

THE CHANGING POLITICS OF THE RED SEA BASIN: GREAT AND MIDDLE POWER COMPETITION IN A TOUGH NEIGHBORHOOD

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Since 2015, the Red Sea basin – a critical artery of global maritime trade – has been the site of escalating Great and Middle Power rivalry, involving China, Russia, the US, the Gulf states, Turkey and Egypt. This discussion examines this evolving competition, mapping out why it has increased in recent years, and what the stakes are for regional and global security.



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