



Fire Protection Training

Procedures Handbook 4300

SALVAGE & OVERHAUL

TOPIC: How to Roll a Salvage Cover for a One Person Spread

TIME FRAME: 30 Minutes

LEVEL OF INSTRUCTION:

BEHAVIORAL OBJECTIVE:

Condition: One salvage cover and two students with the salvage cover spread flat on the ground finished side up.

Behavior: The students will roll a salvage cover for a one person spread.

Standard: With a minimum of 70% accuracy

MATERIALS NEEDED:

- Salvage covers
- Performance examinations
- Tally sheets
- Clipboard
- Marking pen

REFERENCES:

- IFSTA, Essentials of Fire Fighting, 2nd Edition, Chapter 12
- IFSTA, Salvage and Overhaul, 7th Edition, Chapter 3

PREPARATION: Salvage operations are an important part of all structure fire suppression operations. When properly done salvage reduces damage associated with fire, smoke, and water.



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HOW TO ROLL A SALVAGE COVER
FOR A ONE PERSON SPREAD

OPERATIONS

KEY POINTS

1. Position salvage cover

1a. Flat

b. On clean surface

c. Finished side up

2. Position students

2a. At each end

b. Opposite one another

c. Midway from center to outer edge

3. Grasp the salvage cover

3a. Each student

b. With working hand

c. Midway between center and edge of the salvage cover

4. Anchor salvage cover

4a. Each student

b. With free hand

c. Midway between working hand and center of salvage cover

5. Fold cover over on itself

5a. Each student

b. Working hand moving across body

c. Align fold with center of salvage cover

6. Grasp the salvage cover

6a. Each student

b. With working hand

c. At outer edge of cover

7. Anchor salvage cover

7a. Each student

b. With free hand

c. Midway between working hand and center of salvage cover

8. Fold cover over on itself

8a. Each student

b. Working hand moving across body

c. Align outside edge with center of salvage cover

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9. Reposition students

9a. At each end

b. Opposite one another

c. Midway between center and outer edge of cover

10. Grasp the salvage cover

10a. Each student

b. With working hand

c. Midway between center and outer edge

11. Anchor salvage cover

11a. Each student

11b. b. With free hand c. Midway between working hand and center of salvage cover

12. Fold cover over on itself

12a. Each student

b. Working hand moving across body

c. Align fold with center of salvage cover

13. Grasp the salvage cover

13a. Each student

b. With working hand

c. At outer edge of cover

14. Anchor salvage cover

14a. Each student

b. With free hand

c. Midway between working hand and center of salvage cover

15. Fold cover over on itself

15a. Each student

b. Working hand moving across body

c. Align outside edge with center of salvage cover



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16. Reposition students

16a. At each end

b. Opposite one another

c. Straddling center line of salvage cover

17. Grasp salvage cover

17a. Each student

b. At each corner

18. Fold cover over on itself

18a. Each student

b. Perpendicular to center line of salvage cover

c. Approximately 12"

19. Reposition students

19a. Shoulder to shoulder

20. Roll cover back on itself

20a. Both students

b. Starting at either end

c. Keeping roll tight

d. Drawing wrinkles to center

21. Secure roll

21a. With rubber band or cord



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APPLICATION:

Student to practice until proficient.

EVALUATION:

A performance examination.

ASSIGNMENT:

To be determined by instructor(s).

	<u>POINTS</u>
1. Students take positions on opposite ends of the salvage cover midway between the center of the salvage cover and the edge to be folded.	<u>3</u>
2. Students grasp the cover with the working hand midway between the center and the edge to be folded.	<u>5</u>
3. Students anchor the salvage cover with the free hand at a point midway between the working hand and the center of the salvage cover.	<u>5</u>
4. Students fold cover back on itself with the working hand until the folded edge is aligned with the center of the salvage cover.	<u>10</u>
5. Students regrasp the cover with the working hand at the corner of the salvage cover.	<u>5</u>
6. Students re-anchor the salvage cover with the free hand midway between the working hand and the center of the salvage cover.	<u>3</u>
7. Students fold cover back on itself with the working hand until the folded edge is aligned with the center of the salvage cover.	<u>10</u>
8. Students take new positions on opposite ends of the salvage cover midway between the center of the salvage cover and the edge remaining to be folded.	<u>3</u>
9. Students grasp the cover with the working hand midway between the center and the edge to be folded.	<u>5</u>
10. Students anchor the salvage cover with the free hand at a point midway between the working hand and the center of the salvage cover.	<u>5</u>
11. Students fold the cover back on itself with the working hand until the folded edge is aligned with the center of the salvage cover.	<u>10</u>

	<u>POINTS</u>
12. Students regrasp the cover with the working hand at the corner of the salvage cover.	<u>5</u>
13. Students re-anchor the salvage cover with the free hand midway between the working hand and the center of the salvage cover	<u>3</u>
14. Students fold cover back on itself with the working hand until the folded edge is aligned with the center of the salvage cover.	<u>10</u>
15. Students reposition themselves at center of salvage cover, opposite each other and fold 12" section of salvage cover end toward each other.	<u>5</u>
16. Students reposition themselves shoulder to shoulder on same end of salvage cover.	<u>3</u>
17. Students roll salvage cover tightly from end to end.	<u>5</u>
18. Students secure rolled salvage cover with rubber bands or cord.	<u>5</u>

ENTER TOTAL TIME: :

POINTS POSSIBLE: 100

POINTS DEDUCTED:

FINAL SCORE:

EVALUATOR'S SIGNATURE:

DATE:

COMMENTS:
