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The Sea Power Centre - Australia (SPC-A) produces three main publication series: *Papers in Australian Maritime Affairs*, *SPC-A Working Papers* and the *Semaphore* newsletter. The SPC-A also produces doctrine publications for the Royal Australian Navy (RAN). The following publications are currently available from the SPC-A by contacting the Publications Officer or sending a message to the General Sea Power Issues email address.

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Responsibilities. Edited by Rachael Heath and Barry Snushall

- No.12** *Maritime Issues 2004: SPC-A Annual.* Edited by Glenn Kerr (in press)
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- No. 14** *The Enforcement Aspects of Australia's Oceans Policy.* By Barry Snushall.
- No. 15** *Russian Naval Power in the Pacific: Today and Tomorrow.* By Alexey Muraviev.
- No. 16** *Royal Australian Navy Aerospace Capability 2020-2030.* By Robert Hosick.

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- 13/2004** *The Roles and Tasks of Maritime Forces*
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Australian Maritime Doctrine (AMD) explains how the RAN thinks about, prepares for and operates in peace and conflict. It sets out Navy's place within a joint and integrated ADF and its roles in Australia's military strategy. It shows the ways in which the RAN provides its unique and essential contribution to the overall ADF effort to protect Australia's security interests. Copies of AMD are available from the SPC-A in hard copy or as a PDF file on CD.

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