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MARINE CORPS SYSTEMS COMMAND Program Manager Infantry Combat Equipment



Overview: The Multi-Purpose Bayonet is to be used as a weapon-fixed bayonet for the M-16 rifle and M-4 Carbine or as a hand-to-hand fighting knife.

Features: The bayonet measures 13 ¹/₄ inches overall and features an eight-inch blade and full tang construction. The clip point blade, made from 0.20inch-thick 1095 steel, is 1 ³/₄ inch deep and has a sharpened false edge. Aggressive serrations are honed into the blade nearest the cross-guard to assist in cutting. The bayonet's handle is made from flexible thermoplastic elastomer, with an ergonomically designed texture for better handling. An indexing point molded into the handle is embossed with the Marine Corps Eagle, Globe, and Anchor.

Components: Bayonet, scabbard, and leg strap

Approved Acquisition Objective (AAO):

UNIT	AAO
I MEF	47,913
II MEF	43,446
III MEF	27,966
MARFORRES	37,048
MARFORCENT	518
MARFORSOC	3,591
WRMR	0
DMFA	0
SPT EST	8,425
TOTAL	168,907

BAYONET, MULTI-PURPOSE, WITH SCABBARD AND LEG STRAP

Concept of Distribution: Marine Expeditionary Forces (MEFs) supply through Direct Vendor Delivery.

Fielding Status: Fielding complete

Requirements Document: Operational Requirements Document (ORD) 3900 C44, dated 24 May 1994

Training: Can be coordinated through Program Manager, Infantry Combat Equipment (PM ICE)

Manuals: TM 05576A-23&P Field Maintenance Manual

Supply/Logistics:

TAMCN: E00502E SAC: 1 AAC: Z IED: 1 Jan 2025

Bayonet System ID No: 05576C NSN: 1095-01-521-6087

Bayonet ID No: N/A NSN: 1095-01-507-5729

Scabbard ID No: N/A NSN: 1005-01-507-5713

Leg Strap ID No: N/A NSN: 8465-01-507-5635

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