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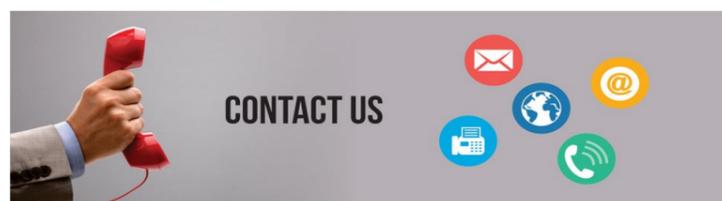


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3 tips to prevent the spread of Coronavirus:

- Disinfect surfaces around your home and work
- Wash your hand for at least 20 seconds.
- Sneeze or cough? Cover your mouth.



“ Pada hemat Beta, sesuai dengan suasana Majlis Ilmu, tidak syak lagi, perkara wabak coronavirus mustahak untuk dibuat kajian dan huraian termasuk mencari jawapan mengapa wabak ini alhamdulillah, dapat dikawal dengan berkesan di negara kita,

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“ TAKE RESPONSIBILITY FIGHT COVID-19 AS COMMUNITY “

JANE'S ONLINE

Covid-19 and the reshaping of Asia-Pacific defence markets.

Motivators that resulted to military modernisation in the Asia-Pacific:

- Covid-19 and Chinese assertiveness towards their claims to territory including in South China Sea's region.
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Working visit by delegation from Ministry of Religious Affairs on 8th September 2020

OCTOBER 2020

Working visit by Officers under Executive Development Program Middle Management Officers (EDPMMO) from Prime Minister's Office, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Ministry of Education on 20th October 2020

JANE'S ONLINE

Janes Defence Weekly Annual Defence Report 2020

The United States of America

- Fallout from the ongoing Covid-19 pandemic rippled through North and South America this year. At times defence production lines were shuttered, while militaries took up the mantle of providing medical care and sanitising public spaces.

Asia Pacific

- New North Korean missiles.
- South Korea & Japan bolster capabilities to counter Pyongyang's growing missile capabilities.
- Some of the main military developments in China.
- Taiwan improves asymmetric warfare capabilities .

Europe

- Ability to defend Europe maintained despite Covid-19.
- War returned to Europe with fighting in Nagorno-Karabakh.
- Europe prepares to work with new US president.
- NATO countries continue to spend more on defence.
- EU programmes to increase self-reliance receive major funding boost.

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Comparison of Indonesian Military Strength with Southeast Asian Countries and Probability for an Open War by Muhammad Arsy Ash Shiddiqy & Arfin Sudirman

Source:
Central European Journal of International & Security Studies. 2019, Vol. 13 Issue 4, p318-340.

Comparison of Indonesian Military Strength with Southeast Asian Countries and Probability for an Open War.

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Source: Central European Journal of International & Security Studies. 2019, Vol. 13 Issue 4, p318-340. 23p.

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Abstract: The security conditions in Southeast Asian region are relatively safe and peace. There have never been direct confrontations or head-to-head wars between countries in the region, if ever there had been a confrontation between Indonesia and Malaysia, but that did not happen. During the cold war era, security in Southeast Asia was guaranteed by the two super powers, the United States and the Soviet Union. Something bias happen in this region, when the cold war ends European countries are committed to reducing their military budget, and the opposite is true in Southeast Asia. The focus of discussion in this research is to discuss about Indonesian military strength in the Southeast Asian region and how the possibility of an open war toward Indonesia. In quantity, there are fewer types of defense equipment owned by Indonesia than neighboring countries, but that does not mean that Indonesia's military strength is below those countries, according to GFP (Global Fire Power) Indonesia is the strongest in Southeast Asia. The research method used is descriptive qualitative research by describing all the phenomena of the research problem empirically. Analysis is done through literature studies from various journals, books, research reports and other sources. Based on the processing of these data, the authors then mapped the Indonesian military strength and make comparisons with the military strength of the countries of Southeast Asia. This military theme is very interesting to discuss because a country's military strength will reflect the strength of the country itself. [ABSTRACT FROM AUTHOR]

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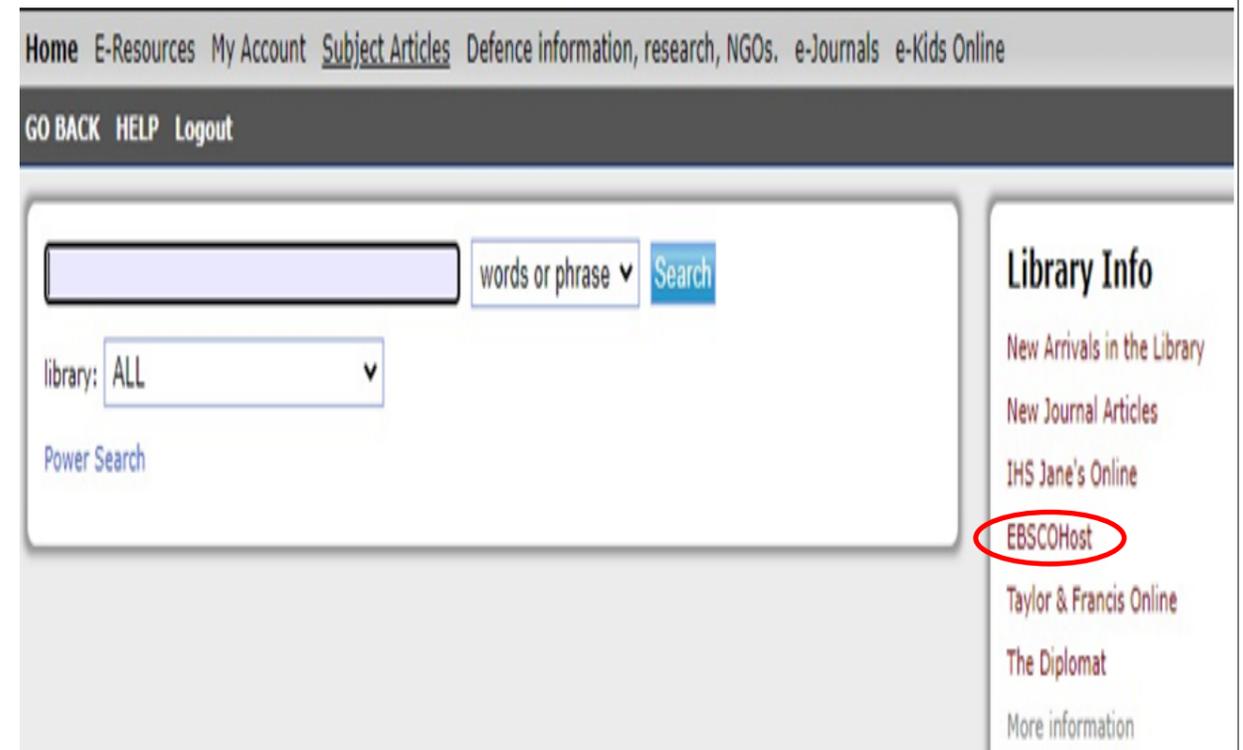
The COVID-19 pandemic is where the applications are truly tested and proves there are many and various ways they can do, albeit limited in terms of hardware and software specifications, with their smartphones. Soon in the future, being limited without laptops and desktop computers will no longer be an excuse when you have smartphones around.

Here are some of the many things you can already do with your smartphones, apart from digitally paying bills and manage your finance:

- ◆ You can **access portable storages through wireless** means, provided you have the app downloaded to access the device.
- ◆ Does your printer have wireless printing? **Download the appropriate app** and you can print through your smartphone.
- ◆ Your Google account has online software that allows you to produce documents, spreadsheets and even presentation slides. These are Google Doc, Sheet and Slide and it can be produced and accessed anywhere from your smartphone to your desktop PC. Combined with your already existing email space and Drive, which allows you to upload and download stored files, you have a near-complete productivity suite at the palm of your hands.
- ◆ You can even turn your smartphone into a desktop PC with the following accessories:-
 - a) A **USB hub or docking station** that extends USB peripherals as well as charging your phone and a display port either VGA or HDMI. The hub or docking station must be connected to the phone **depending on the USB type**.
 - b) A wireless keyboard and mouse or touchpad combo.
 - c) Display unit such as monitors and portable monitors.
- ◆ If you that have a TV than **can support mirroring**, meaning you can **duplicate your smartphone** screen to your TV, providing you with larger display.

To conclude, there will be more ways to utilize your smartphone as it advances throughout the year. It's up to us now to figure out the possibilities.

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What Is the Relationship Between Alliance and Militarized Conflict? Analysis of Reciprocal Causation by Hyung Min Kim, Jungmoo Woo and Jae Chul Lee.

Source: Armed Forces & Society Vol 46, Issue 4, October 2020, pp.539-563
<https://doi.org/10.1177/0095327X18819253>

Abstract

Despite the importance of alliances in international politics, little is known about how they theoretically and empirically affect militarized conflicts and vice versa. This study aims to examine the reciprocal relationship between alliances and militarized conflicts. The literature has focused only on the effects of alliances on militarized conflicts without paying much attention to the simultaneous causation between them. Thus, previous studies have not consistently revealed a relationship between alliances and conflict. Moreover, they are limited due to the use of dichotomous measures of shared alliance ties. Using a continuous measure of alliance ties, this study clearly demonstrates that shared alliance ties can be effective in reducing the likelihood of militarized conflicts. In addition, this study finds that there is a reciprocal relationship between shared alliances and militarized conflicts. It finds that militarized conflicts tend to decrease the level of shared alliance ties. Then, this study argues that alliance might be added to the next element behind the Kantian tripod as a salient factor that reduces militarized conflict. Finally, this study points to insights to be gained from the findings and suggests some policy implications.

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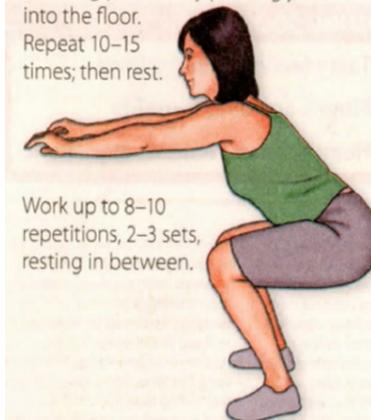
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HEALTH SECTION

MOVES OF THE MONTH Exercises for Strengthening Your Legs

Squat: Stand with good posture, legs about shoulder-width apart. Squat by bending your knees and pushing your hips back and down, as though you were going to sit into a chair. Start out with a slight dip and work your way up to about a 70- to 90-degree angle. Return to the standing position by pushing your feet into the floor. Repeat 10-15 times; then rest.



Semi-Sit: Stand in front of a chair, feet hip-width apart. Brace your abs. Slowly begin to sit down in a sturdy chair, but just touch the chair seat lightly before returning to a standing position. (Think about letting your pants crease but not your shirt.) Work up to 8-10 repetitions, 2-3 sets.

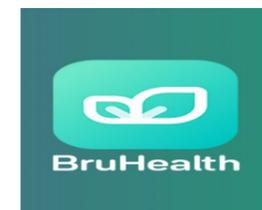


Modified Squat: Stand behind a sturdy chair at arms' length, holding on for balance. Slowly lower your hips and knees to a semi-squat position, not low enough so that your upper legs are parallel to the floor. Hold for 5-10 seconds; then slowly return to the starting position. Work up to 8-10 repetitions, 2-3 sets.



Source: Women's Nutrition Connection, Vol. 23, No. 10, October 2020, p.7

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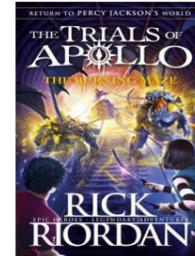
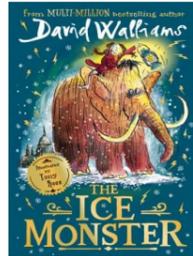
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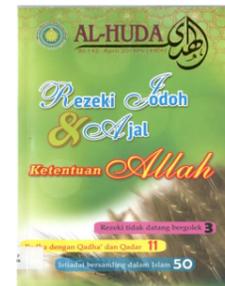
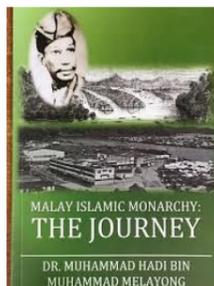


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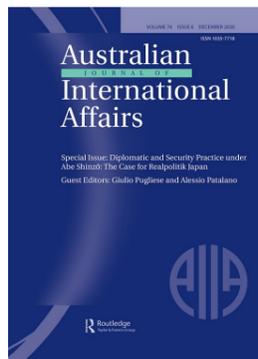
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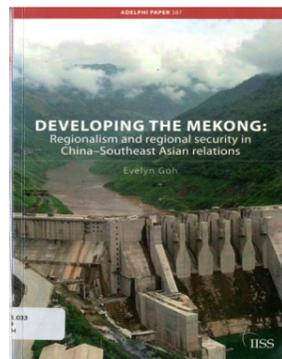
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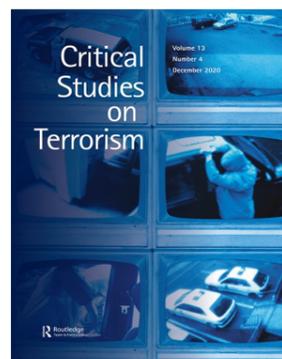
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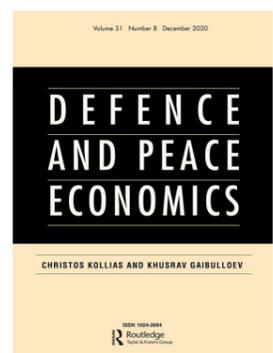
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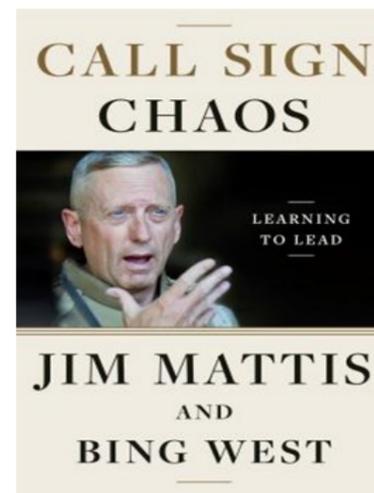
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Call Sign Chaos is the account of Jim Mattis’s storied career, from wide-ranging leadership roles in three wars to ultimately commanding a quarter of a million troops across the Middle East. Along the way, Mattis recounts his foundational experiences as a leader, extracting the lessons he has learned about the nature of warfighting and peacemaking, the importance of allies, and the strategic dilemmas—and short-sighted thinking—now facing our nation. He makes it clear why America must return to a strategic footing so as not to continue winning battles but fighting inconclusive wars.

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#1 NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER • A clear-eyed account of learning how to lead in a chaotic world, by General Jim Mattis—the former Secretary of Defense and one of the most formidable strategic thinkers of our time—and Bing West, a former assistant secretary of defense and combat Marine.

Mattis divides his book into three parts: Direct Leadership, Executive Leadership, and Strategic Leadership. In the first part, Mattis recalls his early experiences leading Marines into battle, when he knew his troops as well as his own brothers. In the second part, he explores what it means to command thousands of troops and how to adapt your leadership style to ensure your intent is understood by your most junior troops so that they can own their mission. In the third part, Mattis describes the challenges and techniques of leadership at the strategic level, where military leaders reconcile war’s grim realities with political leaders’ human aspirations, where complexity reigns and the consequences of imprudence are severe, even catastrophic.

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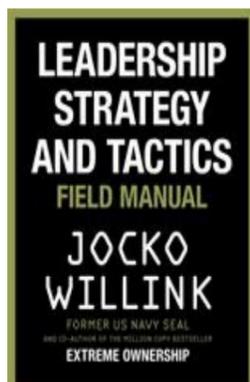
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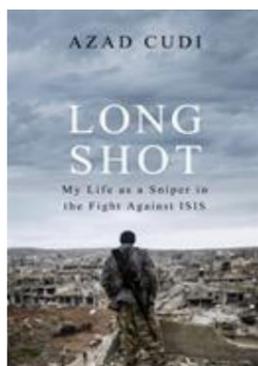
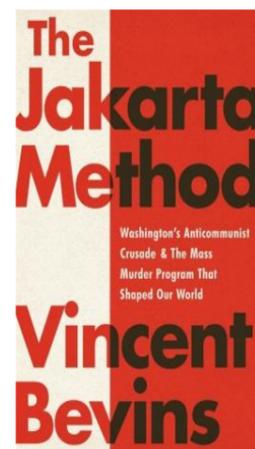


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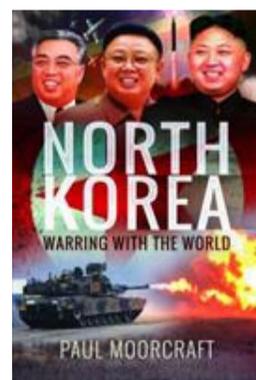
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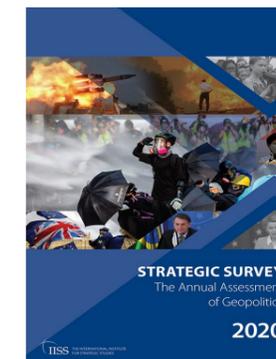
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