

GUN POSITION 13

**RANGE DESCRIPTION**

Gun Position 13 is an active, mortar position located at Grid 77907150. It is accessible from MCB-3.

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**INFORMATION**

Description: Mortar Firing Position  
Status: Active  
Location: 77907150  
Number of Firing Points: 3

**RANGE USES**

Primary Use: Indirect mortar fire into Range 15 impact area for platoon-size units.

Alternate Uses: Supports Range 15A Maneuver Exercise

**WEAPONS ACCOMMODATED**

-60mm mortars    -81mm mortars

**AMMUNITION AUTHORIZED**

-60mm (all)        -81mm (all)

**PRIMARY DIRECTION OF FIRE.**    Southeast

**RANGE USE RESTRICTIONS/COMMENTS**

1. Range 15 cannot be occupied when GP 13 is hot. Range 15A cannot be occupied unless there is associated training being conducted.
2. OP 13 can only fire into the Range 15 impact area.
3. OP 13 must coordinate with Range 15a for cease-fire if there is associated training taking place there.
4. MCB Dirt 7 must be closed when firing 81mm mortars from OP 13.

**FACILITIES (Number of Each)**

Towers:    0  
 Sheds:    1  
 Ammo Breakdown:    0  
 Parking:    Limited  
 Description of Other Structures.    Bleachers

**UTILITIES AVAILABLE**

Electricity:    No  
 Lights:    No  
 Water System:    None

**INSTALLED COMMUNICATIONS.**    None

**MEASURED DISTANCES**

	<u>MILES</u>	<u>MGRS</u>
MT (POL) TBS Distance	8.5	87106390
Rations Distance	8.7	87406374
To ASP Distance	13.1	91256605
EMT/Fire (Fire House 3)	10.2	89606410
Nearest MEDEVAC LZ	0.8	78907150 (LZ Turkey)

Directions to LZ: Turn right on to MCB-3, go approx 1000 meters (before intersection at Range 15), turn left into large open field (LZ Turkey).

**LASERS AUTHORIZED.**    None

**AREA SUITABILITY**

<u>Unit Type</u>	<u>Unit Size</u>	<u>Number of Units</u>
Weapons	Section	1

## **GEOGRAPHICAL DATA**

Access Routes: MCB-3  
Soil Type: Dirt  
Terrain Type: Small hills  
Vegetation: Grass/Woodland

**APPLICABLE MAP SHEET.** All grid coordinates listed in this order apply to the Quantico Military Installation Map V834S Edition 2-NIMA 1:25000.

## **COMMUNICATION REQUIREMENTS:**

1. A radio check is required immediately upon occupying any portion of the RTA, every 30 minutes in a live fire status and every 3 hours in a non-live fire status.
2. The Range Control Facility (RCF) Fire Desk Net Control call sign is "Range Control". Your call sign is "Range XX" (name of range, training area or facility unit is occupying).
3. The primary RCF Fire Desk Net Control frequencies are: ELMR talk group "RC Safety" (ground) and 323.7 AM UHF (air).
4. The secondary RCF Fire Desk Net Control is telephone, numbers: 703-784-5321 or 5322.
5. OIC/RSO will monitor the RCF primary and secondary Safety Nets at all times. Instant communication is required.
6. Any unit with organic ELMR radios will have their ELMR radios programmed with the "RC Safety" talk group and use those radios as their primary means of communication within the RTA.
7. Units without organic ELMR assets will be issued ELMR radios from RMB upon check-in.
8. Approved Non-ELMR radios are only authorized for internal communication (ground).
9. If the RCF cannot reach a unit within the RTA via primary communication, the unit will be contacted via the secondary means of communication.
10. Upon loss of primary communication the OIC/RSO will initiate a "check fire"/cease training status and will contact the RCF via secondary communication. This communication will be maintained while primary communication is being restored. Units may only resume firing/training once primary communication has been re-established and clearance is granted by the RCF.

## **INJURY CLASSIFICATIONS:**

Injuries are classified into the following categories in order to aid in casualty evacuation from the RTA.

1. ROUTINE. Routine injuries are those injuries that are not threatening to life, limb or eyesight; and conditions or illnesses treatable by medication or procedures available at the base medical facilities.

2. PRIORITY. Priority injuries are those injuries that require immediate medical attention but are not threatening to life, limb, or eyesight if treated promptly.

3. URGENT. Urgent injuries are severe injuries that are threatening to life, limb, or eyesight and require immediate medical attention.

4. MASS CASUALTY. A mass casualty is a series of injuries with multiple priority and urgent medical patients.

**MEDICAL EVACUATION (MEDEVAC) PROCEDURES:**

1. Injury occurs.
2. Range immediately cease-fires.
3. Medical support evaluates/treats injured personnel.
4. Range radio operator/OIC notifies the ROCC of the injury, stating briefly what happened, the extent of the injury and what type of MEDEVAC transportation needed (ground/air).
5. Maintain constant radio contact with Range Control and await further instructions.

\*Minor injuries and illnesses requiring routine field medical services need not be reported to RMB but should be reported in unit training logs.