

Order of Markings

*****Check blocks to confirm order*****

- a. NSN/NATO stock number. If no NSN is assigned, then this line may be omitted
- b. CAGE code
- c. Part Number. The letters "PN" or "P/N" shall be used to identify this information. If the item has no PN assigned to it or if no PN is cited, then nothing is shown
- d. Quantity and UI. A non-definitive UI shall be accompanied by a quantitative expression such as "1 RO (100 FT)"
- e. Contract number or purchase order number (Procurement Instrument Identification Number (PIIN)) including four-digit delivery order or call number, modification for change order number. The in-the-clear contract number will include the dashes as shown in the contract, i.e., DAA607-96-C-1234
- f. Military preservation method and date of unit preservation (e.g., "M41-4/02" - method 41, in April 2002). If a military preservation method doesn't apply, the method space will be left blank. If a preservation date doesn't apply, the pack date will be shown
- g. Gross weight. The capital letters "WT" shall precede the gross weight. The gross weight will be expressed in pounds rounded up to the nearest pound
- h. Shelf-life markings, (if applicable – see MIL-STD-129, paragraph 5.2.1)
- i. Serial number(s). When an item is assigned a serial number, that number shall be applied and preceded by the abbreviation "SER NO"
- j. Bar code markings – NSN, CAGE. If required - 2D (PDF 417) & serial number (See MIL-STD-129, Paragraph 4.4 & Figure 18)
- k. RFID tags – required for exterior/shipping containers & pallet loads (not shown in illustration, see MIL-STD-129, paragraph 4.9.1)

MIL-STD-129 Checklist for Identification & Bar Code Marking on Exterior Containers and Unpacked items

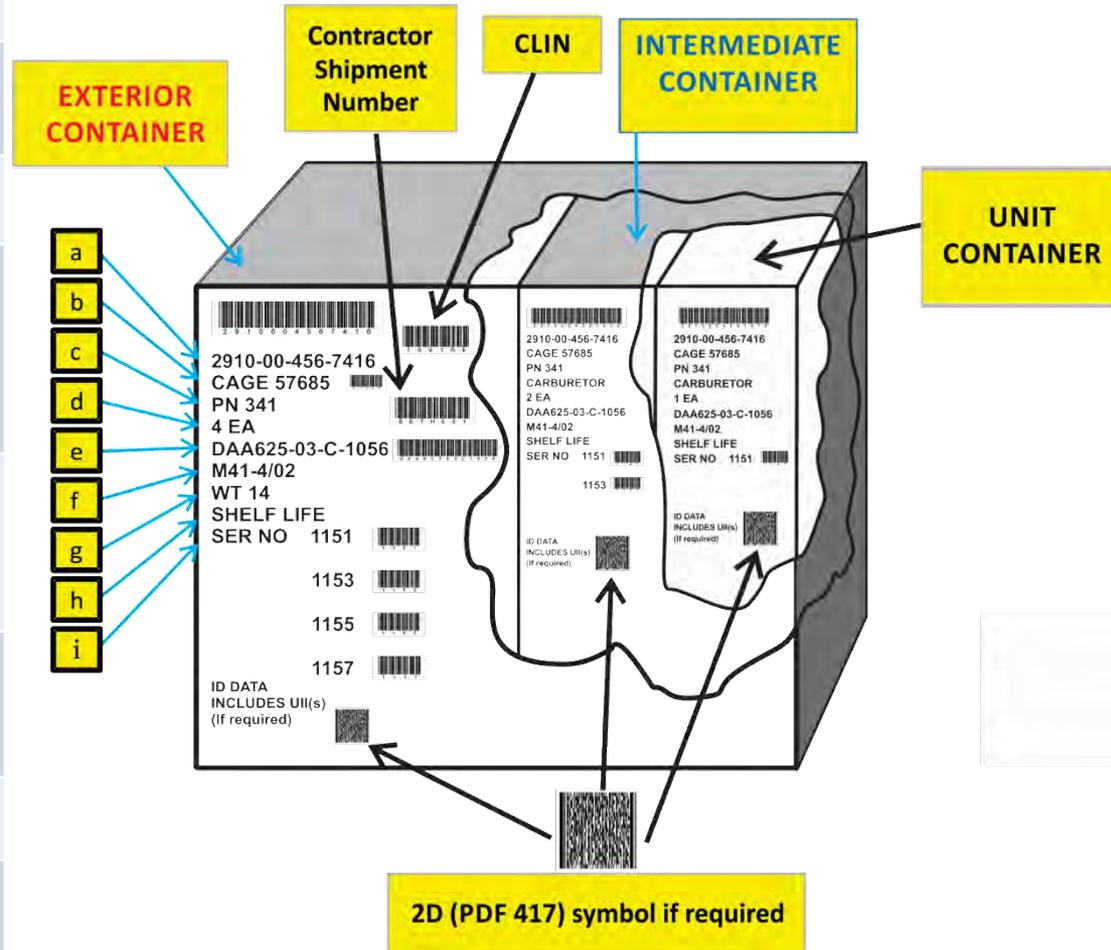


FIGURE 2: Example of Unit Pack, Intermediate and Exterior Container ID Markings (including an example of bar code markings)