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Recognize ● Retreat ● Report

**Follow
the 3RS**



Touching munitions can be deadly!



DANGER

**Explosive
Hazard**

Do NOT touch!



Follow the 3Rs of explosive safety!



Recognize

Recognize when you may have encountered a munition and the potential dangers.

Retreat

Do not touch, move or disturb it, but warn your dive buddy and carefully swim away.

Report

Report underwater munitions to your divemaster so others can be warned of the potential hazard.

Divemasters

Avoid locations where munitions are present.

When in areas where munitions may be present, brief divers on the 3Rs and the dangers associated with munitions, just as you do for dangerous sea life and other hazards at the dive site.

Report underwater munitions that may pose a substantial hazard to recreational divers or others to the Coast Guard or police.

Remember

- Munitions are dangerous
- They may not be easily recognizable
- To follow the 3Rs