

Expeditionary Advanced Base (EAB) Operations

MAGTFs may be task-organized for missions to seize, establish, and operate multiple EABs. We must improve our ability to:

- Employ EABs for offensive actions in support of sea control.
- Reinforce and defend EABs with manned and unmanned long-range strike, anti-ship, anti-air, and C2-extending systems to transform a site into a sea-denial outpost.
- Use EABs as hubs supporting the integrated Naval logistics network, providing temporary forward and intermediate staging areas for MAGTF follow-on echelons and sustainment operations.
- Leverage the NECC, Naval Beach Groups, and Joint capabilities to complement the MAGTF.