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This publication describes the doctrine, tactics, and techniques for employing flame weapons, riot control agents (RCA), and herbicides during peacetime and combat. It is intended primarily for use by chemical personnel at all echelons in planning the employment of flame and non-lethal materials (RCAs and herbicides). Training with RCAs is discussed in detail in TC 3-8, ***Chemical Training***.

This manual does not implement any international standardization agreements; however, the material within the manual is in accordance with related international agreements.

Unless this publication states otherwise, masculine nouns and pronouns do not refer exclusively to men.

Extracts from FM 5-250, ***Explosives and Demolitions***, are used extensively throughout this field manual for technical and operational clarity. For further information concerning the use of military explosives and their components, see FM 5-250.

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