

# Norway



Although a bit out in the top corner of western Europe theatre, some units will deploy from the continent to Norway to strengthen the forces in the north. (UK recce Jaguars & Dutch NF-5's). Airfields Rygge, Orland and Evenes had USAF deployments. At least the 149<sup>th</sup> TFS from Virginia deployed in 1989 to Evenes with A-7 Corsairs during Coronet `Anaconda`. In Earlier days also the 192<sup>nd</sup> ANG deployed during the same exercise together with one C-5.

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### NORWAY DEPLOYMENT SET

**—Don't forget your pillow!**

With the Norway deployment just around the corner, this special issue of the Vanguard contains the latest news and information about the unit's trip to the "Land of the Midnight Sun."

Nearly 300 unit members will deploy this month to Evenes Air Station, Norway, for Exercise CORONET ANACONDA. The 192d is the only Air Force unit -- Guard, Reserve, or active duty -- to deploy to a base base environment above the Arctic Circle. The deployment schedule follows:

Wed. 6 Sept. 1830L - C-5 departure with advance party.  
(Date/time to be announced) - Enroute support team departs for UK.  
Sat. 9 Sept. 0400/0430L - A-7s depart for Norway via UK.  
Mon. 11 Sept. (Time to be announced) Main contingent departs.

Each deploying member is reminded to include a pillow among personal items to be packed for the 2-week Norway trip.  
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**SUBST-UP-AND-WAIT** to in-process for the Norway deployment. During the second August OTA, more than 200 unit members completed processing for the upcoming event.

As a final note, deploying unit members should keep in mind that Europeans in general, including our host nation, Norway, are serious about mixing drinking and driving. One drink is too much if a person is planning to drive. The penalties are severe.

Excerpts of:

<https://www.192wg.ang.af.mil/Portals/5/documents/VANGUARDS/1989/1989%20September.pdf?ver=2017-06-24-160001-047>

The main disposition is from the CMO scenario *Run the Gauntlet* from the community pack with some additions from several websites.

If you want more focus on Norway, you can start with this source:

<https://www.rand.org/content/dam/rand/pubs/reports/2008/R3725.pdf>

This will give you an Idea what Norway expected to happen:



<https://x.com/The Lookout N/status/1890068813066207345/photo/1>

Main sources: <sup>1</sup>

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