

## Next Rating Merger: GMs and EMs

### Description

Today in Naval History: [We fired a rail gun at Dahlgren.](#)

Cool! Shove a piece of metal at a target at Mach 5 to 7. Forget about having to handle hazardous explosives, just route some juice to the rails and send some good old, time tested  $E=M^2A$  at the bad guys for effect. Can you say 10.8 megajoules ON THE WAY!

[The Military Times video, with CNO's remarks is here.](#)

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