







#### **CAD/PAD** International Logistics Meeting (ILM)

#### PACKAGING FOR RETIRING AIRCRAFT Naval Packaging Handling Storage and Transportation (PHST) Center



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#### **AGENDA**



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# **Proper Packaging is Important**



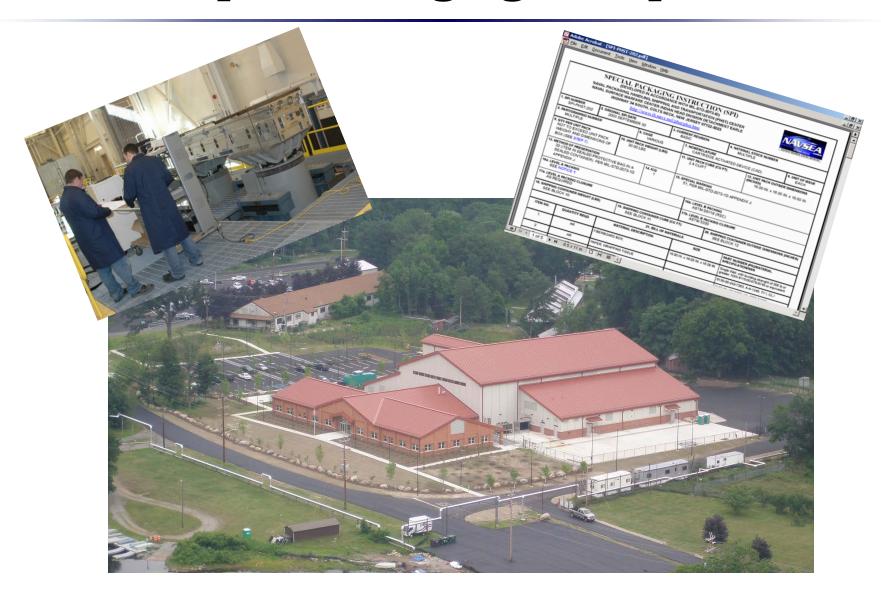
- It's the Law
  - o Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 49
  - International Aviation Transportation Association (IATA)
  - International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)
- Safety is a Priority
  - Performance oriented packaging (POP) testing
  - Hazard classification
- Naval PHST Center
  - Tests and qualifies packaging
  - Writes special packaging
    - Instructions





# **Proper Packaging is Important**









## No Packaging? Now What?

For CADS used on F/A-18 aircraft, most can be packaged in an ammo can per SPI-PHST-203
 Mixing of CADs within the same can is authorized



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 For shielded mild detonating cords (SMDC), most can be packaged in a fiberboard box per SPI-PHST-212









 For under seat rocket motors (USRM), most can be packaged in a commercial-off-the-shelf (COTS) wood crate per SPI-PHST-222



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 For CADs used on other aircraft besides F/A-18, packaging in a COTS paint can per SPI-PHST-316 can be considered







- Nonstandard Pack Letters
  - O What are they?
    - Approval from the PHST Technical Warrant Holder to use alternate packaging
  - O When are they appropriate?
    - When all other alternatives have been exhausted and there is an urgency to ship
- Nonstandard pack letters are only effective for a limited quantity or specific time period





#### How to get a nonstandard pack letter:

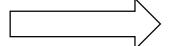
- Send email to: cpvfsFleetReturns@navy.mil
- Provide:
  - o DODIC
  - Condition Code
  - o Quantity
  - Destination (Ordnance Assessment/DEMIL)
  - Picture of current packaging helpful
- May propose packaging currently available on site





- Example of need for nonstandard pack letter
  - EA-6B retired to museum in Ohio with CADs
  - SS67 cataloged as one per wood box
  - Original wood box not available
  - Nonstandard pack ltr. authorized four SS67s per COTS wood crate per SPI-PHST-222











## **Getting Help From Others**

- Contact Naval Surface Warfare Center
   Indian Head EOD Technology Division (NSWC IHEODTD) CAD/PAD program as early as possible via email at cpvfsFleetReturns@navy.mil
- For MILSTRIPs/destination instructions Attn: NAVSUP
- For packaging information Attn: PHST Center
- Contact your closest Weapons Station or Reserve Unit for supplies, information and direction
- Please note:
  - NSWC IHEODTD does not have any packaging supplies or containers in inventory to provide.
  - Local procurement is necessary.



#### Conclusion



### PROPER PACKAGING IS IMPORTANT!

**SPIs for RETIRING AIRCRAFT** 

F/A-18 CADS - SPI-PHST-203

SMDCs - SPI-PHST-212

USRMs - SPI-PHST-222

CADs (other aircraft) - SPI-PHST-316

If none of the above, then NONSTANDARD PACK LTR
Reach out for help early at cpvfsFleetReturns@navy.mil



### **Questions?**

