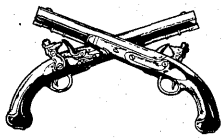


Figure 26–107. Military Police Corps, officer.

(*b*) *Enlisted personnel.* Two crossed pistols on a 1-inch disk, all of gold color metal.

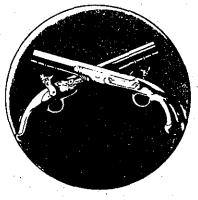


Figure 26–108. Military Police Corps, enlisted.

(23) *National Guard Bureau—officers.* Two crossed gold color metal fasces superimposed on an eagle displayed with wings reversed, three-fourths inch in height.



Figure 26–109. National Guard Bureau, officer.

(24) *Ordnance Corps.*

(*a*) *Officers.* A gold color metal shell and flame 1 inch in height.

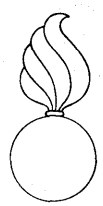


Figure 26–110. Ordnance Corps, officer.

(*b*) *Enlisted personnel.* A shell and flame on a 1-inch disk, all of gold color metal.

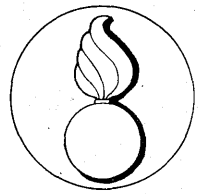


Figure 26–111. Ordnance Corps, enlisted.

(25) *Quartermaster Corps.*

(*a*) *Officers.* A gold color metal sword and key crossed on a wheel surmounted by a flying eagle, the felloe of the wheel set with 13 stars. The felloe of the wheel to be of blue enamel; hub center, red edged with white. Insignia three-fourths inch in height.



Figure 26–112. Quartermaster corps, officer.

(*b*) *Enlisted personnel.* A sword and key crossed on a wheel surmounted by a flying eagle, the felloe of the wheel set with 13 stars on a 1-inch disk, all of gold color metal.



Figure 26–113. Quartermaster Corps, enlisted.

(26) *Signal Corps.*

(*a*) *Officers.* Two signal flags crossed, dexter flag white with red center, the other flag red with white center, staffs gold, with a flaming torch of gold color metal upright at center of crossed flags; seven-eighths inch in height.

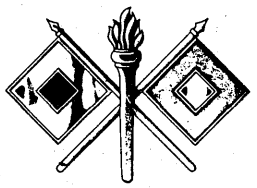


Figure 26–114. Signal Corps, officer.

(*b*) *Enlisted personnel.* Two signal flags crossed with a flaming torch upright at center of crossed flags on a 1-inch disk, all of gold color metal.



Figure 26–115. Signal Corps, enlisted.

(27) *Staff Specialist, ARNG/USAR—officers.* A sword 1⅜ inches in length laid horizontally across the upper part of an open book. Below the sword and across the lower corners of the book two laurel branches crossed at stems. Insignia thirteen-sixteenths inches in height, of gold color metal.



Figure 26–116. Staff Specialist, ARNG/USAR officer.

(28) *The Sergeant Major of the United States Army.* A shield ¾ inch in height of gold color metal base divided diagonally from upper left to lower right, the upper part red, the lower part white, on which is a silver five-pointed star surmounted by the Coat of Arms of the United States in color, between 2 white five-pointed stars at top and 2 red five-pointed stars in base, the shield on a 1-inch disk of gold color metal.

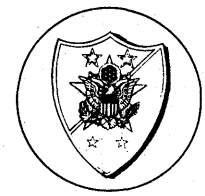


Figure 26–117. The Sergeant Major of the United States Army.

(29) *Transportation Corps.*

(*a*) *Officers.* A ship's steering wheel, superimposed thereon a shield charged with a winged car wheel on a rail, all of gold color metal, 1 inch in height.



Figure 26–118. Transportation Corps, officer.

(*b*) *Enlisted personnel.* A ship's steering wheel, superimposed thereon a shield charged with a winged car wheel on a rail, on a 1-inch disk, all of gold color metal.

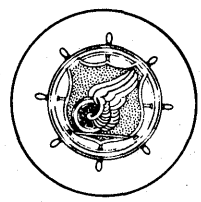


Figure 26–119. Transportation Corps, enlisted.

(30) *Veterinary Corps—officers.* A gold color metal caduceus, 1 inch in height, with the letter "V" ⅜ inch in height in black enamel superimposed thereon.



Figure 26–120. Veterinary Corps, officer.

(31) *Warrant Officers.* An eagle rising with wings displayed standing on a bundle of two arrows, all inclosed in a wreath, all gold color metal three-fourths inch in height. (Worn by all warrant officers in lieu of branch of service insignia.)



Figure 26–121. Warrant Officer.

b. Subdued insignia of branch.

(1) All subdued branch of service insignia are of the same design and size as the full color insignia described in *a* above except they are of black color metal or embroidery with the exception of the following:

(*a*) Army Medical Specialist Corps, Army Nurse Corps, Dental Corps, Medical Corps, Medical Service Corps and Veterinary Corps. In embroidery, the caduceus is black and the superimposed letters are olive drab.

(*b*) General Staff. In embroidery, the star is black and the eagle is olive drab.

(2) Enlisted personnel are not authorized Branch Insignia in subdued color.

26–11. Insignia of Branch—aides. *a.* Full color description of Insignia of Branch for aides.

(1) *Aides to the President of the United States.* On a blue shield ¾ inch in height, surmounted by a gold color metal eagle displayed with wings reversed ½ inch in height, a circle of 13 white stars.



Figure 26–122. Aides to The President of the United States.

(2) *Aides to the Vice-President of the United States.* On a white shield ¾ inch in height, surmounted by a gold color metal eagle displayed with wings reversed ½ inch in height, a circle of 13 blue stars.

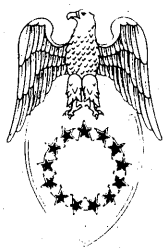


Figure 26–123. Aides to The Vice President of the United States.

(3) *Aides to the Secretary of Defense.* On a blue shield ¾ inch in height surmounted by a gold color metal eagle displayed with wings reversed ½ inch in height, three crossed arrows in gold color metal between four white enameled stars (two and two).



Figure 26–124. Aides to The Secretary of Defense.

(4) *Aides to the Secretary of the Army.* On a red shield ¾ inch in height, surmounted by a gold color metal eagle displayed with wings reversed ½ inch in height, the Coat of Arms of the United States in gold color metal between four white enameled stars (two and two).

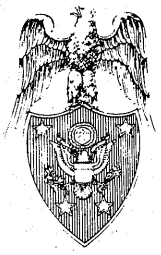


Figure 26–125. Aides to the Secretary of the Army.

(5) *Aides to the Under Secretary of the Army.* On a white shield ¾ inch in height, surmounted by a gold color metal eagle displayed with wings reversed ½ inch in height, the Coat of Arms of the United States in gold color metal between four red enameled stars (two and two).

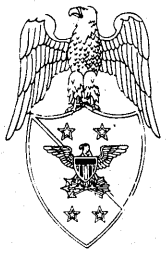


Figure 26–126. Aides to the Under Secretary of the Army.

(6) *Aides to the Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff.* On a shield ¾ inch in height divided diagonally from lower right to upper left, the upper part blue and the lower part white, a gold color eagle symbolic of the Department of Defense between 2 white five-pointed stars at the top and two blue five-pointed stars at the base, with a gold color metal eagle with wings reversed ½ inch in height placed above the shield.



Figure 26–127. Aides to the Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff.

(7) *Aides to the Chief of Staff of the Army.* On a shield ¾ inch in height divided diagonally from lower left to upper right, the upper part red and the lower part white, a silver colored five-pointed star surmounted by the Coat of Arms of the United States in color, between 2 white five-pointed stars at top and 2 red five-pointed stars in base, with a gold color metal eagle with wings reversed ½ inch in height placed above the shield.

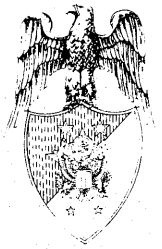


Figure 26–128. Aides to the Chief of Staff of the Army.

(8) *Aides to the General of the Army.* On a blue shield ¾ inch in height, surmounted by a gold color metal eagle displayed with wings reversed ½ inch in height, five white stars arranged in a circle, inner points touching.



Figure 26–129. Aides to the General of the Army.

(9) *Aides to all other general officers.* A shield ¾ inch in height, with a blue chief and vertical stripes (7 silver and 6 red) surmounted by a gold color metal eagle, displayed with wings reversed, ½ inch in height; on the chief the applicable number of stars representative of the grade of the general officer on whose staff the aide is serving.

(*a*) *General.* Four stars.



Figure 26–130. Aides to a general.

(*b*) *Lieutenant general.* Three stars.



Figure 26–131. Aides to a lieutenant general.

(*c*) *Major general.* Two stars



Figure 26–132. Aides to a major general.

(*d*) *Brigadier general.* One star.



Figure 26–133. Aides to a brigadier general.

b. Subdued description of insignia of branch for aides.

(1) *Aides to the President and Vice President of the United States.* The same design and size as the full color insignia of branch covered in *a* above, except of black color metal. For embroidered subdued insignia, the background of the shield is olive green and the eagle, stars and outline of the shield are black.

(2) *Aides to the Secretary of Defense.* The same design and size as the full color insignia of branch covered in *a* above, except of black color metal. For embroidered subdued insignia, the background of the shield is olive green and the eagle, stars, arrows and outline of shield are black.

(3) *Aides to the Secretary of the Army.* The same design and size as the full color insignia of branch covered in *a* above, except of black color metal. For embroidered subdued insignia, the background of the shield is olive green and the eagle, stars, device and outline of the shield are black.

(4) *Aides to the Under Secretary of the Army.* The same design and size as the full color insignia of branch covered in *a* above, except of brown color metal. For embroidered subdued insignia, the background of the shield is olive green and the eagle, stars, device and outline of the shield are brown.

(5) *Aides to the Chairman Joint Chiefs of Staff.* The same design and size as the full color insignia of branch covered in *a* above, except of black color metal. For embroidered subdued insignia, the background of the shield is olive green and the charges, eagle, diagonal division line, stars and outline of the shield are black.

(6) *Aides to the Chief of Staff of the Army.* The same design and size as the full color insignia of branch covered in *a* above, except of black color metal. For embroidered subdued insignia, the background of the shield is olive green and the charges, eagle, diagonal division line and outline of the shield are black.

(7) *Aides to the General of the Army.* The same design and size as the full color insignia of branch covered in *a* above, except of black color metal. For embroidered subdued insignia, the background of the shield is olive green and the stars, eagle and outline of the shield are black.

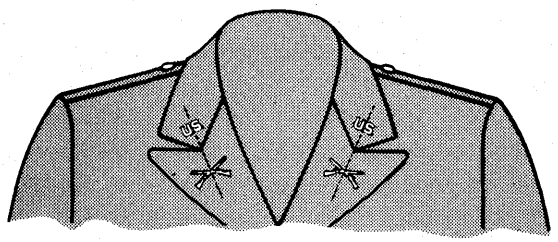
(8) *Aides to all other general officers.* The same design and size as the full color insignia of branch covered in *a* above, except of black color metal. For embroidered subdued insignia, the shield of alternating stripes has an olive green base and black stripes. The background of the chief is an olive green base with black embroidered stars and eagles. Division line on the shield and the outline of the shield are black.

26–12. Insignia of branch—how worn. As used in this paragraph the word "collar" refers to that part of the coat or shirt around the neck which forms a neckband and turnover piece. The word "lapel" will be used when referring to the fold of the front of the coat or shirt that is a continuation of the collar and usually separated by a notch in the collar.

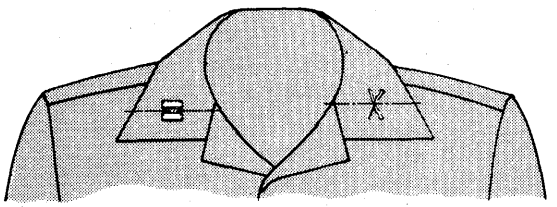
a. Full color insignia of branch.

(1) *Male officers.* Will wear their insignia of

branch centered on both lapels, 1¼ inch below the "U.S." insignia, and positioned so that the center line of the insignia of branch bisects the center line of the "U.S." insignia and is parallel to the inside edge of the collar on the Army green, Army white and Army blue uniform coats. On the Army tan uniform and hospital duty uniform the insignia of branch will be worn centered between the inside edge and the outside edge on the left collar, 1 inch from the lower edge of the collar with the center line of the insignia parallel to the lower edge of the collar. Except for Chaplains, no insignia of branch will be worn on the male and female Army green shade 415 long- or short-sleeve shirt. The chaplain's insignia of branch will be worn centered immediately over the left breast pocket and above awards, if worn, and in a similar position on the female shirt.



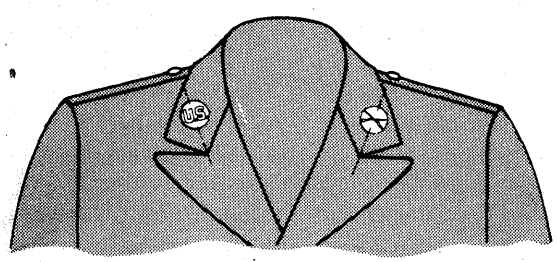
Army brown, Army white and Army blue uniforms



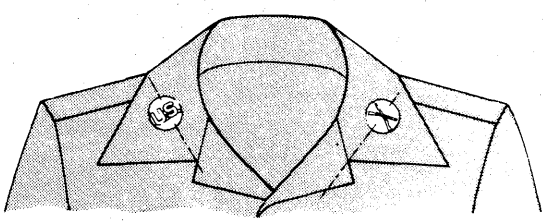
Army tan and hospital duty uniforms

Figure 26-134. Wear of insignia of branch, officers, male.

(2) *Male enlisted personnel.* Will wear their insignia of branch 1 inch above the notch and centered on the left collar with the center line of the insignia bisecting the notch and parallel to the inside edge of the collar on the Army green, Army white, and Army blue uniform coats and on the Army tan uniform shirt.



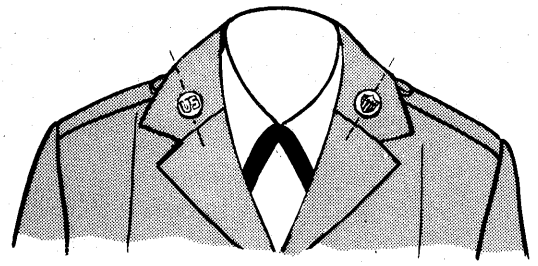
Army green, Army white and Army blue uniforms



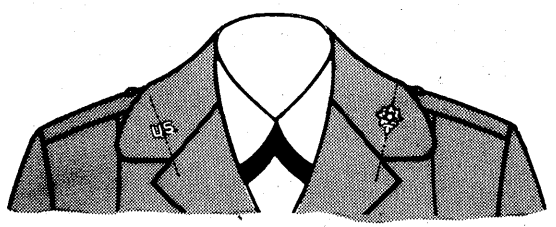
Army tan shirt

Figure 26-135. Wear of insignia of branch, enlisted, male.

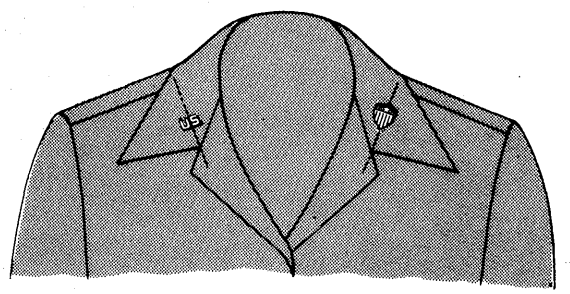
(3) *Female officers.* Will wear their insignia of branch on the left collar, 1 inch above the notch, with the center line of the insignia bisecting the notch and parallel to the inside edge of the collar on the Army green, Army white, Army blue uniform coats and the Army green pantsuit jacket. The insignia on the classic uniform coat will be centered at an equal distance from each edge of the collar with the center line of the insignia parallel to the inside edge of the collar.



Classic uniform



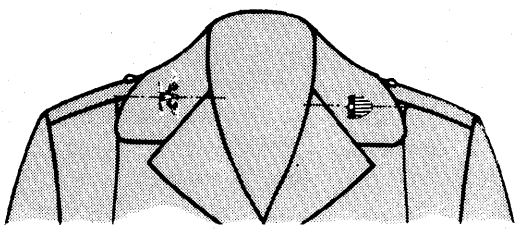
Army green, Army white and Army blue uniforms.



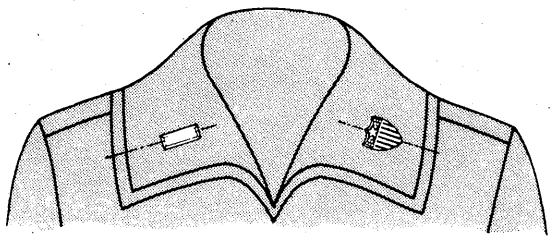
Army green pantsuit

Figure 26-136. Wear of insignia of branch, officer, female.

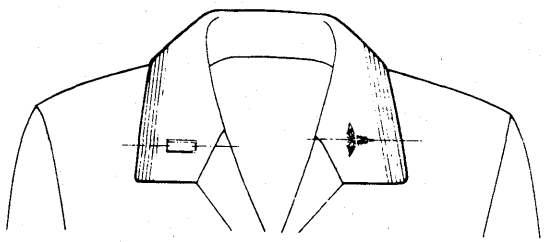
On the Army green cord, AG-388 dress and jacket, AG-388 skirt and jacket, hospital duty uniform, and the white shirt when worn as an outer garment with the Army green pantsuit slacks, the insignia of branch will be worn centered on the left collar, 1 inch from the lower edge of the collar with the center line of the insignia parallel to the lower edge of the collar.



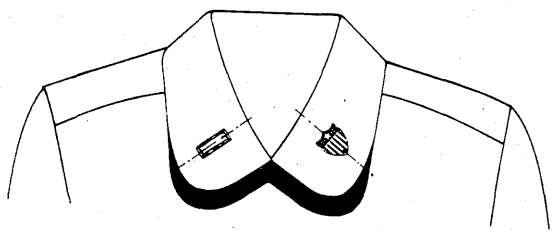
Army green cord uniform



Army green (AG-388) uniform



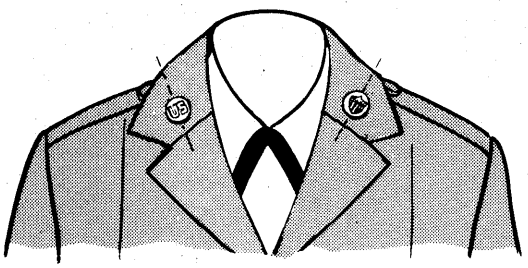
Hospital duty uniform



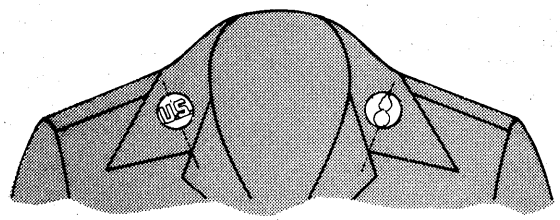
White shirt

Figure 26-137. Wear of insignia of branch, officer, female.

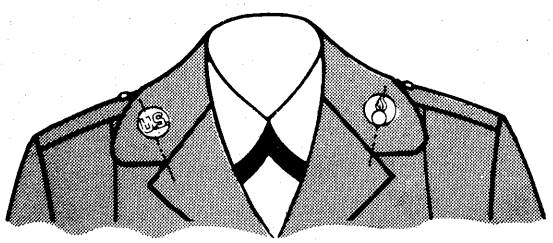
(4) *Female enlisted personnel.* Will wear their insignia of branch 1 inch above the notch and centered on the left collar, with the center line of the insignia bisecting the notch and parallel to the inside edge of the collar on the Army green pantsuit jacket, the Army green, Army green cord, Army white and Army blue uniform coats. The insignia on the classic uniform coat will be centered at an equal distance from each edge of the collar with the center of the insignia parallel to the inside edge of the collar.



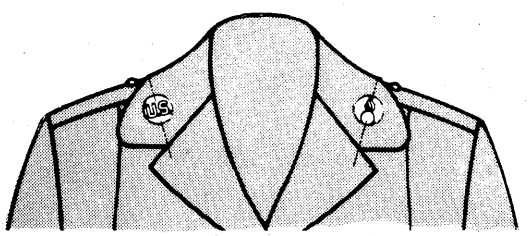
Classic uniform



Army green pantsuit



Army green, Army white and Army blue



Army green cord

Figure 26-138. Wear of insignia of branch, female, enlisted.

b. Subdued insignia of branch.

(1) *Male officers.* Will wear their subdued insignia of branch centered on the left collar, 1 inch from the lower edge of the collar with the center line of the insignia parallel to the lower edge of the collar on all field and utility uniforms.

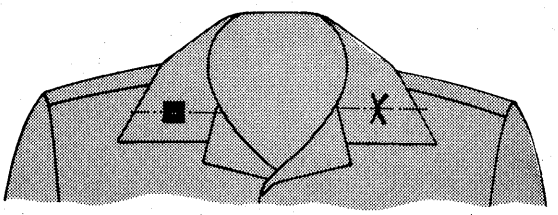
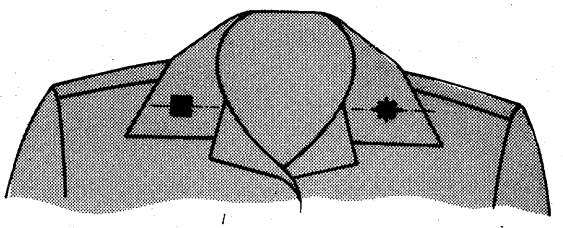
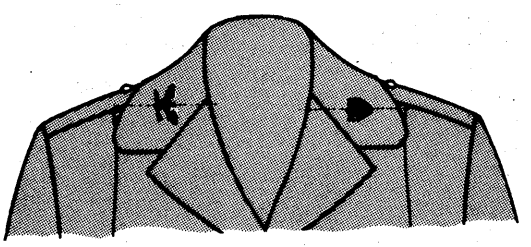


Figure 26-139. Wear of subdued insignia of branch, officer, male.

(2) *Female officers.* Will wear their subdued insignia of branch centered on the left collar, 1 inch from the lower edge of the collar, with the center line of the insignia parallel to the lower edge of the collar on all field and utility uniforms.





Cold weather uniform (OG-108)

Figure 26-140. Wear of subdued insignia of branch, officer, female.

(3) *Enlisted personnel.* Are not authorized to wear subdued insignia of branch on the uniform.

(4) *Material.* Insignia of branch may be metal pin-on or embroidered insignia on cloth backing. Insignia of branch will be the same material as the insignia of grade.

26–13. Insignia of branch—US Military Academy staff personnel. *a. Full color description.* Coat of Arms of the US Military Academy 1 inch in height, the shield of the United States bearing the helmet of Pallas over a Greek sword and surmounted by an eagle displayed with scroll and motto, all of gold color metal.



Figure 26–141. U.S. Military Academy staff personnel.

b. Subdued description. Same as *a* except color is black.

c. How worn. By permanent professors, registrar, and civilian instructors of the USMA in the same manner as prescribed in paragraph 26–12 for all other branch of service insignia.

26–14. Insignia for officer candidates. *a. Description.*

(1) *Full color.* Block letters "O.C.S." of gold color metal seven-sixteenths inch in height, each letter followed by a period.



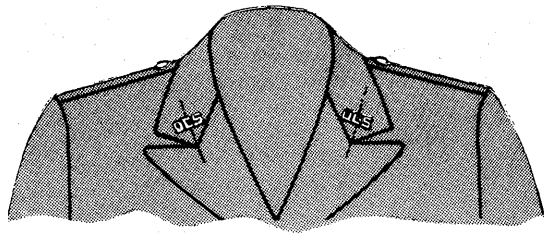
Figure 26–142. Officer candidate insignia.

(2) *Subdued.* The same size and design as the full color insignia covered in (1) above except of black color metal.

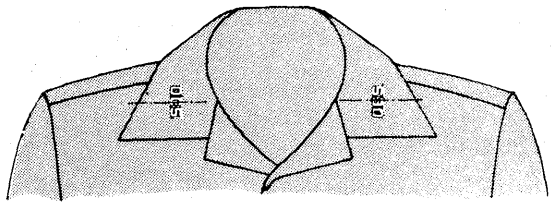
b. How worn:

(1) *Full color insignia.* Officer candidates will wear their insignia as follows:

(*a*) On both collars, 1 inch above the notch, with the center line of the insignia bisecting the notch and parallel to the inside edge of the collar on all uniform coats and jackets. On the male and female shirts collars, the insignia will be worn on both collars 1 inch above the lower edge of the collar with the center line of the insignia parallel to the lower edge of the collar.



Uniform coats and jackets



Shirt collars

Figure 26–143. Wear of officer candidate school insignia on lapels and collars.

(*b*) Centered on the left curtain of the garrison caps, 1 inch from the front crease, and centered on the front eyelet of the female beret.

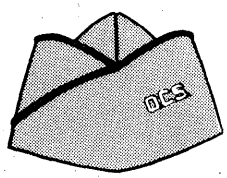


Figure 26–144. Wear of officer candidate school insignia on garrison cap.

(*c*) Centered on the front of the helmet liner, 2½ inches from the bottom rim will be the OCS decal of prescribed color and size.

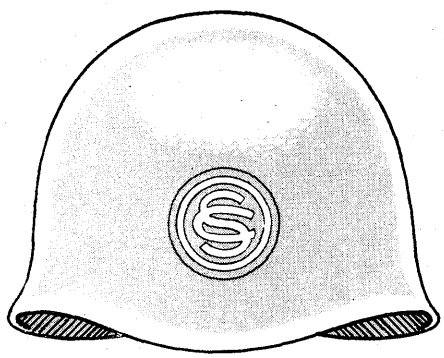


Figure 26–145. Wear of officer candidate school insignia on helmet.

(*d*) On the scarf of the senior candidates, the cloth OCS insignia may be worn.

(2) *Subdued Insignia.* Subdued officer candidate insignia will be worn on all field clothing in the same manner as the full color insignia is worn on shirt collars described in (1)(*a*) above.

(*c*) *When worn.* This insignia will be worn by all military personnel while students at officers candidate schools.

26–15. Insignia for warrant officer candidates.

a. Description.

(1) *Full color.* Block letters "W.O.C." of gold color metal seven-sixteenths inch in height, each letter followed by a period.

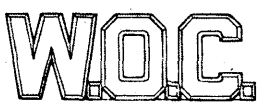


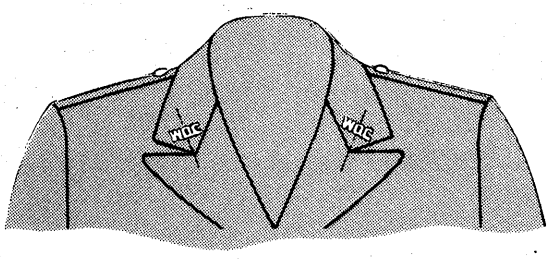
Figure 26–146. Warrant officer candidates insignia.

(2) *Subdued.* The same size and design as the full color insignia covered in (1) above except of black color metal.

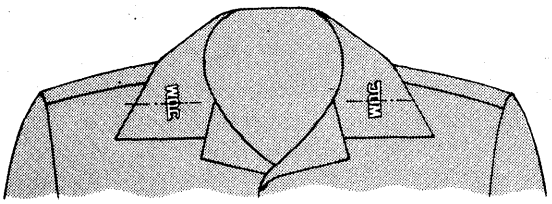
b. How worn.

(1) *Full color insignia.* Warrant officer candidates will wear their insignia as follows:

(*a*) On both collars, 1 inch above the notch, with the center line of the insignia bisecting the notch and parallel to the inside edge of the collar on all uniform coats and jackets. On the male and female shirt collars, the insignia will be worn on both collars 1 inch above the lower edge of the collar with the center line of the insignia parallel to the lower edge of the collar.



Uniform coats and jackets



Shirt collars

Figure 26–147. Wear of warrant officer candidates insignia on lapel and collars.

(*b*) Centered on the left curtain of the garrison caps, 1 inch from the front crease, and centered on the front eyelet of the female beret.

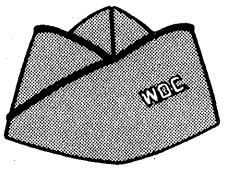


Figure 26–148. Wear of warrent officer candidates insignia on garrison cap.

(*c*) Centered on the front of the helmet and helmet liner, 2½ inches from the bottom rim and painted in the prescribed color and size. Decals of the prescribed color and size may be used in lieu of paint.

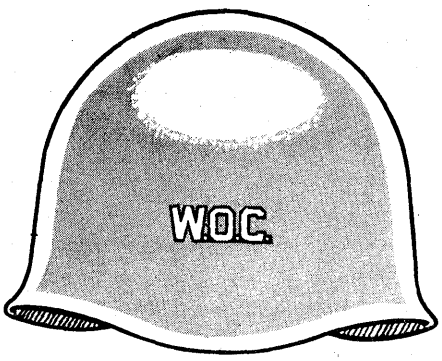


Figure 26–149. Wear of warrent officer candidates insignia on helmet.

(2) *Subdued Insignia.* Subdued warrant officer candidate insignia will be worn on all field clothing in the same manner as the full color insignia is worn on shirt collars described in (1)(*a*) above.

c. When worn. This insignia will be worn by all military personnel while students at warrant officer candidate schools.

26–16. Shoulder sleeve insignia—current organization. *a. Authorization.*

(1) Approved designs of authorized shoulder sleeve insignia are prescribed for wear by personnel of units assigned to one of the echelons listed below:

(*a*) Headquarters Company, US Army Prescribed for wear by personnel assigned to Headquarters Company, US Army and for enlisted personnel attached to Headquarters Company, US Army, who are assigned to or performing duty with HQDA staff agencies, Offices of Joint Chiefs of Staff, and Offices of the Department of Defense, Enlisted personnel attached to Headquarters Company, US Army, who are assigned to organizations, separate commands, or activities which are authorized a distinctive shoulder sleeve insignia will wear the insignia of the agency to which assigned.

(*b*) MACOMs (as defined in AR 10-5). One design for each MACOM. Major subordinate commands and units of MACOMS, which are not otherwise authorized a distinctive shoulder sleeve insignia in their own right, will wear the same insignia as the MACOM.

(*c*) Installations, organizations, units and detachments under the direct supervision of Chief of Staff, DA General and Special Staff. Same design for all organizations, units and detachments so assigned (DA staff support), unless authorized as insignia in their own right.

(*d*) Armies. One design for each Army.

(*e*) Field army support commands. One design for each command.

(*f*) US Army Reserve commands. One design for each command.

(*g*) CORPS. One design for each corps.

(*h*) Corps artillery. Same design as corps to which assigned.

(*i*) Divisions. One design for each division.

(*j*) Division artillery. Same design as division to which assigned.

(*k*) Brigades of a division. Same design as division to which assigned.

(*l*) Separate brigades (not organic to division). One design for each brigade.

(*m*) Separate regiments (nor organic to a group, brigade, or division). One design for each separate regiment.

(*n*) Commands—TOE, established as a Command by DA permanent orders. One design for each command.

(*o*) Army personnel assigned or attached for duty with or advisors to foreign governments, except Army attachés. Same design for all personnel.

(*p*) General officer commands, US Army Reserve. See (4) below.

(*q*) Units which have been granted specific authority for a distinctive shoulder sleeve insignia by HQDA.

(*r*) Other organizations meeting the following criteria:

1. An identifiable command structure.

2. A valid justification in terms of unit mission, enhancement of unit morale and degree of unit permanency.

3. At least 500 military personnel assigned to the organization.

(2) Members of units which are not authorized organizational shoulder sleeve insignia listed in (1) above, and personnel assigned to schools and boards will wear the Insignia of the Army, Corps, Army Reserve Command/General Officer Command, or oversea command to which they are assigned or attached. MACOM commanders are authorized to permit, on a case by case basis, the wearing of brigade shoulder sleeve insignia by members of units attached to specific brigades on a permanent basis. The term "permanent" is considered to apply to those units whose attachment is, has been, or will be for an extended period of time. Units temporarily attached to the brigades or attached for activation, training and deployment are not considered to be permanently assigned.

(3) Individuals being transferred from one organization to another may continue to wear the insignia of the former unit until reporting for duty at the new organization.

(4) For United States Army Reserve:

(*a*) Units not authorized an organizational shoulder sleeve insignia which are assigned to a general officer command authorized an organizational shoulder sleeve insignia, will wear the shoulder sleeve insignia of the general officer command even though the general officer command may be assigned to a US Army Reserve Command.

(*b*) Units not authorized an organizational shoulder sleeve insignia which are under the command of US Army Reserve Command will wear the shoulder sleeve insignia of the US Army Reserve Command.

(*c*) Units not authorized a shoulder sleeve insignia which are under the command of a general officer command which is authorized a shoulder

sleeve insignia will wear the insignia of the general officer command.

(*d*) Units assigned directly to a CONUS Army Headquarters and/or units under the command of a general officer command which are assigned directly to a CONUS Army Headquarters, and not authorized a distinctive shoulder sleeve insignia will wear the insignia of the appropriate CONUS Army.

(*e*) Mobilization designees will wear the shoulder sleeve insignia of the organization to which designated. Personnel participating in the Long Tour Management and the ROTC/Simultaneous Membership Programs will wear the shoulder sleeve insignia of commands, units, and/or agencies to which attached.

(5) For Army National Guard:

(*a*) Members of the Army National Guard not in active Federal service will wear the shoulder sleeve insignia of the division, separate brigade, or separate cavalry regiment to which assigned.

(*b*) Members of the Army National Guard assigned to State headquarters and headquarters detachments may, as determined by the Adjutant General for each State or territory, wear either appropriate State shoulder sleeve insignia or the insignia of the Army in which area the unit is located.

(*c*) Members of Army National Guard units are authorized to wear the shoulder sleeve insignia of their affiliated Active Army unit, provided mutual agreement is effected by the State Adjutant General and the Active Army major unit commander involved. If the decision to wear the Active Army shoulder sleeve insignia in lieu of the National Guard insignia is made, the insignia will be worn on the left shoulder in the same manner as the National Guard Insignia. If the decision to wear the Active Army insignia in addition to the National Guard insignia is made, only the subdued Active Army insignia will be worn on either breast pocket of the field uniforms. The State Adjutant General will determine where the insignia will be worn and all personnel of the National Guard unit involved will wear the insignia in the same manner.

(*d*) Members of other Army National Guard units (except (*a*) and (*b*) above) not authorized distinctive shoulder sleeve insignia may, as determined by the Adjutant General for each State or territory, wear either the insignia of the State headquarters and headquarters detachment or the insignia of the Army in which area the unit is located. The insignia selected will be worn by all Army National Guard units of the State.

(6) Trainees (basic and advanced individuals) who are in one of the following categories may wear organizational shoulder sleeve insignia:

(*b*) ARNG and USAR trainees are authorized to wear the insignia of their parent ARNG or USAR organization.

(*c*) Unit of choice trainees are authorized to wear the insignia of the specific unit for which they enlisted.

(7) Personnel assigned to HQDA. There is no shoulder sleeve insignia approved for wear by personnel assigned to HQDA.

Accordingly, except as provided above, no shoulder sleeve insignia will be worn on the left sleeve of personnel assigned to HQDA staff.

b. How worn.

(1) *Full Color.* Full color shoulder sleeve insignia of an individual's current organization will be worn centered on the left sleeve ½ inch below the top of the shoulder seam on all Army green uniform coats for all personnel and the Army green pantsuit jacket for female personnel. When tabs are worn, the tab will be placed ½ inch below the top of the shoulder seam and the shoulder sleeve insignia will be worn ¼ inch below the tab. Shoulder sleeve insignia will not be worn on uniforms other than those specified above.

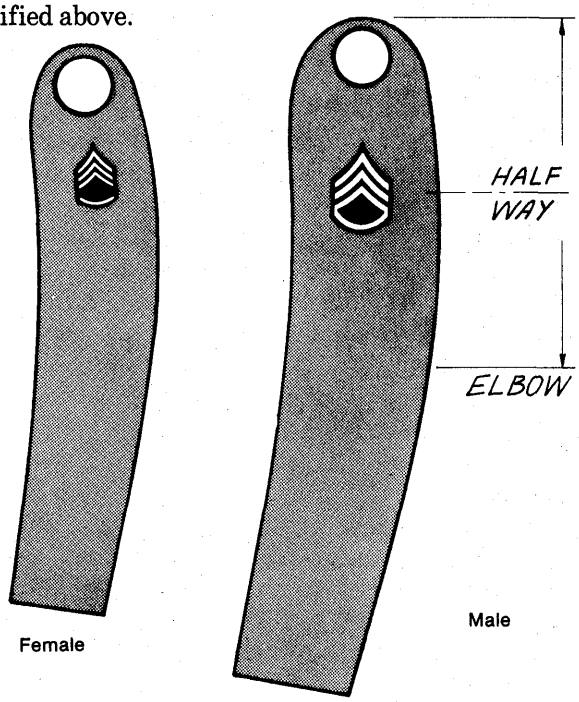


Figure 26–150. Wear of shoulder sleeve insignia, current organization.

(2) *Subdued.* Only subdued shoulder sleeve insignia will be worn on all field and utility uniform coats and shirts by all personnel. Positioning of the insignia is identical to the full color insignia covered in (1) above. Insignia will not be worn on the OG 108 shirt.

26–17. Shoulder sleeve insignia—former wartime service. *a. Authorization.* Applies only to individuals who were assigned overseas with US Army organizations during the following periods:

(1) World War II between 7 December 1941 and 2 September 1946, both dates inclusive.

(2) In Korea between 27 June 1950 and 27 July 1954, both dates inclusive. Also from 1 April 1968 to 31 August 1973, those personnel who were awarded the Purple Heart, Combat Infantryman Badges, Combat Medical Badges or who qualify for at least one Oversea Service Bar for service in hostile fire area in Korea.

(3) In Vietnam from 1 July 1958 to 28 March 1973.

(4) In the Dominican Republic subsequent to 29 April 1965. Individuals returning from the Dominican Republic after 29 April 1965 will be authorized to wear on the right shoulder sleeve one of three Organizational Shoulder Sleeve Insignia: XVIII Airborne Corps, 82nd Airborne Division or 5th Logistical Command. Individuals previously attached, assigned, or under operational control of these units will wear their respective insignia. A fourth organizational shoulder sleeve insignia (OEA—Spanish equivalent of Organization of American States) is authorized for individuals returning from the Dominican Republic after 29 April 1965 who were not in one of the three units denoted above.

b. How worn.

(1) *Full Color.* Only US Army organization shoulder sleeve insignia which had been approved for wear by HQDA of any former wartime unit may be worn at the individual's option on the right sleeve of all Army green uniform coats for all personnel and on the Army green pantsuit jacket for female personnel. The insignia will be worn, centered, one-half inch below the top of the shoulder seam. When tabs are worn, the tab will be placed ½ inch below the top of the shoulder seam and the shoulder sleeve insignia will be worn ¼ inch below the tap.

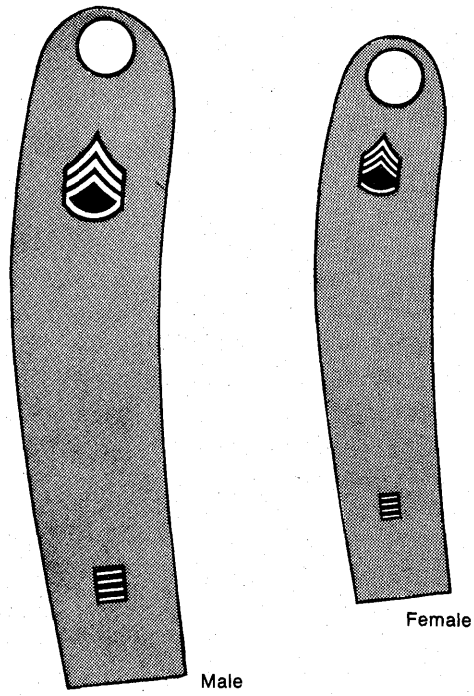


Figure 26–151. Wear of shoulder sleeve insignia, former wartime organization.

(2) *Subdued.* Only the subdued version of the full color shoulder sleeve insignia will be worn on the field and utility uniform coats and shirts by authorized personnel. Positioning of the insignia is identical to the full color insignia covered in (1) above.

26–18. Branch of Service—colors. *a. Adjutant General Corps.* Dark blue and scarlet (cable numbers 65012 and 65006).

b. Air Defense Artillery. Scarlet (cable number 65006).

c. Armor. Yellow (cable number 65002).

d. Army Medical Specialist Corps. Maroon and white (cable numbers 65017 and 65005).

e. Army Nurse Corps. Maroon and white (cable numbers 65017 and 65005).

f. Branch Immaterial. Teal blue and white (cable numbers 70147 and 65005).

g. Cavalry. Yellow (cable number 65002).

h. Chaplains. Black (cable number 65018).

i. Chemical Corps. Cobalt blue and golden yellow (cable numbers 65011 and 65001).

j. Civil Affairs, USAR. Purple and white (cable numbers 65009 and 65005).

k. Corps of Engineers. Scarlet and white (cable numbers 65006 and 65005).

l. Dental Corps. Maroon and white (cable numbers 65017 and 65005).

m. Field Artillery. Scarlet (cable number 65006).

n. Finance Corps. Silver gray and golden yellow (cable numbers 65008 and 65001).

o. General Staff. No color assigned.

p. Infantry. Light blue (cable number 65014).

q. Inspector General. Dark blue and light blue (cable numbers 65012 and 65014).

r. Judge Advocate General's Corps. Dark blue and white (cable numbers 65012 and 65005).

s. Medical Corps. Maroon and white (cable numbers 65017 and 65005).

t. Medical Service Corps. Maroon and white (cable numbers 65017 and 65005).

u. Military Intelligence. Oriental blue and silver gray (cable numbers 70209 and 65008).

v. Military Police Corps. Green and yellow (cable numbers 65007 and 65002).

w. National Guard Bureau. Dark blue (cable number 65012).

x. Ordnance Corps. Crimson and yellow (cable numbers 65013 and 65002).

y. Quartermaster Corps. Buff (cable number 65015).

z. Signal corps. Orange and white (cable numbers 65004 and 65005).

aa. Staff Specialist, USAR. Green (cable number 65007).

ab. The Sergeant Major of the United States Army. No color assigned.

ac. Transportation Corps. Brick-red and golden yellow (cable numbers 65020 and 65001).

ad. Veterinary Corps. Maroon and white (cable numbers 65017 and 65005).

ae. Warrant Officers. Brown (cable number 65016).

26–19. Branch of Service—scarves. *a.* Branch of Service scarves are optional and will be worn at the discretion of the local commanders.

(1) *Description.* A bib-type of adopted design in following color for wear by personnel as indicated:

(*a*) Black—Chaplain.

(*b*) Bottle green—Special Forces and Psychological Operations.

(*c*) Brick red—Transportation.

(*d*) Buff—Supply, Quartermaster, Supply and Service, Supply and Transportation and Support.

(*e*) Cobalt blue—Chemical.

(*f*) Crimson—Ordnance and Maintenance.

(*g*) Dark blue—National Guard Bureau, Judge Advocate General, Inspector General and Adjutant General.

(*h*) Green—Military Police and Staff Specialist.

(*i*) Infantry blue—Infantry.

(*j*) Maroon—Army Medical Specialist Corps, Army Nurse Corps, Dental Corps, Medical Corps, Medical Service Corps and Veterinary Corps.

(*k*) Orange—Signal.

(*l*) Oriental blue—Intelligence and Army Security.

(*m*) Purple—Civil Affairs.

(*n*) Scarlet—Artillery, Engineers and Permanent Professors, Registrar and Civilian Instructors of the US Military Academy.

(*o*) Silver gray—Finance.

(*p*) Teal blue—Branch Immaterial.

(*q*) Ultramarine blue—Aviation.

(*r*) Yellow—Army and Cavalry.

(*s*) Camouflage—As determined by local commander.

(2) *How worn.*

(*a*) *Male personnel.* With the Army green, Army tan, field and utility uniforms as prescribed by local commanders.

(*b*) Female personnel. With the Army green, Army green cord, Army green pantsuit, Army green dress and jacket, AG-388, Army green skirt and jackets, AG-388, field and utility uniforms as prescribed by local commanders.

(3) *By whom worn.* Officers, warrant officers, and enlisted personnel assigned to units or branches.

b. When branch of Service scarves are prescribed for wear they will be provided without cost to all personnel.

26–20. Combat leaders identification. *a.* The combat leader's identification will be worn by leaders of category I (organization TOE specifies category) Regular Army, Army National Guard, and U.S. Army Reserve organizations, plus Division and Corps commanders, and commanders of category II organizations, the majority of whose subordinate elements are category I units.

b. Specific leaders in units referred to in *a* above authorized to wear the combat leader's identifica-

tion are:

(1) Commanders:

(2) Deputy corps and asistant division commanders.

(3) Platoon leaders.

(4) Command sergeants major.

(5) First sergeants.

(6) Platoon sergeants.

(7) Section leaders (when so designated in TOE).

(8) Squad leaders and tank commanders.

(9) Rifle squad fire team leaders.

c. The Combat leaders identification insignia will be a green cloth loop, 1⅝ inches wide, worn in the middle of both shoulder loops of the Army green coats and Army tan shirts when worn as an outer garment, or field clothing when equipped with shoulder loops.

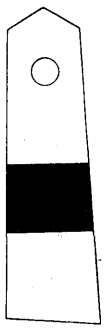


Figure 26–152. Wear of combat leaders identification, shoulder loops.

d. Combat leaders identification will cease to be worn when the individual is reassigned from a command position or from an organization designated in *a* above.

26–21. Distinctive unit insignia. *a.* Subject to the approval of The Institute of Heraldry, US Army, a distinctive unit insignia is authorized for wear on the uniform as a means of promoting esprit de corps for the following:

(1) MACOMS. One design for each command.

(2) Field Armies. One design for each Field Army.

(3) US Army Reserve commands. One design for each command.

(4) Corps. One design for each corps.

(5) Commands—TOE, established as a command by DA permanent orders. One design for each command.

(6) Division. One design for each division.

(7) Separate brigades. One design for each separate brigade.

(8) Numbered group. One design for each numbered group.

(9) Color bearing regiments and separate battalions, fixed type. One design for each regiment and separate battalion.

(10) Battalions, flexible. One design for each battalion.

(11) Hospitals. One design for each hospital.

(12) US Army Service schools established by the Department of the Army. One design for each service school.

(13) US Army Training and Doctrine Command Training Centers. One design for each training center.

(14) US Army Medical Centers. One design for each Center.

(15) US Army Medical Department Activities. One design for each activity.

(16) U.S. Army Hospital Centers. One design for each center.

(17) U.S. Army Dental Activities (DENTAC). One for each activity accordingly.

(18) Field operating agencies. One design for each activity based on the following criteria:

(*a*) An identifiable command structure.

(*b*) A valid justification in terms of units, mission, enhancement of unit morale, and degree of unit permanency.

(*c*) At least 500 personnel assigned to the activity.

(*d*) At least 50 percent of its assigned strength filled by military personnel.

(19) Other organizations meeting the following criteria:

(*a*) An identifiable command structure.

(*b*) A valid justification in terms of unit mission, enhancement of unit morale and degree of unit permanency.

(*c*) At least 500 military personnel assigned to the organization.

(20) Other.

(*a*) Organizations not in the categories listed above but which have a distinctive unit insignia by virtue of a previous HQDA authority, are permitted to retain that distinctive unit insignia if it has been manufactured and worn by members of the subject organization. In each case, such insignia will be authorized for wear only after The Institute of

Heraldry, US Army, has determined the propriety of and granted approval of the insignia.

(*b*) Units not authorized a distinctive unit insignia in their own right will wear the distinctive unit insignia of the command to which assigned. Those units not authorized a distinctive unit insignia in their own right and not assigned to a higher echelon which is authorized a distinctive unit insignia, may with the approval of the Army commander concerned, wear the distinctive unit insignia of the Army area in which located. Personnel participating in the Long Tour Management and the ROTC/Simultaneous Membership Programs will wear the distinctive unit insignia of commands, units, and/or agencies to which attached.

b. By whom worn. When a distinctive unit insignia is authorized, the insignia will be worn by all assigned personnel of the organization, except general officers and the Sergeant Major of the Army. A complete set of distinctive insignia consists of three pieces of insignia; one for each shoulder loop, and one for the headgear (garrison, utility, cold weather caps or beret). The procurement of distinctive unit insignia not approved by The Institute of Heraldry, US Army, is prohibited. Approved distinctive unit insignia may be purchased through the use of appropriated or nonappropriated funds.

c. Where worn. Distinctive unit insignia will consist of metal or metal and enamel only. The insignia will be worn by male personnel on the Army tan and Army green uniforms. Female personnel wear the insignia on the Army green, Army green pantsuit, Army green cord, Army green classic, and the jacket of the Army green AG-388 uniforms. All personnel may wear distinctive unit insignia on the field jackets.

d. How worn.

(1) The distinctive unit insignia will be worn on uniforms with shoulder loops, centered on the shoulder loops, an equal distance from the outside shoulder seam to the outside edge of the button, with the base of the insignia toward the outside shoulder seam, when insignia of grade is not worn on the shoulder loops. If insignia of grade is worn on the shoulder loops, the equal distance is measured from the inside edge of the insignia of grade to the outside edge of the button.

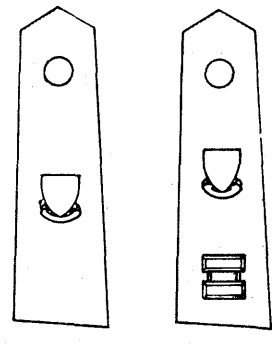


Figure 26-153. Wear of distinctive unit insignia, shoulder loops.

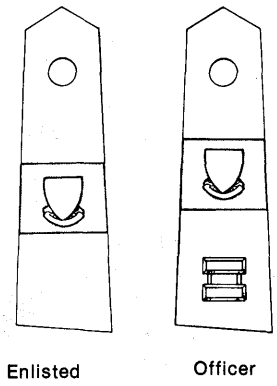


Figure 26-154. Wear of distinctive unit insignia, shoulder loops.

(2) The distinctive unit insignia will be worn by enlisted personnel centered on the left curtain of the garrison cap, 1 inch from front crease, and by those personnel authorized to wear berets, centered on the stiffener of the beret.

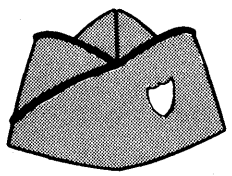


Figure 26-155. Wear of distinctive unit insignia, garrison cap.

(3) Commanders are authorized to direct the wear of a special skill badge or a distinctive unit insignia in addition to the mandatory insignia of

grade on utility and cold weather caps. When two items are worn they will be equally spaced vertically and centered on the front of the cap. The distinctive unit insignia will be worn above the insignia of grade with the base of the insignia toward the bill of the cap.

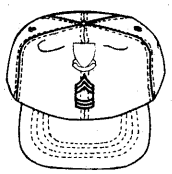


Figure 26–156. Wear of distinctive unit insignia, caps.

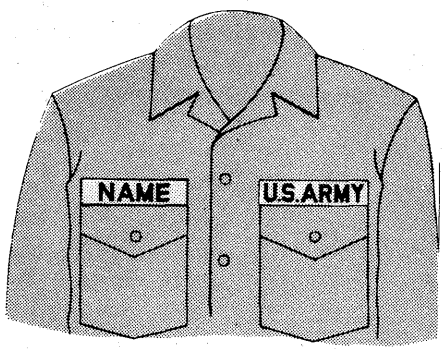
26–22. Insignia, distinguishing, "U.S. ARMY" and nametape. *a. Insignia distinguishing, "U.S. ARMY."*

(1) *Description.* Will be a strip of olive green cloth, 4½ inches long and 1 inch wide with the inscription "U.S. ARMY" in black block letters ¾ inch high.

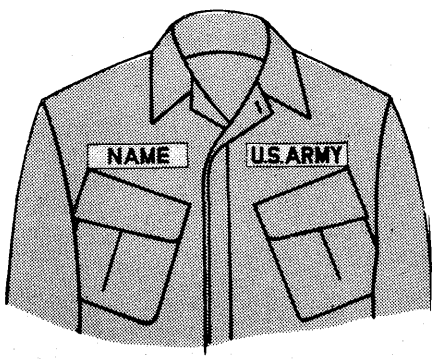


Figure 26–157. Insignia, distinguishing, "U.S. ARMY."

(2) *How worn.* The "U.S. ARMY" distinguishing insignia will be centered, and worn immediately above and parallel to the top edge of the left breast pocket (in a comparable position on garments with slant pockets or no pockets) of all field and utility uniform coats and shirts by all personnel. The "U.S. ARMY" insignia is also worn on the OG–107 parka.



Utility and cold weather uniforms



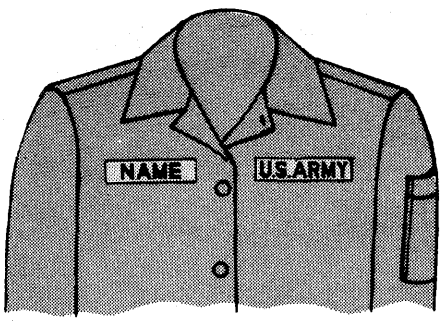
Hot weather uniforms

Figure 26–158. Wear of insignia, distinguishing, "U.S. ARMY".

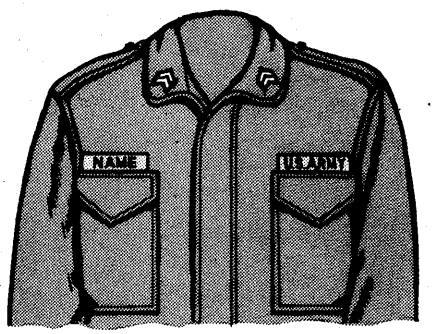
b. Insignia, nametape.

(1) *Description.* The nametape will be a strip of olive green cloth, 4½ inches long and 1 inch wide with the individual's name in black block letters ¾ inch in height. Names consisting of 10 letters or less will be of Franklin Gothic Condensed Print (48 point), ½ inch high. Names consisting of 11 letters or more will be of franklin gothic extra condensed print (48 point), ½ inch high.

(2) *How worn.* The nametape will be centered, and worn immediately above and parallel to the top of the right breast pocket (in a comparable position on garments with no pocket) of all field and utility uniform costs and shirts by all personnel. The nametape insignia will not be worn on the OG-107 Parka.



Utility uniforms, female



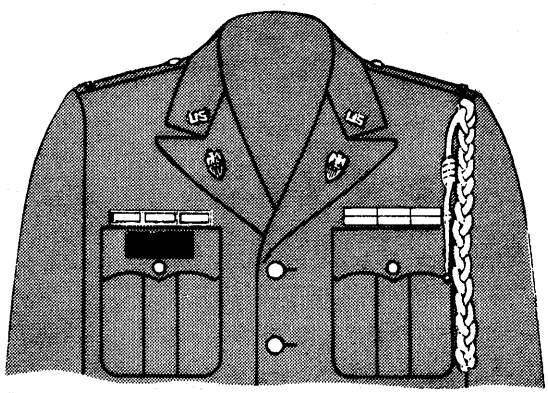
Cold weather coat (field jacket)

Figure 26-159. Wear of insignia, nametape.

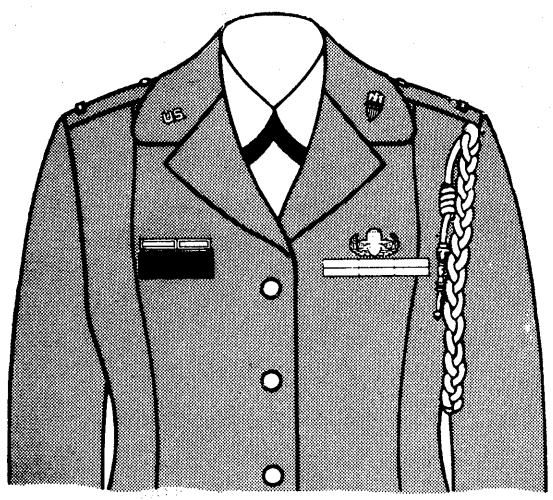
(3) *How to obtain.* Initial and replacement of nametapes are provided at no cost to the individual and will be procured from appropriated funds. If facilities are not available at installations for inscribing and attaching nametapes, contract for such services with local vendors is authorized.

26-23. Aiguillette, Service *a. Description.* Braided gold cord or gold color nylon or synthetic metallic gold color cord, 3/16 inch in diameter, 30½ inches in length in one piece, each end equipped with a hook, one end equipped with an eye. Front part 8¼ inches in length, consisting of 1½ inches of cord equipped with a hook, a knot 1¾ inches in length, a cord 2 inches in length, and a 3-inch ferrule.

b. How worn. On the right side by the Military Aide to the President, White House social aides while on duty with the First Family, and officers designated as aides to foreign heads of state. All other aides and Army attaches will wear aiguillettes on the left side. The cord is placed around under the arm with the hooks engaging eyes or each side of the appropriate shoulder loop, the end equipped with the eye to the front. The hook of the front part is engaged in the eye on the cord.



Male



Female

Figure 26-160. Wear of service aiguillettes.

c. By whom worn. Army attaches, assistant Army attaches and aides will wear the Service aiguillette on all occasions with the Army green and Army tan uniforms for male personnel and the Army green, Army green cord, Army green pantsuit, Army green dress and jacket, AG–388, Army green shirt and jackets, AG–388 for female personnel. This aiguillette will also be worn by all personnel with the Army blue and Army white uniforms on appropriate occasions. When the overcoat or raincoat is worn, Service aiguilettes may be worn on the outside of the overcoat or raincoat.

d. How to obtain. Aiguillettes will be procured locally as expendable property to by the organization to which the individual is assigned for supply purposes. Both a gold cord and gold color nylon cord or synthetic metallic gold color cord are authorized.

26–24. Aiguillette, dress. *a. Description.* The front consists of the Service aiguillette omitting the front part and substituting a front part 25 inches in length, with 15 inches of braiding, 2 inches from braiding to button loop and knot, knot 1¾ inches in length, cord 3¼ inches and ferrule 3 inches. Braided end is equipped with a hook. Back consisting of a braided gold cord, or gold color nylon cord, 3/16 inch in diameter, 30½ inches in length, with an additional part 34 inches in length consisting of 24 inches of braiding, 2 inches from braiding to button loop and knot, knot 1¾ inches in length, cord 3¼ inches, and ferrule 3 inches, fastened to a triangular piece of brass having a hook on the inside, this hook to attach to a small strip of brass which slips under the shoulder loop, shoulder strap, or shoulder knot. The brass strip for shoulder strap is curved to conform to contour of shoulder ⅝ inch in width and 3⅞ inches in length, with a rectangular opening at each end ⅜ inch in length. The brass strip for shoulder knots is ⅝ inch in width and 3⅜ inches in length, with an extra piece fastened thereto to form a standing loop 1 inch in length to permit the flexible backing of the shoulder knot to pass through. The brass strip for the shoulder loop of the Army white mess uniform coat is the same as that used for the shoulder knot, without the standing loop.

b. How worn. On the right side of the uniform by the Military Aide to the President, White House social aides while on duty with the First Family, and officers designated as aides to foreign heads of state. All other authorized personnel will wear aiguillettes on the left side. Secured to the coat before buttoning, with the Service aiguillette with both hooks attached to front opening of the brass strip and the front part hooked into eye of Service aiguillette; and the 34-inch part attached to the rear opening of the brass strip. Pass the cord of the 34-inch part under the arm and insert the button loop of the 25-inch part through the button loop of the 34-inch part. Pass button loop of the 25-inch part through notch in lapel and attach to the button under the collar. The button under the collar is attached to the body of the coat in such a position that the knot of the 25-inch part will easily clear the notch in the lapel. The loops of both cords to cress on the outside of the arm with front loop on top. Either gold cord or gold color nylon may be worn, depending upon the importance of the occasion and the individual preference.

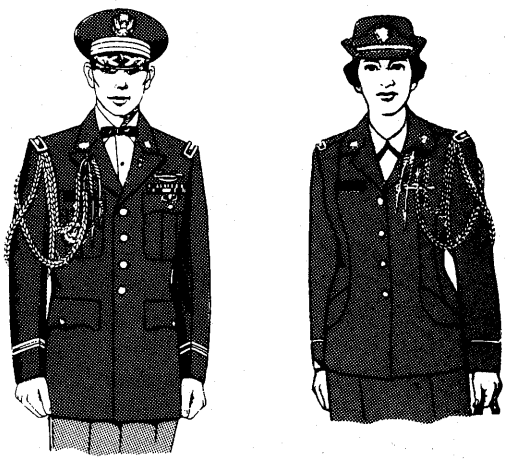


Figure 26–161. Wear of dress aiguillettes.

c. By whom worn. Army attaches, assistant Army attaches, and aides will wear the dress aiguillette with the Army blue, white and black evening dress uniforms on all occasions, and with the Army blue, Army white, Army blue mess, Army black mess and Army white mess uniforms when prescribed. This aiguillette will not be worn with the Army blue or Army white uniform when wearing a four-in-hand necktie.

d. How to obtain. Aiguillettes will be procured locally as expendable property by the organization to which the individual is assigned for supply purposes. Both a gold cord and gold color nylon cord or synthetic metallic gold color cord are authorized.

26–25. Service strips. *a. Description of Service stripes worn by male enlisted personnel.*

(1) A gold lace, gold bullion or gold color rayon, diagonal stripe, 3/16 inch wide and 1 13/16 inches long on an Army green background which forms a 3/32-inch border around the stripe and worn on the Army green uniform.

(2) A gold lace, gold bullion, gold color nylon or gold color rayon, diagonal stripe, 1/2 inch wide and of variable length, on an Army blue or Army white background which forms a 3/32 inch border around the stripe and worn on the Army blue and Army white uniforms, respectively.

b. Description of Service stripes worn by female enlisted personnel. A gold lace, gold bullion or gold color rayon, diagonal stripe, 1/8 inch wide and 1 1/4 inches long on an Army green, Army blue or Army white background which forms a 1/16-inch border around the stripe and worn on the Army green, Army blue and Army white uniforms, respectively.

c. Wear.

(1) The Service stripes will be worn centered on the outside bottom half of the left sleeve on the Army green uniform coat for male enlisted personnel, the Army green, Army green pantsuit, Army blue and Army white uniform coats for female enlisted personnel. The Service stripe is placed at an angle of 45 degrees with the lower end toward the inside seam of the sleeve and placed 4 inches from the bottom of the sleeve. For each additional period of 3 years another Service stripe will be added above and parallel to the first stripe with a 1/16-inch space between stripes. The background of the service stripe will be the same color as the uniform on which worn.

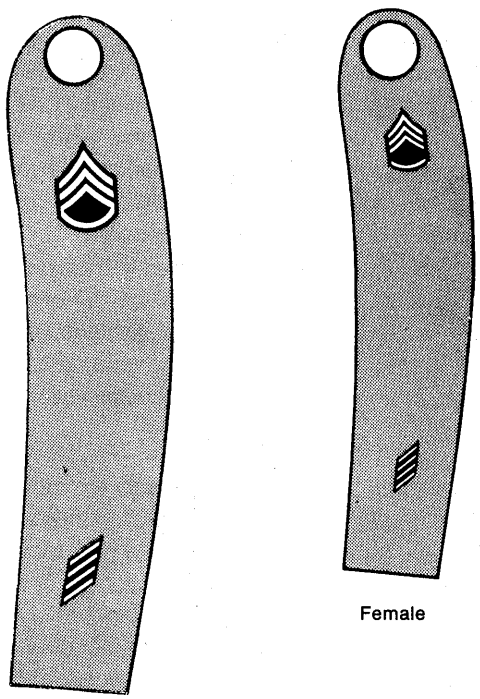


Figure 26–162. Wear of Service stripes.

(2) Male personnel will wear the service stripes covered in *a*(2) above on the Army blue and Army white uniforms. The service stripe will be worn centered on the outside bottom half of both sleeves with the first stripe sewn at an angle of 30 degrees, with the lower end inserted in the front inside seam, ¼ inch above the cuff braid and the upper end of the stripe inserted in the back seam of the sleeve on the Army blue uniform and 3 inches above the bottom of the sleeve on the Army white uniform. Each additional stripe is spaced ⅛ inch apart and above the first stripe.

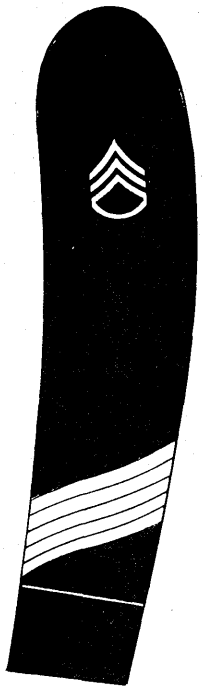


Figure 26–163. Wear of Service stripes, male.

d. By whom worn. Service stripes will be worn by enlisted personnel of the Army, Army National Guard and US Army Reserve who have served honorably in:

(1) Active Federal service as commissioned officers, warrant officers or enlisted personnel in the Army, Navy, Air Force or Marine Corps.

(2) Active Reserve service creditable for retirement under Section 1332 of Title 10, United States Code (as a minimum of 50 points for each year) as commissioned officers, warrant officers, or enlisted personnel in any reserve component of the Armed Forces including the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps.

e. Computation of service. One stripe is authorized for each 3 years of active Federal service, active Reserve service, or combination thereof and service need not have been continuous and the tenth stripe is authorized after 29½ years.

26–26. Oversea Service bars. *a. Description of oversea Service bar worn by male personnel.* A gold lace, gold bullion or gold color rayon bar, $^{3}/_{16}$ inch wide, and $1^{5}/_{16}$ inches long on an Army green background which forms a $^{3}/_{32}$-inch border around the bar.

b. Description of oversea Service bar worn by female personnel. A gold lace, gold bullion or gold color rayon bar, ⅛ inch wide, and ⅞ inch long on an Army green background which forms a $^{1}/_{16}$-inch border around the bar.

c. How worn. The oversea Service bar will be worn centered on the outside bottom half of the right sleeve of the Army green uniform coat for male personnel and the Army green and Army Green pantsuit uniform coats by female personnel. The lower edge of oversea Service bar will be placed ¼ inch above the sleeve braid of the coat for officer personnel and 4 inches above and parallel to the bottom of the sleeve for enlisted personnel. Each additional bar is spaced one-sixteenth inch above and parallel to the first bar.

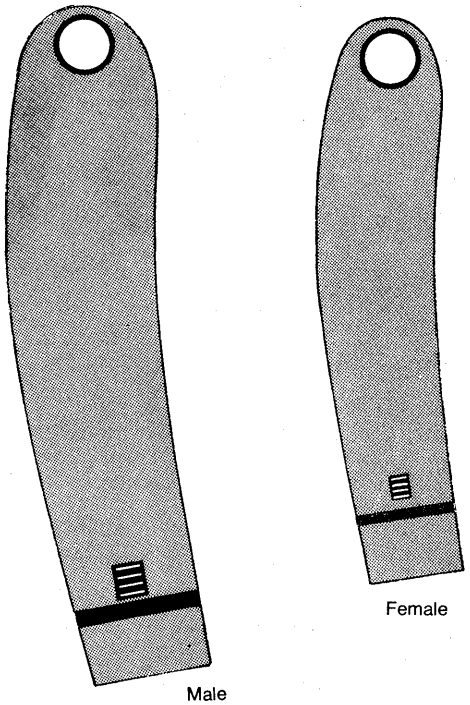


Figure 26–164. Wear of oversea Service bars.

d. By whom worn.

(1) One oversea Service bar is authorized for wear for each period of 6 months' active Federal service as a member of the US Army outside the continental limits of the United States from 7 December 1941 until 2 September 1946, both dates inclusive. In computing oversea service, the former territory of Alaska will be considered outside the continental limits of the United States. An oversea service bar is not authorized for a fraction of a 6-month period.

(2) One oversea service bar is authorized for each period of 6 months' active Federal service as a member of the US Army in Korea from 27 June 1950 until 27 July 1954, both dates inclusive. Credit toward an oversea service bar is authorized for each month of active Federal service as a member of the US Army serving in the designated hostile fire area in Korea from 1 April 1968 until 31 August 1973. Both the month of arrival in the hostile fire pay area and the month of departure from the hostile fire pay area will count as a whole month. When a month's credit is given for hostile fire pay, credit for a corresponding month will be given toward an oversea service bar.

(3) One oversea service bar is authorized for each period of 6 months' active Federal service as a member of the US Army in Vietnam from 1 July 1958 to 28 March 1973. Both the month of arrival in Vietnam and the month of departure from Vietnam will count as a whole month for credit toward the oversea service bar. Periods of TDY service in Vietnam where credit is given for hostile fire pay for 1 month may also be given credit for a corresponding month towards award of an oversea service bar.

(4) One oversea service bar is authorized for each 6 months' Federal service as a member of the US Army in the Dominican Republic from 29 April 1965 to 21 September 1966, both dates inclusive.

(5) One oversea service bar is authorized for each 6 months' Federal service as a member of the US Army in Laos from 1 January 1966 to 28 March 1973.

(6) One oversea service bar is authorized for each 6 months' Federal service as a member of the US Army in Cambodia effective 1 January 1971. Personnel must qualify for hostile fire pay to receive credit for oversea service bar. Both the month of arrival in the hostile fire pay area and the month of departure from the hostile fire pay area will count as a whole month.

(7) Service in World War II, Korea, Vietnam, The Dominican Republic, Laos, and Cambodia, of periods less than 6 months' duration, which otherwise meets the requirements for the award of oversea bars may be combined to determine the total number of oversea bars authorized.

e. Computation of World War II service.

(1) Service is computed between dates of departure from and arrival at a port in the United States or the boundary of the continental United States. The day of departure and day of return are included. The expression "each period of 6 months' service" is interpreted to authorize wearing an oversea service bar for oversea service of various lengths performed either continuously or at intervals, when the total of the service equals or exceeds 6 months. Thus, an individual who serves 4 months and 10 days outside the continental United States and returns thereto and subsequently departs from the United States to the same or another theater or country and serves an additional 1 month and 20 days is entitled to one bar. All active duty or service outside the continental United States (permanent, temporary, detached, etc.) will be included in computing length of service, provided that the official duty of the individual required his presence outside the continental United States.

(2) Military personnel serving on transport vessels and on aircraft become eligible to wear the bar when their total service outside the continental United States equals or exceeds 6 months.

(3) Service on the Great Lakes and in any harbor, bay, or other inclosed arm of the sea along the coast and that part of the sea which is within 3 miles of the continental limits of the United States will not be included in computing length of service required.

(4) Periods during which military personnel are absent without leave or in desertion will not be included in computing length of service required.

(5) Periods during which military personnel are in the United States on temporary duty, detached service, and/or leave (even though the individual is assigned to overseas) will not be included in computing length of service required.

(6) Periods during which military personnel are in confinement which result in time lost as described in the Uniform Code of Military Justice, Section 6, will not be included in computing length of service required.

26–27. Brassards. *a. Purpose.* Brassards are used as an identification media to designate personnel who may be required to perform a special task or to deal with the public. Brassards will be of cloth 17–20 inches long, 4 inches wide and (unless otherwise described) of colors specified. When more than 1 color is specified, the colors will be of equal width and will run lengthwise on the brassard. Brassards will be worn on the left sleeve of the outer garment with the bottom edge of the brassard approximately 2 inches above the elbow.

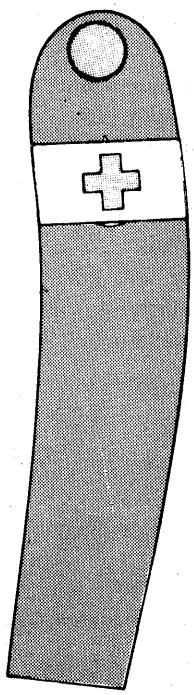


Figure 26–165. Wear of brassards.

b. Current authorized brassards are as follows:

(1) *Acting noncommissioned officers brassard.* On a dark blue background, gold color chevrons centered on the brassard. The brassard is worn by trainees or candidates acting as officers in schools and training centers.

(*a*) *Sergeant.* Three chevrons.



Figure 26–166. Brassard, sergeant.

(*b*) *Corporal.* Two chevrons.

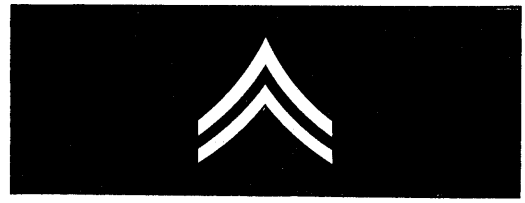


Figure 26–167. Brassard, corporal.

The brassard is worn by trainees or candidates acting as noncommissioned officers in schools and training centers.

(2) *Acting officers brassard.* On an olive drab background, White stripes as indicated below, centered and parallel with the long side:

(*a*) *Captain.* Three white stripes.

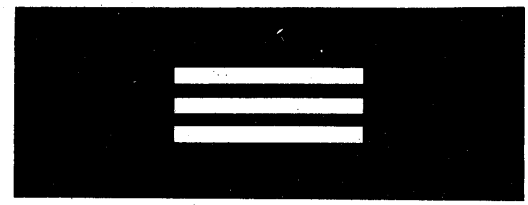


Figure 26–168. Brassard, captain.

(*b*) *First lieutenant.* Two white stripes.

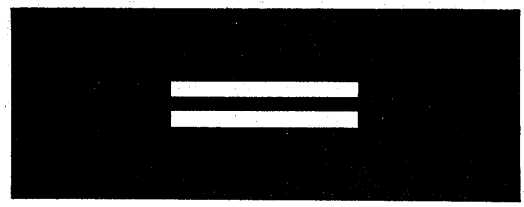


Figure 26–169. Brassard, first lieutenant.

(*c*) *Second lieutenant.* One white stripe.

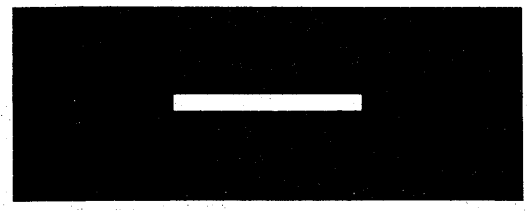


Figure 26–170. Brassard, second lieutenant.

(3) *Armed forces police brassard.* On a black cloth background 20 inches long and 4 inches wide, with an extension 5 11/16 inches high centered above for display of shoulder sleeve insignia. The words "Armed Forces Police," on three lines, in yellow block letters. The brassard is worn by members of armed forces police detachments while on duty.

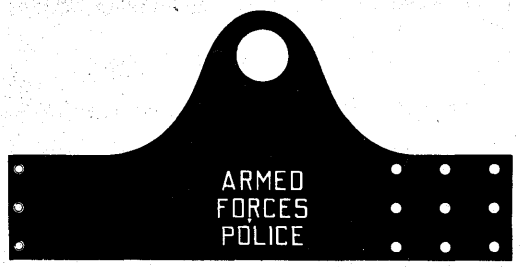


Figure 26-171. Brassard armed forces police.

(4) *Army community service brassard.* On a blue background, the army community service emblem in proper colors centered over the words "ARMY COMMUNITY SERVICE" aligned vertically. The brassard is worn by military personnel, civilian employees and volunteer personnel engaged in Army community service activities when ready identification is required.



Figure 26-172. Brassard, Army community service.

(5) *Explosive ordnance disposal brassard.* On a dark blue background, a black projectile shape, point downward and a red conventional drop bomb fringed in yellow. The brassard is worn by explosive ordnance disposal personnel while performing disposal activities.

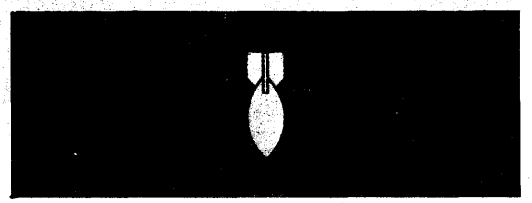


Figure 26-173. Brassard, explosive ordnance disposal.

(6) *Gas brassard.* On a cobalt blue background the word "GAS" in golden orange letters. The brassard is worn by personnel assigned gas duties in a theater of operations.



Figure 26-174. Brassard, gas.

(7) *Geneva Convention brassard.* A red Geneva cross on a white background. Worn subject to the direction of competent military authority by medical personnel exclusively engaged in the search for, collection, transport or treatment of the wounded or sick or in the prevention of disease or by staff exclusively engaged in the administration of medical units and establishments, as well as chaplains attached to the Armed Forces.

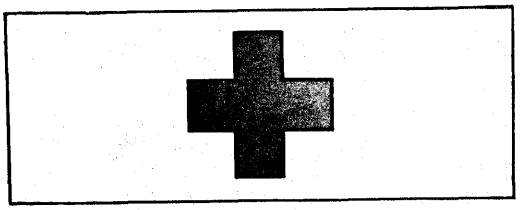


Figure 26-175. Brassard, Geneva Convention.

(8) *Military police brassard.* On a dark blue background 20 inches long and 4 1/8 inches wide, with an extension 5 11/16 inches high centered above for display of shoulder sleeve insignia, the letters "MP" in white block letters 2 1/2 inches high on the brassard. Worn by military police personnel performing official duties in a field environment or with the utility uniform in a nontactical environment when authorized by local commander.

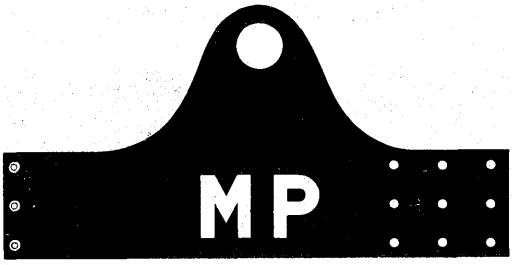


Figure 26-176. Brassard, military police.

(9) *Mourning brassard.* Plain black or black crepe material. Worn on the Army uniform, at the discretion of the wearer, only when actually present at a funeral or enroute thereto or therefrom. Worn by funeral escorts when and as prescribed by the Secretary of the Army.



Figure 26–177. Brassard, mourning.

(10) *Movement control brassard.* On a brick red background, the words "MOVEMENT CONTROL" in golden yellow block letters. Worn by military movement control personnel and other designated personnel, when prescribed, in the field.



Figure 26–178. Brassard, movement control.

(11) *Officer Of The Day brassard.* On a dark blue background the letters "OD" in yellow block letters. Worn by the officer of the day as designated by appropriate commanders.



Figure 26–179. Brassard, Officer of the Day.

(12) *Officer Of The Guard brassard.* On a dark blue background the letters "OG" in yellow block letters. Worn by the officer of the guard as designated by appropriate commanders.



Figure 26–180. Brassard, Officer of the Guard.

(13) *Photographer brassard.* On an ultramarine blue background, the words "US ARMY PHOTOGRAPHER" on two lines in golden orange block letters. Worn by U.S. Army photographers when actually performing photographic duty.

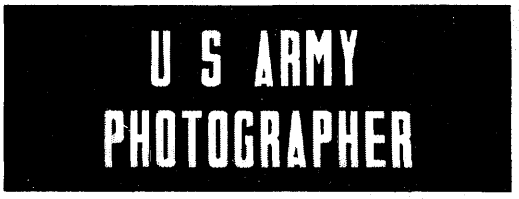


Figure 26–181. Brassard, Photographer.

(14) *Port brassard.* On a brick red background, the letters "TC" in golden yellow block letters. Worn by military personnel of the Transportation Corps when prescribed by the port or Army terminal commander.



Figure 26–182. Brassard, port.

(15) *Trainees in leadership courses brassard.* On a dark blue background, a golden yellow and dark blue "compass rose." Worn by all students attending leadership courses.

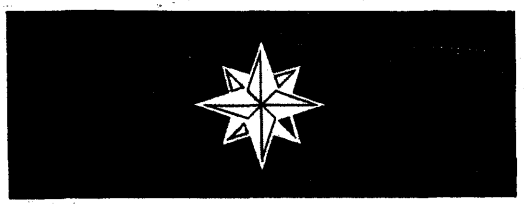


Figure 26-183. Brassard, trainees in leadership courses.

(16) *Unit police brassard.* On a dark blue background, the letters "UP" in yellow block letters. Worn by Army personnel other than members of the Military Police Corps while performing as unit traffic guides, courtesy patrols, security guards and other police-type functions when prescribed by the commanding officer.

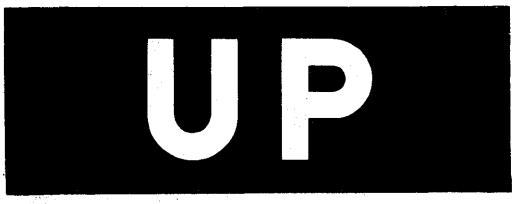


Figure 26-184. Brassard, unit police.

(17) *Veterinary Corp brassard.* A green cross on a white background. Worn by members of the Veterinary Service when prescribed.

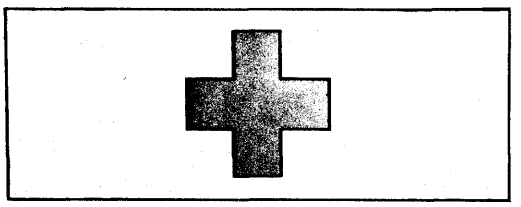


Figure 26-185. Brassard, Veterinary Corps.

26-28. Insignia for civilians. *a. Description.* On khaki colored cloth background 3 inches long and 2½ inches wide, a dark blue equilateral triangle 1¼ inches long per side with the letters "US" in khaki color, ¼ inch wide and ½ inch high. The insignia will also indicate the designated assignment in dark blue letters one-fourth inch high.

(1) Designations authorized are as follows:
(*a*) SCIENTIFIC CONSULTANT.
(*b*) OPERATIONS ANALYST.
(*c*) WAR CORRESPONDENT.
(*d*) TECHNICAL OBSERVER.
(*e*) ORDNANCE TECHNICIAN.
(*f*) CHAUFFEUR.
(*g*) MESSENGER.
(*h*) LOGISTICS SPECIALIST.

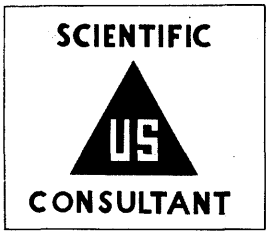


Figure 26-186. Insignia, civilians.

(2) Insignia for other civilians performing duties not listed above will conform to above description except insignia will not denote duty assignment.

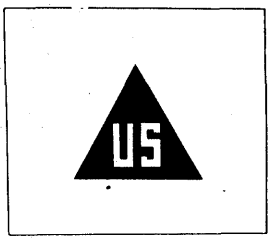


Figure 26-187. Insignia, other civilians.

b. How worn. Civilians accompanying US Army forces in the field will wear the insignia listed above on the left breast pocket of the outer garment or in a comparable position on an outer garment having no pockets. The insignia will also be worn centered on the left curtain of the garrison cap, 1 inch from the front crease.

26-29. Distinctive items authorized for infantry personnel. *a. Cord, shoulder.*

(1) *Description.* Shoulder cord of infantry blue formed by a series of interlocking square knots around a center cord.

(2) *Approval authority.* General officers commanding an organization normally commanded by a major general are authorized to award the shoulder cord to individuals successfully completing appro-

priate training. Individuals possessing the Combat Infantryman Badge or Expert Infantryman Badge will be awarded the shoulder cord upon assignment to an infantry TOE unit. Oversea MACOM commanders are also authorized to award the shoulder cord in accordance with criteria covered above. The shoulder cord will be presented at a suitable ceremony. The shoulder cord will be issued without cost to the individual.

(3) *How worn.* The shoulder cord will be worn on the right shoulder of the Army tan shirts, Army green, Army blue and Army white uniform coats, passed under the arm and over the right shoulder under the shoulder loop and secured to the button on the shoulder loop.

(4) *By whom worn.* Officers and enlisted personnel of the infantry who have been awarded the Combat Infantryman badge, the Expert Infantryman badge, or who have, as members of assigned infantry units, successfully completed the basic unit phase of an Army training program or the equivalent thereof. Personnel who have completed basic training, advanced individual training, one station unit training resulting in the award of an infantry MOS, and subsequently serve 1 year with an infantry unit of brigade or regiment size or smaller are considered as having met the training requirement under the "equivalent thereof" provision.

(5) *When worn.* During the period of assignment to an infantry regiment, brigade, separate infantry battalion, infantry company, infantry platoon or infantry TDA unit. Personnel who are transferred from the unit will not be authorized to wear the shoulder cord until they are reassigned to an infantry unit. As an exception to the above, the infantry shoulder cord may be worn by qualified personnel while assigned duty as Army recruiters or during assignment at brigade or lower level in BT, AIT, or OSUT infantry units.

b. Insignia disk; Branch and "U.S.".

(1) *Description.* A plastic disk of infantry blue, 1¼ inches in diameter.

(2) *Approval authority.* MACOM commanders. The insignia will be issued without cost to enlisted personnel.

(3) *How worn.* The blue infantry disk will be worn secured beneath the branch of service and "U.S." insignia, with a ⅛-inch border around the insignia on the Army tan, Army green, Army blue and Army white uniforms.

(4) *By whom worn.* Enlisted personnel of the infantry.

(5) *When worn.* Upon completion of the advanced individual training program and assignment to an infantry TOE brigade, regiment or smaller unit, or to an infantry table of distribution unit. Personnel who are transferred from the unit will not be authorized to wear the Infantry blue Disk until they are reassigned to an infantry unit. As an exception to the above, the infantry blue disk may be worn by qualified personnel while assigned as Army recruiters or during assignment at brigade or lower level in BT, AIT, or OSUT infantry units.

c. Insignia disk, service cap.

(1) *Description.* A plastic disk of infantry blue, 1¾ inches in diameter.

(2) *Approval authority.* Major commanders. The insignia will be issued without cost to enlisted personnel.

(3) *How worn.* The blue infantry disk will be worn secured beneath the insignia on the service cap.

(4) *By whom worn.* Enlisted personnel of the infantry.

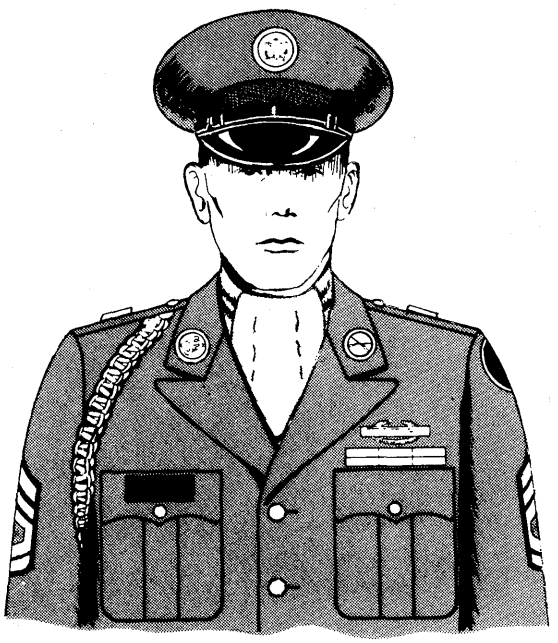


Figure 26–188. Distinctive items authorized for infantry personnel.

(5) *When worn.* Upon completion of the advanced individual training program and assignment to an infantry TOE brigade, regiment or smaller unit, or to an infantry table of distribution unit. Personnel who are transferred from the unit will

not be authorized to wear the infantry blue disk until they are reassigned to an infantry unit. As an exception to the above, the infantry blue disk may be worn by qualified personnel while assigned as Army recruiters or during assignment at brigade or lower level in BT, AIT, or OSUT infantry units.

26–30. Distinctive items authorized for other than infantry personnel.

a. Ranger tab.

(1) *Approval authority.* The Commandant of the US Army Infantry School may award the Ranger tab to any person who successfully completed a Ranger course conducted by that school. The Commanding General, MILPERCEN, may award the Ranger tab to any person who was awarded the Combat Infantryman badge while serving as a member of a Ranger battalion (1st–6th inclusive) or in the 5307th Composite Unit, Provisional (Merrill's Marauders) or to any person who successfully completed a Ranger course conducted by the Ranger Training Command. The Ranger tab will be issued without charge to the individual.

(2) *Description.* The full color tab is 2⅜ inches long, 11/16 inch wide, with a ⅛-inch yellow border and the word RANGER inscribed in yellow letters 5/16 inch high. The subdued tab is identical except the background will be olive drab and the word RANGER will be black letters.

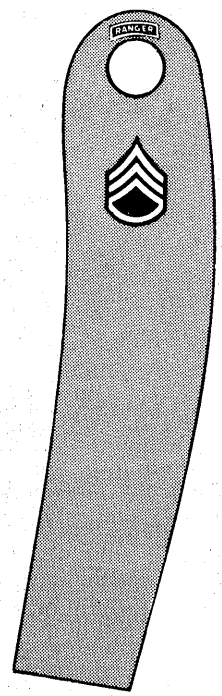


Figure 26-189. Wear of RANGER tab.

(3) *How worn.* The full color tab is worn ½ inch below the shoulder seam on the left sleeve of the Army green uniform coat and the Army tan uniform shirt. The subdued tab is worn one-half inch below the shoulder seam on the left sleeve of the field jacket, utility shirts, and the OG-108 wool shirt.

(4) *By whom worn.* In addition to the personnel authorized in paragraph 26-30*a*(1), above, qualified personnel assigned to Ranger units, Ranger department, US Army Infantry School and active duty advisors to Reserve Ranger units are authorized to wear the Ranger tab on and off duty.

b. Flash.

(1) *Description.* A shield-shaped felt or embroidered flash with a semicircular bottom approximately 2¼ inches long 1⅞ inches wide.

(2) *Approval authority.* Color selection and/or color combination of the flash will be approved for each organization by The Institute of Heraldry. The flash will be provided without cost to enlisted personnel.

(3) *How worn.* The flash will be sewn centered on the stiffener of the beret beneath the insignia of grade or distinctive unit insignia.



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Figure 26-190. Wear of flashes.

(4) *By whom worn.* By personnel authorized to wear a beret. Personnel assigned to special forces units will wear the unit flash only if special forces qualified.

c. Airborne Background Trimming.

(1) *Approval authority.* Background trimming is authorized for wear with the parachutist or air assault badges. Subject to the approval of the Institute of Heraldry, US Army, in each case, a background trimming is authorized for organizations consisting of personnel awarded one of the badges and designated "Airborne" by HQDA. When a background trimming has been authorized such background trimming will be worn by all personnel of the organization who have been awarded one of the badges. Appropriated funds will be used to provide newly joined enlisted personnel with the background trimming without cost to the individual soldier. Background trimmings may also be purchased through the use of nonappropriated funds if appropriated funds are not available.

(2) *Description.* Generally an oval shaped device of distinctive colors, 1⅜ inches in height and 2¼ inches in width of embroidered cloth.

(3) *How worn.* The trimming will be worn beneath any of the authorized parachutist badges. The badge will be centered on the background trimming.

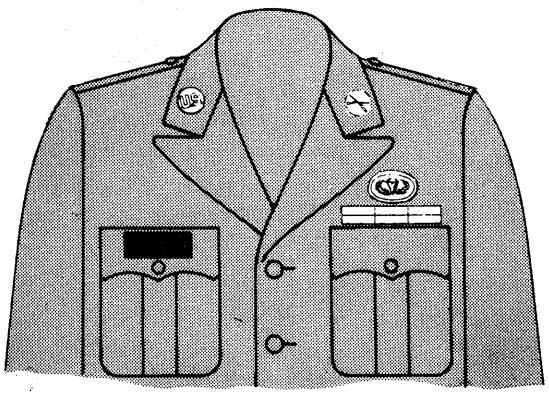


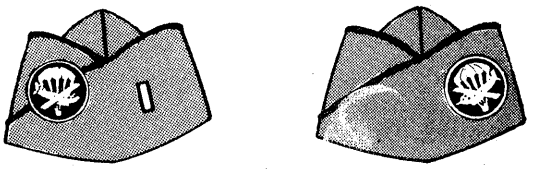
Figure 26-191. Wear of Airborne background trimming.

(4) *By whom worn.* By all personnel of an organization authorized a background trimming who have been awarded one of the parachutist badges or air assault badge.

d. Airborne insignia.

(1) *Description.* A white parachute and glider on a blue disk, with a red border, approximately 2¼ inches in diameter.

(2) *Approval authority.* Airborne organization commanders. One each Airborne insignia will be provided enlisted personnel without cost. Officers will wear the Airborne Insignia centered on the right curtain of the garrison cap, 1 inch from the front crease. Enlisted personnel will wear the Airborne insignia, centered on the left curtain of the garrison cap, 1 inch from the front crease.



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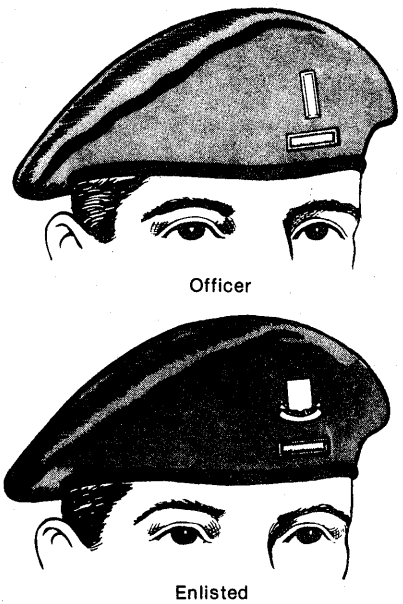
Figure 26-192. Wear of airborne insignia.

(4) *By whom worn.* All airborne-qualified personnel when prescribed by airborne organization commanders and airborne qualified personnel performing duty as Army recruiters or those airborne-qualified personnel assigned duty at brigade or lower level in BT, AIT, and OSUT units.

e. Special Forces recognition bar.

(1) *Description.* A felt embroidered bar approximately 1⅞ inches long and ½ inch wide in the same colors as the flash.

(2) *How worn.* The bar will be sewn below the insignia of grade or distinctive unit insignia on the beret and spaced equidistant between the upper edge of the hatband and the lower edge of the grade or distinctive unit insignia.



Officer

Enlisted

Figure 26-193. Wear of Special Forces recognition bar.

(3) *By whom worn.* Personnel assigned to special forces groups who have not been awarded the additional skill identifier 5G or the special qualification identifier "S." The bar will be furnished without cost to the individual.

CHAPTER 27

WEARING OF DECORATIONS, SERVICE MEDALS, BADGES, UNIT AWARDS AND APPURTENANCES

Section I. GENERAL INFORMATION

27-1. General. This chapter covers the decorations, medals, badges, unit awards and appurtenances, both US and foreign, which are authorized for wear on the Army uniforms.

27-2. Authorization. AR 672-5-1 provides the authorization and qualifying criteria for the US decorations, service medals, badges, unit awards and appurtenances, worn on the Army uniform.

27-3. Definition of terms. The following is a list of terms and general definitions as they relate to this regulation. See AR 310-25 for complete and official definitions.

a. Award—An all-inclusive term covering any decoration, medal, badge, ribbon, or appurtenance bestowed on an individual or unit.

b. Decoration—An award to an individual for a specific individual act of gallantry or meritorious service.

c. Service medal—An award made to those who have participated in designated wars, campaigns, expeditions or who have fulfilled in a creditable manner, specified service requirements.

d. Unit award—An award made to an operating unit and worn by members of that unit who participated in the cited action. Sometimes also authorized for temporary wear by other personnel while actually serving in the cited unit.

e. Medal—An award issued to an individual for performance of certain duties, acts or services, consisting of a suspension ribbon made in distinctive colors from which hangs a medallion.

f. Ribbon or ribbon bar—A portion of the suspension ribbon of a medal worn in lieu of the medal and made in the form of a bar, 1⅜ inches long by ⅜ inches wide.

g. Miniature medal—A replica of a regular size medal, made to a scale one-half that of the original. The Medal of Honor is not worn in miniature.

h. Rossette—A lapel device made by gathering the suspension ribbon of the medal into a circular shape and worn on civilian clothing.

i. Lapel button—A miniature enameled replica of the ribbon bar and worn on civilian clothing.

j. Appurtenance—Devices such as stars, letters or clasps worn on the suspension ribbon of the medal, or on the ribbon bar which indicate additional awards or participation in specific events.

k. Badge—An award to an individual for identification puroses or for attaining a special skill or proficiency which consists of a pin-on medallion which is sometimes hung from a bar. Certain badges are available in full size, miniature and dress miniature sizes.

27-4. When the wear of awards is authorized.

a. Commanders may prescribe the wearing of awards on the following occasions:

(1) Parades, reviews, inspections and funerals.

(2) Ceremonial and social occasions.

b. On normal duty when the service or dress uniform is worn, awards may be worn at the option of the wearer when not prohibited. Awards may also be worn on the service or dress uniform when off duty.

27-5. When the wear of awards is prohibited. The wear of awards is prohibited on the following occasions:

a. On any uniform other than authorized in this chapter. See Section 704, Title 18, United States Code, for penalty of unauthorized wear.

b. By officers when suspended from rank or com-

mand.

c. By enlisted personnel while serving a sentence of confinement.

d. When wearing civilian clothing except for civilian awards, lapel buttons or rosettes made for wear with civilian clothing. Personnel may wear miniature medals at formal military social functions.

Section II. PRECEDENCE OF AWARDS, DECORATIONS AND MEDALS

27–6. Order of precedence by category of medal. The following list indicates the order of precedence by category, when medals from two or more categories are worn at the same time.

a. US military decorations.
b. US unit awards.
c. US nonmilitary decorations.
d. Good Conduct Medal.
e. US campaign and service medals.
f. US merchant marine awards.
g. Foreign military decorations.
h. Foreign unit awards.
i. Non-US Service awards.
j. Foreign Service awards.

27–7. Order of precedence within categories of medals. The following lists indicate the order of precedence within each category, when two or more medals from each category are worn at the same time.

a. US Military Decorations. Listed below in their order of precedence are the US military decorations authorized for wear on the Army uniform.

(1) Medal of Honor (Army, Navy, Air Force).
(2) Distinguished Service Cross.
(3) Navy Cross.
(4) Air Force Cross.
(5) Defense Distinguished Service Medal.
(6) Distinguished Service Medal (Army, Navy, Air Force, Coast Guard).
(7) Silver Star.
(8) Defense Superior Service Medal.
(9) Legion of Merit.
(10) Distinguished Flying Cross.
(11) Soldier's Medal.
(12) Navy and Marine Corps Medal.
(13) Airman's Medal.
(14) Coast Guard Medal.
(15) Bronze Star Medal.
(16) Defense Meritorious Service Medal.
(17) Meritorious Service Medal.
(18) Air Medal.
(19) Joint Service Commendation Medal.
(20) Army Commendation Medal.
(21) Navy Commendation Medal.
(22) Air Force Commendation Medal.
(23) Coast Guard Commendation Medal.
(24) Army Achievement Medal.
(25) Navy Achievement Medal.
(26) Purple Heart.
(27) Combat Action Ribbon.

b. US unit awards. Listed below in their order of precedence are the US unit awards authorized for wear on the Army uniform.

(1) Presidential Unit Citation (Army, Navy).
(2) Valorous Unit Commendation.
(3) Meritorious Unit Commendation.
(4) Navy Unit Commendation.
(5) Meritorious Unit Commendation (Navy).
(6) Air Force Outstanding Unit Award.
(7) Coast Guard Unit Commendation.
(8) Air Force Organizational Excellence Award.
(9) Coast Guard Meritorious Unit Commendation.

c. US nonmilitary decorations. Listed below in their order of precedence are the US nonmilitary decorations authorized for wear on the Army uniform.

(1) Presidential Medal of Freedom.
(2) Gold Lifesaving Medal.
(3) Medal of Merit.
(4) Silver Lifesaving Medal.
(5) National Security Medal.
(6) Medal of Freedom.
(7) Distinquished Civilian Service Medal.
(8) Outstanding Civilian Service Medal.

d. Good Conduct Medal. Follows US non-military decorations in order of precedence for wear on the Army uniform. Good conduct medals from the other Services will follow the Army Good Conduct Medal.

e. US campaign and service medals. Listed below in their order of precedence are the US service medals authorized for wear after the good conduct medal. Service medals awarded by the other Services may also be worn on the Army uniform ex-

cept the Air Force Longevity Service Award Ribbon. Army National Guard personnel may wear State service medals while serving in State status only.

(1) American Defense Service Medal.
(2) Women's Army Corps Service Medal.
(3) American Campaign Medal.
(4) Asiatic—Pacific Campaign Medal.
(5) European—African—Middle Eastern Campaign Medal.
(6) World War II Victory Medal.
(7) Army of Occupation Medal.
(8) Medal for Humane Action.
(9) National Defense Service Medal.
(10) Korean Service Medal.
(11) Antarctica Service Medal.
(12) Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal.
(13) Vietnam Service Medal.
(14) Humanitarian Service Medal.
(15) Armed Forces Reserve Medal.
(16) Army Reserve Components Achievement Medal.
(17) NCO Academy Ribbon.
(18) Army Service Ribbon.
(19) Overseas Ribbon.

f. US Merchant Marine awards. Listed below in their order of precedence are the US Merchant Marine awards authorized for wear on the Army uniform.

(1) Merchant Marine Gallant Ship Unit Citation.
(2) Merchant Marine Defense Bar.
(3) Merchant Marine Combat Bar.
(4) Merchant Marine war zone bars.
(*a*) Atlantic War Zone.
(*b*) Mediterranean—Middle East War Zone.
(*c*) Pacific War Zone.
(5) Merchant Marine Victory Medal.
(6) Merchant Marine Korean Service Bar.
(7) Merchant Marine Vietnam Service Bar.

g. Foreign military decorations. Personnel who have been specifically authorized by law to accept decorations from foreign governments may wear them in the order of their receipt after all US decorations, Good Conduct Medal, Campaign and service medals except that no foreign decorations will be worn on the uniform unless at least one US decoration or service medal is worn at the same time.

h. Foreign unit awards. The following foreign unit awards, listed in their order of precedence, are authorized for wear on the Army uniform when at least one US decoration or service medal is worn at the same time.

(1) Philippine Republic Presidential Unit Citation.
(2) Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation.
(3) Vietnam Presidential Unit Citation.
(4) Republic of Vietnam Gallantry Cross Unit Citation.
(5) Republic of Vietnam Civil Actions Unit Citation.
(6) Fourragere's (no order of precedence).
(*a*) French Fourragere.
(*b*) Belgian Fourragere.
(*c*) Netherlands Orange Lanyard.

i. Non-US service medals and ribbons. The following non-US service awards, listed in their order of precedence, are authorized for wear on the Army uniform when at least one US decoration or service medal is worn at the same time. No other foreign service medal may be worn unless the wearer was awarded such medal while a bona fide member of the armed forces of a friendly foreign nation.

(1) Philippine Defense Ribbon
(2) Philippine Liberation Ribbon
(3) Philippine Independence Ribbon
(4) United Nations Service Medal
(5) United Nations Medal
(6) Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal

Section III. MANNER OF WEARING DECORATIONS AND MEDALS

27–8. Manner of wear of full-size decorations and service medals. *a. Where worn.* Full-size decorations and service medals may only be worn on the Army blue uniform, Army white uniform, and the Army green uniform when worn for social function.

b. How worn. All decorations and service medals, except the Medal of Honor, will be worn in the order of precedence from the wearer's right to left, in one or more lines, with ⅛-inch space between lines. No line will contain fewer medals than the line above it. The medals will be worn as follows:

(1) *Male personnel.* The medals will be worn immediately above the left breast pocket in as many lines as necessary to fit on the garment. Full size decorations or medals will not overlap within a line. Length of lines depends on number of medals worn and width of the garment.

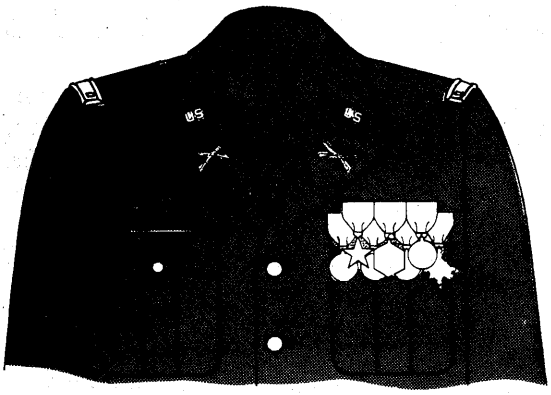


Figure 27–1. Wear of decorations and Service medals, male.

(2) *Female personnel.* The medals will be worn centered on the left side of the Army blue uniform coat with the bottom line positioned parallel to the top edge of the top button of the uniform. The placement of the medals may be adjusted slightly to conform to individual figure differences. Not more than three medals will be worn in a line.

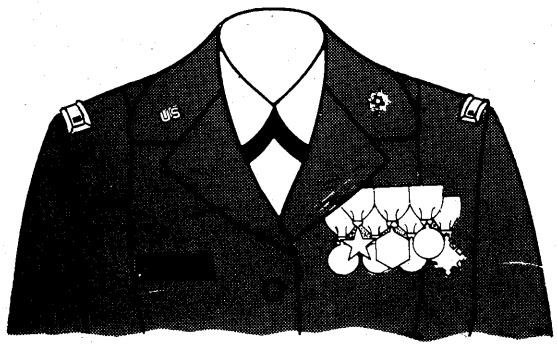
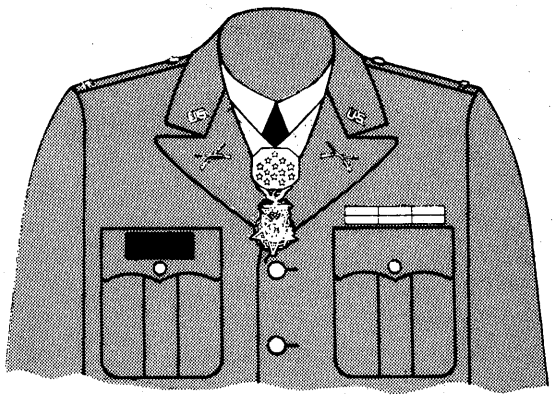
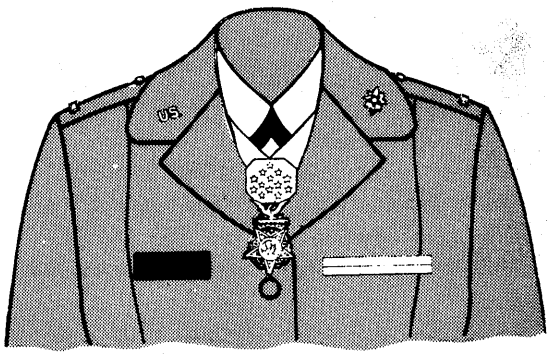


Figure 27–2. Wear of decorations and Service medals, female.

c. Medal of Honor. The Medal of Honor is worn with the neckband ribbon around the neck, outside the shirt collar and inside the coat collar, with the medal hanging over the necktie, near the collar.



Male



Female

Figure 27–3. Wear of the Medal of Honor.

27–9. Manner of wear of the Presidential Medal of Freedom. *a. Components.* The components of the Presidential Medal of Freedom are as follows:

(1) Broad ribbons with rosette and badge.
(2) Star.
(3) Medal with neck ribbon.
(4) Miniature medal.
(5) Service ribbon.
(6) Lapel emblem.
(7) Medal with ribbon bow.

b. Broad ribbon with rosette and badge. The broad ribbon will only be worn with the Army blue evening dress uniform for male personnel and with

the Army white evening dress and Army black evening dress uniforms for female personnel. For male personnel the ribbon will be worn under the jacket but over the vest and for female personnel the ribbon will be worn under the jacket. The ribbon will be worn over the right shoulder with the ends fastened together at the left hip. The broad ribbon with the rosette and badge is only worn with the star and not with the miniature medal. The badge is attached in the center of the rosette of the broad ribbon. The broad ribbon will not be worn with any other uniforms.

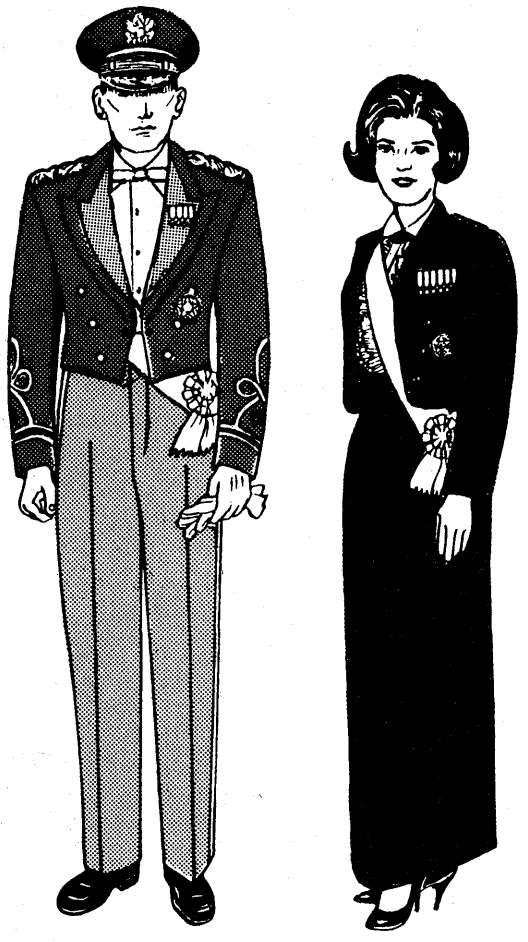


Figure 27-4. Wear of the Presidential Medal of Freedom.

c. Star. The star will be worn on the left side above the waistline as follows:

(1) Male personnel. On the Army green, Army white, Army blue, Army white mess, Army blue mess and Army blue evening dress uniforms.

(2) Female personnel. On the Army green pantsuit, Army green, Army white, Army blue, Army white mess, Army all-white mess, Army black mess, Army white evening dress and Army black evening dress uniforms.

(3) On the male and female evening dress uniforms, the star will be worn above and not affixed to the broad ribbon.

d. Medal with neck ribbon. The medal with the neck ribbon will be worn suspended around the neck with the ribbon worn under the coat at the collar and the medal exposed on the same uniforms as the star in *c* above.

e. Miniature Medal. The miniature medal may be worn alone, in lieu of the star or medal with neck ribbon, or when other miniature decorations are being worn.

f. Service ribbon. The Service ribbon may be worn alone, in lieu of the star or medal with neck ribbon, or when other service ribbons are being worn. When service ribbons are worn no other component of the decoration will be worn.

g. Lapel emblem. The lapel emblem consists of an eagle with an attached narrow ribbon for male personnel and an eagle on a small bow of narrow ribbon for female personnel, and is worn on civilian clothing. Male personnel will wear the emblem on the left lapel of a business suit, with the ribbon extending over the edge of the lapel and fastened to the prong of the eagle behind the lapel. Female personnel will wear the emblem on the left lapel of a suit or the upper left side of a dress.

h. Medal with ribbon bow. The medal with ribbon bow will be worn on the left side near the shoulder of civilian clothing by female personnel.

27–10. Manner of wear of multiple neck ribbons, broad ribbons, sashes and stars. *a. Wearing more than one broad ribbon, sash or star.* An individual who has been awarded more than one decoration which includes a broad ribbon or sash and star, will wear only one broad ribbon or sash and not more than four stars, at one time. The broad ribbon with badge and star of the Presidential Medal of Freedom will take precedence over all other broad ribbons or sashes and stars. Stars will be worn as follows:

(1) *Two stars.* Along side or above the first star.

(2) *Three stars.* In a triangle with the point of the triangle up.

(3) *Four stars.* The fourth star will be centered beneath the triangle of three stars.

b. Wearing more than one neck ribbon. An individual may not wear more than two decorations with neck ribbons at one time. The decoration with the highest precedence will be worn suspended above the other. The Medal of Honor will take precedence over all other decorations with neck ribbons.

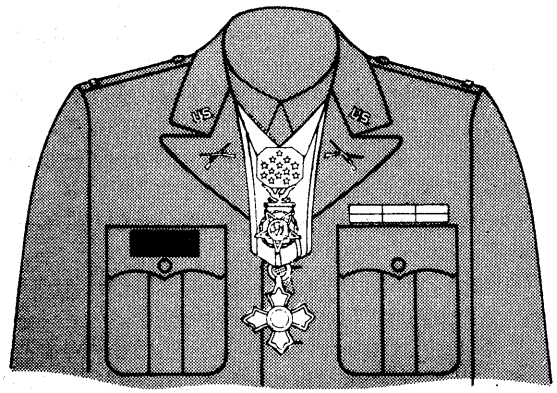


Figure 27-5. Wear of multiple neck ribbons, male.

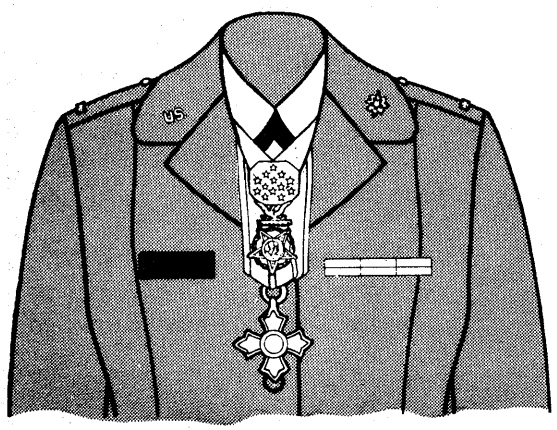


Figure 27-6. Wear of multiple neck ribbons, female.

27-11. Manner of wear of Service ribbons and lapel buttons. *a. Service ribbons.*

(1) *Where worn.* Service ribbons representing decorations and service medals may be worn on the following uniforms.

(*a*) *Male personnel.* On the Army tan, Army green, Army white and Army blue uniforms.

(*b*) *Female personnel.* On the Army green cord, AG-388 skirt and jackets, AG-388 dress and jackets, Army green pantsuit, Army green, Army white and Army blue uniforms.

(2) *How worn.* Service ribbons will be worn in the order of precedence from the wearer's right to left in one or more lines either without a space between lines or a $\frac{1}{8}$-inch space between lines. No line will contain more than four service ribbons. The service ribbons will be worn as follows:

(*a*) *Male personnel.* The service ribbons will be worn one-eighth inch above the left breast pocket in as many lines as necessary to fit on the uniform.

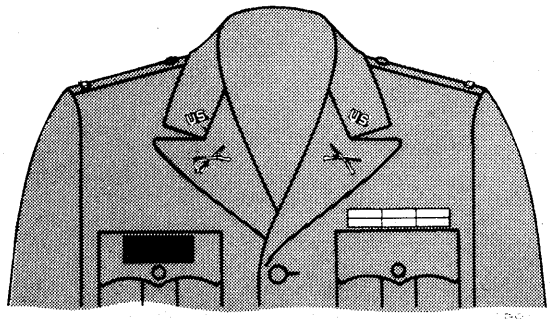


Figure 27-7. Wear of Service ribbons, male.

(*b*) *Female personnel.* The service ribbons will be worn centered on the left side of the uniform coat or jacket, with the bottom line positioned parallel to the top edge of the top button of the uniform.

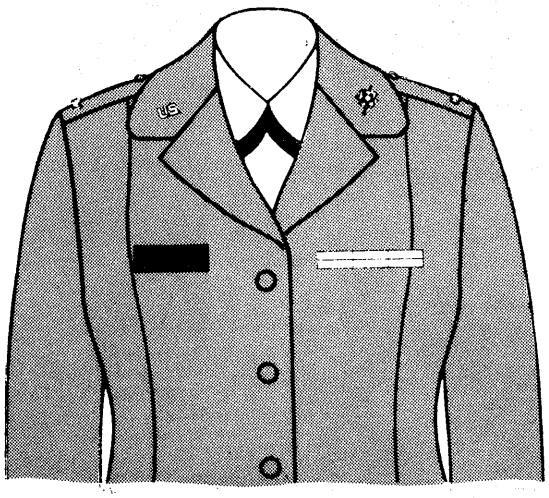


Figure 27-8. Wear of Service ribbons, female.

b. Lapel buttons. Lapel buttons in the form of miniature service ribbons and badges may be worn

on the left lapel of civilian clothing only.

27–12. Manner of wear of miniature decorations and service medals. Except for the Medal of Honor and the Legion of Merit in the degree of Chief Commander and Commander, of which there are no miniatures, only miniature decorations and service medals are authorized for wear on the mess and evening dress uniforms.

a. Where worn. Miniature decorations and service medals may be worn on the following uniforms:

(1) *Male personnel.* On the Army white, Army blue, Army white mess, Army blue mess and Army blue evening dress uniforms.

(2) *Female personnel.* On the Army white, Army blue, Army white mess, Army all-white mess, Army black mess, Army white evening dress and Army black evening dress uniforms.

b. How worn. Miniature decorations and service medals will be worn in the order of precedence from the wearer's right to left, and may be worn side by side or overlapped, so that each medal partially covers the medal at its left with the right medal showing in full. The overlap will not exceed 50 percent and will be equal for all medals. Miniature medals will be worn as follows:

(1) *Male personnel.* The medals will be worn in one or more lines on the left lapel and will not extend beyond the edge of the lapel on the Army white mess, Army blue mess and Army blue evening dress uniforms. When miniature medals are worn on the Army white and Army blue uniforms, the uniforms must be worn with a bow tie and the miniature medals will be worn above the left breast pocket in the same manner as for full size medals.

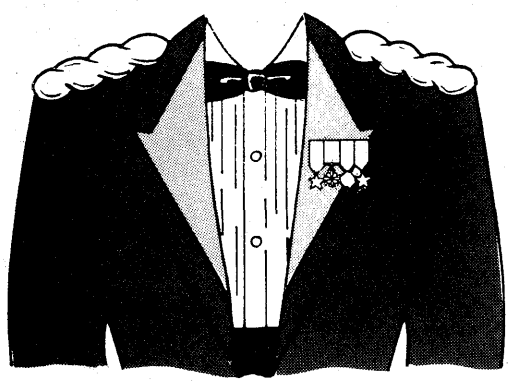


Figure 27–9. Wear of miniature decorations and Service medals, male.

(2) *Female personnel.* The medals will be worn centered on the left side of the uniform coat or jacket with the bottom line positioned parallel to the top edge of the top button of the Army white and Army blue uniform coats and in a similar position on the Army mess and Army evening dress uniform jackets. When miniature decorations and medal are placed on a bar, the length of the bar will not exceed 4 ⅛ inches. The placement of the medals may be adjusted slightly to conform to individual figure differences.

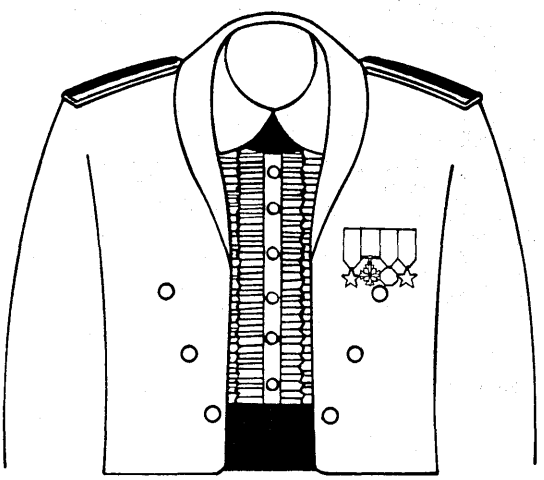


Figure 27–10. Wear of miniature decorations and Service medals, female.

27–13. Manner of wear of US and foreign unit award emblems. Unit award emblems with frames will be worn with the laurel leaves of the frame pointing upward. Only one emblem representing the same unit award will be worn. Emblems may be worn as prescribed when wearing full size medals or service ribbons but will not be worn with miniature medals. See appendix F for authority to wear US unit awards on a temporary or permanent basis.

a. Where worn. US and foreign unit award emblems may be worn on the following uniforms:

(1) Male personnel. On the Army tan, Army green, Army white and Army blue uniforms.

(2) Female personnel. On the Army green cord, AG–388 skirt and jacket, AG–388 dress and jacket, Army green pantsuit, and Army green, Army white, and Army blue uniforms.

(3) Fourrageres and lanyards are also authorized for wear on the Army mess and Army evening dress uniforms.

b. How worn. All unit award emblems will be worn in the order of precedence from the wearer's right to left in lines of not more than three emblems per line, with up to ⅛-inch space between the lines. The emblems will be worn as follows:

(1) *Male personnel.* The emblem will be worn centered one-eighth inch above the right breast pocket.

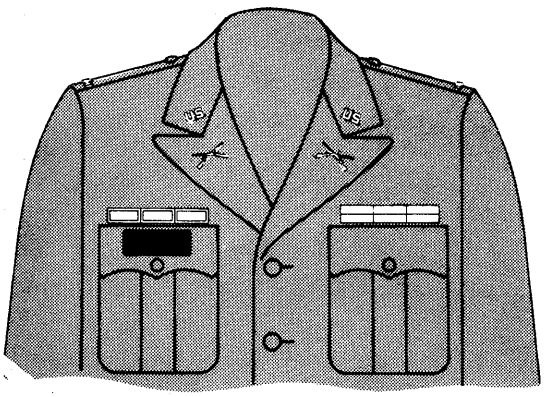


Figure 27–11. Wear of US and foreign unit awards, male.

(2) *Female personnel.* The emblems will be worn centered on the right side of the uniform with the bottom edge one-eighth inch above the top edge of the nameplate.

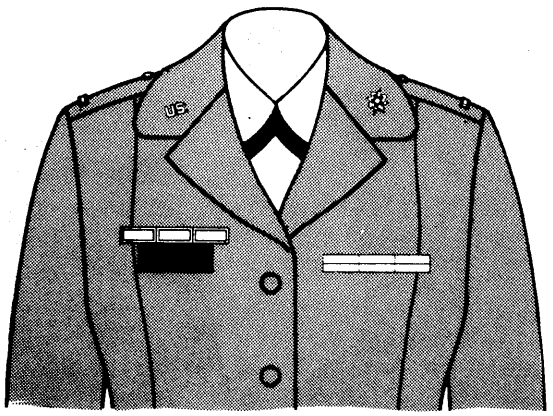


Figure 27–12. Wear of US and foreign unit awards, female.

c. Foreign unit awards. If a foreign unit award emblem is worn, at least one other US decoration, Service medal, or unit award must also be worn. Foreign unit awards will be worn as follows:

(1) *French Fourragere.* An individual assigned or permanently attached to, and present for duty with a unit during both of the actions for which a fourragere was awarded may wear the fourragere as a permanent part of the uniform. Persons who were present in only one action are not authorized to wear the fourragere. An individual assigned or permanently attached to a unit which has been awarded the fourragere, but who was not present with the unit in both actions for which the fourragere was awarded may wear the fourragere as a temporary part of the uniform only so long as they remain with that unit. The forragere is worn on the left shoulder, the cord passing under the sleeve.

(2) *Belgian fourragere.* An individual assigned or permanently attached to, and present for duty with, a unit during both actions for which it was cited may wear the fourragere as a permanent part of the uniform. Persons who were present only in one action are not authorized to wear the fourragere. It is not authorized for temporary wear. The fourragere is worn on the left shoulder, the cord passing under the sleeve.

(3) *Netherlands Orange Lanyard.* An individual assigned or permanently attached to, and present for duty with, a unit during the action for which an Orange Lanyard was awarded may wear the Orange Lanyard as a permanent part of the uniform. It is not authorized for temporary wear.

(4) *Philippine Republic Presidential Unit Citation Badge.* An individual assigned to, and present for duty in, the Philippine Islands with one or more units cited by the Philippine Government at any time during the periods specified in paragraph 9-44, AR 672-5-1, may wear the Philippine Republic Presidential Unit Citation Badge as a permanent part of the uniform. It is not authorized for temporary wear. The blue of the badge will be worn by an individual and no oak leaf cluster or other appurtenance is authorized.

(5) *Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation Badge.* An individual assigned to, and present for duty with, a unit at any time during the period for which the unit was cited may wear the Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation Badge as a permanent part of the uniform. It is not authorized for temporary wear. The red portion of the central figure is worn uppermost. Not more than one such badge will be worn by any individual and no oak leaf cluster or other appurtenance is authorized.

(6) *Vietnam Presidential Unit Citation Badge.* An individual assigned to and present for duty with the Military Assistance Advisory Group, Indo-China, during the months of August and September 1954 may wear the ribbon as a permanent part of the uniform. It is not authorized for temporary wear.

(7) *Republic of Vietnam Gallantry Cross Unit Citation Badge.* An individual assigned to, and present for duty with, a unit at anytime during the period of action cited, or an individual who was attached by competent orders to, and present for duty, with a unit for a minimum of 30 consecutive days of the period of action cited is authorized to wear Republic of Vietnam Gallantry Cross Unit Citation Badge as a permanent part of the uniform. It is not authorized for temporary wear.

(8) *Republic of Vietnam Civil Actions Unit Citation Badge.* An individual assigned to, and present for duty with, a unit at anytime during the period cited, or an individual who was attached to competent orders to, and was present for duty with, a unit or a minimum of 30 consecutive days of the period cited is authorized to wear the Republic of Vietnam Civil Actions Medal Unit Citation Badge as a permanent part of the uniform. It is not authorized for temporary wear.

(9) *Gallantry Cross and Civil Actions Medal.* Not more than one Gallantry Cross and one Civil Actions Medal will be worn by any individual. This precludes wear of the Vietnamese fourrageres which represents additional unit awards.

27–14. Manner of wear of appurtenances. Appurtenances are devices affixed to service ribbons and suspension ribbons for decorations, medals and awards. They are worn to denote an additional award, participation in a specific event, or other distinguishing characteristic of an award. The following appurtenances are authorized for wear on decorations, medals and awards.

a. Oak leaf clusters. Will be attached to the service ribbon and suspension ribbon of the awards to denote additional awards with the stems of the leaves pointing to the wearer's right side. If four oak leaf clusters are worn on the suspension ribbon, the fourth one will be placed above the middle one in the row of three.

b. "V" device. The "V" device is worn centered on the service ribbon and suspension ribbon to denote Valor on the Air Medal, Bronze Star Medal, Army Commendation Medal and Joint Service Commendation Medal. Not more than one "V" device will be worn on a ribbon. When worn with an oak leaf cluster or numerals, the "V" device will be worn to the wearer's right.

c. Numerals. Arabic numerals will be worn centered on the service ribbon and suspension ribbon of the Air Medal and Humanitarian Service Medal to denote additional awards. The numeral is worn on the NCO ribbon to indicate level of instruction and on the oversea service ribbon to indicate number of overseas tours.

d. Clasps. The Good Conduct Medal clasp is worn on the service ribbon and suspension ribbon of the Good Conduct Medal to denote additional awards. All other clasps are worn only on the suspension ribbon of the award and denote battle campaigns and service campaigns.

e. Service stars. Service stars are worn to denote an additional award and are centered on the service ribbon and suspension ribbon with one point upward. Additional service stars will be worn side by side, each with one point upward. A silver service star worn in lieu of five bronze service stars, is worn to the wearer's right of a bronze service star and left of an arrowhead.

f. Arrowhead. The arrowhead is worn on the service ribbon and suspension ribbon of the Asiatic-Pacific Campaign, European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign, Korean Service and Vietnam Service Medals, with the point facing upward in a vertical direction and is worn to the wearer's right of all service stars. Only one arrowhead will be worn on any one ribbon.

g. Berlin airlift device. The Berlin airlift device is a miniature replica of a C–54 Aircraft and is worn on the service and suspension ribbons of the Army of Occupation Medal with the nose pointed upward at a 30-degree angle to the wearer's right and above the "Germany" clasp.

h. Ten year device. The ten year device is worn centered on the service and suspension ribbons of the Armed Forces Reserve Medal. If two or more are authorized they will be placed side by side.

i. Antarctic wintered-over device. A clasp with the words "WINTERED OVER" is worn centered on the suspension ribbon and a disc with an outline of the Antarctic continent is worn on the service ribbon. The clasp and discs are in bronze for the first winter, gold for the second winter and silver for three or more winters.

Section IV. AUTHORIZED BADGES AND TABS

27-15. Badges authorized for wear on the Army uniform. The following badges are authorized for wear on the Army uniform:

a. Military badges awarded by the Departments of the Army, Navy and Air Force, including badges issued by the Director of Civilian Marksmanship.

b. Badges awarded by the Regular Army and Navy Union and by the Army and Navy Union of the United States.

c. Marksmanship badges pertaining to national matches and approved by HQDA.

d. Badges of civic and quasi-military societies of the United States and international organizations of a military nature, only while the wearer is actually attending meetings or functions of such organizations.

e. Badges awarded by friendly foreign nations in recognition of military activities and as authorized by AR 672-5-1.

f. Locally-authorized subdued badges approved in accordance with AR 672-5-1 if the badge designates a special skill. Badges will be furnished at no cost to the soldier and wear will be at the wearer's option.

g. Tabs indicating marksmanship or special skill. The President's Hundred and the Ranger tabs are the only tabs authorized for wear.

27-16. Badges not authorized for wear on the Army uniform. The following badges are not authorized for wear on the Army uniform:

a. Badges awarded by States and other jurisdictions inferior to the US Government.

b. Badges awarded by jurisdictions inferior to foreign governments.

c. Badges awarded by foreign civilian organizations.

d. Foreign military badges except as previously authorized.

27-17. Categories of badges worn on the Army uniform. The following categories of badges are worn on the Army uniform:

a. Marksmanship badges and tabs.

b. Combat and special skill badges and tabs.

c. Identification badges.

d. Foreign badges.

27-18. Order of precedence within category of badges. The following lists indicate the order of precedence within each category, when two or more badges are worn from each category at the same time.

a. Marksmanship badges. Listed below in their order of precedence are the marksmanship badges authorized for wear on the Army uniform.

(1) US Distinguished International Shooter badge.



Figure 27-13. US Distinguished International Shooter badge.

(2) Distinguished Rifleman badge.

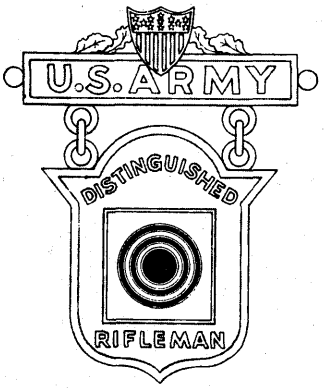


Figure 27-14. Distinguished Rifleman badge.

(3) Distinguished Pistol Shot badge.

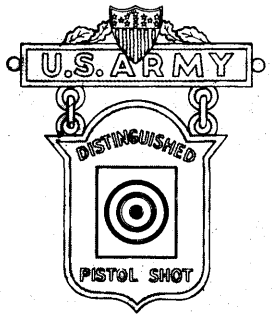


Figure 27-15. Distinguished Pistol Shot badge.

(4) National Trophy Match badges.
(5) Interservice Competition badges.
(6) US Army Excellence in Competition Rifleman badge.



Figure 27-16. US Army Excellence in Competition Rifleman badge.

(7) US Army Excellence in Competition Pistol Shot badge.

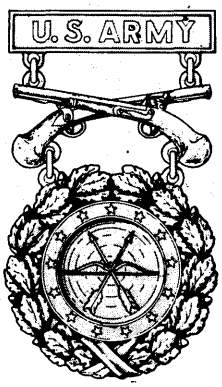


Figure 27-17. US Army Excellence In Competition Pistol Shot badge.

(8) Marksmanship Qualification badges (Expert, Sharpshooter and Marksman).

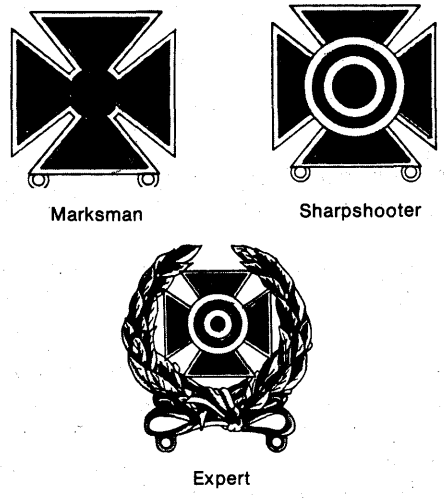


Figure 27-18. Markmanship qualification badges and clasps.

(9) President's Hundred tab—rifle.
(10) President's Hundred tab—pistol.



Figure 27-19. President's Hundred Tab.

b. Combat and special skill badges. Listed below in groups, are the combat and special skill badges authorized for wear on the Army uniform.

(1) Group 1: Combat infantryman badges (3 badges).

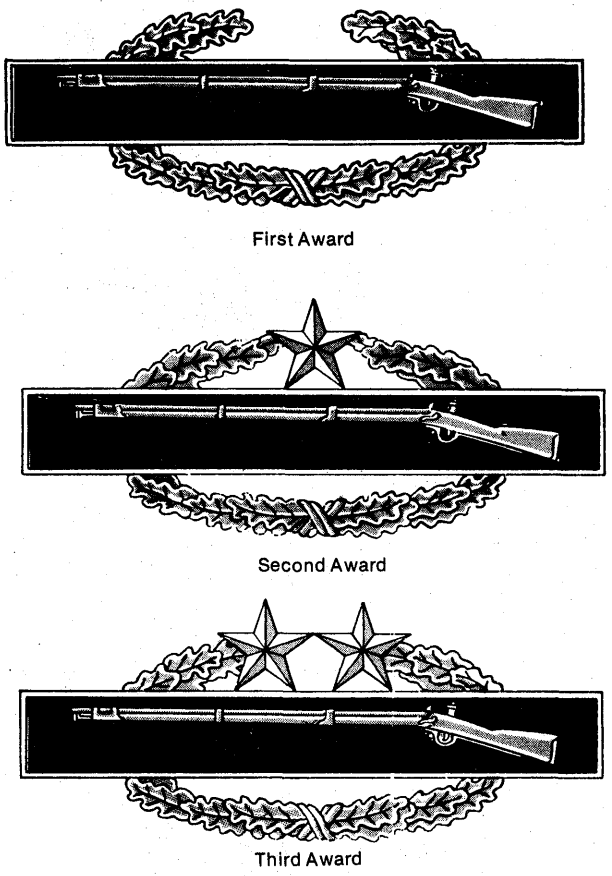


Figure 27-20. Combat Infantryman badges.

Expert Infantryman badge.

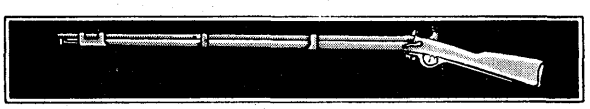


Figure 27-21. Expert Infantryman badge.

(2) Group 2: Combat Medical badges (3 badges).

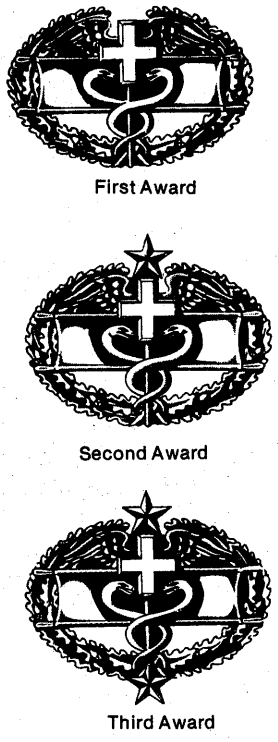


Figure 27-22. Combat Medical badges.

Expert Field Medical badge.



Figure 27-23. Expert Field Medical badge.

(3) Group 3: Aircraft Crewman badges (3 badges).



Aircraft Crewman



Senior Aircraft Crewman



Master Aircraft Crewman

Figure 27-24. Aircraft Crewman badges.

Army Aviator badges (3 badges)



Army Aviator



Senior Army Aviator



Master Army Aviator

Figure 27-25. Army Aviator badges.

Flight Surgeon badges (3 badges).



Flight Surgeon



Senior Flight Surgeon



Master Flight Surgeon

Figure 27-26. Flight Surgeon badges.

(4) Group 4: Glider badge.



Figure 27-27. Glider badge.

Parachutist badges (3 badges).



Parachutist



Senior Parachutist



Master Parachutist

Figure 27-28. Parachutist badges.

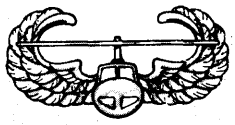


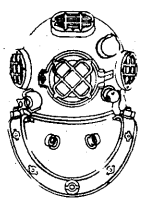
Figure 27-29. Air Assault badge.

Pathfinder badge.

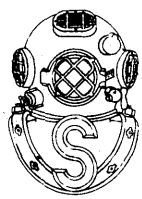


Figure 27-30. Pathfinder badge.

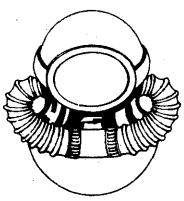
(5) Group 5: Diver badges (5 badges).



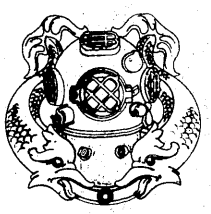
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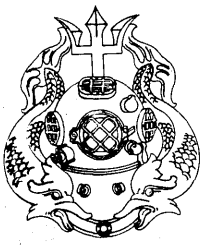
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Scuba Diver



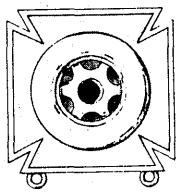
First Class Diver



Master Diver

Figure 27-31. Diver badges.

Driver and mechanic badge.



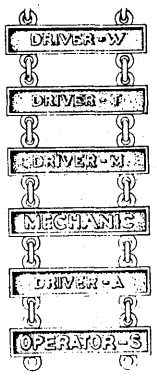
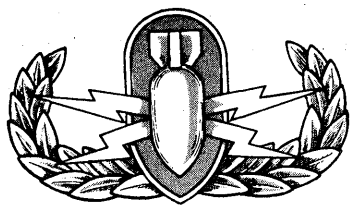
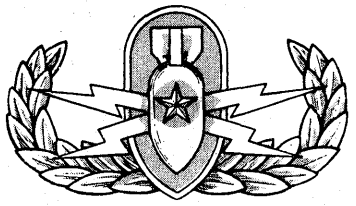


Figure 27-32. Driver and mechanic badge and clasps.

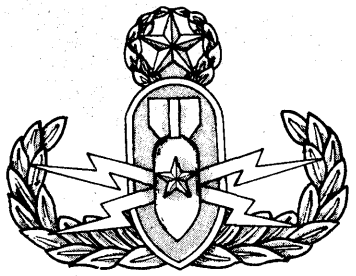
Explosive Ordnance Disposal badges (3 badges).



Explosive Ordnance Disposal



Senior Explosive Ordnance Disposal



Master Explosive Ordnance Disposal

Figure 27-33. Explosive Ordnance Disposal badges.

Nuclear Reactor Operator badges (4 badges).

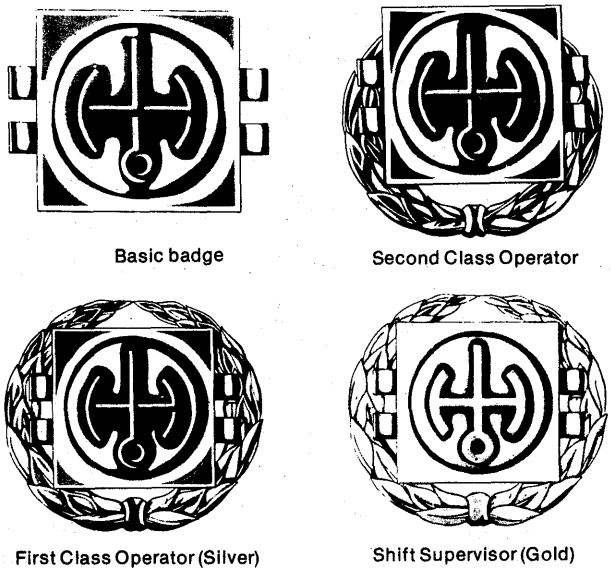


Figure 27-34. Nuclear Reactor Operator badges.

c. Identification badges. Listed below are the identification badges authorized for wear on the Army Uniform.

(1) Presidential Service identification badge.

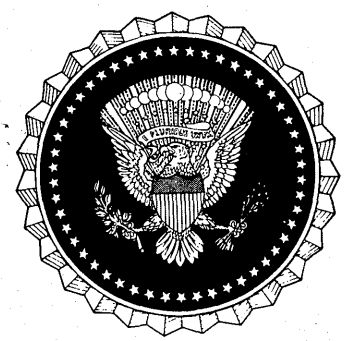


Figure 27-35. Presidential Service identification badge.

(2) Vice-Presidential Service identification badge.



Figure 27-36. Vice Presidential Service identification badge.

(3) Secretary of Defense identification badge.

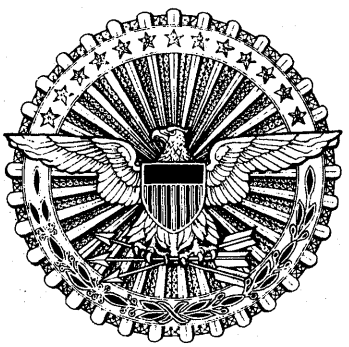


Figure 27-37. Secretary of Defense identification badge.

(4) Joint Chiefs of Staff identification badge.



Figure 27-38. Joint Chiefs of Staff identification badge.

(5) General Staff identification badge.



Figure 27-39. General Staff identification badge.

(6) Guard, Tomb of the Unknown Soldier identification badge.



Figure 27-40. Guard, Tomb of the Unknown Soldier identification badge.

(7) Drill Sergeant identification badge.

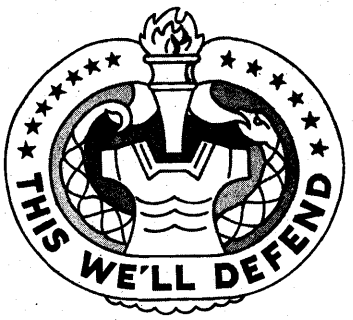


Figure 27-41. Drill Sergeant identification badge.

(8) US Army Military Police identification badge.



Figure 27-42. US Army Military Police identification badge.

(9) Career Counselor identification badge.

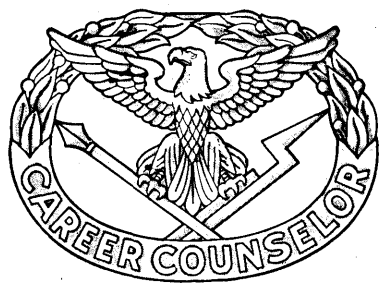


Figure 27-43. Career Counselor identification badge.

(10) US Army Recruiter identification badges.

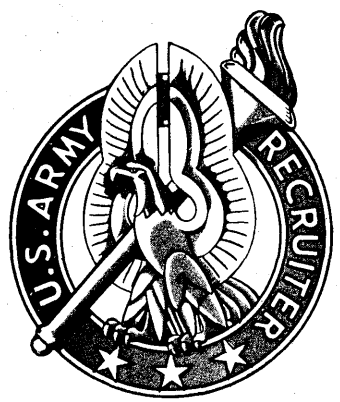


Figure 27-44. US Army Recruiter identification badge.

(11) US Army National Guard Recruiter Identification Badge.



Figure 27–45. US Army National Guard Recruiter identification badge.

(12) US Army Reserve Recruiter identification badge.



Figure 27–46. US Army Reserve/Recruiter identification badge.

Section V. MANNER OF WEAR OF MARKSMANSHIP, COMBAT AND SPECIAL SKILL, IDENTIFICATION AND FOREIGN BADGES

27–19. Manner of wear of marksmanship badges. Not more than three marksmanship badges are authorized for wear at one time.

a. Where worn. Marksmanship badges may be worn on the following uniforms:

(1) *Male personnel.* On the army tan, Army green, Army white and Army blue uniforms.

(3) *Female personnel.* On the Army green code, AG–388 skirt and jacket, AG–388 dress and jacket, Army green pantsuit, Army green, Army white and Army blue uniforms.

b. How worn. Marksmanship badges will be worn in order of precedence from the wearer's right but to the left of combat and special skill badges as follows:

(1) *Male personnel.* The badges will be worn on either the upper portion of the left breast pocket flap or the lower portion of the left breast pocket flap when also wearing combat and special skill badges on the pocket flap. When one badge is worn, it will be centered above the buttonhole. When two or three badges of any type are worn on the pocket flap, they will be spaced one inch apart.

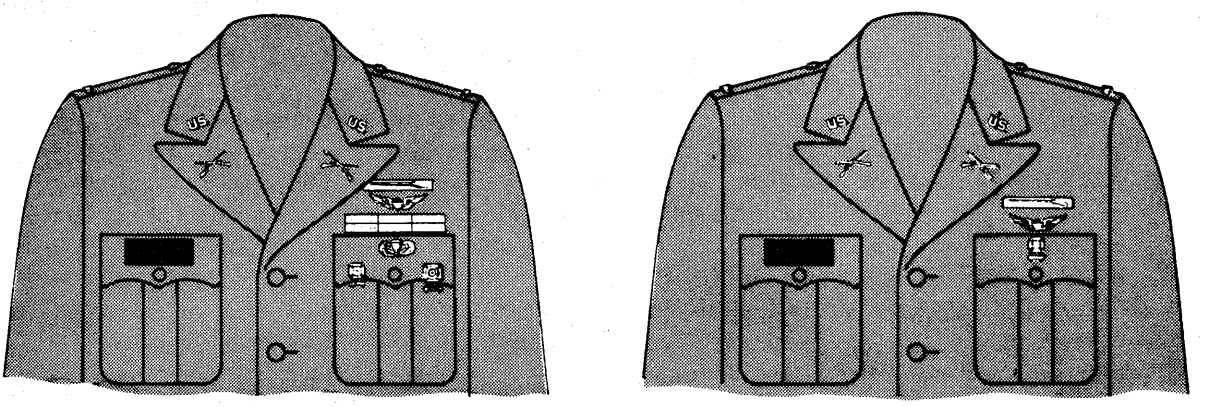


Figure 27–47. Wear of marksmanship badges, Male.

(2) *Female personnel.* The badges will be worn centered on the left side of the uniform coat or jacket positioned parallel to the top edge of the top button of the uniform and one-fourth inch below any service ribbons authorized for wear. Placement of badges may be adjusted slightly to conform to individual figure differences.

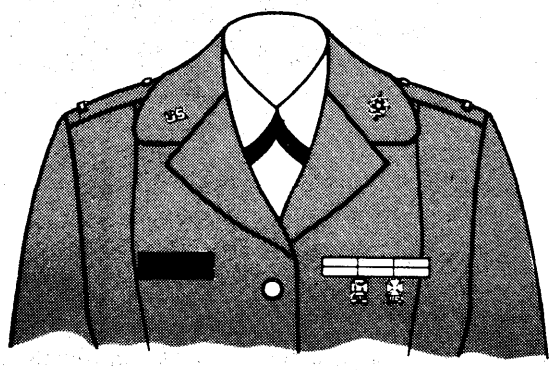


Figure 27-48. Wear of marksmanship badges, Female.

c. Tabs. Tabs will be worn at the top of the left sleeve, one-fourth inch below the shoulder seam.

27-20. Manner of wear of combat and special skill badges.

a. Only one badge from each of the groups in paragraph 27-18 except that any two badges from group four may be worn simultaneously. The total number of badges to be worn at one time will not exceed four. Combat badges will have precedence over skill badges. There is no precedence for skill badges. The Driver and Mechanic badge will only be worn on the left pocket flap or similar location on uniform without pockets. No more than two badges from groups four and five will be worn simultaneously.

(1) *Wear with ribbons.* A badge from group one will be worn centered above ribbon. A badge from group two will be worn centered above the ribbons, but beneath the badge from group one. A badge from group three will be worn above the ribbons, but beneath the badges from group one and two. If only one badge is worn from group four and five, it will be centered on the left pocket flap above the button. If one badge from group four and one badge from group five are worn at the same time, the badge will be worn side by side on the pocket flap. If two badges from group four are worn simultaneously, they will be worn side by side on the pocket flap. Badges worn on the pocket flap will be spaced approximately 1 inch apart. Badges from groups four and five will be worn above the ribbons if no badges from groups one, two, or three are worn.

(2) *Wear without ribbons.* Combat and/or special skill badges will be worn above the left pocket or similar position on uniforms without pockets. They will be centered one above the other with the combat badges taking precedence. If three or more badges are worn, one of the special skill badges will be worn on the pocket flap.

(3) *Position of wear.* Badges worn above the pocket will be spaced ½ inch apart and ¼ inch above any ribbons or the top of the pocket.

b. Where worn. Combat and Special Skill badges may be worn on the following uniforms:

(1) *Male personnel.*

(*a*) Full-size and miniature badges. On the Army tan, Army green, Army white and Army blue uniforms.

(*b*) Dress Miniature badges. May only be worn on the Army white, Army blue, Army white mess, Army blue mess and Army blue evening dress uniforms.

(*c*) Subdued embroidered badges. May only be worn on the field and utility uniforms.

(*d*) Subdued pin-on badges. May be worn on the utility cap when directed by the commander in accordance with paragraph 26-21.

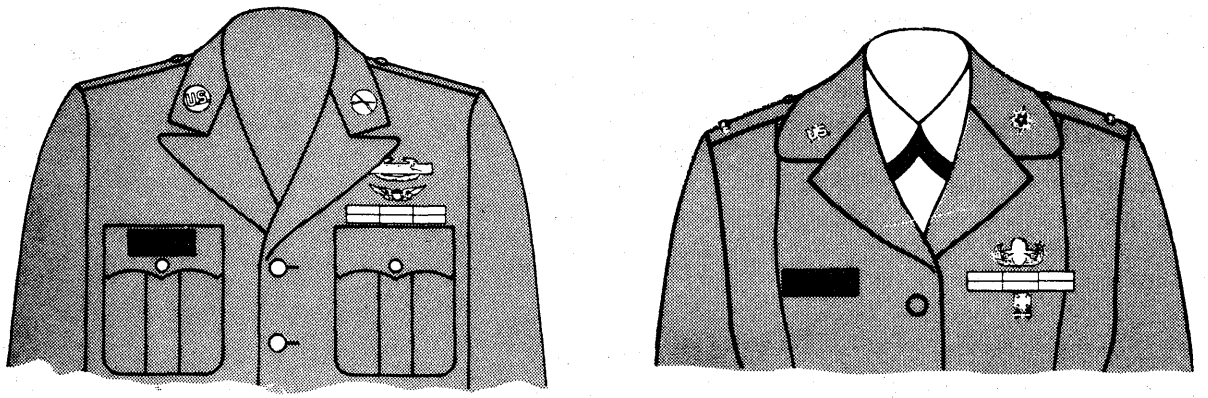
(2) *Female personnel.*

(*a*) Full size and miniature badges. On the Army green cord, AG-388 skirt and jackets, AG-388 dress and jacket, Army green pantsuit, Army green, Army white and Army blue uniforms.

(*b*) Dress miniature badges. May only be worn on the Army white, Army blue, Army white mess, Army all-white mess, Army black mess, Army white evening dress, and Army black evening dress uniforms.

(*c*) Subdued embroidered badges. May only be worn on the field and utility uniforms.

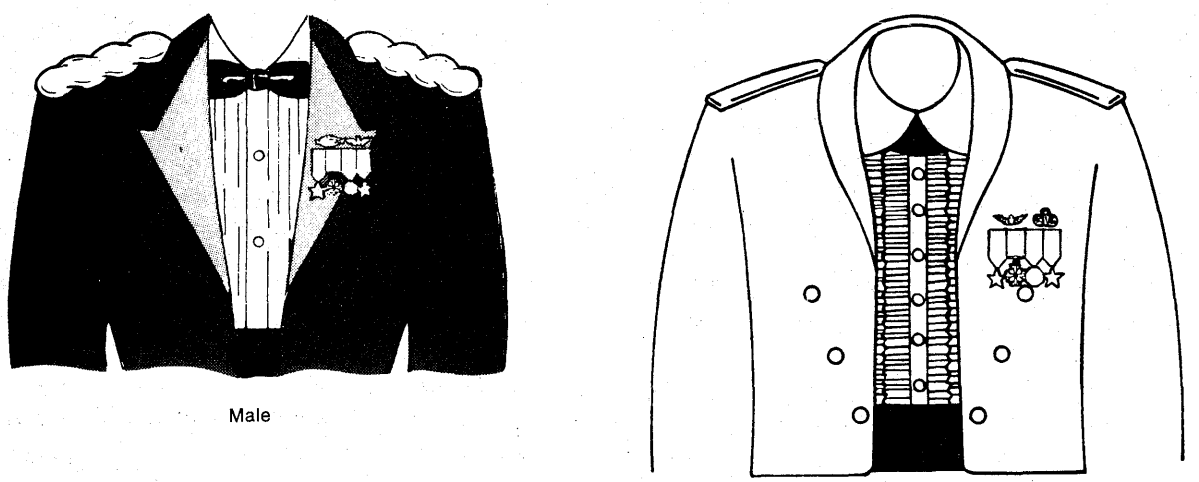
(*d*) Subdued pin-on badges. May be worn on the utility cap when directed by the commander in accordance with paragraph 26-21.



Male Female

Figure 27-49. Wear of combat and special skill badges, full size and miniature.

c. Dress miniature badges. Dress miniature badges will be worn on the Army white and Army blue uniforms in the same manner as the full size badges are worn. Dress, miniature badges will be worn on the mess and evening dress uniforms in a single row, without overlapping immediately above any miniature medals, or in the same general position when no miniature medals are worn.



Male Female

Figure 27-50. Wear of combat and special skill badges. dress miniature.

d. Subdued embroidered badges. Subdued embroidered badges will be worn either in a vertical line above the U.S. ARMY tape or on the left breast pocket flap in the same manner as the full size badges described in this paragraph. Marksmanship and Driver/Mechanic badges will not be worn on the utility uniforms. Badges will be embroidered on OD tape and affixed to the uniform.

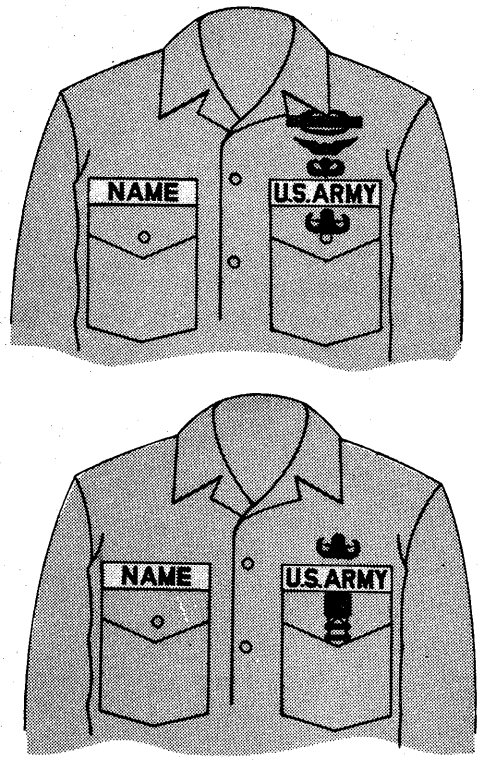


Figure 27–51. Wear of subdued embroidered badges.

e. Locally authorized subdued embroidered badges. When authorized by AR 672–5–1, they will only be worn on the field utility uniforms and then only in such a manner as to not interfere with the wear of insignia or other items approved by HQDA.

27–21. Manner of wear of identification badges. Not more than two identification badges may be worn on one pocket or side at any one time. No more than a total of four identification badges may be worn at any one time. When wearing two identification badges on the same side or pocket, the precedence of the badges will be from the wearer's right to left.

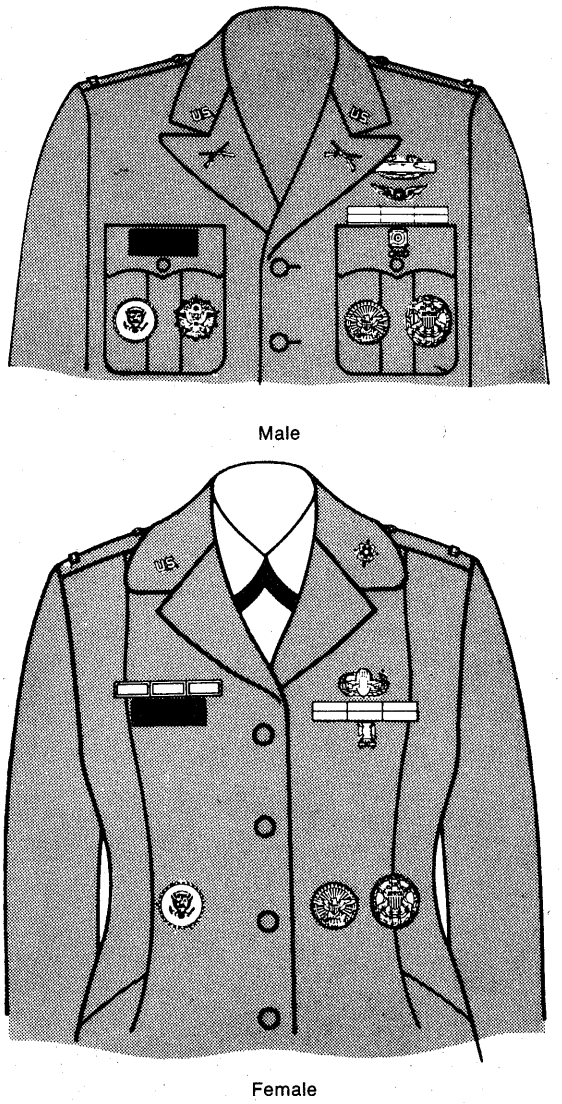


Figure 27–52. Wear of identification badges.

a. Presidential Service badge. The badge will be worn as follows:

(1) *Male personnel.*

(*a*) *Service and dress uniforms.* The badge will be worn centered on the right breast pocket, between the bottom of the flap and the bottom of the pocket.

(*b*) *Mess and evening dress uniforms.* The badge will be worn centered between the upper two buttons on the right side of the jacket.

(2) *Female personnel.*

a. Service and dress uniforms. The badge will be worn centered on the right side of uniform, with the top edge of the badge parallel to the top edge of the

third button from the top.

b. Mess and evening dress uniforms. The badge will be worn centered between the lower two buttons on the right side of the jacket. The badge may be adjusted to conform to individual figure differences.

c. Vice-Presidential Service identification badge. Will be worn in the same manner as the Presidential Service badge for both male and female personnel.

d. Secretary of Defense identification badge. Will be worn in the same manner as the Presidential Service badge for both male and female personnel, except the bade will be worn on the left side of the uniforms. If an individual is authorized to wear both the Secretary of Defense and Joint Chiefs of Staff identification badges they may be worn side by side.

e. Joint Chiefs of Staff identification badge. Will be worn in the same manner as the Secretary of Defense identification badge for both male and female personnel.

f. General Staff identification badge. Will be worn in the same manner as the Presidential Service badge for both male and female personnel.

g. Guard, Tomb of the Unknown Soldier identification badge. Will be worn in the same manner as the Presidential Service badge for both male and female personnel.

h. Drill Sergeant identification badge. The Drill Sergeant identification badge will be worn as follows:

(1) *Metal badge.* The metal Drill Sergeant identification badge may be worn on all the service and dress uniforms. Male personnel will wear the badge centered on the right breast pocket between the bottom of the flap and the bottom of the pocket. Female personnel will wear the badge centered on the right side of the uniform with the top edge of the badge parallel to the top edge of the third button from the top.

(2) *Subdued embroidered badge.* The subdued embroidered Drill Sergeant identification badge may be worn on the field and utility uniforms. Male and female personnel will wear the badge centered on the right breast pocket, between the bottom of the pocket flap and the bottom of the pocket. Female personnel will wear the badge centered on the right side of the uniform with the top edge of the badge parallel to the top edge of the third button from the top when the female field uniform is worn.

i. US Army Military Police badge. The Military Police badge is the symbol of law enforcement authority vested in military police and will be worn in the performance of garrison law enforcement duties as follows:

(1) *Male personnel.* Will wear the Military Police badge on the Army tan, Army green uniform, and the long- or short-sleeve Army green shade 415 shirt when worn as an outergarment with the Army green trousers. The badge will be attached to the garment by the use of a pin clasp on a leather fob, and centered below the pocket flap on the left breast pocket.

(2) *Female personnel.* Will wear the Military Police badge centered above the service ribbons on the left side of the Army green uniform coat and jacket and in a comparable position with the AG Shade 415 long- and short-sleeve shirt is worn as an outergarment. The badge will be attached to the garment by use of a pin clasp on a leather fob. When worn, the badge will be fully extended allowing no more than 4½ inches below the epaulet. The badge will be attached in such a manner as not to interfere with or be obscured by the short-sleeve shirt collar when the collar is worn opened.

(3) *Outer uniforms.* The Military Police badge will also be worn on the overcoat and raincoat in approximately the same position as on the Army green uniform for both male and female personnel.

(4) *Field and utility uniforms.* The Military Police badge may be worn on the field and utility uniforms only in the performance of nontactical law enforcement duties. The badge will not be worn simultaneously with the military police brassard.

(5) *Leather fob.* Maximum use of the leather fob will be made to preclude pinning the badge to the uniforms. The manner of attachment will be as prescribed in AR 190–30.

j. US Army Recruiter badges (Active Army, National Guard and US Reserve). The US Army Recruiter badges may be worn on all the service and dress uniforms as follows:

(1) *Male personnel.* The badge will be worn centered on the left breast pocket between the bottom of the flap and the bottom of the pocket.

(2) *Female personnel.* The badge will be worn centered on the left side of the uniform, with the bottom edge of the badge parallel to the bottom edge of the third button from the top.

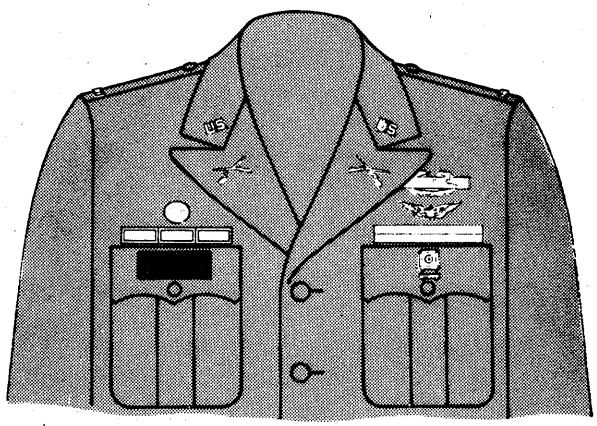
k. Career Counselor badge. The Career Counselor badge is only authorized for wear by enlisted per-

sonnel and will be worn as follows:

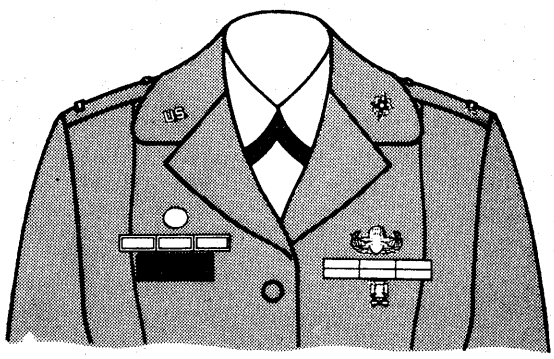
(1) *Metal badge.* The metal Career Counselor badge may be worn on all the Service and dress uniforms. Male personnel will wear the badge centered on the right breast pocket between the bottom of the flap and the bottom of the pocket. Female personnel will wear the badge centered on the right side of the uniform with the top edge of the badge parallel to the top edge of the third button from the top.

(2) *Subdued embroidered badge.* The subdued embroidered Career Counselor badge may be worn on the field and utility uniforms. Male and female personnel will wear the badge centered on the right breast pocket, between the bottom of the pocket flap and the bottom of the pocket. Female personnel will wear the badge centered on the right side of the uniform with the top edge of the badge parallel to the top edge of the third button from the top when the female field uniform is worn.

27–22. Manner of wear of foreign badges. Not more than one foreign badge may be worn at any one time. A proficiency, aviation or naval badge awarded by a friendly nation and authorized for wear may be worn by both male and female personnel on the right side above the US and foreign unit awards or in a similar location if no unit awards are worn. A foreign badge may not be worn unless at least one US Medal or Service ribbon is worn at the same time. The German marksmanship award (Schuetzenschur) may be worn only by enlisted personnel. If authorized for wear, it will be worn on the right side of the uniform with the upper portion attached under the center of the shoulder loop and the bottom portion attached under the lapel.



Male



Female

Figure 27–53. Wear of foreign badges.

PART V

WEAR OF THE ARMY UNIFORM BY RESERVE, RETIRED, SEPARATED AND CIVILIAN PERSONNEL

CHAPTER 28

WEAR OF THE ARMY UNIFORM BY RESERVE, RETIRED, SEPARATED, AND CIVILIAN PERSONNEL

28–1. Occasions of ceremony. As used in this regulation, the phrase "occasions of ceremony" means occasions essentially of a military character at which the uniform is more appropriate than civilian clothing; e.g., military balls, military parades, military weddings, military funerals, memorial services, and meetings or functions of associations formed for military purposes, the membership of which is composed largely or entirely of honorably discharged veterans of the Armed Forces or of Reserve personnel. Authority to wear the uniform includes authority to wear the uniform while traveling to and from the ceremony, provided such travel in uniform can be completed on the day of the ceremony.

28–2. Wear of the uniform by members of the Army National Guard and US Army Reserve. All members of the Army National Guard and US Army Reserve on active duty, annual training, or active duty for training will wear the uniform and insignia prescribed for personnel in the Active Army. The Army uniform may also be worn by Army National Guard and US Army Reserve personnel on the following occasions:

a. When within the limits of the United States or its possessions. Army National Guard and US Army Reserve personnel not on active duty may wear the Army uniform only as follows:

(1) When participating in reserve training assemblies (inactive duty training), exercises, conferences, or ceremonies in an official capacity as a member of the Army National Guard or the US Army Reserve under competent orders.

(2) When engaged in military instruction or in attendance as a student under appropriate orders at any school or course of instruction under the auspices of the Armed Forces or the Reserve components thereof.

(3) When instructors at an educational institution conducting courses of instruction approved by the Armed Forces or when responsible for military discipline at like institutions.

(4) When attending social functions or informal gatherings of a military character.

(5) When enrolled as undergraduates in any educational institutions in which there is an active Reserve Officer's Training Corps unit or an established unit of the US Army Reserve. Individuals may wear the uniforms and insignia of their grade only upon such occasions as may be expressly desired or authorized by the Professor of Military Science or other proper official of the school concerned. Members of the US Army Reserve attending institutions at which military training is required curricular activity, are authorized and may be required to wear the uniform prescribed by the institution, including the insignia of any grade or rating held in the student unit.

(6) US Army Reserve technicians who are also members of the Ready Reserve, cannot be required, but may wear the Army Uniform while on duty in their civil service status.

b. When outside the limits of the United States or its possessions. Army National Guard and US Army Reserve personnel not on active duty and outside the limits of the United States or its possessions, will not, unless granted authority by HQDA, wear the Army uniform. However Army National Guard and US Army Reserve personnel, may on occasions of military ceremony or other military func-

tions in a foreign country, upon reporting to the nearest Army attaché and having their status accredited, be granted authority to wear the Army uniform. In a foreign country not having an Army attaché, authority to wear the Army Uniform for a specific occasion, must be obtained from the proper military authorities of the country concerned.

c. Army National Guard personnel. Army National Guard personnel may also wear the Army uniform in the performance of State service when so authorized by their respective State Adjutant General.

d. United States Army Reserve personnel.

(1) Warrant officers and enlisted personnel serving on active duty who also hold commissions in the US Army Reserve may wear the uniform indicative of their grade in the US Army Reserve only as follows:

(*a*) When undergoing voluntary training designed for Reserve officers, which they have been authorized to take by proper authority, and in traveling to and from that training.

(*b*) When attending meetings or functions of associations, formed for military purposes, the membership of which is composed largely or entirely of officers of the United States Army or of former members of the Army.

(2) Warrant officers and enlisted personnel serving on active duty who also hold commissions in the US Army Reserve may not wear the uniform indicative of their grade in the US Army Reserve as follows:

(*a*) When in an office of the Department of Defense.

(*b*) When they would be in association with troops of the Regular Army or of the National Guard when called into Federal service except when the individual is on active duty as a Reserve officer or as otherwise authorized above.

28–3. Wear of the uniform by retired personnel. *a.* Personnel who will be advanced to a higher grade upon retirement may wear at their option, the insignia of such higher grade while participating in retirement ceremonies.

b. Retired personnel on active duty will wear the uniform and insignia prescribed for personnel in the active Army of corresponding grade and branch.

c. Retired personnel not on active duty may wear either the uniform reflecting their grade and branch on the date of their retirement or the uniform for personnel in the active Army of corresponding grade and branch, when appropriate, but may not intermix the two uniforms.

d. Retired personnel not on active duty are not authorized to wear shoulder sleeve insignia except as follows:

(1) Junior ROTC instructors will wear the US Army Training and Doctrine Command (TRADOC) shoulder sleeve insignia on their left shoulder.

(2) The shoulder sleeve insignia of a former wartime unit may be worn on the right shoulder by retired personnel who served in the unit.

e. Retired personnel not on active duty are not authorized to wear the Army uniform when they are instructors or responsible for military discipline at an educational institution unless the educational institution is conducting courses of instruction approved by the Armed Forces.

28–4. Wear of the uniform by former members of the Army. Unless qualified under another provision of this regulation or under the provisions of Title 10, United States Code, Section 772, former members of the Army who served honorably during a declared or undeclared war and whose most recent service was terminated under honorable conditions, may wear the Army uniform in the highest grade held during such war service. The uniform may be worn only for the following ceremonies and when traveling to and from the ceremony.

(1) Attending military funerals, memorial services, weddings and inaugurals.

(2) Attending parades on national or state holidays, or other parades or ceremonies of a patriotic nature in which any active or reserve United States military unit is taking part. The wear of the Army uniform at any other time or for any other purpose than stated above is prohibited.

28–5. Wear of the uniform by Medal of Honor recipients. Personnel who have been awarded the Medal of Honor may wear the Army uniform at their pleasure except under the circumstances set forth in paragraph 1-4.

28–6. Wear of the uniform by civilians. *a.* Civilians attached to and/or authorized to accompany forces of the United States Army overseas, including Department of the Army civilian employees and civilian personnel of all United States military missions, will wear the Army green, Army tan, or utility uniform with appropriate insignia, the authorized civilian uniforms as approved by the Secretary of the Army, or civilian clothes as prescribed by the commanding general of the command

concerned.

b. The Army Services uniform may be worn in the United States only when preparing for departure to, or when on temporary duty from, an oversea area where the commanding general has prescribed or authorized the wearing of this uniform.

c. The Army Service uniform will be that prescribed for an officer of enlisted person as directed by the commanding general. The uniform will be worn without insignia except for the insignia prescribed for civilians in paragraph 26–28.

d. Representatives of civilian orgranizations authorized by the Secretary of the Army to engage in Armed Forces welfare activities will wear the uniform of their respective organizations when with the United States Army either at home or abroad, provided such uniform has been approved by the Secretary of the Army.

e. While attending a course of military instruction conducted by the United States Army, a civilian may wear the uniform prescribed by the Army.

28–7. When wear of the uniform is prohibited. The wear of the Army Uniform by National Guard, Reserve, retired, separated and civilian personnel under the circumstances set forth in paragraph 1–4 is prohibited.

28–8. Wear of a uniform similar to the Army uniform. *a.* A person for whom one of the following uniforms is prescribed, may wear it, provided it includes distinctive insignia prescribed by the Secretary of the Army to distinguish it from the United States uniform.

(1) The uniform prescribed by a State university, college or public high school having a regular course of military instruction, for an instructor or member of the organized cadet corps.

(2) The uniform prescribed by a educational institution having a regular course of military instruction, and having a member of the United States Army as an instructor in military science, for an instructor or member of the organized cadet corps.

(3) The uniform prescribed by a military society, composed of persons discharged honorably or under honorable conditions from the United States Army, for a member of that society when authorized by regulations prescribed by the Secretary of the Army.

b. None of the uniforms prescribed in paragraph *a* above, may include insignia of grade, the same as or similar to the insignia of grade prescribed for officers of the United States Army.

c. Members of State defense forces may wear the Army green uniform, provided that all buttons, cap devices, and other insignia differ from the prescribed by members of the Active Army and US Army Reserve Components. When the insignia of grade prescribed for members of the Active Army and Reserve Components is worn, the State defense forces distinguishing insignia will be worn centered on the left pocket flap between the button and the top of the pocket.

28–9. Wear of a lapel button on civilian clothing. A metal and enamel lapel button of the insignia of US Army units which participated in any war may be worn on civilian clothing by personnel who served with such units during time of war.

APPENDIX A

COMPOSITION OF UNIFORMS (MEN'S)

Item	Service and Dress Uniforms				Mess and Evening Dress Uniforms				Field and Work Uniforms			
	Army Tan/Khaki chapter 3	Army Green chapter 4	Army White chapter 5	Army Blue chapter 6	Army White Mess chapter 7	Army Blue Mess chapter 8	Army Blue Evening Dress, chapter 9	Cold Weather, chapter 10, section I	Hot Weather, chapter 10, section I	Utility, chapter 10, section I	Hospital Duty, chapter 10, section II	Food Service, chapter 10, section III
Aiguillette, Dress (26-24)			X	X	X	X	X					
Aiguillette, Service (26-23)	X	X	X	X								
Badges, Combat and Skill, Full Size and Miniature (27-20)	X	X	X	X								
Badges, Combat and Skill, Dress Miniature (27-20)			X	X	X	X	X					
Badges, Identification, full size (27-21)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X					
Belt, Web, Waist, and Buckles (11-1)	X	X	X	X				X	X	X	X	X
Beret (11-2)	X	X						X	X	X		
Boots, Combat, Black (11-3)	X	X						X		X		X
Boots, Hot Weather, Black, (10-9*b*)									X			
Cap, Cold Weather, OG-107 (10-9*a*)								X		X		
Cap, Food Handler, White (10-23)												X
Cap, Garrison, Army Green (4-8*a*)	X	X									X	X
*Cap, Service, Army Blue (6-9)				X		X	X					
*Cap, Service, Army Green (4-8*b*)	X	X										
*Cap, Service, Army White (5-8)			X		X							
Cap, Utility, OG-507 (10-9*a*)								X	X	X		
*Cape, Army Blue (11-5)				X		X	X					
*Coat, Army Blue (6-5)				X								
Coat, Army Green (4-5)		X										
*Coat, Army White (5-5)			X									
Coat, Cold Weather (Field Jacket) (10-8)								X		X		
Coat, Cotton Poplin, OG-107 (10-6)									X			
Coat, Food Handler, White (10-20)												X
Cord, Shoulder, Infantryman (26-29)	X	X	X	X								
*Cuff Links and Studs, Gold (11-22)			X	X	X	X						
*Cuff Links and Studs, White (11-22)							X					
*Cumberbund, Black (11-9)					X	X						
Decoration Ribbons, Full Size (27-11)	X	X	X	X								
Decorations, Full Size (27-8). Note 1		X	X	X								
Decorations, Miniature (27-12)			X	X	X	X	X					
Distinctive Unit Insignia (26-21)	X	X						X	X	X		

COMPOSITION OF UNIFORMS (MEN'S)—Continued

Item	Service and Dress Uniforms				Mess and Evening Dress Uniforms			Field and Work Uniforms				
	Army Tan/Khaki chapter 3	Army Green chapter 4	Army White chapter 5	Army Blue chapter 6	Army White Mess chapter 7	Army Blue Mess chapter 8	Army Blue Evening Dress, chapter 9	Cold Weather, chapter 10, section I	Hot Weather, chapter 10, section I	Utility, chapter 10, section I	Hospital Duty, chapter 10, section II	Food Service, chapter 10, section III
Fourrageres and Lanyard (27-13)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X					
Gloves Black w/inserts Lt. Duty Wk (11-9*b*)								X	X	X		
Gloves, Black (11-9*a*)		X		X							X	X
*Gloves, White (11-9*c*)			X	X	X	X	X					
Hat, Drill Sergeant, Men (11-10)	X	X						X	X	X		
*Jacket, Army Blue (8-5)						X	X					
*Jacket, Army White (7-5)					X							
Medals, Service, Full Size (27-8). Note 1		X	X	X								
Medals, Service, Miniature (27-12)			X	X	X	X	X					
Medals, Service Ribbons, Full Size (27-11)	X	X	X	X								
*Neck tie, Bow, Black (11-14*b*)		X	X	X	X	X						
Neck tie, Bow, White (11-14*c*)					X		X					
Neck tie, Four-In-Hand, Black (11-14*a*)		X	X	X								
Overcoat, Army Green (11-15)		X		X		X					X	X
Raincoat, Army Black (11-17*a*). Note 2	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X
Raincoat, Army Green (11-17*b*). Note 2	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X
Scarf, Army Black (11-18*d*)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X				X	X
Scarf, Army Green (11-18*a*)	X	X									X	X
Scarf, Olive Drab (11-18*b*)								X	X	X		
*Scarf, White (11-18*c*)			X	X	X	X	X					
Scarves, Branch of Service (26-19)	X	X						X	X	X		
Shirt, Army/Tan (chapter 3)	X											
Shirt, Army Grey/Green-415 (4-10)		X										
Shirt, Durapress, OG-507 (10-7)										X		
Shirt, Wool Flannel, OG 108 (10-5)								X				
*Shirt, White (11-20*c*)		X	X	X								
*Shirt, White, Semiformal (11-2*d*)					X	X						
*Shirt, White, Formal (11-19*a*)					X		X					
Shoes, Oxford, Black, (11-20*a*)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X				X	X
Shoes, Oxford, White (11-20*b*)											X	
Smock, Food Inspector, White (10-21)												X
Smock, Medical Assistant, White (10-14)											X	X
Socks, Black (11-21*a*)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X				X	X
Socks, White (11-21*b*)											X	
*Sweater, Army Green or Black (11-23)		X									X	X
*Trousers, Army Black Mess (7-6)					X							
*Trousers, Army Blue (6-6)				X								
*Trousers, Army Blue Mess (8-6)				X		X	X					

Item	Service and Dress Uniforms				Mess and Evening Dress Uniforms				Field and Work Uniforms			
	Army Tan/Khaki chapter 3	Army Green chapter 4	Army White chapter 5	Army Blue chapter 6	Army White Mess chapter 7	Army Blue Mess chapter 8	Army Blue Evening Dress, chapter 9	Cold Weather, chapter 10, section I	Hot Weather, chapter 10, section I	Utility, chapter 10, section I	Hospital Duty, chapter 10, section II	Food Service, chapter 10, section III
Trousers, Army Green (4–6)		X										
Trousers, Army/tan (chapter 3)	X											
*Trousers, Army White (5–6)			X									
Trousers, Cotton Poplin, OG–107 (10–6)									X			
Trousers, Durapress, OG–507 (10–7)										X		
Trousers, Food Svc., White (10–22)											X	X
Trousers, Medical Assistant, White (10–15)											X	X
Trousers, Wool Serge, OG–108 (10–5)								X				
Undershirt, White (11–24*a*)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Undershirt, Olive Green (11–24*b*)								X	X	X		
*Vest, White (11–25)					X		X					
*Windbreaker, Army Green/Black (11–26). Note 3	X	X									X	X

Notes. 1. Items may be worn on Army green uniform only if worn for social functions.
2. Raincoat is authorized for wear with the field and work uniforms only in garrison environment.
3. Worn in lieu of Army green coat with green shirt.
*OPTIONAL ITEMS

APPENDIX B

COMPOSITION OF UNIFORMS (WOMEN'S)

Item	Service and Dress Uniforms						Mess and Evening Dress Uniforms						Field and Work Uniforms					
	Army Green Cord, chapter 12	AG–388 Skirt and Jackets, chapter 13, section I	AG–388 Dress and Jacket, chapter 14, section II	Army Green Pantsuit, chapter 14, 15	Army Green, chapter 14, 16	Army White, chapter 17	Army Blue, chapter 18	Army White Mess, chapter 19	Army All-White Mess, chapter 20	Army Black Mess, chapter 21	Army White Evening Dress, chapter 22	Army Black Evening Dress, chapter 23	Cold Weather, chapter 24, section I	Hot Weather, chapter 24, section I	Utility, chapter 24, section I	Hospital Duty, chapter 24, section II	Food Service, chapter 24, section III	Maternity Uniform, chapter 24, section IV
Aiguillette, Dress (26–24)						X	X	X	X	X	X	X						
Aiguillette, Service (26–23)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X											
Apron, Food Handler, White (24–22)																	X	
Badges, Marksmanship and Skill, Full Size and Miniature (27–19, 20)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X											
Badges, Marksmanship and Skill, Dress Miniature (27–19, 20)						X	X	X	X	X	X	X						
Badges, Identification, Full Size (27–21)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X						
Belt, Web, waist w/Buckle (25–1)														X	X			
Beret, Black (25–2)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X									X	X	X
*Blouse, White, Formal (25–5)								X	X	X	X	X						
Boots, Combat, Black (25–3)													X		X			
Boots, Hot Weather, Black (24–10*b*)														X				
Cap, Cold Weather, OG–107 (24–10*a*)													X		X			
Cap, Food Handler, White (24–24*a*)																	X	
Cap, Garrison, Army Green Cord (12–7*a*)	X																	
Cap, Garrison, OG–108 (24–10*a*)													X					
Cap, Hospital Duty, White (24–17*a*)																X		
Cap, Utility, OG–507 (24–10*a*)													X	X	X		X	
*Capes, Army Blue or Army Black (25–6)							X	X	X	X	X	X						
*Coat, Army Blue (18–5)							X											
Coat, Army Green (16–5)					X													
Coat, Army Green Cord (12–5)	X																	
*Coat, Army White (17–5)						X												
Coat, Cold Weather (Field Jacket) (24–9)													X		X			
Coat, Cotton Poplin, OG–107 (24–7)														X				
Coat, Wool Serge, OG–108 (24–6)													X					
*Cummerbund, Black (25–7*a*)								X		X	X	X						

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COMPOSITION OF UNIFORMS (WOMEN'S)—Continued

	Service and Dress Uniforms						Mess and Evening Dress Uniforms						Field and Work Uniforms					
	Army Green Cord, chapter 12	AG-388 Skirt and Jackets, chapter 13, section I	AG-388 Dress and Jacket, chapter 14, section II	Army Green Pantsuit, chapter 14, 15	Army Green, chapter 14, 16	Army White, chapter 17	Army Blue, chapter 18	Army White Mess, chapter 19	Army All-White Mess, chapter 20	Army Black Mess, chapter 21	Army White Evening Dress, chapter 22	Army Black Evening Dress, chapter 23	Cold Weather, chapter 24, section I	Hot Weather, chapter 24, section I	Utility, chapter 24, section I	Hospital Duty, chapter 24, section II	Food Service, chapter 24, section III	Maternity Uniform, chapter 24, section IV
*Cummerbund, White (25-7*b*)									X									
Decoration Ribbons, Full Size (27-11)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X											
Decorations, Full Size (27-8). Note 1					X	X	X											
Decorations, Miniature (27-12)						X	X	X	X	X	X	X						
Distinctive Unit Insignia (26-21)	X	X	X	X	X								X	X	X			
*Dress, AG-388 (14-6)			X															
*Dress, Hospital Duty, White (24-15)																X		
Fourrageres and Lanyard (27-13)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X						
Gloves, Black (25-8*a*)	X	X	X	X	X											X	X	X
Gloves, w/liner Lt duty wk (25-8*d*)													X	X	X			
*Gloves, White, Dress (25-8*c*)						X	X	X	X	X	X	X						
*Handbag, Black, Dress, Leather (25-9*a*)							X											
*Handbag, Black, Dress, Fabric (25-9*a*)							X	X		X	X	X						
Handbag, Black, Service (25-9*b*)	X	X	X	X	X		X						X	X	X	X	X	X
Handbag, Black, Clutch type (25-9*c*)													X	X	X			
*Handbag, White, Dress, Leather (25-9*c*)						X												
*Handbag, White, Dress, Fabric (25-9*c*)						X			X									
*Hat, Service, Army Blue (18-9*a*)							X											X
*Hat, Service, Army Green (16-8*b*)	X	X	X	X	X													
*Hat, Service, Army White (17-8*a*)						X												
Hat, Drill Sergeant (25-10)	X	X	X	X	X								X	X	X			
*Jacket, Army Black (21-5)										X		X						
Jacket, Army Green Pantsuit (15-5)				X														
*Jacket, Army White (19-5)								X	X		X							
*Jacket, Cardigan, AG-388 (14-5)			X															
Jacket, Long Sleeve, AG-388 (13-5)		X																
Jacket, Short Sleeve, AG-388 (13-6)		X																
Medals, Service, Full Size (27-8). Note 1					X	X	X											
Medals, Service, Miniature (27-12)						X	X	X	X	X	X	X						
Medals, Service, Ribbons, Full Size (27-11)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X											
Necktab, Black, Service (25-13*a*)				X	X								X					X
*Necktab, Black, Dress (25-13*b*)								X	X	X	X	X						
Overcoat, Army Green (25-14)				X	X		X			X		X				X	X	X

APPENDIX B

COMPOSITION OF UNIFORMS (WOMEN'S)—Continued

	Service and Dress Uniforms						Mess and Evening Dress Uniforms						Field and Work Uniforms					
	Army Green Cord, chapter 12	AG-388 Skirt and Jackets, chapter 13, section I	AG-388 Dress and Jacket, chapter 14, section II	Army Green Pantsuit, chapter 14, 15	Army Green, chapter 14, 16	Army White, chapter 17	Army Blue, chapter 18	Army White Mess, chapter 19	Army All-White Mess, chapter 20	Army Black Mess, chapter 21	Army White Evening Dress, chapter 22	Army Black Evening Dress, chapter 23	Cold Weather, chapter 24, section I	Hot Weather, chapter 24, section I	Utility, chapter 24, section I	Hospital Duty, chapter 24, section II	Food Service, chapter 24, section III	Maternity Uniform, chapter 24, section IV
Pantsuit, Food Service, White (24-22)																	X	
Pantsuit, Hospital Duty, White (24-16)																X		
Raincoat, Army Black, (25-16*a*). Note 2	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X
Raincoat, Army Green (25-16*b*). Note 2	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X
Scarf, Black, (25-17*c*)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X				X	X	X
*Scarf, White (25-17*a*)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X				X	X	X
Scarf, Olive Drab (25-17*b*)													X	X	X			
Scarves, Branch of Service (26-19)	X	X	X	X	X								X	X	X			
Shirt, Grey/Green-415 (25-18)				X	X													X
Shirt, Cotton Poplin OG-107 (24-8)															X			
Shirt, Durapress OG 507 (24-8)															X			
Shirt, White (25-18)				X	X	X	X						X					X
Shirt, Wool Flannel, OG-108 (24-5)													X					
Shoes, Oxford, Black (25-19*a*)	X	X	X	X	X								X			X	X	X
*Shoes, Oxford, White (25-19*b*)																X		
Shoes, Pumps, Service, Black (25-19*c*)	X	X	X	X	X		X						X					X
*Shoes, Pumps, Service, White (25-19*c*)						X												
*Shoes, Pumps, Dress, Black (25-19*d*)							X	X		X	X	X						
*Shoes, Pumps, Dress, White (25-19*d*)						X			X									
Skirt, Maternity (24-25)																		X
*Skirt, Army Black, Evening (22-6)											X	X						
*Skirt, Army Black, Mess (19-6)								X		X								
*Skirt, Army Blue (18-6)							X											
Skirt, Army Green (16-6)					X													
Skirt, Army Green Cord (12-6)	X																	
Skirt, Army Green AG-388 (13-7)		X																
*Skirt, Army White (17-6)						X												
*Skirt, Army White Mess (20-6)									X									
Skirt, Wool Serge, OG-108 (24-6)													X					
Slacks, Army Green Pantsuit (15-6)				X														
Slacks, Cotton Poplin, OG-107 (24-8)															X			
Slacks, Durapress, OG-507 (24-8)															X			
Slacks, Maternity (24-25)																		X

	Service and Dress Uniforms						Mess and Evening Dress Uniforms						Field and Work Uniforms					
	Army Green Cord, chapter 12	AG–388 Skirt and Jackets, chapter 13, section I	AG–388 Dress and Jacket, chapter 14, section II	Army Green Pantsuit, chapter 14, 15	Army Green, chapter 14, 16	Army White, chapter 17	Army Blue, chapter 18	Army White Mess, chapter 19	Army All-White Mess, chapter 20	Army Black Mess, chapter 21	Army White Evening Dress, chapter 22	Army Black Evening Dress, chapter 23	Cold Weather, chapter 24, section I	Hot Weather, chapter 24, section I	Utility, chapter 24, section I	Hospital Duty, chapter 24, section II	Food Service, chapter 24, section III	Maternity Uniform, chapter 24, section IV
Slacks, Wool Serge, OG–108 (24–5)													X					
Stockings, Sheer (25–20)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	X	X
Stockings, White (25–20)																X		
*Sweater, Army Green or Black (25–2)	X			X	X											X	X	X
Trousers, Cotton Poplin, OG–107 (24–7)														X				
*Tunic, Army Green (15–7)				X														
Tunic, Maternity (24–25)																		X
*Umbrella, Black (25–22)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X				X	X	X
Undergarments (Brassieres and Panties)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Undergarments (slips)	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X						X
Undershirts, Green or White (25–23)													X	X	X			
*Windbreaker, Black (25–24). Note 3	X	X		X	X											X	X	X

Notes.

1. Items may be worn on the Army green uniform only if worn for social functions.
2. Raincoat is authorized for wear with the field and work uniforms only in garrison environment.
3. Worn in lieu of the Army green coat with grey-green shirt.

* OPTIONAL ITEMS

APPENDIX C

OFFICER UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS

C–1. General. Officers are responsible for procuring and maintaining uniforms appropriate to their assigned duties. Sufficient quantities of personnal items necessary to ensure acceptable standards of personal hygiene and appearance will be procured and maintained. It is mandatory that all officers dress in accordance with their position as an officer of the United States Army, and in accordance with the traditions and customs of the service.

C–2. List of major components. The major items of uniform clothing which are normally prescribed by commanders, with minimum quantities that should be in the possession of all officers, are as follows:

Item	*Male*	*Female*	*Note*
Raincoat, Army Black	1	1	1
Uniform, Army Tan	3	N/A	2
Uniform, AG-388 Skirt and Jackets	N/A	2	3
Uniform, Army Green Pantsuit	N/A	1	
Uniform, Army Green	1	1	
Uniform, Army White	Optional	Optional	4
Uniform, Army Blue	1	1	5, 8
Uniform, Army Green Maternity	NA	2	6
Uniform, Field/Utility	4	4	7
Coat, Cold weather (Field Jacket)	1	1	

Notes.

1. The AG-44 overcoat, AG-274 raincoat or the new Army black raincoat are all acceptable.
2. The Army tan shade 445 (Poly/Ctn) or AG shirt 415 grey/green shirt are acceptable.
3. This uniform replaces the Army green cord uniform which is also acceptable until 1 October 1981.
4. This uniform may be required by major commanders for all officers on active duty for 6 months or more, in clothing allowance zones I and II as defined in CTA 50-900.
5. This uniform is required for all officers on extended active duty for periods of 6 months or more.
6. As required by AR 635-100 and chapter 24.
7. The field uniforms may be either the cotton OG 107, durapress OG 507, or battledress.
8. Additional quantities required by officers for performance of official duties in units when the missions include Band formations, reviews, parades, ceremonial events, and the like, are authorized as organizational issue by CTA 50-900.

C–3. Accessories. Officers are also responsible for procuring and maintaining adequate quantities of appropriate accessories, insignia, footwear, undergarments, headgear and handgear for use with the above uniforms.

APPENDIX D

MILITARY OCCUPATIONAL SPECIALTY AND AFFILIATED BRANCH OF SERVICE

The following is a listing of all authorized military occupational specialties (MOSs) and the branch of service insignia which is worn for each MOS. The abbreviations utilized are defined as follows:

Abbreviations

AG	Adjutant General	JA	Judge Advocate General
AD	Air Defense	MS	Medical
AR	Armor	MI	Military Intelligence
BI	Branch immaterial	MP	Military Police
CM	Chemical	OD	Ordnance
EN	Engineers	QM	Quartermaster
FA	Field Artillery	SC	Signal Corps
FI	Finance	TC	Transportation
IN	Infantry		

MOS	*Title*	*Branch of service*
11B	Infantryman	IN
11C	Indirect Fire Infantryman	IN
11H	Heavy Antiarmor Crewman	IN
12B	Combat Engineer	EN
12C	Bridge Crewman	EN
12E	Atomic Demolition Munitions Specialist	EN
12Z	Combat Engineering Senior Sergeant	EN
13B	Cannon Crewman	FA
13E	Cannon Fire Direction Specialist	FA
13F	Fire Support Specialist	FA
13W	Field Artillery Target Acquisition Senior Sergeant	FA
13Y	Cannon/Missile Senior Sergeant	FA
13Z	Field Artillery Senior Sergeant	FA
15B	SERGEANT Missile Crewman	FA
15D	LANCE Missile Crewman	FA
15E	PERSHING Missile Crewman	FA
15F	HONEST JOHN Rocket Crewman	FA
15J	LANCE/HONEST JOHN Operations/Fire Direction Specialist	FA
16B	HERCULES Missile Crewman	AD
16C	HERCULES Fire Control Crewman	AD
16D	HAWK Missile Crewman	AD
16E	HAWK Fire Control Crewman	AD
16F	Light Air Defense Artillery Crewman	AD
16H	ADA Operations and Intelligence Assistant	AD
16J	Defense Acquisition Radar Crewman	AD
16P	ADA Short Range Missile Crewman	AD
16R	ADA Short Range Gunnery Crewman	AD
16Z	Air Defense Artillery Senior Sergeant	AD
17B	Field Artillery Radar Crewman	FA
17C	Field Artillery Target Acquisition Specialist	FA
17K	Ground Surveillance Radar Crewman	MI
17L	Aerial Sensor Specialist (OV-1B/C)	MI
17M	Unattended Ground Sensor Specialist	MI
19D	Cavalry Scout	AR
19E	M48-M60A1/A3 Armor Crewman	AR

MOS	Title	Branch of service
19F	Tank Driver	AR
19G	Armor Recon Vehicle Crewman	AR
19H	Armor Recon Vehicle Driver	AR
19J	M60A2 Armor Crewman	AR
19Z	Armor Senior Sergeant	AR
21G	PERSHING Electronics Material Specialist	FA
21L	PERSHING Electronics Repairer	OD
22K	HAWK Missile and Launcher Repairer	OD
22K	HAWK Missile and Launcher Repairer	OD
22L	NIKE Test Equipment Repairer	OD
22N	NIKE HERCULES Missile-Launcher Repairer	OD
23N	NIKE Track Radar Repairer	OD
23Q	HAWK Fire Control Repairer	OD
23S	HAWK Pulse Radar Repairer	OD
23T	HAWK Continuous Wave Radar Repairer	OD
23U	NIKE High Power Radar-Simulator Repairer	OD
23V	HAWK Maintenance Chief	OD
23W	NIKE Maintenance Chief	OD
24B	HAWK Continuous Wave Radar Mechanic	AD
24C	Improved HAWK Firing Section Mechanic	AD
24D	HAWK Missile-Launcher Mechanic	AD
24E	Improved HAWK Fire Control Mechanic	AD
24F	HAWK Fire Control System Mechanic	AD
24G	Improved HAWK Information Coordination Central Mechanic	AD
24H	Improved HAWK Fire Control Repairer	OD
24J	Improved HAWK Pulse Radar Repairer	OD
24K	Improved HAWK Continuous Wave Radar Repairer	OD
24L	Improved HAWK Launcher/Mechanical Systems Repairer	OD
24M	VULCAN/FARR System Mechanic	AD
24N	CHAPARRAL System Mechanic	AD
24P	Defense Acquisition Radar Mechanic	AD
24Q	NIKE HERCULES Fire Control Mechanic	AD
24U	HERCULES ELectronics Mechanic	AD
24V	Improved HAWK Maintenance Chief	OD
25J	Operations Central Repairer	AD
25K	AN/TSQ-51 System Repairer/Maintenance Chief	AD
25L	AN/TSQ-73ADA Command and Control System of Operator/Repairer	AD
26B	Weapons Support Radar Repairer	FA
26C	Combat Area Surveillance Radar Repairer	MI
26D	Ground Control Approach Radar Repairer	SC
26E	Aerial Surveillance Sensor Repairer	MI
26H	Air Defense Radar Repairer	AD
26K	Aerial Electronic Warning/Defense Equipment Repairer	MI
26L	Tactical Microwave System Repairer	SC
26M	Aerial Surveillance Radar Repairer	MI
26N	Aerial Surveillance Infrared Repairer	MI
26Q	Tactical Satellite Microwave System Operator	SC
26R	Strategic Satellite Microwave System Operator	SC
26T	Radio/Television Systems Specialist	SC
26V	Strageic Microwave Systems Repairer	SC
26Y	Satellite Communications Ground Station Equipment Repairer	SC
27B	Land Combat Support Test Specialist/LANCE Repair	OD
27E	TOW/DRAGON Repairer	OD
27F	VULCAN Repairer	OD
27G	CHAPARRAL/REDEYE Repairer	OD
27H	SHILLELAGH Repairer	OD
27Z	Ballistic/Land Combat/Light AD Systems Maintenance Chief	OD
31E	Field Radio Repairer	SC

MOS	Title	Branch of service
31J	Teletypewriter Repairer	SC
31M	Multichannel Communications Equipment Operator	SC
31N	Tactical Circuit Controller	SC
31S	Field General COMSEC Repairman	SC
31T	Field System COMSEC Repairman	SC
31V	Tactical Communications Systems Operator/Mechanic	SC
31Z	Communications-Electronics Operation Chief	SC
32D	Station Technical Controller	SC
32F	Fixed Ciphony Repairer	SC
32G	Fixed Cryptographic Equipment Repairer	SC
32H	Fixed Station Radio Repairer	SC
32Z	Communications-Electronics Chief	SC
33S	EW/Intercept Systems Repairer	MI
34B	Tabulating Equipment Repairer	SC
34E	NCR 500 Computer Repairer	SC
34F	DSTE Repairer	SC
34G	Fire Control Computer Repairer	OD
34H	ADMSE Repairer	SC
34J	UNIVAC 1004/1005, DCT 9000 System Repairer	SC
34K	IBM 360 Repairer	SC
34Z	ADPS Maintenance Supervisor	SC
35B	Electronic Instrument Repairer	SC
35E	Special Electronic Devices Repairer	SC
35F	Nuclear Weapons Electronics Specialist	OD
35G	Biomedical Equipment Repairer	MS
35H	Calibration Specialist	OD
35K	Avionics Mechanic	SC
35L	Avionic Communications Equipment Repairer	SC
35M	Avionic Navigation and Flight Control Equipment Repairer	SC
35P	Avionic Equipment Maintenance Supervisor	SC
35R	Avionic Special Equipment Repairer	SC
35S	Electronic Biomedical Equipment Repairer	MS
35T	X-Ray Biomedical Equipment Repairer	MS
35U	Biomedical Equipment Maintenance Chief	MS
36C	Wire Systems Installer Operator	SC
36D	Antenna Installer Specialist	SC
36E	Cable Splicer	SC
36H	Dial/Manual Central Office Repairer	SC
36K	Tactical Wire Operations Specialist	SC
36L	Electronic Switching Systems Repairer	SC
41B	Topographic Instrument Repair Specialist	EN
41C	Fire Control Instrument Repairer	OD
41E	Audio-Visual Equipment Repairer	SC
41G	Aerial Surveillance Photographic Equipment Repairer	MI
41J	Office Machine Repairer	SC
41K	Reproduction Equipment Repair Specialist	EN
42C	Orthotic Specialist	MS
42D	Dental laboratory Specialist	MS
42E	Optical Laboratory Specialist	MS
43E	Parachute Rigger	QM
43M	Fabric Repair Specialist	QM
44B	Metal Worker	OD
44E	Machinist	OD
45B	Small Arms Repairman	OD
45K	Tank Turret Repairman	OD
45L	Artillery Repairman	OD
45N	Tank Turret Mechanic	AR
45P	SHERIDAN Turret Mechanic	AR

MOS	Title	Branch of service
45R	Missile Tank Turret Mechanic	AR
45Z	Armament Maintenance Foreman	OD
46N	PERSHING Electrical-Mechanical Repairer	OD
51C	Structure Specialist	EN
51G	Materials Quality Specialist	EN
51H	Construction Engineering Supervisor	EN
51M	Firefighter	EN
51N	Water Treatment and Plumbing Systems Specialist	EN
51P	Utilities Engineering Supervisor	EN
51R	Electrician	EN
51T	Technical Engineering Supervisor	EN
51Z	General Engineering Supervisor	EN
52C	Utilities and Equipment Repairer	EN
52D	Power Generation Equipment Repairer	EN
52E	Prime Power Production Specialist	EN
53B	Industrial Gas Production Specialist	EN
54C	Smoke and Flame Specialist	CM
54D	Chemical Equipment Repairman	CM
54E	Chemical Operations Specialist	CM
55B	Ammunition Specialist	OD
55D	Explosive Ordnance Disposal Specialist	OD
55G	Nuclear Weapons Maintenance Specialist	OD
55X	Ammunition Inspector	OD
55Z	Ammunition Foreman	OD
57E	Laundry and Bath Specialist	QM
57F	Graves Registration Specialist	QM
57H	Terminal Operations Coordinator	TC
61B	Watercraft Operator	TC
61C	Watercraft Engineer	TC
61F	Marine Hull Repairman	TC
61Z	Marine Senior Sergeant	TC
62B	Construction Equipment Repairer	EN
62E	Heavy Construction Equipment Operator	EN
62F	Lifting and Loading Operator	EN
62G	Quarrying Specialist	EN
62H	Concrete and Asphalt Equipment Operator	EN
62J	General Construction Equipment Operator	EN
62N	Construction Equipment Supervisor	EN
63B	Power Generation and Wheel Vehicle Mechanic	OD
63C	Track Vehicle Mechanic	OD
63F	Recovery Specialist	OD
63G	Fuel and Electrical Systems Repairman	OD
63H	Automotive Repairman	OD
63J	Quartermaster Equipment Repairman	OD
63Z	Mechanical Maintenance Supervisor	OD
64C	Motor Transport Operator	TC
64Z	Transportation Senior Sergeant	TC
65B	Locomotive Repairman	TC
65D	Railway Car Repairman	TC
65E	Airbrake Repairman	TC
65F	Locomotive Electrician	TC
65G	Railway Section Repairman	TC
65H	Locomotive Operator	TC
65J	Trainman	TC
65K	Railway Movement Coordinator	TC
65Z	Railway Senior Sergeant	TC
67G	Airplane Repairer	TC
67N	Utility Helicopter Repairer	TC

MOS	Title	Branch of service
67U	Medium Helicopter Repairer	TC
67V	Observation/Scout Helicopter Repairer	TC
67W	Aircraft Quality Control Supervisor	TC
67X	Heavy Lift Helicopter Repairer	TC
67Y	Attack Helicopter Repairer	TC
67Z	Aircraft Maintenance Senior Sergeant	TC
68B	Aircraft Powerplant Repairer	TC
68D	Aircraft Powertrain Repairer	TC
68F	Aircraft Electrician	TC
68G	Aircraft Structural Repairer	TC
68H	Aircraft Pneudraulics Repairer	TC
68J	Helicopter Missile Systems Repairer	TC
68K	Aircraft Component Repair Supervisor	TC
68M	Helicopter Weapon Systems Repairer	TC
71C	Stenographer	AG
71D	Legal Clerk	JA
71E	Court Reporter	JA
71G	Medical Records Specialist	MS
71L	Administrative Specialist	AG
71M	Chapel Activities Specialist	AG
71N	Traffic Management Coordinator	TC
71P	Flight Operations Coordinator	TC
71Q	Journalist	AG
71R	Broadcast Journalist	AG
72E	Telecommunications Center Operator	SC
72G	Data Communications Switching Center Speicalist	SC
72H	Central Office Operations Operator	SC
73C	Finance Specialist	FI
73D	Accounting Specialist	FI
73Z	Finance Senior Sergeant	FI
74B	Card and Tape Writer	AG
74D	Computer/Machine Operator	AG
74F	Programmer/Analyst	AG
74Z	Data Processing NCO	AG
75B	Personnel Administration Specialist	AG
75C	Personnel Management Specialist	AG
75D	Personnel Records Specialist	AG
75E	Personnel Actions Specialist	AG
75Z	Personnel Senior Sergeant	AG
76D	Materiel Supply Specialist	QM
76J	Medical Supply Specialist	MS
76P	Stock Control Supply Specialist	QM
76V	Storage Supply Specialist	QM
76W	Petroleum Supply Specialist	QM
76X	Subsistence Supply Specialist	QM
76Y	Unit Supply Specialist	QM
76Z	Senior Supply Sergeant	QM
79D	Career Counselor	AG
81B	Technical Drafting Specialist	EN
81C	Cartographer	EN
81E	Illustrator	EN
81Z	Topographic Engineering Supervisor	EN
82B	Construction Surveyor	EN
82C	Field Artillery Surveyor	FA
83E	Photo and Layout Specialist	EN
83F	Photolithographer	EN
84B	Still Photographic Specialist	SC
84C	Motion Picture Specialist	SC

MOS	Title	Branch of service
84F	Audio/TV Specialist	SC
84T	TV/Radio Broadcast Operations Chief	SC
84Z	Public Affairs/Audio-Visual Chief	SC/AG
91B	Medical Specialist	MS
91C	Clinical Specialist	MS
91D	Operating Room Specialist	MS
91E	Dental Specialist	MS
91F	Psychiatric Specialist	MS
91G	Behavioral Sciences Specialist	MS
91H	Orthopedic Specialist	MS
91J	Physical Therapy Specialist	MS
91L	Occupational Therapy Specialist	MS
91N	Cardiac Specialist	MS
91P	X-Ray Specialist	MS
91Q	Pharmacy Specialist	MS
91R	Veterinary Specialist	MS
91S	Environmental Health Specialist	MS
91T	Animal Specialist	MS
91U	ENT Specialist	MS
91V	Respiratory Specialist	MS
91W	Nuclear Medicine Specialist	MS
91Y	Eye Specialist	MS
92B	Medical Laboratory Specialist	MS
92C	Petroleum Laboratory Specialist	QM
92D	Chemical Laboratory Specialist	CM
93E	Meteorological observer	TC
93F	Field Artillery Meteorological Crewman	FA
93H	Air Traffic Control (ATC) Tower Operator	TC
93J	ATC Radar Controller	TC
94B	Food Service Specialist	QM
94F	Hospital Food Service Specialist	MS
95B	Military Police	MP
95C	Correctional Specialist	MP
95D	Assistant Special Agent	MP
96B	Intelligence Analyst	MI
96C	Interrogator	MI
96D	Image Interpreter	MI
96H	Aerial Sensor Specialist (OV–1D)	MI
96Z	Intelligence Senior Sergeant	MI
97B	Counterintelligence Agent	MI
97C	Area Intelligence Specialist	MI
98C	Electronic Warfare/Signal Intelligence Analyst	MI
98G	Electronic Warfare/Signal Intelligence Voice Interceptor	MI
98J	Electronic Warfare/Signal Intelligence Noncommunications Interceptor	MI
00B	Diver	EN
00D	Special Duty Assignment (DMOS)	Not a primary MOS
00E	Recruiter	AG
00J	Club Manager	AG
00U	Equal Opportunity NCO	AG
00Z	Command Sergeant Major	BI
01G	Chemical Engineering Assistant	CM
01H	Biological Sciences Assistant	MS
02B	Cornet or Trumpet Player	AG
02C	Baritone or Euphonium Player	AG
02D	French Horn Player	AG
02E	Trombone Player	AG
02F	Tuba Player	AG
02G	Flute or Piccolo Player	AG

MOS	*Title*	*Branch of service*
02H	Oboe Player	AG
02J	Clarinet Player	AG
02K	Bassoon Player	AG
02L	Saxophone Player	AG
02M	Percussion Player	AG
02N	Piano Player	AG
02P	Brass Group Leader	AG
02Q	Woodwind Group Leader	AG
02R	Percussion Group Leader	AG
02S	Special Bandsperson	AG
02T	Guitar Player	AG
02Z	Enlisted Bandleader	AG
03C	Physical Activities Specialist	AG
05B	Radio Operator	SC
05C	Radio Teletype Operator	SC
05D	Electronic Warfare/Signal Intelligence Emitter Identifier/Locator	MI
05G	Signal Security Specialist	MI
05H	Electronic Warfare/Signal Intelligence Morse Interceptor	MI
05K	Electronic Warfare/Signal Intelligence Non-Morse Interceptor	MI
09D	College Trainee	Not a primary MOS
09S	Commissioned Officer Candidate	OCS
09W	Warrant Officer Candidate	WOC

APPENDIX E

OVERSEA UNIFORM AND CIVILIAN CLOTHING REQUIREMENTS

1. This appendix indicates the uniform or civilian clothing prescribed by oversea commanders to be worn within the geographical limits of their commands. Changes to this appendix will be reported to HQDA (DAAG-PSI), WASH DC 20314 by the following:

a. CINCUSAREUR
b. Cdr, USARJ
c. Cdr, USAREIGHT
d. Cdr, USA CINCPAC Support Group
e. Cdr, 193d Inf Bde (Canal Zone)
f. Senior US Army representative in any foreign country not included in reports submitted by commanders in *a* through *e* above.

2. The following remarks apply to all Defense Attaché Offices (DAO) where Army personnel are assigned: Civilian clothing is the primary dress for all DAOs (duty). The uniform is prescribed at the discretion of the Defense Attaché (DATT) for some official calls, for some social visits, and for wear to certain diplomatic functions.

3. Although wearing of the uniform on leave is authorized in some countries, personnel should be aware of the following information. Members traveling on leave do so in an unofficial capacity and the wearing of civilian clothes could preclude inadvertent provocation of anti-American or anti-military sentiment.

4. For seasonal and climatic conditions under which civilian clothing is authorized, appendix D, CTA 50-900 apply.

5. The abbreviations utilized are defined as follows:

a. U—Uniform.
b. C—Civilian Clothing.
c. U/C—If no further instructions are indicated in notes, either uniform or civilian clothing may be worn.

Areas Outside of CONUS, Alaska, and Hawaii	Clothing Worn		
	On Duty	In Transit	On Leave
Afghanistan	C	C	C
Algeria	C	C	C
Argentina	C	C	C
Note. The uniform may be worn when in direct contact with members of the Argentine armed forces at host military installations and when directed for certain official functions. Civilian clothing is prescribed for wear on leave and in transit except in special cases when host military personnel may be expected to meet transiting personnel.			
Australia	U	C	C
Note. Uniform is prescribed for duty wear on Joint Australia/US Defense facilities. Personnel in transit, on TDY, or on leave, or personnel not assigned to Joint Australia/US Defense facilities will normally wear civilian clothing in compliance with the policy of the US Embassy.			

Areas Outside of CONUS, Alaska, and Hawaii	Clothing Worn		
	On Duty	In Transit	On Leave
Austria	C	C	C
Azores	U	U	U/C
Note. Uniform is mandatory for formations and social events.			
Bangladesh	C	C	C
Note. Civilian clothing is prescribed for duty wear; however, the uniform is prescribed for wear for some official calls and visits and to certain diplomatic functions.			
Belgium	U/C	U/C	U/C
Note. Personnel assigned, attached or in support of Allied Command Europe: Uniform is generally prescribed for duty wear, however certain jobs may require the wear of civilian clothes. Uniform or civilian clothes may be prescribed for wear in transit on official business. Civilian clothing is authorized for general off-duty wear.			
Benin	C	C	C
Bolivia	C	C	C
Brazil	C	C	C
Note. Civilian clothing is prescribed for duty wear, except that the uniform will be worn when in direct contact with members of the host government armed forces.			
Bulgaria	C	C	C
Burma	C	C	C
Cameroon	C	C	C
Canada (Including Labrador and Newfoundland)	U	U	U/C
Canal Zone and Republic of Panama	U	U/C	U/C
Note. Uniform will not be worn when arriving/departing the Republic of Panama in PCS, TDY, or leave status unless travel is via the Howard AFB terminal.			
Central African Empire	C	C	C
Chad	C	C	C
Chile	U	U/C	U/C
Note. IAGS generally wear the uniform. The uniform is mandatory for the ARMISH and the MILGROUP.			
Colombia	U	U	C
Costa Rica	C	C	C
Note. Civilian clothing is prescribed for duty wear, except that the uniform will be worn on special occasions.			
Cyprus	C	C	C
Czechoslovakia	C	C	C
Denmark	C	C	C
Note. Civilian clothing is prescribed for duty wear, except that uniforms will be worn on special occasions and when visiting host government installations.			
Dominican Republic	U	U	C
Ecuador	U/C	U/C	C
Note. Civilian clothing is required for duty wear by IAGS and USMLO personnel. Civilian clothing is normally prescribed for duty wear by other personnel assigned to AMEMB; however, the uniform may be worn on special occasions when making visits to host government military installations, attending receptions, award ceremonies, etc. Diplomatically-assigned personnel normally wear a uniform while in transit, and when entering and leaving. Nonaccredited personnel wear civilian clothing while in transit.			
Egypt	C	C	C

Areas Outside of CONUS, Alaska, and Hawaii	Clothing Worn		
	On Duty	In Transit	On Leave
El Salvador	U	C	C
Note: Uniform is prescribed for wear by USMILGP.			
Eniwetok	U	U	C
Fiji	C	C	C
Finland	C	C	C
France	C	C	C
Note. Civilian clothing is prescribed for duty wear. Uniform may be worn for official functions and field duty with troops. Personnel attending French military schools or attached to French military units will wear the uniform authorized by the local French commander.			
Gabonese Republic	C	C	C
Gambia	C	C	C
Germany	U	U	U/C
Note. Uniform is prescribed for duty wear, except that civilian clothing is required for duty wear by MAAG personnel with the uniform worn for official functions and field duty with troops. Uniform is prescribed for wear in transit when on official business. Civilian clothing is authorized for general off-duty wear.			
Ghana	C	C	C
Grand Bahama Islands	U	U	U/C
Great Britian	U/C	C	C
Note. Uniform is prescribed for duty wear on US installations only. Security assistance and US STAN group will wear civilian clothing only when permitted by the host country.			
Greece	U	U	U/C
Note. Uniform is prescribed for duty wear, except that civilian clothing is required for duty wear by MAAG personnel with uniform worn for official functions and field duty with troops. Uniform is prescribed for wear in transit when on official business. Civilian clothing is authorized for general off-duty wear.			
Greenland	U	U	U/C
Guam	U	U/C	U/C
Guatemala	C	C	C
Note. Uniform will be worn for official visits to Guatemala military installations and when specified for official functions.			
Haiti	U	U/C	U/C
Note. Summer uniform is worn all year long. Civilian clothing is recommended but not required for leave.			
Honduras	U	U/C	U/C
Note. Uniform is prescribed for duty wear, except that civilian clothing is worn on occasions at the request of the Honduran Government, and is prescribed for duty wear by IAGS personnel. During period of civil or military disturbances, the Honduran Government has asked that personnel wear civilian clothing.			
Hong Kong	C	U/C	U/C
Note. Civilian clothing is prescribed for duty wear for personnel stationed in Hong Kong. Either uniform or civilian clothing may be worn in Hong Kong on leave, TDY, and/or transiting, but civilian clothing is recommended. In order to enter and depart Hong Kong in civilian clothing, personnel must have a passport.			
Hungary	C	C	C
Iceland	U	U/C	U/C
Note. Uniform is prescribed for duty wear. When transiting, personnel using military aircraft are required to wear the uniform; however, personnel using commercial air may wear civilian clothing.			
India	C	C	C

Areas Outside of CONUS, Alaska, and Hawaii	Clothing Worn		
	On Duty	In Transit	On Leave
Indonesia	C	C	C
Note. USDLG Officer personnel are required to wear the uniform during duty hours. All others: Civilian clothing is prescribed for duty wear; however, uniform is worn for certain social functions, field trips, and visits to military installations.			
Ireland	C	C	C
Israel	C	C	C
Italy	U	C	C
Note. Uniform is prescribed for duty wear on US military installations. Personnel in transit on TDY, or on leave, or personnel not assigned to US military installations will normally wear civilian clothing in compliance with the policy of the US Embassy.			
Ivory Coast	C	C	C
Jamaica	C	C	C
Note. Civilian clothing is prescribed for wear at all times, except that the uniform may be prescribed for special occasions.			
Japan (Including Okinawa)	U	U	U/C
Jordan	C	C	U/C
Korea	U	U	U
Note. Uniform is prescribed for duty wear at all times. When off-duty, civilian clothing may be worn on post at the discretion of the local installation commander and anywhere off post. When in transit between military installations or areas where the wear of civilian clothing is authorized, wear of the uniform is not required.			
Lebanon	C	C	C
Note. Civilian clothing is prescribed for duty wear, except that the uniform may be prescribed for wear by certain individuals.			
Lesotho	C	C	C
Liberia	U	U/C	C
Note. Uniform is prescribed for duty wear and for wear when attending certain official functions. Either uniform or civilian clothing may be worn in transit and on leave; however, the wearing of civilian clothing while on leave is encouraged.			
Libya	U	U/C	C
Note. Uniform is prescribed for duty wear, except that either the uniform or civilian clothing may be worn by headquarters personnel assigned or attached to MAAG; however, the uniform will be worn when duties require visits to Libyan Army Units, or when prescribed by Chief, MAAG. Training personnel when assigned to MAAG will wear prescribed uniform for duty.			
Luxembourg	C	C	C
Madagascar	C	C	C
Malawi	C	C	C
Malaysia	C	C	C
Note. Civilian clothing is normally worn during duty hours; however, the uniform is prescribed for wear when visiting military units, and to certain social functions.			
Mali	C	C	C
Malta	C	C	C
Mauritania	C	C	C
Mexico	C	C	C
Note. Civilian clothing is normally worn during duty hours; however, the uniform is prescribed for wear when visiting Mexican Department of Defense agencies. Civilian clothing is generally worn when in transit; however, uniform is worn in special cases where Mexican Defense Department personnel may be expected to meet transiting personnel.			
Morocco	C	C	C

Areas Outside of CONUS, Alaska, and Hawaii	Clothing Worn		
	On Duty	In Transit	On Leave
Nepal	C	C	C
Note. Civilian clothing is normally worn during duty hours; however, the uniform is prescribed for wear when visiting military units and to certain social functions.			
Netherlands	U	U/C	C
Note. (1) Personnel assigned, attached, or in support of Allied Command Europe: Uniform is prescribed for duty wear. Uniform is prescribed for wear in transit when on official business. Civilian clothing is authorized for general off-duty wear. (2) Personnel not in support of Allied Command Europe; Civilian clothing is prescribed for duty wear. The uniform will be worn for official functions and field duty with troops. Either uniform or civilian clothing may be worn in transit; however, civilian clothing is recommended. Civilian clothing is prescribed for wear on leave for personnel assigned to duty under this grouping.			
New Zealand	U	U/C	U/C
Note. Either uniform or civilian clothing may be worn in transit or on leave; however, civilian clothing is preferable while on leave.			
Nicaragua	U	C	C
Note. Civilian clothing is prescribed for IAGS personnel.			
Niger	C	C	C
Nigeria	C	C	C
Norway	U/C	U/C	C
Note. Civilian clothing is prescribed for duty wear by MAAG personnel; however, uniform is worn on special occasions as prescribed. Uniform is prescribed for duty wear by Hq., Allied Forces Northern Europe. Uniform is prescribed for visits to Hq., Allied Forces Northern Europe.			
Okinawa	U	U	U/C
Pakistan	U/C	U/C	U/C
Note. Uniform is prescribed for duty wear by officer personnel. Civilian clothing is prescribed for duty wear by enlisted personnel.			
Paraguay	U/C	C	C
Note. Civilian clothing is optional for duty wear by IAGS personnel, except that uniform will be worn when in direct contact with members of host government armed forces or when visiting military installations. Uniform is prescribed for duty wear for ODC personnel.			
Peru	U/C	U/C	C
Note. Civilian clothing is prescribed for duty wear by MAAG and IAGS personnel; however, uniform is worn on special occasions as prescribed and for personnel assigned to the Peruvian exchange program.			
Philippines	U	U	C
Poland	C	C	C
Portugal	U	C	C
Note. Civilian clothing is prescribed for duty wear by MAAG personnel.			
Puerto Rico	U	U/C	U/C
Romania	C	C	C
Saudia Arabia	U	U	C
Senegal	C	C	C
Sierra Leone	C	C	C
Singapore	U/C	U/C	U/C
South Africa, Republic of	C	U/C	U/C
Note. Civilian clothing will be worn for duty; however, uniform is prescribed for wear when visiting military installations or when calling on members of Defense Forces during duty hours.			
Spain	U	C	C
Note. Civilian clothing is prescribed for MAAG personnel.			

Areas Outside of CONUS, Alaska, and Hawaii	Clothing Worn		
	On Duty	In Transit	On Leave
Sri Lanka	C	C	C
Sudan	C	C	C
Swaziland	C	C	C
Sweden	C	C	C
Switzerland	C	C	C
Note. Uniform is prohibited except for special occasions when authorized by the Swiss Government.			
Syria	C	C	C
Taiwan	U	U	C
Thailand	U	U/C	U/C
Note. MAAG personnel may be permitted to wear civilian clothing on duty in accordance with local regulations.			
Togo	C	C	C
Tonga	C	C	C
Trinidad & Tabago	C	C	C
Tunisia	C	C	C
Note. Personnel assigned to Tunisia should review the latest Dept. of State post report for Tunisia for a list of recommendations on uniform items which will be needed on station.			
Turkey	U	U/C	C
Note. Uniform is prescribed for duty except that civilian clothing will be worn by MAAG and CENTO personnel. Either uniform or civilian clothing may be worn in transit; however, wear of civilian clothing is recommended.			
Upper Volta	C	C	C
Union of Soviet Socialist Republic	C	C	C
Uruguay			
Note. Uniform will be worn when in direct contact with members of the host government armed forces, when visiting military installations, during ceremonies, and during social functions. Civilian clothing is worn on all other occasions unless otherwise directed.			
Venezuela	U	U	U/C
Western Samoa	C	C	C
Yemen	C	C	C
Yugoslavia	C	C	C
Zaire	U/C	C	C
Note. Uniform will be worn by all officers during duty hours. Civilian clothing may be worn by enlisted personnel except when assigned in direct contact with members of the host government armed forces.			

Abbreviations.
U—Uniform.
C—Civilian Clothing.
U/C—If no further instructions are indicated in notes either uniform or civilian clothing may be worn.

APPENDIX F

AUTHORITY FOR WEAR—UNITED STATES UNIT AWARD EMBLEMS

	Authorized for wear		*Second/Subsequent Award*	
Emblem—in order of procedures	*Permanent* [1]	*Temporary* [3]	*Oak Leaf Cluster*	*Star*
Presidential Unit Citation (Army and Air Force)	X [2]	X	X [5]	
Presidential Unit Citation (Navy)	X			X
Valorous Unit Award	X	X	X	
Meritorious Unit Commendation	X	X	X	
Navy Unit Commendation	X [2]			X
Meritorious Unit Commendation (Navy)	X [2]			X
Air Force Outstanding Unit Award [4]	X [2]		X	
Coast Guard Unit Commendation	X [6]		X	
Air Force Organization Excellence Award [4]	X [2]		X	
Coast Guard Meritorious Unit Commendation	X [6]		X	

Footnotes:

[1] By an individual who was assigned to and present for duty with the unit at any time during the period cited or who was attached by competent orders to and present for duty with the unit during the entire period or for at least 30 consecutive days of the period cited.

[2] The 30 day requirement for attached personnel does not apply to Navy and Air Force awards.

[3] By an individual who was not present with the unit during the period cited but was subsequently assigned to the unit. May be worn only for the duration of his assignment to the unit. For elements of regiments organized under the combat arms regimental system, the emblem may be worn temporarily by personnel of the earning unit only.

[4] When awarded for combat or direct combat support, a bronze "V" device is worn on the emblem.

[5] Army and Air Force awards are equal in precedence and the emblems are identical. An individual authorized to wear both an Army and Air Force emblem would wear a single emblem with an Oak Leaf Cluster.

[6] By an individual who was assigned to or who was attached to and present for duty with the unit during at least one day of the period cited for awards issued prior to 28 August 1979. For awards on or after 28 August 79, the individual must have been assigned or attached by competent orders to the unit and was present for duty during the entire period or for at least 50 percent of the period cited.

APPENDIX G

TABLE OF PRESCRIBED DRESS

Prescribed	*Attire*
Duty uniform	Duty uniform as locally prescribed.
Informal	
Uniform	Army blue or Army white with four-in-hand tie. (Although the Army blue uniform is prescribed for social functions after retreat the Army green uniform may be worn as a substitute.)
Civilian	Civilian business suit.
Black tie	
Uniform	Army blue or white with black bow tie; blue or white mess uniform.
Civilian	Civilian dinner jacket (tuxedo).
White tie	
Uniform	Army evening dress uniform (chaps. 9 and 23).
Civilian	Evening full dress (tail coat).

Note 1. Unless otherwise indicated by the host, the uniform equivalent of specified civilian attire may be worn.

Note 2. Invitations may prescribe dress as indicated above, e.g., "black tie" or a particular uniform may be specified, e.g., "Army blue."

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