

Voyage of HMS Queen Elizabeth

Britain's Queen Elizabeth Carrier Strike Group (CSG21) is deep into the Pacific leg of its 28-week maiden deployment

May 22: CSG21 sets sail from Portsmouth

1 May 22-28: Joins in French-led Exercise Atlantic Trident

2 May 30: Transits Strait of Gibraltar

7 Jul 12: Trains with U.S. CSG led by **USS Ronald Reagan** in Gulf of Aden

8 Jul 21-22: CSG21 takes part in Exercise Konkan with Indian Navy in Bay of Bengal

9 Jul 26: Arrives in Singapore

10 Jul 29: Enters South China Sea Strait of Malacca

3 Jun 1-4: Joins French carrier **Charles de Gaulle** in Exercise Gallic Strike

4 Jun 7-15: Takes part in Italian-led Exercise Falcon Strike

5 Jun 22: Launches F-35 combat missions against so-called Islamic State in Iraq and Syria

6 Jul 6: Transits Suez Canal

11 Aug 8: Port call at U.S. Naval Base Guam

12 Aug 24: Exercise Noble Union with Japan and U.S.

13 Sep 4: Arrives at Yokosuka naval base, Japan

14 Sep 6: Joint F-35 training operations with U.S. Navy CSG led by **USS Carl Vinson**

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Two squadrons of F-35Bs plus helicopters.
RAF 617 Squadron – 8 aircraft
U.S. Marine Fighter Attack Squadron – 10 aircraft

