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Saab completes acquisition of Mythos AI in the U.S.

Saab today announced it has completed its acquisition of Mythos AI, a U.S. developer of maritime autonomy technology.

The acquisition combines Mythos AI's navigation and autonomy software with Saab's expertise in naval platforms, sensors and systems integration. Together, the companies will help commercial and defense customers add autonomy to vessels, scale their fleets and run safe, effective missions.

Mythos AI, a company with 15 employees, develops software for intelligent pilot assistance, autonomous navigation and automated seafloor surveys. Customers can integrate the software into vessels already in service or build it into new ones.

"Maritime operators need to cover more water, sustain longer missions and navigate reliably in demanding conditions. Mythos AI brings proven autonomy software and a team that moves quickly from engineering to testing on the water. We're investing in both to bring autonomy to more vessels sooner, backed by Saab's maritime expertise and global reach," said Erik Smith, President and CEO of Saab, Inc.

"Our technology has logged 30,000 autonomous miles in busy waterways and nearly 40,000 vessel encounters and avoidance maneuvers. That hands-on experience shapes how we build and improve our software. Joining Saab gives us the resources to keep advancing the technology and bring it to more customers, while preserving the speed and practical approach that got us here," said Geoff Douglass, CEO and co-founder of Mythos AI.

The companies have already worked together on the water. In 2025, they demonstrated Mythos AI's pilot assistance and remote operation capabilities on Saab's Enforcer vessel in San Diego Bay, California, U.S.

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