

Malabar Exercise 2024

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Recently, the sea Phase of Malabar 2024 concluded at Visakhapatnam.

- Major events of 2024 Malabar Exercise:
 - Participants and Major Exercises: Warships, helicopters, patrol aircraft, and a submarine engaged in surface, sub-surface, and air warfare exercises.
- About Malabar Exercise:
 - Initiated in 1992 as a bilateral naval exercise between India and the US, this
 multilateral war-gaming exercise expanded in 2007 to include Japan and Australia.
 - Quad and Malabar Exercise are closely linked through their shared objective
 of enhancing security cooperation in the Indo-Pacific region.
 - Quad: Known as the 'Quadrilateral Security Dialogue' (QSD), the Quad is an informal strategic forum comprising four nations, namely -US, India, Australia and Japan.
 - The group met for the first time in 2007 on the sidelines of ASEAN.
 - Quad Leaders launched the Regional Maritime Initiative for Training in the Indo-Pacific (MAITRI) to maximise tools provided through Indo-Pacific Partnership for Maritime Domain Awareness (IPMDA).
 - Other Military Exercises:
 - La Perouse: India, Australia, United States, France, Japan, and United Kingdom.
 - **SALVEX:** India and USA
 - Sea Dragon: India, USA, Japan, Canada and South Korea
 - Ex Veer Guardian: Air Exercise between India and Japan
 - Exercise Kakadu: A biennial exercise (hosted by Australian Navy) between Malabar countries.



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