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## **NIWC Atlantic training exercise on Sullivan's Island from Aug. 27-28**

SULLIVAN'S ISLAND, S.C. — Naval Information Warfare Center (NIWC) Atlantic will conduct an exercise on Station 22 on Sullivan's Island from Aug. 27-28 from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m.

This exercise is in support of U.S. Marine Corps (USMC) training, and there will be military and civilian personnel participating in the training exercise.

The primary testing equipment will be Seasats Lightfish Unmanned Surface Vessels (USV) that will launch from Sullivan's Island into the Atlantic Ocean. Additionally, Terrestrial Collection System (TCS) radars will be assembled on the beach.

During testing, military radio and radar frequencies **will not interfere** with other frequencies or electronic communications in the area.

The USVs resemble capsized kayaks and miniature catamarans; the TCS radar is approximately 15-20 feet tall. If members of the public see the equipment, please do not attempt to approach, touch or interfere with it.

This testing is part of NIWC Atlantic's routine scientific mission to enhance and train the interoperability and performance of various naval system configurations and capabilities. NIWC Atlantic has conducted similar activities on Sullivan's Island in 2023 and 2024.

### About NIWC Atlantic

Naval Information Warfare Center (NIWC) Atlantic, formally known as SPAWAR, provides systems engineering and acquisition to deliver information warfare capabilities to the naval, joint and national warfighter through the acquisition, development, integration, production, test, deployment, and sustainment of interoperable command, control, communications, computer, intelligence, surveillance, and reconnaissance, cyber and information technology capabilities.

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