



- 21 Jul 2020** Nimitz Carrier Group conducts exercises with Indian Navy Off Andaman
- Sep 2020** U.S. Navy P8I lands for refuelling under LEMOA signed in 2016 Andaman & Nicobar Islands
- 16 Oct 2020** U.S. SECNAV Kenneth Braithwaite, visits Singapore to discuss ways to strengthen navy-to-navy cooperation under the ambit of the 1990 Memorandum of Understanding regarding United States use of facilities in Singapore
- 17 Nov 2020** U.S. SECNAV states –
 • “We want to stand up a new numbered fleet. And we want to put that numbered fleet in the crossroads between the Indian and the Pacific oceans”.
 • “Have crossed all T’s and dotted all I’s”.
 Washington D.C
- 17-20 Nov 2020** Nimitz Carrier Group participates in Malabar Phase II Arabian Sea
- 02 Dec 2020** During a hearing on Navy and Marine Corps readiness, U.S. SECNAV declares –
 “We will reconstitute the first fleet assigning it primary responsibility for the Indo and South Asian region as an expeditionary fleet back to the capabilities and unpredictability of an agile, mobile, at-sea command”.
 Washington D.C
- 17 Dec 2020** U.S. SECNAV visits Indian Navy’s Western Naval Command in Mumbai and is shown the new aircraft carrier dock and facilities at Naval Dockyard Mumbai
- 17 Dec 2020** U.S. SECNAV meets Dr Ajay Kumar, Indian Defence Secretary Delhi

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