

# Aviation Rescue Swimmer School

SAR Publications and Reports

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# INTRODUCTION

- During this unit of instruction the Rescue Swimmer will learn about all of the Navy's Search and Rescue doctrines. The Rescue Swimmer will also be able to name these doctrines and be able to complete a SAR Report for a given scenario.

# ENABLING OBJECTIVES

- Identify the title and content of publications applicable to a rescue swimmer.
- Complete a rescue report SAR form 3-50.1/1 when given a rescue scenario.

# NWP 3-50.1 NAVAL SEARCH AND RESCUE (SAR) MANUAL

- The most frequently used SAR publication.
- This manual is intended to promote and maintain standardization of SAR procedures and techniques within the U.S. Navy.
- These procedures shall serve as a basis for SAR evaluation programs. Therefore, it is essential that this manual be maintained and readily available to unit personnel.

# NWP 3-50.1 NAVAL SEARCH AND RESCUE (SAR) MANUAL

- Items covered in this manual are:
  - Search and rescue equipment
  - Aviation maritime SAR procedures.
  - Rescue swimmer procedures.
  - Surface vessel SAR procedures.
  - SAR medical procedures.
  - Rescue report form (SAR Form 3-50.1/1 )

# NAVAIR 13-1-6.5 AVIATION CREW SYSTEMS MANUAL ON RESCUE AND SURVIVAL EQUIPMENT

- Purpose of each volume is to provide technical information related to configuration, application, function, inspection, and maintenance of a particular category of aircrew safety and survival equipment.

# NAVAIR 13-1-6.5 AVIATION CREW SYSTEMS MANUAL ON RESCUE AND SURVIVAL EQUIPMENT

- Two volumes that are of particular interest to the rescue swimmer:
  - NAVAIR 13-1-6.2 Inflatable Survival Equipment
  - NAVAIR 13-1-6.5 Rescue and Survival Equipment

# ATP-10 NATO SEARCH AND RESCUE (SAR) MANUAL

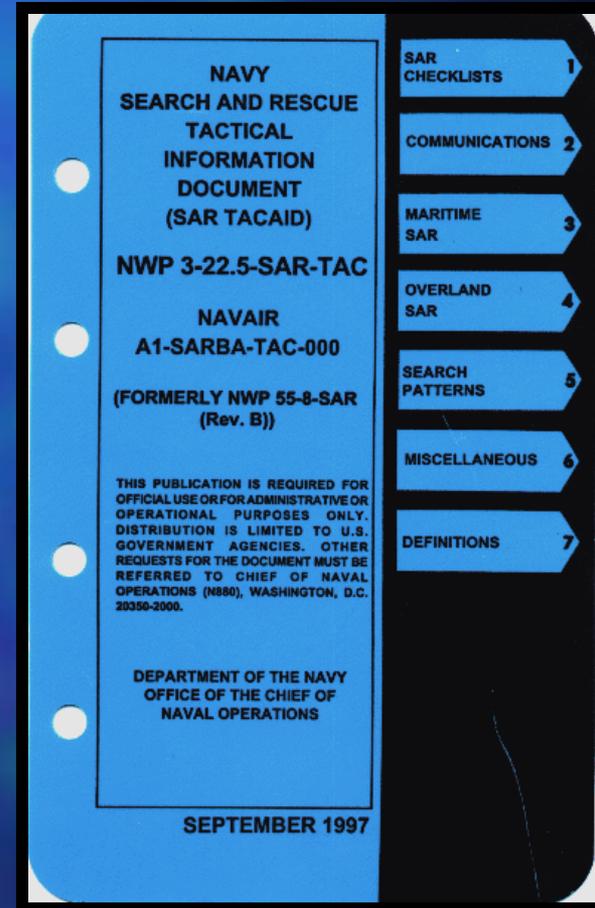
- Manual deals with operations based upon the doctrine of search and rescue. It presents the techniques and procedures for Allied SAR problems.
- Rescue swimmers should be aware of this manual and familiarize themselves with it.

# NWP 3-04.1 HELICOPTER OPERATING PROCEDURES FOR AIR- CAPABLE SHIPS

- This publication sets forth the mandatory operational procedures and training requirements for the employment of helicopters.
  - Paragraph 1.3.14 Ship Search and Rescue Team.
  - Paragraph 4.3.2 Search and Rescue Requirements.
  - Paragraph 4.3.2.1 Plane Guard Ship.
  - Paragraph 4.3.2.2 SAR Helicopter Equipment.

# NWP 3-22.5 SAR TACAID

- Promotes standardized, efficient, and sound SAR tactics.
- Every SAR capable ship and aircraft carries this publication.



# OPNAVINST 3130.6 SERIES NAVAL SEARCH AND RESCUE (SAR) STANDARDIZATION PROGRAM

- Provides for standardization of Navy search and rescue policies, procedures, training and evaluation program.
- Contains requirements for initial/ refresher training.
- Outlines minimum annual proficiency training requirements.

## Joint Pub 3-50/3-50.1/3-50.2 NATIONAL SEARCH AND RESCUE MANUALS

- Provides guidance to federal agencies concerning implementation of the National Search and Rescue Plan.
- Establishes standards and provides common procedures, techniques, and terminology to all federal forces, military and civilian, that support civil search and rescue (SAR) operations.

# OPNAVINST 3710.7 NATOPS GENERAL FLIGHT AND OPERATION INSTRUCTIONS

- This instruction prescribes general flight and operating instructions and procedures applicable to the operation of all naval aircraft and related activities.
- Chapter 8 is of interest to aircrew and rescue swimmers. Briefly explains initial training, extended wear of wet suits, and effects of exercise, smoking, alcohol, illness and drug use.

# Locating SAR Reference Publications

- These publications are stored in the Combat Information Center (CIC) of ships and may be checked out from the NWP custodian for short periods. In squadrons, the pubs are held by the Technical Publications Librarian.

# Review

- The \_\_\_\_\_ manual deals with operations and procedures for Allied SAR problems.
  - *ATP-10*
- The NWP 3-22.5 is called what?
  - *SAR TACAID*

# Review

- The \_\_\_\_\_ manual deals with Navy search rescue policies, procedures, training and evaluation programs..
  - *OPNAVINST 3130.6 series*
- The JCS 3-50 is called what?
  - *National Search and Rescue*

# Questions?

