

CBRNE (PROTECTIVE MASK FILTERS)

M17/M17A1/M40/M40A1/M42

POSSIBLE AREAS OF CONCERN

The protective mask filters that contain ASC Whetlerite charcoal contain heavy metal chemical compounds (Chromium 6) and triethylenediamine.

CHARACTERIZATION

If these masks are equipped with the C2 (black body) ASC Whetlerized charcoal-filled canister NSN 4240-01-119-2315 or NSN 4240-21-871-7842, remove the C2 canister and manage as a **hazardous waste** - chromium. For those M40/M42 series masks containing the C2A1 (green body) ASZM TEDA charcoal-filled canister, NSN 4240-01-361-1319, remove the canister and collect separately from the black filters.

Note: CBRNF12B filters have a black body, but are not hazardous waste, and should be placed with the green filters.

CONTAINER MARKING AND HANDLING PROCEDURES

Note 1

C2 (black body) ASC Whetlerized charcoal-filled canister NSN 4240-01-119-2315 or NSN 4240-21-871-7842, are tuned in to PPOC.

Note 2

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GENERAL INFORMATION

These procedures do not cover any item that has been contaminated with agents. For information contact **Environmental Division Hazardous Waste**. *Refer to protocol sheet A-21 for chemical/CBRNE related kits.*