

M8 K511 Smoke Pot, Floating TA Practice



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FACT SHEET:



KEY FACTS:

- The M8 Practice Floating Smoke Pot is the training device for the M4A2 HC Floating Smoke Pot.
- The M8 generates screening smoke to obscure the tactical small area/beach landings, river/water borne operations, and serves as an excellent source of battlefield effect smoke.
- The M8 generates approximately 5 minutes of smoke obscuration in the visual spectrum.
- The M8 is currently fielded with on-going production.
- DODIC: K511

Capabilities/Characteristics:

- **Warning:** Refer to GTA Card for proper venting procedures before placing into operations.
- Trainer for M4A2 HC Floating Smoke Pot
- Can be used on the ground or in water
- Provides over 5 minutes of smoke obscuration
- Utilizes the M208 fuze with a time delay of 8–12 sec
- Total weight: 38 pounds

Stakeholders:

- Joint Program Executive Office Armaments & Ammunition (JPEO A&A)
- Maneuver Capabilities Development and Integration Directorate (MCDID)
- Development Command Armaments Center (DEVCOM AC)

Industry Partners:

- LAP: Pine Bluff Arsenal (PBA), Pine Bluff, AR
- Metal Parts: Tool Masters Inc (TMI), Tuscumbia, AL
- Fuze: Combined Systems Inc. (CSI), Jamestown, PA and Day & Zimmermann (D&Z), Texarkana, TX

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