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FOREWORD

1. Purpose.

Marine Corps Warfighting Publication 3-12, Marine Corps Tank Employment, details Marine Corps Doctrine and supporting tactics, techniques, and procedures for the employment of Marine tanks in support of the Marine Air Ground Task Force (MAGTF)

2. Scope

MCWP 3-12 is intended for commanders and staffs of Marine Corps combat, combat support, and combat service support units operating with or supporting Marine tank units. It describes how the Marine Corps employs tanks throughout the range of military operations and focuses on preparing, planning, and conducting MAGTF operations with tanks.

3. Supercession

MCWP 3-12 replaces FMFM 9-1, dated 1982.

4. Certification