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MILITARY EXERCISE BALTOPS'26

REF: AIP ENR 5.1, ENR 1.10

1. General

BALTOPS'26 exercise will be conducted in the Eastern Baltic Sea and over Latvian state territory by multinational and multiservice military forces during the period **08 JUN – 18 JUN 2026**.

In the framework of BALTOPS'26 exercise, a new temporary restricted area and temporary danger areas will be established (paragraph 5.1).

In addition, military activities will take place the existing areas (paragraph 5.2).

In case of multiple areas simultaneous activation, the horizontal and vertical inner buffers of the adjacent active areas are not applied.

Restrictions will apply to non-participating traffic.

2. Flight planning information for participating traffic

All BALTOPS'26 flights shall file an ICAO Flight plan (Ref: AIP ENR 1.10).

FPL Field 18 shall contain RMK/ BALTOPS26 PARTICIPANT.

3. Flight planning information for non-participating traffic

During activation of the exercise areas, flight planning through the exercise areas for non-participating traffic is not allowed.

Airspace concerned with associated FUA restrictions will be notified via EAUP/EUUP.

4. Communication / Notification

Pilots participating in BALTOPS'26 activity and executing flights in controlled airspace outside the activated BALTOPS'26 exercise areas shall maintain VHF radio communication with the appropriate civil ATC unit and are subject to GAT flight rules in accordance with SERA requirements.

Pilots executing flights within the activated exercise areas shall maintain radio communication with the respective military control unit (paragraph 7.3).

5. BALTOPS'26 exercise areas

5.1. New temporary areas (see Appendix 1)

Identification, name and lateral limits	Upper limit / Lower limit	Remarks (time of activity, type of restriction, nature of hazard, risk of interception)
TEMPORARY DANGER AREAS		
EVD460 VENTA 570000N 0195000E - 582449N 0203834E - 580700N 0212900E - 580004N 0213313E - 575404N 0213618E - 574712N 0214300E - 574458N 0215458E - 574117N 0212719E - 570425N 0210946E - 565421N 0204435E - 565341N 0202513E - 570000N 0195000E including inner horizontal buffer 5 NM	FL 205 / SFC including inner vertical buffer 1000 FT from upper limit	Military aircraft and military unmanned aerial vehicle flights, air-to-air refuelling, cargo and personnel air dropping. 08 JUN 2026 0600 UTC-18 JUN 2026 0600 UTC Real time of activity will be published by NOTAM. FUA restriction is associated to the area: Not available for traffic (vectoring provided by ATC when necessary). EVD460 VENTA OPERATIONAL VOLUME: SFC-FL 195 581654N 0204353E - 580343N 0212115E - 575152N 0212746E - 574709N 0213232E - 574537N 0212112E - 574214N 0211743E - 570725N 0210139E - 565915N 0204121E - 565843N 0202623E - 570312N 0200123E - 581654N 0204353E
EVD461 LIEPA 562043N 0183023E - 565223N 0193412E - 570000N 0195000E - 565341N 0202513E - 565421N 0204435E - 560846N 0200456E - 562043N 0183023E including inner horizontal buffer 5 NM	FL 205 / SFC including inner vertical buffer 1000 FT from upper limit	Military aircraft and military unmanned aerial vehicle flights, air-to-air refuelling, cargo and personnel air dropping. 08 JUN 2026 0600 UTC-18 JUN 2026 0600 UTC Real time of activity will be published by NOTAM. FUA restriction is associated to the area: Not available for traffic (vectoring provided by ATC when necessary). EVD461 LIEPA OPERATIONAL VOLUME: SFC-FL 195 565422N 0195207E - 564743N 0202806E - 561432N 0195959E - 562329N 0184934E - 565422N 0195207E

Identification, name and lateral limits	Upper limit / Lower limit	Remarks (time of activity, type of restriction, nature of hazard, risk of interception)
EVD462 LIEPA EAST1 565421N 0204435E - 560402N 0204452E - 560400N 0204000E - 560846N 0200456E - 565421N 0204435E including inner horizontal buffer 5 NM	FL 205 / SFC including inner vertical buffer 1000 FT from upper limit	Military aircraft and military unmanned aerial vehicle flights, air-to-air refuelling, cargo and personnel air dropping. 08 JUN 2026 0600 UTC-18 JUN 2026 0600 UTC Real time of activity will be published by NOTAM. FUA restriction is associated to the area: Not available for traffic (vectoring provided by ATC when necessary). EVD462 LIEPA EAST1 OPERATIONAL VOLUME: SFC-FL 195 561209N 0201750E - 563234N 0203540E - 560942N 0203553E - 561209N 0201750E
EVD463 SKODA 574425N 0235738E - 572604N 0240634E - 571721N 0233329E - 572712N 0231602E - 574425N 0235738E including inner horizontal buffer 3 NM	FL 205 / SFC including inner vertical buffer 1000 FT from upper limit	Military aircraft and military unmanned aerial vehicle flights, air-to-air refuelling, cargo and personnel air dropping. 18 JUN 2026 0600 UTC-1100 UTC Real time of activity will be published by NOTAM. FUA restriction is associated to the area: Not available for traffic (vectoring provided by ATC when necessary). EVD463 SKODA OPERATIONAL VOLUME: SFC-FL 195 572651N 0232420E - 573916N 0235421E - 572741N 0240000E - 572100N 0233441E - 572651N 0232420E
TEMPORARY RESTRICTED AREA		

Identification, name and lateral limits	Upper limit / Lower limit	Remarks (time of activity, type of restriction, nature of hazard, risk of interception)
EVR464 AMPHIBIA 570849N 0210227E - 572208N 0210444E - 574057N 0212449E - 574458N 0215458E - 570849N 0215458E - 570849N 0210227E including inner horizontal buffer 1 NM	FL 095 / SFC including inner vertical buffer 500 FT from upper limit	Military aircraft and military unmanned aerial vehicle flights, air-to-air refuelling, cargo and personnel air dropping. 13 JUN 2026 0000 UTC-16 JUN 2026 1800 UTC Real time of activity will be published by NOTAM. FUA restriction is associated to the area: Not available for traffic (vectoring provided by ATC when necessary). EVR464 AMPHIBIA OPERATIONAL VOLUME: SFC-FL 090 572147N 0210631E - 574005N 0212602E - 574341N 0215306E - 570949N 0215306E - 570949N 0210428E - 572147N 0210631E

5.2. BALTOPS'26 activities in the existing areas (Ref: AIP ENR 5.1)

AREA NAME	DATE, TIME (UTC)
EVR19, EVR20 in combination with EVTSA14	Upon requests from military units. Real time of activity will be published by NOTAM.
EVR5L in combination with EVR5F and/or EVTSA33 (+EVR5U)	Upon requests from military units. Real time of activity will be published by NOTAM.

6. BALTOPS'26 area management and airspace activation

Military Airspace Management Cell (MAMC) manages all BALTOPS'26 areas.

For areas published in paragraph 5.1, MAMC will issue relevant NOTAM according to the pre-planned area activation schedules at least one week prior (D-7) to the area commencement.

For areas published in paragraph 5.2, standard pre-tactical (D-1) and tactical airspace management procedures will be applied.

Users of BALTOPS'26 areas shall inform MAMC in the following cases: area re-scheduling (not possible for areas mentioned in paragraph 5.1), area cancellation, 3 HR or more inactivity gap, or earlier end for the day (paragraph 7.2).

7. Authorities / Contacts

7.1. BALTOPS'26 planning phase (prior to the exercise)

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