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Special Report

#### **A Strategy to Revitalize the Defense Industrial Base for the 21st Century**

Heritage Foundation

Jim Fein, Wilson Beaver, Rachel Greszler, Robert Peters, Madison Marino Doan, Richard Stern, Jordan Embree und Robert Greenway

April 7, 2025

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<https://www.heritage.org/sites/default/files/2025-04/SR314.pdf>

AEI Foreign and Defense Policy Working Paper Series

#### **Decentralizing the Department of Defense: Reorganizing to Empower the Warfighters**

By John G. Ferrari | Elaine McCusker | Todd Harrison

April 03, 2025

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<https://www.aei.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/04/WP-Rethinking-DoD-JF-EM-TH-1.pdf?x85095>

Paper | CNAS

#### **From Production Lines to Front Lines**

Revitalizing the U.S. Defense Industrial Base for Future Great Power Conflict

By: Becca Wasser and Philip Sheers

April 03, 2025

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[https://s3.us-east-1.amazonaws.com/files.cnas.org/documents/Defense\\_Defense-Industrial-Base\\_2025-04-02\\_vFinal.pdf](https://s3.us-east-1.amazonaws.com/files.cnas.org/documents/Defense_Defense-Industrial-Base_2025-04-02_vFinal.pdf)

Studies

**Relook Playbook: Defense Budgeting Insights From a CSBA Rebalancing Exercise**

Drawing on insights from a recent CSBA Strategic Choices Exercise, the authors argue that potential defense investments fall into four main categories – top priority investments, strategy-dependent investments, resource-dependent investments, and bottom priority investments – and explain which capabilities fall into which camps. They also outline where the Pentagon might first look to save resources, the likely limits of those efforts, and where it may need to turn instead. Finally, the authors note that, absent real annual growth in the defense budget of 2 percent or more, senior officials will be forced to grapple with a set of tradeoffs that they might not be equipped to manage.

Travis Sharp, Casey Nicastro, Evan B. Montgomery

April 2, 2025

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[https://csbaonline.org/uploads/documents/CSBA8398\\_\(Relook Playbook Report\)\\_Final.pdf](https://csbaonline.org/uploads/documents/CSBA8398_(Relook_Playbook_Report)_Final.pdf)

Issue Brief

**Extended Deterrence: A Tool That Has Served American Interests Since 1945**

Robert Peters

April 2, 2025

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<https://www.heritage.org/sites/default/files/2025-04/IB5378.pdf>

Report

**CSIS European Trilateral Track 2 Nuclear Dialogues**

**2024 Consensus Statement**

Political shifts and a rapidly changing security environment continue to reinforce the importance of close collaboration and unity between the United States, the United Kingdom, and France as responsible nuclear weapons states and NATO alliance members.

by Heather Williams —

April 1, 2025

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[https://csis-website-prod.s3.amazonaws.com/s3fs-public/2025-04/250401\\_PONI\\_Consensus\\_Statement\\_0.pdf?VersionId=5ueiyWVU0bsGHP4sD\\_c.dAYcHiXqld08](https://csis-website-prod.s3.amazonaws.com/s3fs-public/2025-04/250401_PONI_Consensus_Statement_0.pdf?VersionId=5ueiyWVU0bsGHP4sD_c.dAYcHiXqld08)

CSIS Brief

**Could Allies Decide the Future of the Indo-Pacific?**

In this Marshall Paper, Phillips P. O'Brien assesses the critical importance of allies in deciding major conflicts. O'Brien argues that the U.S. allies appear strong on paper, but a long conflict may hinge more on commitment than on capability.

by Phillips O'Brien  
April 1, 2025  
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[https://csis-website-prod.s3.amazonaws.com/s3fs-public/2025-04/250401\\_0%27Brien Alliances Indo-Pacific.pdf?VersionId=pNX6PsIV3w1TywMLkSYF9QpFSuEtiCsn](https://csis-website-prod.s3.amazonaws.com/s3fs-public/2025-04/250401_0%27Brien Alliances Indo-Pacific.pdf?VersionId=pNX6PsIV3w1TywMLkSYF9QpFSuEtiCsn)

Issue Brief

**Why NATO's Defence Planning Process will transform the Alliance for decades to come**

NATO's successes over the last seventy-six years are the result of constant adaptation, and the Alliance is now going through its most profound changes since the end of the Cold War.

By Angus Lapsley and Pierre Vandier

Mar 31, 2025

<https://www.atlanticcouncil.org/in-depth-research-reports/issue-brief/why-natos-defence-planning-process-will-transform-the-alliance-for-decades-to-come/>

Commentary

**How to Secure the Black Sea During a Russia-Ukrainian Ceasefire**

Securing a fragile Black Sea ceasefire demands more than diplomacy. NATO must field a multidomain fleet-in-being—one that deters Russia, respects Montreux limits, and projects power without draining overstretched naval forces elsewhere.

by Benjamin Jensen and Mark Montgomery

March 31, 2025

<https://www.csis.org/analysis/how-secure-black-sea-during-russia-ukrainian-ceasefire>

Backgrounder

**NATO's Underspending Problem: America's Allies Must Embrace Fair Burden Sharing**

Jordan Embree und Miles Pollard

March 31, 2025

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<https://www.heritage.org/sites/default/files/2025-03/BG3903.pdf>

Backgrounder

**Arming for Peace: Expanding the Defense Industrial Base and Arming Taiwan Faster**

Brent Sadler

March 31, 2025

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<https://www.heritage.org/sites/default/files/2025-03/BG3902.pdf>

Report | United States Studies Centre at the University of Sydney

**Polishing the diamond: Opportunities for the Quad**

Tom Barrett, Esther Soulard, Jared Mondschein and Tom Corben

27 March 2025

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<https://cdn.sanity.io/files/ooh1fq7e/production/448611bab-dbcafa2c881f4e9fe2a06e81d5954ac.pdf/Polishing-the-diamond-Opportunities-for-the-Quad.pdf>

CSIS Report

**Fighting with Allies: Transforming Multinational Strategic Planning in the U.S. Department of Defense**

The United States military has no dedicated framework for conducting multinational strategic planning with its allies and partners in the Indo-Pacific region. Four existing regional frameworks should be adapted for this purpose.

by Sean Monaghan, Alexander Palmer, and Chris H. Park

March 26, 2025

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Backgrounder

**Next Steps for Germany's National Security Zeitenwende**

Wilson Beaver

March 26, 2025

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<https://www.heritage.org/sites/default/files/2025-03/BG3900.pdf>

AEI Working Paper

**Behind NATO's 2 Percent: Measuring the True Scope of Alliance Defense Investments and the NATO Defense Deficit**

By Mackenzie Eaglen, Cole Spiller

March 25, 2025

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<https://www.aei.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/03/Eaglen-Spiller-NATO-Working-Paper-Final.pdf?x85095>

Commentary

**An Iron Dome for America?**

If Trump doesn't take his Iron Dome vision too literally, he may just spark a useful debate about American territorial defense.

Michael E. O'Hanlon

March 25, 2025

<https://www.brookings.edu/articles/an-iron-dome-for-america/>

CSIS Commentary

**Kay Bailey Hutchison in The Dallas Morning News: NATO Remains Our Best Defense**

“Europe is building autonomy, but we are stronger together,” writes former U.S. permanent representative to NATO and CSIS Senior Adviser Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchinson.

by Kay Bailey Hutchison

March 20, 2025

<https://www.dallasnews.com/opinion/commentary/2025/03/22/kay-bailey-hutchison-nato-remains-our-best-defense/>

Issue Brief

**Cost Savings and Reform at the Department of Defense**

Wilson Beaver

March 20, 2025

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<https://www.heritage.org/sites/default/files/2025-03/IB5377.pdf>

Report | United States Studies Centre at the University of Sydney

**US-Australia-Japan strategic cooperation in the Indo-Pacific: Testing trilateralism through crisis simulation**

Dr Christopher J. Watterson | Dr Michael J. Green | Dr Peter J. Dean | Nobukatsu Kanehara

RADM(ret.) Katsuya Yamamoto | Takuma Matsu

20 March 2025

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<https://cdn.sanity.io/files/ooh1fq7e/production/3d8c2d5b421e63a82b7b17de94c2da7ee1251c46.pdf/US-Australia-Japan-strategic-cooperation-in-the-Indo-Pacific-Testing-trilateralism-through-crisis-simulation.pdf>

Commentary

**Nuclear Deterrence: Can Britain and France Take on America's Role in Defending Europe Against Russian Aggression?**

As the United States prioritizes the Indo-Pacific, European leaders are floating alternatives for nuclear deterrence in Europe. Could French and British nuclear weapons be enough to deter Russia and reassure European allies?

By Paul van Hooft

Mar 19, 2025

<https://www.rand.org/pubs/commentary/2025/03/nuclear-deterrence-can-britain-and-france-take-on-americas.html>

DGAP Policy Brief

**„What if“ ... die USA den Nuklearschirm über Europa aufkündigen?**

Dr. Karl-Heinz Kamp  
17. März 2025  
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Insights

**Trump, Ukraine, and Europe's Three Security Priorities**  
**The continent must face a new reality.**

By Gesine Weber, Martin Quencez  
March 14, 2025

<https://www.gmfus.org/news/trump-ukraine-and-europes-three-security-priorities>

## National Security

CSIS Report

**Global Terrorism Threat Assessment 2025**

Terrorism remains a threat to U.S. citizens, assets, and interests despite the national security community's decreasing focus on counterterrorism.

by Alexander Palmer, Riley McCabe, Daniel Byman, and Skyeler Jackson  
March 28, 2025

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CSIS Report

**Protecting Intellectual Property for National Security**  
**A Transition Report for the New Administration**

In the face of growing international competition and rapid technological disruption, IP policy is not just a legal matter—it is a strategic priority.

by Kirti Gupta, Andrei Iancu, Walter G. Copan, and Chris Borges  
March 25, 2025

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Blog Post

**The Cognitive Shift: How the Terrorist Label May Lead to Another Forever War**

By Brandan P. Buck  
March 19, 2025

<https://www.cato.org/blog/cognitive-shift-how-terrorist-label-may-lead-another-forever-war>

## Foreign Policy

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### **Building on Jeddah: What Ukraine needs to do now**

Ukraine must ensure that Trump believes Kyiv is a constructive partner in peace.

Thomas Wright

April 4, 2025

<https://www.brookings.edu/articles/building-on-jeddah-what-ukraine-needs-to-do-now/>

Critical Questions

### **What Factors Drive U.S.-Israeli Differences on Iran's Nuclear Challenge?**

U.S.-Israeli differences over the Iranian nuclear challenge are growing. With Washington signaling interests in diplomacy and Israel advocating for military action, their diverging strategies could affect strategic alignment and coordination.

by Doreen Horschig and Bailey Schiff

April 4, 2025

<https://www.csis.org/analysis/what-factors-drive-us-israeli-differences-irans-nuclear-challenge>

AEIdeas

### **On Iran: Now We Have Run Out of Time**

By Peter J. Wallison

April 02, 2025

<https://www.aei.org/social-cultural-and-constitutional-studies/on-iran-now-we-have-run-out-of-time/>

Research Article

### **A Grand Bargain for Middle East Peace: Seizing an Historic Opportunity**

Edward P. Djerejian

Apr. 1, 2025

<https://www.belfercenter.org/research-analysis/grand-bargain-middle-east-peace-seizing-historic-opportunity>

Paper

### **In the Vortex of Great Power Competition: Climate, Trade, and Geostrategic Rivalry in U.S.-China-EU Relations**

Michael Mehling explores relationships among industrial policy, trade, and efforts to reduce greenhouse-gas emissions — all in the context of great power politics among China, the United States, and Europe.

Michael A. Mehling

March 2025

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<https://www.belfercenter.org/sites/default/files/2025-03/harvard-project-mehling-climate-trade-250322.pdf>

CSIS Report

**Undercharged: Energy, Climate, and the Evolving Transatlantic Relationship**

Energy and climate policy will likely be a major source of tension in the transatlantic relationship. But forging a joint approach to cleantech manufacturing can ensure mutual energy security, economic competitiveness, and international strength.

by Max Bergmann, Joseph Majkut, and Federico Steinberg

March 28, 2025

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New Atlanticist

**A US-Saudi deal without Israel? Here's what the US should ask for.**

Trump could deliver a stronger security agreement with Saudi Arabia that includes the hefty asks from the kingdom without normalization with Israel. But should he?

By Kirsten Fontenrose

Mar 27, 2025

<https://www.atlanticcouncil.org/blogs/new-atlanticist/a-us-saudi-deal-without-israel-heres-what-the-us-should-ask-for/>

New Atlanticist

**There's a right way to lift sanctions on Russia. Follow these Dos and Don'ts.**

A former US diplomat and a former US Treasury official offer eleven guiding principles for moving forward in negotiations on sanctions relief with Russia.

By Daniel Fried, Kimberly Donovan

Mar 26, 2025

<https://www.atlanticcouncil.org/blogs/new-atlanticist/theres-a-right-way-to-lift-sanctions-on-russia-follow-these-dos-and-donts/>

Critical Questions

**What Elections Mean for Canada and the Future of North America**

CSIS Americas Program Director Ryan C. Berg, Deputy Director and Senior Fellow Christopher Hernandez-Roy, and Henry Ziemer evaluate the significance of Canada's upcoming election and how it will reshape relations with the United States.

by Christopher Hernandez-Roy, Ryan C. Berg, and Henry Ziemer

March 25, 2025

<https://www.csis.org/analysis/what-elections-mean-canada-and-future-north-america>



Report

**Why democracies stick together: The theory and empirics behind alliance formation**

Democratic peace theory holds that democracies do not go to war with each other. The democratic alliance hypothesis suggests democracies prefer alliances with fellow democracies over non-democratic powers. If both theories hold, US foreign policy should prioritize democratization, as prosperous, democratic nations are less likely to align with authoritarian states.

By Markus Jaeger

Mar 24, 2025

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<https://www.atlanticcouncil.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/03/Why-democracies-stick-together.pdf>

Commentary

**Back & Forth 3: Do Sanctions Work?**

In the third issue of Back & Forth, Nick Kumleben and CSIS's Philip A. Luck and Andrea Leonard Palazzi debate the efficacy of sanctions as a tool of economic statecraft, focusing on the sanctions on Russia.

by Nick Kumleben, Philip Luck, and Andrea Leonard Palazzi

March 19, 2025

<https://www.csis.org/analysis/back-forth-3-do-sanctions-work>

Blog Post

**US Funding of the United Nations**

By Chris Edwards and Yasmeen Kallash-Kyler

March 18, 2025

<https://www.cato.org/blog/us-funding-united-nations>

Commentary

**The Story of Sanctions**

This week, Bill Reinsch outlines his takeaways from the recent history of U.S. sanctions policy and how best to apply these tools going forward.

by William Alan Reinsch

March 17, 2025

<https://www.csis.org/analysis/story-sanctions>

## Economics, Trade and Finance

RealTime Economics

**Trump's tariffs are designed for maximum damage—to America**

Maurice Obstfeld (PIIE)

April 4, 2025

<https://www.piie.com/blogs/realtime-economics/2025/trumps-tariffs-are-designed-maximum-damage-america>

Blog Post

**More About Trump's Sham "Reciprocal" Tariffs**

By Colin Grabow, Scott Lincicome, and Kyle Handley

April 3, 2025

<https://www.cato.org/blog/more-about-trumps-sham-reciprocal-tariffs>

Blog Post

**Trump's Tariffs Aren't Reciprocal and Are a Massive Tax Increase on Americans**

By Jeremy Horpedahl and Phillip W. Magness

April 3, 2025

<https://www.cato.org/blog/trumps-tariffs-arent-reciprocal-are-massive-tax-increase-americans>

Blog Post

**Five Most Absurd Things about Trump's "Reciprocal" Tariffs**

By Tad DeHaven

April 3, 2025

<https://www.cato.org/blog/five-most-absurd-things-about-trumps-reciprocal-tariffs>

Article

**What Will Trump's Tariffs Do for U.S. Consumers, Workers, and Businesses?**

Trump's tariffs could cost American households \$5,200 annually, but they are unlikely to create jobs, improve U.S. economic competitiveness, or improve America's standing in the world.

Ryan Mulholland

Apr 1, 2025

<https://www.americanprogress.org/article/what-will-trumps-tariffs-do-for-u-s-consumers-workers-and-businesses/>

Research

**Tracking trade amid uncertain and changing tariff policies**

March 27, 2025

<https://www.brookings.edu/articles/tracking-trade-amid-uncertain-and-changing-tariff-policies/>

RealTime Economics

**Will the world trading system survive Trump's tariffs?**

Alan Wm. Wolff (PIIE)

March 27, 2025

<https://www.piie.com/blogs/realtime-economics/2025/will-world-trading-system-survive-trumps-tariffs>

Research

BPEA | Spring 2025

**Treasury market dysfunction and the role of the central bank**

Anil K Kashyap, Jeremy C. Stein, Jonathan L. Wallen, and Joshua Younger

March 26, 2025

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**The US trade deficit: Myths and realities**

Maurice Obstfeld

March 26, 2025

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Blog Post

**Joint Economic Committee Report Sounds the Alarm on Debt and Deficits**

By Romina Boccia and Ivane Nachkebia

March 25, 2025

<https://www.cato.org/blog/joint-economic-committee-report-sounds-alarm-debt-deficits>

Report | CFR

**American Views on Economic Leadership**

CFR's RealEcon team traveled across the country to ask Americans what they think of trade, aid, and other international economic policies.

by Matthew P. Goodman and Allison J. Smith

March 25, 2025

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RealTime Economics

**Modeling a US-EU trade war: Tariffs won't improve US global trade balance**

Warwick J. McKibbin (PIIE; Australian National University) and Marcus Noland (PIIE)

March 24, 2025

<https://www.piie.com/blogs/realtime-economics/2025/modeling-us-eu-trade-war-tariffs-wont-improve-us-global-trade-balance>

AEI Economic Policy Working Paper Series

**A New Long-Run Economic Model Basis for Projecting the Finances of the US Government**

By Mark J. Warshawsky | Gaobo Pang | John Mantus

March 18, 2025

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<https://www.aei.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/03/Mantus-Pang-Warshawsky-A-New-Long-Run-Economic-Model-Basis-WP.pdf?x85095>

Paper

**Beyond Rhetoric: The Enduring Political Appeal of U.S. Industrial Policy for Critical and Strategic Technologies**

In *Beyond Rhetoric: The Enduring Political Appeal of U.S. Industrial Policy for Critical and Strategic Technologies*, Doug Calidas and Chris Li explore the bipartisan political momentum behind industrial subsidies, particularly in critical sectors like semiconductor manufacturing, tracing its roots from the Trump administration's economic nationalism to the Biden-era CHIPS and Science Act. Despite Trump's public criticism of subsidies, the paper argues that political and economic forces—including competition with China, shifting conservative views on state intervention, and electoral pressures—may drive a continued expansion of industrial policy in his second term.

With global rivals investing heavily in state-backed technology sectors, the U.S. faces a strategic imperative: embrace industrial policy or risk falling behind. This paper provides a nuanced analysis of the forces shaping the future of American economic leadership.

Doug Calidas and Chris Li

Mar. 14, 2025

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Buchhinweis

**The New Economic Nationalism**

Empires, city states, and nations have long pursued aggressive trade, tax, and investment policies to amass wealth. A new consensus emerged after the Great Depression and World War II supporting liberalized international trade, economic cooperation, and free markets. Today that consensus has shattered, replaced by a “new economic nationalism” of industrial policy, tariffs, and various methods of state support for the economy. Can this new approach deliver stability, national security, and prosperity? This book examines case studies revealing a decidedly mixed record. In some instances, economic nationalist policies have fostered growth and declining unemployment, though accompanied by fiscal costs and inefficiency. In much of the developing world, however, economic nationalist policies have produced corruption, debt burdens, inflation, and ultimately stagnation. By examining the past, *The New Economic Nationalism* provides a roadmap to an uncertain future.

Monica de Bolle (PIIE), Jérémie Cohen-Setton (International Monetary Fund) and Madi Sarsenbayev (former PIIE)  
April 2025  
<https://www.piie.com/bookstore/2025/new-economic-nationalism>

## Domestic Politics

Commentary

### **What do the Florida and Wisconsin elections tell us about the next 2 years?**

Elaine Kamarck and E.J. Dionne, Jr.

April 4, 2025

<https://www.brookings.edu/articles/what-do-the-florida-and-wisconsin-elections-tell-us-about-the-next-2-years/>

FACT SHEET | Higher Education Reform Initiative

### **DOGE Takes Real Action to Curb Government Waste**

Matthew Lobel

April 3, 2025

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Commentary

### **US democracy at risk as corruption threats grow**

Jonathan Katz and Renée Rippberger

April 3, 2025

<https://www.brookings.edu/articles/us-democracy-at-risk-as-corruption-threats-grow/>

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#### **In the Biden Administration**

Functional Government Initiative

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Special Report

### **The U.S. Must Redesign Asylum Law for 21st-Century Reality and Put America First**

Lora Ries und Simon Hankinson

March 31, 2025

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Commentary

**Trump's executive order threatens to undermine American elections**

Samara Angel, Peter W. Beck, and Jonathan Katz

March 28, 2025

<https://www.brookings.edu/articles/executive-order-threatens-to-undermine-american-elections/>

Commentary

**The SAVE Act: An attempt to restrict voting rights**

Keesha Middlemass

March 26, 2025

<https://www.brookings.edu/articles/the-save-act-an-attempt-to-restrict-voting-rights/>

Report | via AEI

**Governors as CEOs: A Blueprint for Merit-Based Governance in the States**

Cicero Institute

By Michael Brickman | Tanner H. Jones

March 19, 2025

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Blog Post

**Six Ways to Understand DOGE and Predict Its Future Behavior**

By Alex Nowrasteh and Ryan Bourne

March 17, 2025

<https://www.cato.org/blog/six-ways-understand-doge-predict-its-future-behavior>

Legal Memorandum

**The Unitary Executive Meets the Unitary Judiciary: The Use of Nationwide Injunctions by U.S. District Courts**

GianCarlo Canaparo und Paul Larkin

March 14, 2025

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