VINBAX

VINBAX is the military exercise between armies of India and Vietnam. It is the first ever such exercise boosting defence ties between the two countries.

It is going to be held in Jabalpur in Madhya Pradesh. The joint exercise has been especially designed to enable and train officers from Vietnam in United Nations Peace Keeping Operations.

India – Vietnam relations

- India and Vietnam had signed a protocol on defence cooperation in 1994.
- The partnership was thereafter elevated to strategic level in 2007.
- A pact on boosting bilateral defence cooperation was signed in 2009.
- The strategic partnership was elevated to a Comprehensive Strategic Partnership in September 2016.