



# HAWKER®

## Headlines

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### Quick Tips!



**Hawker®** understands that no matter the environment  
your mission carries on...and so do we!

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### Answer to question from last issue:

**How do I choose the correct battery for my application (vehicle, GenSet, etc.)?**

Of course, the first place to check is the vehicle's or equipment's **Technical Manual (TM)**. Soldiers can also contact their unit's Tank-Automotive Armaments Command Logistics Assistance Representative ...or simply **TACOM LAR**. Ultimately, the appropriate platform's Program Manager (PM) or Product Manager (PdM) office will know.

However, for most military ground tactical wheeled- and tracked-vehicles, the **Hawker® ARMASAFE™ Plus** 6TAGM battery (NSN: 6140-01-485-1472) is a direct drop-in replacement where the **NATO 6T-size** 12-volt flooded-cell battery was previously installed (e.g., 6TMF, 6TL, 6TN, etc.).

Now, if the vehicle or equipment requires a different size 12-volt battery, please see our **Hawker® MIL PC** battery page to find the appropriate battery based on either the BCI group size or your current battery's **dimensions and battery terminal type**, or simply contact us...either on the web or on our hotline...so we may suggest a replacement battery.

### Did you know:



for a single battery, **Open Circuit Voltage (OCV)** is the measurement of voltage between its positive and negative terminals when there is **no load** on the battery. In other words, the battery is at a **state of rest**, neither providing power nor receiving a charge. Measurement is usually conducted with either a DC voltmeter or multimeter with a **DC voltmeter setting**. Fully-charged **Hawker's** are normally **12.9 OCV**, flooded-cell batteries are normally 12.6 OCV.

### Training:

Due to Shelter-in-Place orders as a result of COVID-19, our free on-site **Battery Maintenance and Recovery Training** has been **temporarily** suspended. However, we'll resume unit training visits once the risk has been minimized. But, **now is the time** to contact us to get your shop scheduled for **later in the year**. Contact your Hawker® FSR today!



**Next Issue:**  
Can multiple short-duration vehicle run-times have an effect my battery?

### Questions?

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