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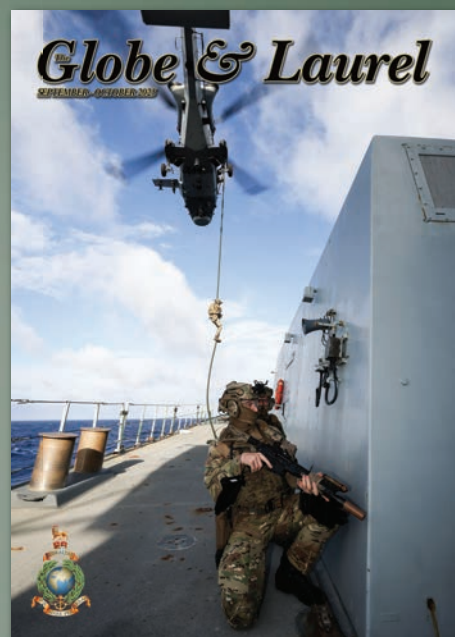
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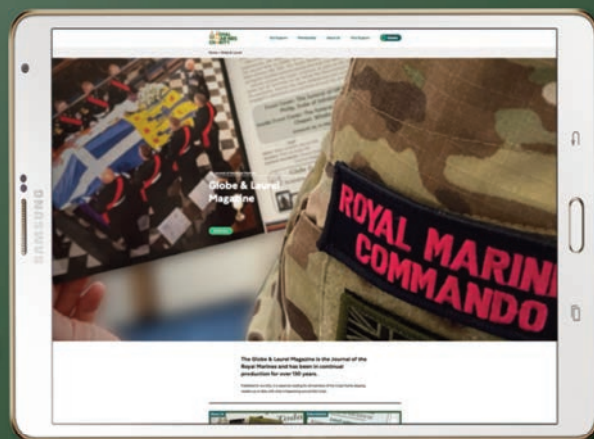
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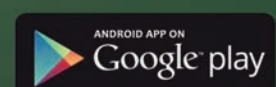
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- ◆ **Worldwide distribution and direct internet links.**
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May/Jun 2026	30 Apr	07 May	03 Jun
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Sep/Oct 2026	27 Aug	03 Sep	30 Sep
Nov/Dec 2026	29 Oct	05 Nov	02 Dec
Jan/Feb 2027	04 Jan	11 Jan	04 Feb

## Specification

Full Page	w 216 x h 303 mm (inc 3mm bleed)
Half Page (horizontal)	w 186 x h 130 mm
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Eighth Page	w 89 x h 65 mm

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