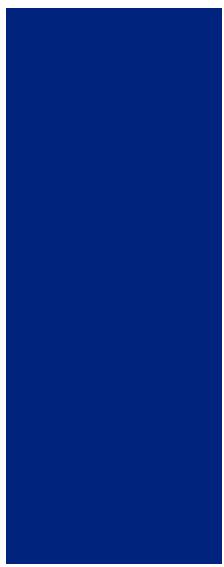


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Train As You Fight





The trajectory of the international security environment shows that significant consolidation of homeland defence capability is a key priority beside the measures adopted by the North-Atlantic Alliance. The major leverages of this objective are reaching an increased level and intensified tempo of the training system, running the procurement programs and increasing the life-cycle of the current military equipment.

The increased number of national and multinational training exercises will be maintained also throughout 2016. The Romanian Armed Forces' efforts are sustained by the political consensus expressed during the National agreement assumed by all political parties which stipulates the allotment of a minimum 2% of the GDP to the defence budget for a ten-year period, starting with 2017.

We are confident that our efforts will be materialized both domestically and within the Euro-Atlantic community we are part of.

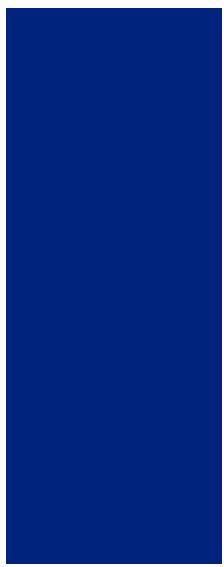
**MIHNEA MOTOC,
Minister of National Defence**





My goal is to maintain an enhanced training rhythm- while having the Romanian Armed Forces modernized and transformed-that will allow the force structure to receive the necessary training in order to participate in the joint and inter-institutional operations, in allied context, by rehearsing countering hybrid actions and the classic military operations, thus, enabling the building of a credible, versatile force able to defend its country and respect the political and military commitments assumed.

**General NICOLAE-IONEL CIUCĂ,
The Chief of General Staff**



**"Black Sea
Rotational
Force 15"
(BSRF),
Babadag
Training Area**

March 9th-13th



**“Black Sea
Rotational
Force 15”
(BSRF),
Babadag
Training Area,**

March 9th-13th



**“Dacian Thunder
2015/I”
Romanian-
American
Exercise,
Câmpia Turzii**

**March 27th–
July 7th**



**“Dacian Thunder
2015/I”
Romanian-
American
Exercise,
Câmpia Turzii**

**March 27th-
July 7th**



**Exercises
conducted by a
NATO
Naval Group,
Standing
Maritime
Group-2,
with Romanian
military ships
in the Black Sea**

March 16th



**Exercises
conducted by
a NATO Naval
Group,
Standing
Maritime
Group-2,
with Romanian
military ships
in the Black Sea**

March 16th



**“Dacian
Warhawk”
Romanian-
American
Exercise,
Câmpia Turzii**

March 16th-26th



**81 major exercises (out of which 56 are national and 25 multinational) were conducted by the Air Force Staff in 2015.
15 of them were performed on the national territory.**

**Artillery
Firing
Exercises,
Peceneaga
Riverine
Training Pipeline**

March 24th



**Communication
Systems and
Information
Technology
Exercise,
Bengeşti**

March 24th-26th



23 major exercises (out of which 21 were national and 2 multinational) were conducted by the Communication and Information Technology Command. One of them was performed outside the national territory.

**Tactical
Exercise of
C-130 HERCULES
and C-27
J SPARTAN NRF
Detachments,
Otopeni**

March 23rd-25th



**“Saber Junction 15”
Romanian-American Exercise,
“Early Entry” Stage,
Smârdan Training Area**

March 24th



183 major exercises (out of which 125 were national and 58 multinational) were conducted by the Land Forces Staff. 30 of them were performed outside the national territory

**“Saber
Junction 15”
Multinational
Exercise,
Hohenfels
(Germany)**

April 1st–30th



**“Saber
Junction 15”
Multinational
Exercise,
Hohenfels
(Germany)**

April 1st–30th



**Exercise
performed
by the Romanian
Naval Forces,
the Black Sea**

April 28th–29th



**Exercise
performed
by the Romanian
Naval Forces,
the Black Sea**

April 28th



"IŞIK 2015"
Multinational
Exercise,
Konya,
Turkey

April 1st–10th



**“Platinum Lynx”
Multinational
Exercise,
BSFR 2015,
Cheile Râşnoavei
Training Area**

May 4th–5th



**“Combined
Resolve IV”
Multinational
Exercise,
Hohenfels
(Germany)**

May 7th–June 6th



**“Combined
Resolve IV”
Multinational
Exercise,
Hohenfels
(Germany)**

May 7th–June 6th



**“Platinum Lion”
Multinational
Exercise,
Novo Selo
(Bulgaria)**

April 6th-17th



**"Platinum
Eagle"
Training Module,
BSRF 15,
Vārsātura
Training Area**

May 18th-28th



**“Platinum
Eagle”
Training
Module,
BSRF 15,
Babadag
Training Area**

May 18th–28th



**MV-22B Osprey
US Aircraft at
“Platinum
Eagle”
Exercise,
Mihail
Kogălniceanu**

May 18th-28th



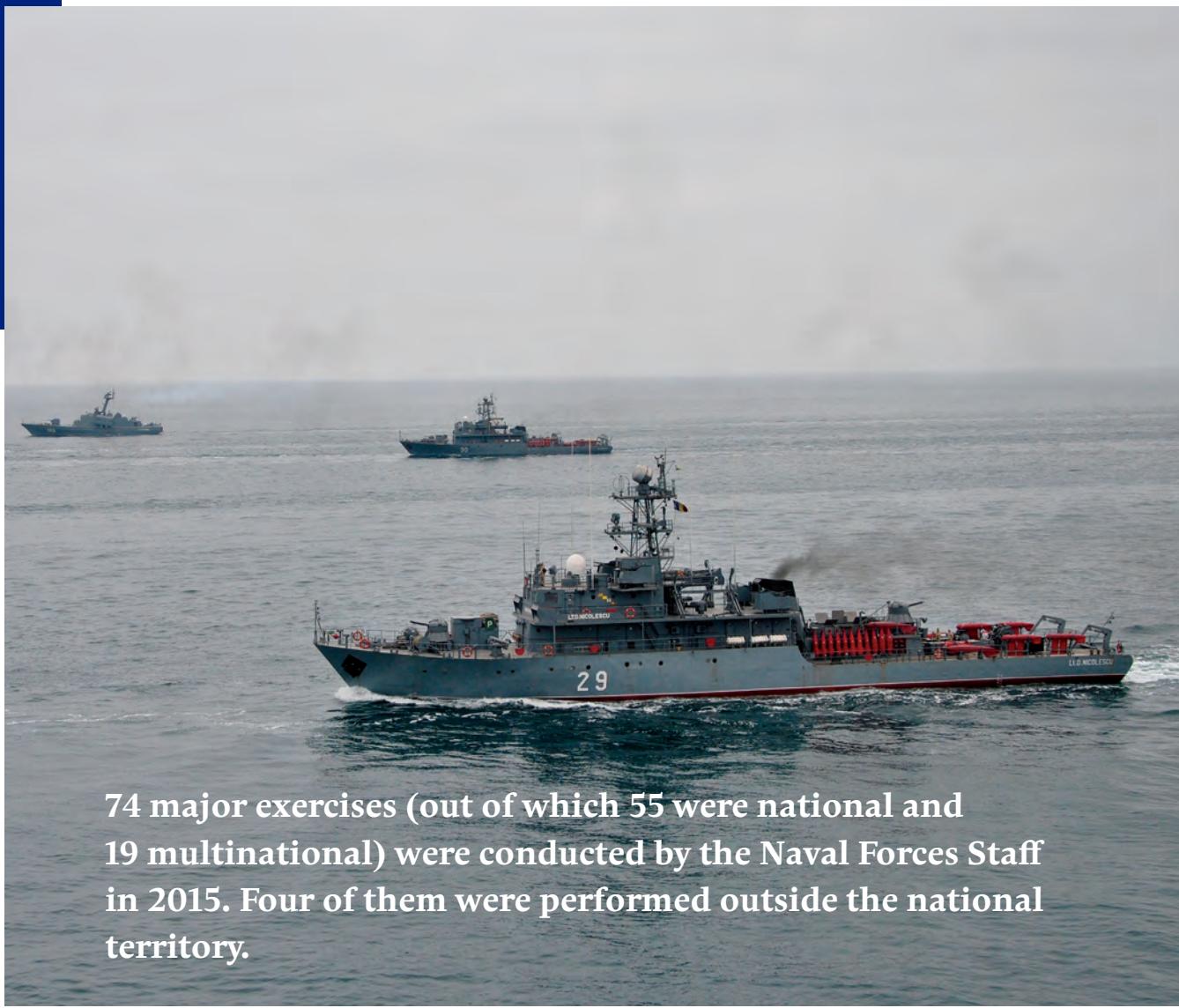
**SEEBRIG-led
“SEEBA-15”
Peace-keeping
Multinational
Exercise,
Babatag
Training Area**

May 10th-15th



**“Romanian
Trident
Poseidon”
Multinational
Exercise,
the Black Sea**

May 22nd–28th



74 major exercises (out of which 55 were national and 19 multinational) were conducted by the Naval Forces Staff in 2015. Four of them were performed outside the national territory.

**Multinational
Rehearsal
Exercise of
Mission “
MRE KFOR 20”,
Hohenfels
(Germany)**

June 10th–30th



**“Rousofex 15”
Multinational
FTX of the
Special
Operations
Forces,
Capu Midia
Training Area**

June 16th-26th



**“Rousofex 15”
Multinational
FTX of the
Special
Operations
Forces,
Babadag Training
Area**

June 16th–26th



Romanian-
Portuguese
Bilateral
Exercise
**“Falcon Defence
2015”,**
Câmpia Turzii

*May 4th-
June 30th*



**“Saber
Guardian/
Rapid Trident
2015”
Multinational
Exercise,
Yavoriv
(Ukraine)**

July 18th-31st



**"Thracian
Star 2015"
Multinational
Exercise,
Graf Ignatievo
Air Base,
(Bulgaria)**

July 13th-24th



**Common
Exercise of the
Romanian Naval
Forces Staff with
NATO SNMG-1,
the Black Sea**

July 15th



**"Sea Shield 15"
Multinational
Exercise,
the Black Sea**

July 20th-24th



“HISTRIA 15”
Joint,
Inter-institutional
Exercise,
Cincu
Training Area

September
7th-18th



“HISTRIA 15”
Joint,
Inter-institutional
Exercise,
Vārsātura
Training Area

September
7th-18th



**“HISTRIA
15” Joint,
Inter-institutional
Exercise,
Babadag
Training Area**

***September
7th–18th***



**"HISTRIA
15" Joint,
Inter-institutional
Exercise – JLSG
Logistic
Component,
Jegālia
Training Area**

***September
7th–18th***



The Joint Logistic Command conducted 41 major exercises in 2015, out of which 40 are national and 1 multinational, organized outside the borders.

**“HISTRIA
15” Joint,
Inter-institutional
Exercise**

***September*
*7th–18th***



**“Prutul 15”
Bilateral
Exercise
performed with
soldiers of the
Republic of
Moldova’s
armed forces,
Mogoșești
Training Area,
Iași**

***September
21st – 25th***



**Tactical Exercise
of the Riverine
Ships,
Sfântu Gheorghe
Riverine Pipeline**

***November*
*3rd–6th***



**“Platinum Lynx”,
BSRF 15,
Smårdan
Training Area**

December
7th–13th



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