



TROPEX-25

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The **Indian Navy's Theatre Level Operational Exercise (TROPEX) 2025** is being conducted in the **Indian Ocean Region (IOR)** over a duration of **3 months (Jan - Mar 2025)**.

- **About TROPEX:** It is the Indian Navy's **biennial and largest maritime exercise** that strengthens joint operations against **maritime threats** with participation from the **Army, Air Force, and Coast Guard**.
 - **Objective:** Validate the Indian Navy's **warfighting skills** and ensure an **integrated response** to conventional, asymmetric, and hybrid maritime threats posed by countries like **China**.
 - **China**, the **world's largest navy** with over 360 warships and submarines, deploys **7-8 naval vessels and spy ships** in the **IOR at all times**.
 - **Phases:** It includes **Harbour and Sea Phases**, featuring **combat operations**, cyber & electronic warfare, live weapon firings, and **Amphibious Exercise (AMPHEX)**.

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