

Navy Working Uniform (NWU) Type III Quick Fit Guide

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HEAD GEAR:

- 8-Point cover with ACE logo is the “Standard Head Gear.”
- Navy blue or coyote brown “Navy” or Command ball cap is optional.
- Worn squarely on head, parallel to the deck above the ears and eyes.

T-SHIRT & UNDERGEAR:

- Brown crewneck t-shirt. Collar should fit comfortably around neck.
- Thermal underwear authorized but must not be visible when wearing.

RANK INSIGNIA:

- Slip on embroidered (E-4 to O-10)
- Muted gold (O-1 & O-4)
- Black (all others)
- Silver (optional for O-6)



SHIRT:

- Worn squarely on shoulders.
- Length should fall between bottom of crotch and no further than the middle of the trouser cargo pocket flap.

TROUSERS:

- Worn squarely on waist with 1 ¼” cotton or nylon belt or 1 ¾” rigger belt (E-1 to E-6 black belt) (E-7 to O-10 khaki/COY brown belt)



TROUSER BLOUSING:

- Blouse trousers using blousing straps or attached trouser drawstrings. When bloused, blousing should cover top three rows of boot eyelets.

NWU BOOTS:

- Laces must be tied and tucked into boots.
- Boots should be fitted in, and worn with boot socks.

WASH/CARE OF THE UNIFORM
ALL BUTTONS/CLOSURES FASTENED
AND SECURED
WASH THE UNIFORM INSIDE OUT

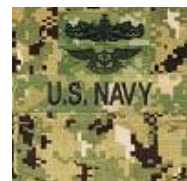
OPTIONAL PATCHES:

- Reverse U.S. Flag (worn on right shoulder)
- Don't Tread on Me flag (worn on left shoulder)
- Command Patch (if not worn on the right breast pocket) can replace the DTOM.
- Shoulder patches are laser cut or embroidered (patches worn must match).



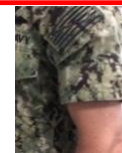
WARFARE INSIGNIA:

- Single-Stack: Primary warfare insignia sewn centered above and flush with top edge of the U.S. NAVY Service tape. Secondary insignia sewn centered below and flush with service tape.
- Double-Stacked: Primary warfare insignia sewn centered above and flush with secondary insignia (which is centered above and flush with service tape).
- Fabric strip will extend a ¼ inch on the left and right of the embroidery.



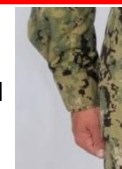
ROLLED SLEEVES:

- 3” wide band covered by cuff with fabric side out.
- Falls approx. 2” above elbow.



SLEEVE LENGTH:

- Fully extended, cuffs fastened.
- Should cover wrist bone but not extend beyond first knuckle at base of thumb.



TROUSER LENGTH:

- When not bloused, trouser leg length shall not extend below bottom of boot heel.

PARKA & FLEECE:

- To determine correct size and length, try on parka with fleece and NWU shirt. Parka should cover fleece and the fleece should cover the shirt.

