

Crisis Escalation Becomes Euro-Cabal's Final Meal Ticket



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It has become clear that the EU-NATO establishment has chosen the path of acut escalation as their current strategy against Russia. The question is why? There are several reasons, the most overriding being that the political structures of Europe a crumbling before our very eyes and endless war-mania is the *only* way for the caba sweep its various polycrises under the rug, stupify its masses, and retain power.

But besides that, it could also have something to do with the long-rumored Russia military buildups which analysts fear were the precursor to a large-scale new serie fall offensives after the relative lull of the past month or so. Perhaps they feel the Ukrainian army's back is on the verge of being broken by one more such offensive have decided that only an allied intervention—or the threat of one—could bring Russia to the proverbial table.

The saber-rattling is now incessant, in accordance with the well-oiled machine we described last time, where the provocation puck is passed to MSM shills who rabio mine for usable soundbites to inflame tensions as much as possible.

Here Christiane Amanpour giddily begs for WWIII:



Even the sunken rot queen herself seems unsettled by having to answer such a provocative question. Not all warmongers are built alike, it seems.

A series of new “threatening incidents” has spread through Europe like wildfire, [time in Denmark](#) and Latvia, with NATO jets being scrambled for effect:

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*Danish Defense Minister Troels Lund Poulsen has stated that **Denmark is considering invoking NATO Article 4** following recent drone intrusion over airports and airbases in **country**, which officials state was an “attack” carried out by a “professional actor” against Denmark. This would be the third request of consultations under NATO Article 4 in the last two weeks, due to potential hostile actions by Russia.*

Did I mention France?

Unidentified drones were observed this weekend over military sites near Mourmelon-le Grand, in the Marne of Northern France, according to military sources who spoke with Radio France Internationale.

France: a military base overflowed by several drones in the Marne

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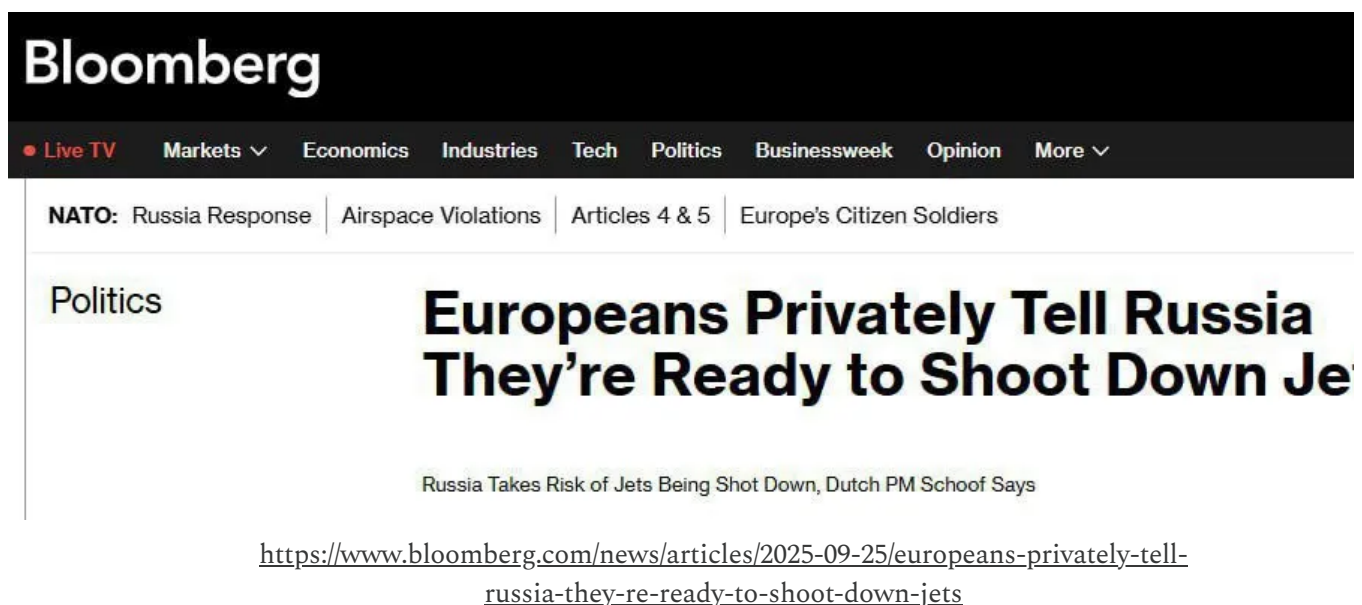


Everywhere you turn there's some new Russian threat being gussied up by the Media Military-Industrial-Complex:



A screenshot of a Sky News broadcast. The main image shows a male news anchor with glasses, wearing a blue suit and tie, looking down with a serious expression. A white circle is drawn over his face. To the right, there is a sidebar with an 'Exclusive' headline: 'Trump administration will work to prevent banning Israel from international football'. Below this is a small image of a protest with a sign that says 'YOUR PITCH YOUR CHOICE BOYCOTT ISRAEL'. At the bottom of the screen, a yellow banner reads 'BREAKING NEWS Germany: Russian satellites pursuing German satell'. Below the banner, the Sky News logo and website are visible, along with a currency converter showing '£1 = €1.14' and a headline about 'Former French President Nicolas Sarkozy sentenced t'.

Bloomberg now reports that European diplomats supposedly told Russian officials behind closed doors—that NATO is ready to escalate by shooting down Russian planes, a kind of final warning:

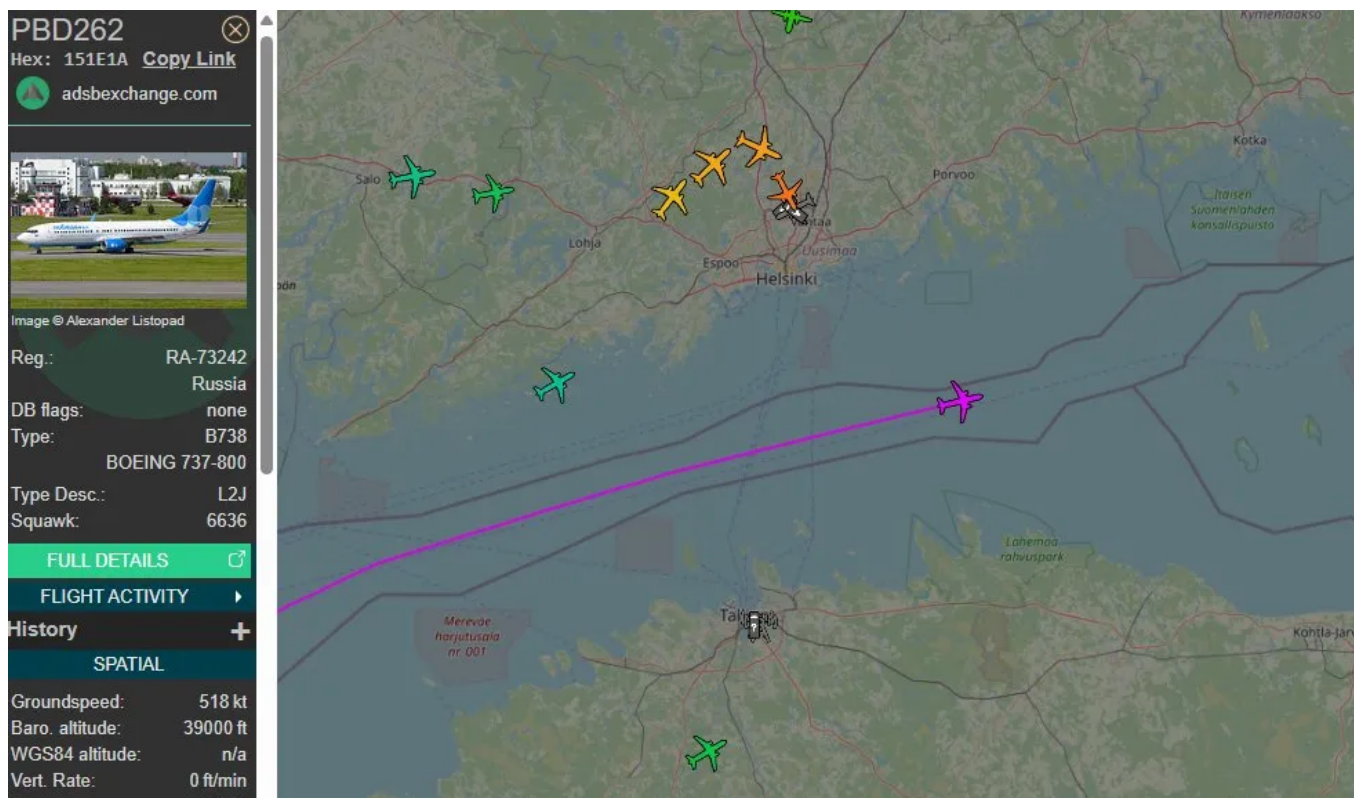


A screenshot of a Bloomberg news article. The Bloomberg logo is at the top left. Below it is a navigation bar with links: 'Live TV', 'Markets', 'Economics', 'Industries', 'Tech', 'Politics', 'Businessweek', 'Opinion', and 'More'. Below the navigation bar is a sub-header for 'NATO: Russia Response' with links to 'Airspace Violations', 'Articles 4 & 5', and 'Europe's Citizen Soldiers'. The main headline is 'Europeans Privately Tell Russia They're Ready to Shoot Down Jets'. Below the headline is a sub-headline: 'Russia Takes Risk of Jets Being Shot Down, Dutch PM Schoof Says'. At the bottom, the URL is provided: <https://www.bloomberg.com/news/articles/2025-09-25/europeans-privately-tell-russia-they-re-ready-to-shoot-down-jets>

European diplomats warned the Kremlin this week that NATO is ready to respond to further violations of its airspace with full force, including by shooting down Russian planes according to officials familiar with the exchange.

At a tense meeting in Moscow, British, French and German envoys addressed their concerns about an incursion by three MiG-31 fighter jets over Estonia last week, according to the officials, who spoke on condition of anonymity as the talks took place behind closed doors. Following the conversation, they concluded that the violation had been a deliberate tactic ordered by Russian commanders.

Recall that the grave violation of Estonian's sovereignty they're so jolted up about has to do with a Russian plane flying over a narrow route constituting a kind of legal corridor between Estonia and Finland's EEZs. An illustrative snap of this route from regular flight:



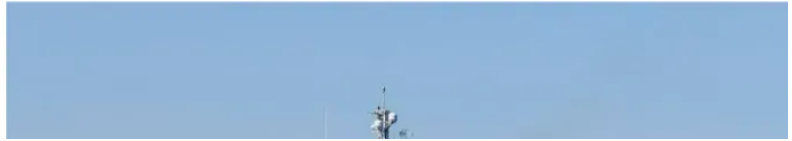
Recall I had **written many times** about the EEZ games that Finland and Estonia have been planning to play. For instance, **almost a year and a half ago I wrote about Estonian plans** to increase the size of its EEZ to deliberately 'trap' Russian assets precisely the kind of provocations now happening; the long laid plans are all coming to fruit:

Estonian foreign ministry wants to extend controlled maritime area

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Lavrov and Russia's ambassador to France both invoked the dreaded 'W' word in regard to NATO shooting down Russian planes:



By the way, has anyone considered the absurdity of the contradiction at play with these provocations? The Western media machine has beat into our heads, particularly of late, how “weak” Russia is. Trump just yesterday implied Russia is a major failure and a ‘paper tiger’ in being incapable of taking out Ukraine, what any “real military power” would have done in a week, he said.

But now, they want us to believe that Russia is somehow “emboldened” to attack NATO itself, flying drones, planes, bombers, sailing ships, etc., all through NATO

borders to simultaneously trigger war with half a dozen or more nations. Are these actions of the same 'feeble' military that is struggling to advance in Ukraine, whose airforce cannot "establish air superiority", and whose economy is on the verge of "collapse"?

This again is the same contradictory logic the Western machine has pushed on us and time again: remember when Assad chose to gas his own people "out of desperation" just as he was on the verge of final victory in the long-fought 'civil war'?

Now, alarm has spread throughout the world following SecDef Pete Hegseth's unprecedented call to "urgently" convene every single admiral and general in the entire US military at Quantico:

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Democracy Dies in Darkness

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NEW: Hegseth's unprecedented meeting will include top commanders currently based in conflict zones and senior military leaders stationed throughout Europe, the Middle East, and the Asia-Pacific

Everyone with the rank of Brigadier General or above is expected to attend.

According to AF Post, a media outlet with nearly 300k followers on X, a senior Pentagon correspondent said, "I've never seen anything like this in the past 30 years. We might be going to war."

In reality, this is likely another nothing-burger—more show and razzle-dazzle from Trump's Vanity Fair administration. I'm inclined more to agree with the following take:



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There is no scenario where it makes strategic sense for Hegseth to have 800 top military commanders worldwide gather at Quantico next week with no agenda. It's performative bullshit by an incompetent, insecure, belligerent, fake Secretary of Defense. If it was an important emergency, the logistics of getting everyone back to their commands would be considered. Expect firings, yelling and propaganda. Expect Trump to show up and defile the situation. Hegseth is not respected and it's eating at him. This is tantrum behavior.

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Trump himself appeared to dismiss the urgency of the call at the White House, implying it's "no big deal".

As for Trump's latest "180 U-turn" on Ukraine, and subsequent disparaging remarks against Russia, Putin aide Ushakov amusedly implied that the US' tone behind the scenes is somewhat different to the garnished offerings made for public consumption.



Putin aide Ushakov on Trump administration statements regarding the Ukraine conflict
“There are public statements and there is communication we receive through the secure channels. We take both into consideration.”

Meanwhile, our read on Trump’s so-called ‘turn’ against Russia turned out to be well supported as other keen European figures likewise cottoned-on to Trump’s obvious act:



European officials fear Trump is preparing to blame them for Ukraine failure

US president sets bloc 'impossible' condition to secure more Washington support for Kyiv



Lastly, on the topic of NATO escalations in Europe, a thought-provoking post from Military Informant channel:

Russia's military success infuriates the U.S. and NATO. The US and NATO have some planned, something which they know can trigger nuclear war. Something with huge

propaganda value. It won't change the military outcome, but they hope it triggers a major Russian response. They repeatedly try to bait Russia and Russia wisely keeps refusing to take the bait. Russia knows they want all-out war. They are practicing for it:

"France has completed the Operation Poker exercise of the Nuclear Deterrent Forces, with varying intensity and at different times throughout the year. This time, the third part of the exercise took place - a simulation of a nuclear strike.

At least five Airbus A330 MRTT tanker aircraft, an E-3F "Sentry" AWACS aircraft and Rafale B fighters from the Strategic Air Force Command are involved in the exercise.

Following the end of the French exercises, final preparations are underway for a major exercise of the nuclear deterrent forces in Northern Europe under the leadership of the Strategic Command.

A group of US Air Force B-2 Spirit strategic bombers, whose flight through Whiteman Air Force Base to Europe was spotted a few hours ago, will take part in the exercise. The E-3 Mercury air command post for nuclear control and communications relay also departs from the north of the continent from Ramstein Air Base in Germany."

-Military Informant

Some assorted items of interest:

Analyst Yuri Podolyaka comments on an alleged new mini-'offensive' in the plans of the Ukrainian Armed Forces to stage a propaganda coup:

Yuri Podolyaka and a number of military-related sources report that Kiev is attempting to stage a "success month." Their plans include a counterattack northwest of Kupyansk to regain control of the entire city. Units from the 3rd Special Forces Brigade of the Ukrainian Armed Forces are already arriving in the area of Velikaya Shapkovka and Smorod'kovka. Similarly, the Ukrainian Armed Forces will attempt to launch another counterattack near Pokrovsk. This is done before the winter, without electricity or heat, to boost the morale of the dying Banderite country.

Famed Ukrainian drone and EW expert Serhiy Flash writes that a new Russian drone has been discovered that, for the first time, *completely* lacks any type of guidance system or electronic transmitter at all—the drone allegedly hunts for targets in full autonomous mode, utilizing some kind of AI:



Who remembers my series of stories about the enemy UAV with artificial intelligence? A drone that searches for targets on its own and can recognize objects.

Previously, this drone had an LTE modem for some purposes, but now the third trophy come across has no modem.

So now the UAV has no communication channel at all. It navigates autonomously and attacks the target autonomously as well. It is impossible to suppress its control and navigation with electronic warfare because there is nothing to suppress.

I consider this technology a threat of the future: for example, the drone can fly by itself a road or railway track and look for targets to attack. There have already been cases w

drone attacked a crowd of people at a market.

The modem was on top under the cover.

If true, this marks the beginning of a new era in the Ukrainian war—and in gener:

Russia Made Drone Production a Supreme Priority. Now It Swarms the Skies.

Ukraine is struggling to defend itself against the growing number of attack drones that Moscow has started using in its onslaughts.

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AI-controlled drone swarms set to transform combat on battlefield

The latest iteration of flying robot warfare, unmanned weapons co-ordinate to overwhelm enemy defences



The technology, dubbed Nemyx, transforms individual drones into a single, co-ordinated force © Auterik

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On that note, a little comedy from the front:



Speaking of drones, a Ukrainian “military expert” sounded the alarm over Russia’s growing superiority in this domain:



Yuri Kasyanov



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I read Zaluzhny's article on "Dzerkalo Tyzhnia" (link in the comments). I will not analyze the entire text, I am not an infantry officer, especially I will not give an assessment to Valery Fedorovych himself, as some experts on all issues do, who see in everything only preparation for the elections. My business is drone everything that flies, I am an expert in this.

The main idea of the entire article, as I understood it, is that modern drone warfare has changed the nature of positional warfare, the same "dead end" that Zaluzhny wrote about earlier, on the eve of his resignation. Almost two years have passed, and the former commander-in-chief analyzes the current situation in retrospect.

The classic positional war with long-term fortifications, limited opportunities for maneuver and breakthrough is no longer there. We have lost the main advantage of defense, when small forces can restrain the onslaught of a superior enemy.

Drones are to blame for everything, because now the advantage in drones is on the enemy's side both quantitatively and qualitatively. The enemy controls the sky. In these conditions, the lack of manpower, the lack of resources, the growing technological lag can have catastrophic consequences for our entire defense.

If we do not take seriously, in full force, the elimination of technological lag, and do not find effective weapons against enemy drones, do not close the sky, our few infantry will simply die out in individual positions, which they occupy in small groups, either because everyone will be killed by drones, or because drones will kill logistic

As was the case two and three years ago, a technological leap is needed, a breakthrough in the development of drone technologies and small air defense systems, both against shaheeds in the rear, and against FPV drones, reconnaissance drones, and bombers on the front line and in the rear.

This is a very difficult task. It is impossible to surpass a resource-rich adversary that has a developed (compared to ours) defense industry and engineering and design base through the efforts of individual, small private companies that do not have sufficient funding and do not rely on a developed industry.

Even the courtier Fire Point will not be able to do this, no matter how much money her partners pour into her and no matter how much support the first persons of the state provide her.

We need to consolidate all forces. We need a state program. We finally need someone in charge, responsible for its implementation. If we don't close the sky and achieve technological superiority in offensive weapons, we will lose everything.

The times of loud statements and generous promises are over. It's time to get to work.

Patriotism, heroism, and faith in the Armed Forces of Ukraine have long been insufficient.

At the UN, Zelensky again mocked Poland for shooting down only four out of 19 "Russian drones":



Lastly, several days ago on September 21 was the three-year anniversary of Russia's "partial mobilization", wherein 300,000 reservists were called up to begin transitioning the conflict from a kind of large-scale expeditionary raid, to a full-on classic war.

On the occasion, Russian analyst Starshe Eddy has written this poignant piece, which is a fitting conclusion:

Three years ago, Russia went to war. Yes, you heard that right, Russia entered the war on February 24, 2022, but it went to war, as our ancestors did, three years ago when partial mobilization was announced.

I remember those days very well, fortunately I was right in the thick of things and saw with my own eyes how thousands of Russian men changed from civilian clothes into military uniforms. Some of them went into battle almost immediately, literally within a few days while others prepared in field camps, training grounds, and the deployment points of units and formations.

It was a very difficult time; the enemy, emboldened by success in the Kharkiv direction, rushing forward and arrogantly thought that victory was near. The ambassador to Ukraine in London, Zaluzhnyi, then grandly declared that he had defeated the professional Russian army and would now finish off the amateur one. But Russia went to war; the former civilians first stopped the enemy, then ground down its best units, inflicted colossal losses in manpower, and caused the Armed Forces of Ukraine to suffer a catastrophic shortage of soldiers, which will ultimately be the reason for Ukraine's final defeat.

But in those September and October days of 2022, this was still far away. After the retreat of the Western Military District from Izyum and Balakliia, the enemy was rushing toward Severodonetsk and Svatove, hoping that after overcoming these lines, it would reach Luhansk. But the bleeding 144th Motorized Rifle Division of the 20th Army, along with volunteer units from Bars, clung tightly to Krasnyi Lyman, which allowed time to strengthen Kreminna and Rubizhne, where the enemy could no longer enter, and on the heights between Svatove, fighters of the 27th Motorized Rifle Brigade and special forces of the 3rd Separate Guards Brigade of the Main Intelligence Directorate secured their positions.

Not the entire brigade was there; small forces from the Central Military District were urgently redeployed to this direction to hold the front, and they succeeded. I repeat once again that I witnessed all these events firsthand and despite various nasty things from people far removed from the front, which were pouring from Telegram channels at that time, I can assess what happened as an immediate eyewitness.

Three years ago, Russia rose to war, not all of it, but even that was enough to stop the enemy. Honor, praise, and eternal glory to those men who answered the call of the Motherland and took up arms, rather than running away like a bunch of cowards through Verkhniy Lats or to Kazakhstan. Worthy and faithful sons of Russia, I bow deeply to you.

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Trump washed his hands of Ukraine. It is a European war, stupid Europe. Trump's definition of the Russian economy and military is really Europe.

The only way to end the war is a Russian win, Odessa and half of Ukraine. Hopefully, it will be so

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War will come by command of emotionally unstable women.

This ammanpour insists, even mocking a punch on Pustula face, go to war because of 10 unarmed drones and a 3 planes flight over an international corridor. Fire this moron journalist. She's an idiot in the profession.

Millions will die and an entire continent destroyed by the hands of the intelligence of a Kaya Ka Annabella Baerbock, Pustula is another league (she's pure nrevanchist crypto Nazo evil).

These emotional unstable brats should be banned from office.

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