



USMC FLEECE PULLOVER | WarPAD²

OVERVIEW:

The 100wt fleece pullover was developed to provide the Marine Corps with a multi-purpose, lightweight/low bulk, moisture transport, and insulation layer for the upper torso. The fleece pullover can be used during both garrison and field duties in cool to cold weather conditions.

It can be worn under the camouflage utilities, used as a sleep shirt in the sleeping bag, and as an optional/additional insulation layer for the Extended Cold Weather Clothing System (ECWCS).



DESCRIPTION:

The fleece pullover shirt is Coyote in color, has long sleeves and a collar that converts to a mock turtleneck when the front opening slide fastener is completely closed. The slide fastener front opening extends from the top of the collar to the mid-chest, is backed with a throat protection flap at the neck and has a thong for ease of opening when wearing gloves. The base of the front opening is reinforced with a 1 × 1½-inch rectangle of nylon webbing. A large hand warmer pocket extends from the lower chest area to the base of the pullover. The back of the pullover is shaped to be longer than the front to provide additional insulation and protection to the lower back. All joining seams are flat locked and all hems are cover stitched to reduce bulk and abrasion.

STATUS:

The fleece pullover is currently in production under a Natick contract for completion of the initial fielding to active and reserve Marine components. Sustainment of the fleece pullover will be managed by DSCP, Philadelphia.

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