

Further Reading

Australian Maritime Doctrine: RAN Doctrine 1 has been written with the unique circumstances of Australia and its maritime security firmly in mind at all times. Among other issues, this means that the limits and the restraints on capacity faced by a medium power navy can never be ignored. Nevertheless, *Australian Maritime Doctrine* has been informed by, and owes much to, many other works on strategic, maritime and military issues, both from Australia and overseas.

The following list is not an exhaustive summary of sources or guidance, but will do much to assist the reader with filling in the gaps. Those wishing to further extend their knowledge of maritime and naval affairs should consult the *Royal Australian Navy Reading List*, available from the Sea Power Centre - Australia (SPC-A). The SPC-A website (www.navy.gov.au/spc) contains this and many of its other publications available for free download.

Classical Works on Maritime Strategy

Alfred T Mahan, *The Influence of Seapower upon History 1660-1783*, Little, Brown and Company, Boston, 1890 (numerous later reprints).

PH Colomb, *Naval Warfare: Its Ruling Principles and Practice Historically Treated*, WH Allen and Co, London, 1891 (reprinted 1990 by the United States Naval Institute in two volumes with an introduction by Barry M Gough).

Julian S Corbett, *Some Principles of Maritime Strategy*, Longmans, Green and Co., London, 1911 (reprinted 1988 by the Naval Institute Press, Annapolis, with an introduction by Eric Grove).

Reginald Custance, *War at Sea: Modern Theory and Ancient Practice*, William Blackwood, London, 1918 (reprinted 1970 by Conway).

Raouel Castex, *Strategic Theories* (translated by Eugenia Kiesling) Naval Institute Press, Annapolis, 1994 (abridgement of his original five volume study published 1931-39).

Bernard Brodie, *A Guide to Naval Strategy*, Princeton, University Press, Princeton, 1944 (numerous later reprints).

Herbert Richmond, *Statesmen and Sea Power*, Clarendon Press, Oxford, 1946 (reprinted 1974 by Greenwood).

Stephen Roskill, *The Strategy of Sea Power*, Collins, London, 1962.

JC Wylie, *Military Strategy: A General Theory of Power Control*, Rutgers University Press, New Brunswick, 1967 (reprinted 1989 by Naval Institute Press).

Ken Booth, *Navies and Foreign Policy*, Croom Helm, London, 1977.

Sergei G Gorskov, *The Seapower of the State*, Pergamon Press, Oxford, 1979.

Contemporary Works on Maritime Strategy and Military Affairs

Richard Hill, *Maritime Strategy for Medium Powers*, Naval Institute Press, Annapolis, 1986.

Eric Grove, *The Future of Sea Power*, Naval Institute Press, Annapolis, 1990.

John B Hattendorf (ed), *Mahan on Naval Strategy: Selections from Writings of Rear Admiral Alfred Thayer Mahan*, Naval Institute Press, Annapolis, 1991.

Colin S Gray, *The Leverage of Sea Power: The Strategic Advantage of Navies in War*, Macmillan, New York, 1992.

James Cable, *Gunboat Diplomacy*, Macmillan, London, 1994.

Wayne P Hughes, *Fleet Tactics and Coastal Combat*, Naval Institute Press, Annapolis, 1999 (2nd edition).

Norman Friedman, *Seapower as Strategy: Navies and National Interests*, Naval Institute Press, Annapolis, 2001.

John B Hattendorf (ed), *US Naval Strategy in the 1990s: Selected Documents*, Newport Papers 27, Naval War College, Newport, 2006.

Bruce A Elleman and SCM Paine (eds), *Naval Blockades and Seapower: Strategies and Counter-strategies, 1805-2005*, Routledge, New York, 2006.

Geoffrey Till, *Seapower: A Guide for the Twenty-First Century*, Routledge, London, 2009 (2nd edition).

PW Singer, *Wired for War: The Robotics Revolution and Conflict in the Twenty-first Century*, The Penguin Press, New York, 2009.

Australian Works on Sea Power

Sam Bateman and Dick Sherwood (eds), *Strategic Change and Naval Roles: Issues for a Medium Naval Power*, Canberra Papers on Strategy and Defence no. 102, Strategic and Defence Studies Centre, Canberra, 1993.

Jack McCaffrie, *Maritime Strategy into the Twenty-First Century: Issues for Regional Navies*, Working Paper no. 297, Strategic and Defence Studies Centre, Canberra, 1996.

David Stevens (ed), *In Search of a Maritime Strategy: The Maritime Element in Australian Defence Planning since 1901*, Canberra Papers on Strategy and Defence no. 119, Strategic and Defence Studies Centre, Canberra, 1997.

John Reeve, *Maritime Strategy and Defence of the Archipelagic Inner Arc*, Working Paper no. 5, Sea Power Centre - Australia, Canberra, 2001.

Alan Robertson, *Centre of the Ocean World: Australia and Maritime Strategy*, Seaview Press, Henley, Beach, 2001.

David Stevens and John Reeve (eds), *Sea Power Ashore and in the Air*, Halstead Press, Sydney, 2007.

Andrew Forbes (ed), *Sea Power: Challenges Old and New*, Halstead Press, Sydney, 2007.

Gregory P Gilbert, *Ancient Egyptian Sea Power and the Origin of Maritime Forces*, Sea Power Centre - Australia, Canberra, 2008.

Naoko Sajima and Kyoichi Tachikawa, *Japanese Sea Power: A Maritime Nation's Struggle for Identity*, Sea Power Centre - Australia, Canberra, 2009.

Current Doctrine

To access the most recent doctrine information from Australia and overseas the following links may be useful:

Australian Defence Force

www.defence.gov.au/adfwc/

Australian Army

www.defence.gov.au/army/lwsc/

Royal Australian Air Force

airpower.airforce.gov.au/

United States Navy

www.nwdc.navy.mil/

United States Marine Corps

www.usmc.mil/

Royal Navy

www.royalnavy.mod.uk/

Canadian Navy

www.navy.forces.gc.ca/