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US NAVY WORKING TO RECOVER F35 FROM SOUTH CHINA SEA

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The United States Navy is making arrangements to recover an F-35C fighter jet that fell into the South China Sea after an accident as the pilot attempted a landing on the USS Carl Vinson aircraft carrier.

The pilot ejected safely but was among seven military personnel who were hurt in the incident.

I can confirm the aircraft impacted the flight deck during landing and subsequently fell to the water, said Lieutenant Nicholas Lingo, spokesperson for the US Seventh Fleet.

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