







## *– THE TRENDS IN BALTIC SEA 1989 - 2012*











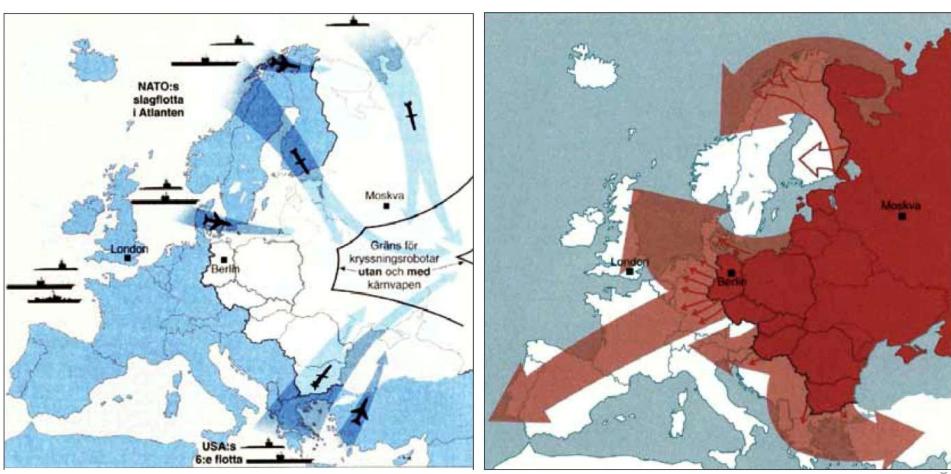


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#### The Soviet Threat evaluation

#### The United States Threat evaluation



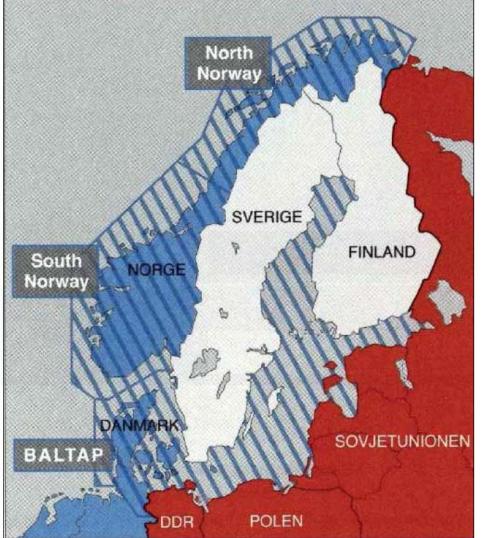
Source: Mikael Holmström: Den dolda alliansen, Sveriges hemliga Nato-förbindelser



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# THE PRESENCE - NATO AOR



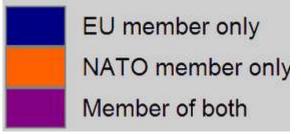
Source: Safeguarding Security in the Baltic Approaches 1962 - 2002





# **EU AND NATO IN THE BALTICS**





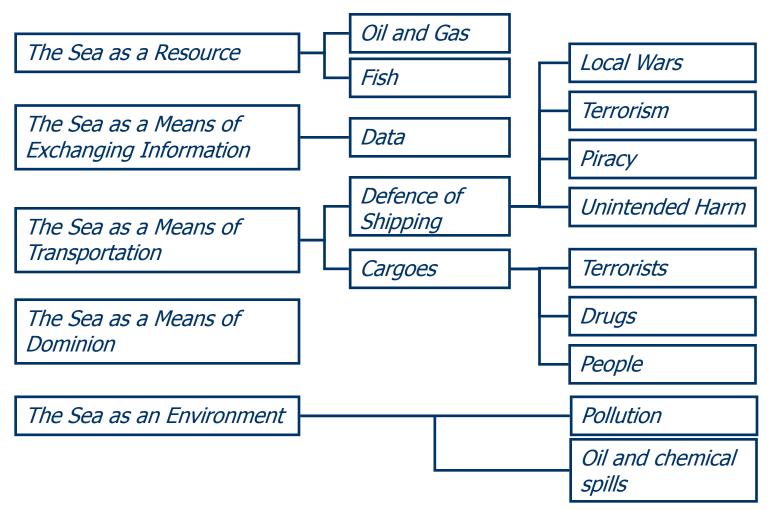




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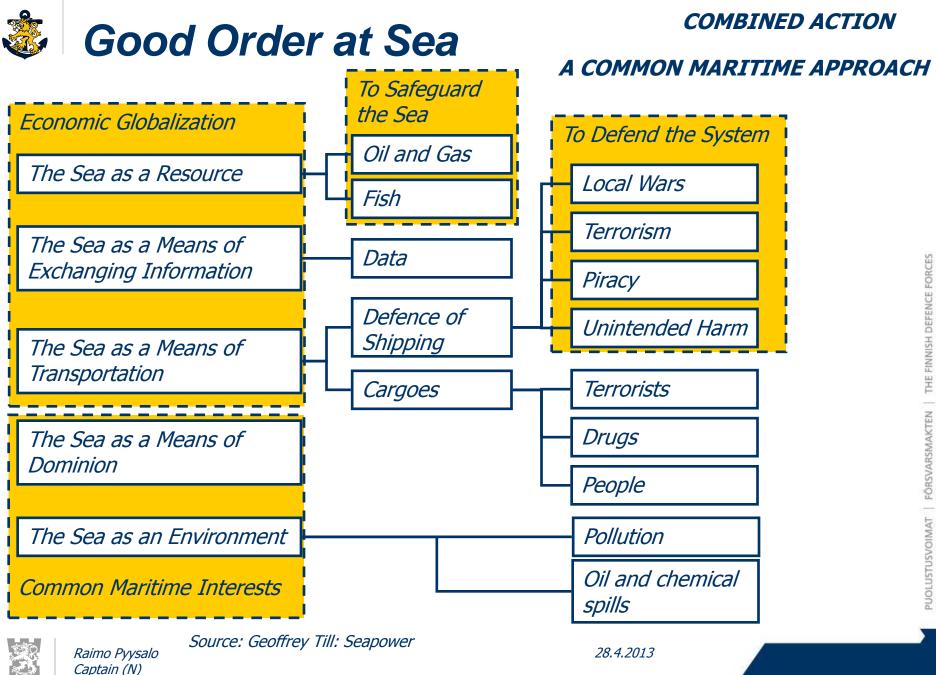
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#### Source: Geoffrey Till: Seapower

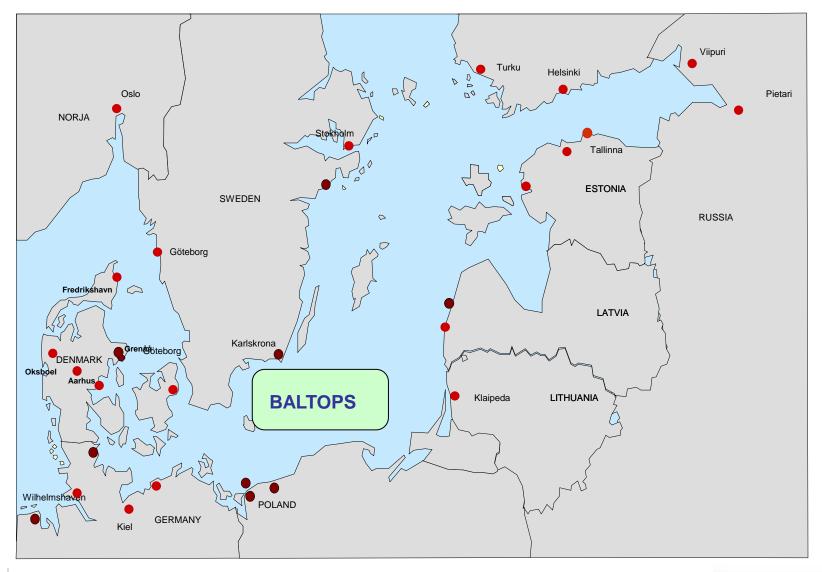




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### Multinational CMEs in early 1990's

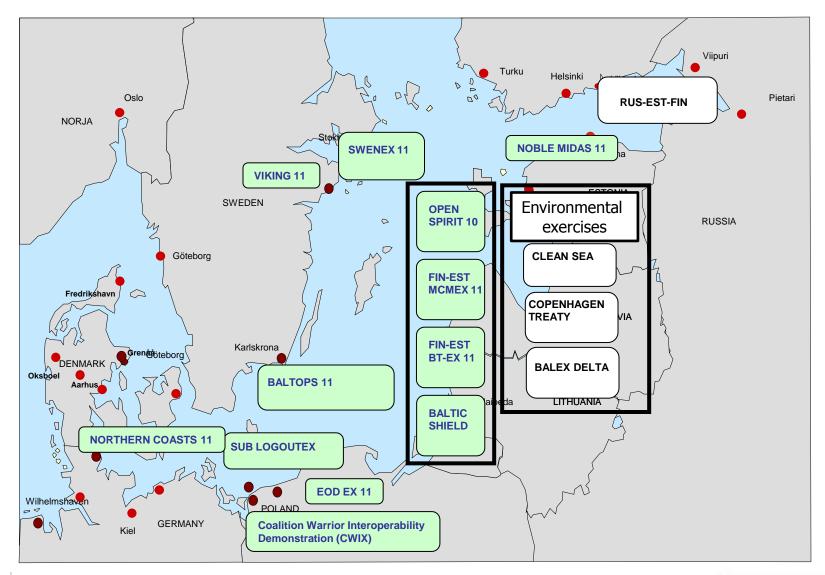




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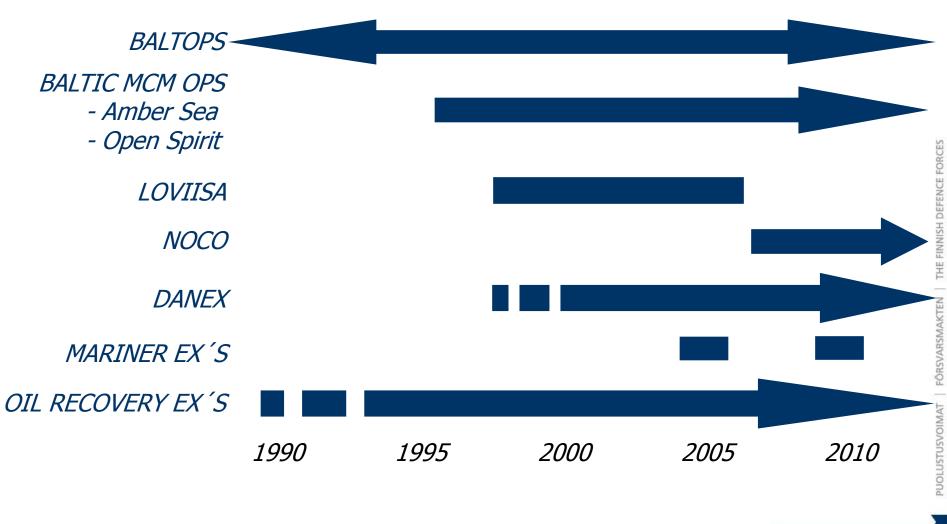
### **Example of Multinational CMEs in early 2010's**





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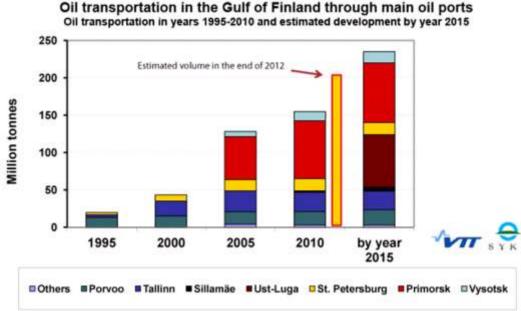


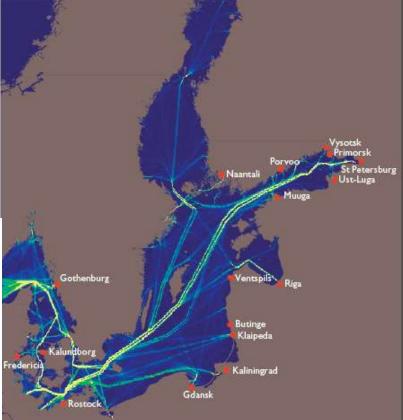




# **OIL RECOVERY CO-OPERATION**

Through the Convention on the Protection of the Marine Environment of the Baltic Sea Area, governed by HELCOM, Baltic coastal states have committed to cooperate to effectively respond to any oil spills by collecting the oil with vessels specially equipped for this purpose. The Convention limits the use of dispersants.



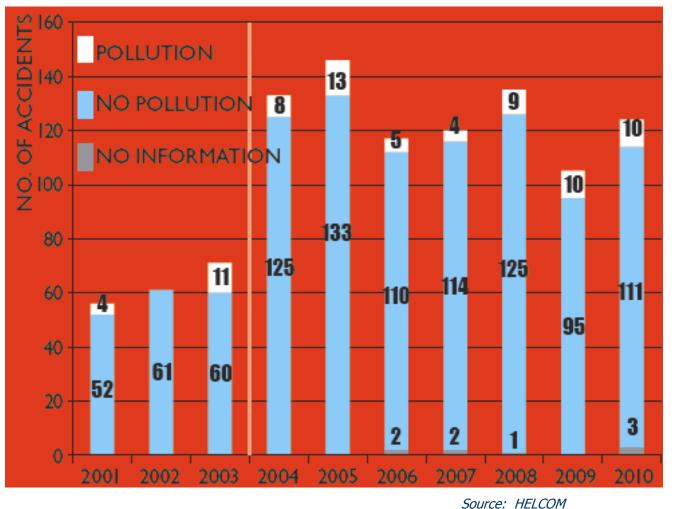




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#### NUMBER OF REPORTED ACCIDENTS IN THE BALTIC SEA 2001–2010 Total number of accidents: 1068



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# International environmental exercises with participation of all Baltic Sea States (BALEX DELTA)

# BALEXDELTA

YEAR	HOST NATION	
2000	Russia:	
2001	Denmark:	
2002	Latvia:	
2003	Finland:	
2004	Germany:	(
2005	Sweden:	
2006	Poland:	
2007	Estonia:	(
2008	Russia:	
2009	Latvia:	
2010	Lithuania:	
2011	Denmark:	•
2012	Finland:	

PARTICIPANTS 5 countries, 12 ships, 1 aircraft; 7 countries, 11 ships, 2 aircraft; 6 countries, 18 ships, 2 aircraft; 5 countries, 16 ships; 6 countries, 11 ships, 1 aircraft ; 7 countries, 19 ships, 2 aircraft ; 7 countries + EMSA, 23 ships, 3 aircraft; 6 countries + EMSA, 17 ships, 1 helicopter; 6 countries + EMSA, 18 ships, 2 helicopters; 5 countiries + EMSA, 8 ships; 7 countries + EMSA, 7 ships; 8 countries + EMSA, 14 ships, 1 aircraft. 7 countries + EMSA, 19 ships





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# SURVEILLANCE CO-OPERATION AREAS





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### **COMMON INFORMATION SHARING ENVIRONMENT (CISE)**

Test project on cooperation in execution of various maritime functionalities at sub-regional or sea-basin level in the field of integrated maritime surveillance.









# We cannot predict where the next crisis will occur. But we know we are stronger when we confront these threats together.

• Excerpts from testimony of Admiral James Stavridis, Commander, United States European Command, March 15, 2013.



