



# Japan Aerospace Self-Defense Force Reorganization and Abbreviation

- On June 26, the bill to amend the Ministry of Defense Establishment Act was enacted, and the Japan Air Self-Defense Force is set to become the Japan Aerospace Self-Defense Force (JASDF) in later FY2026.
- Official English name and its abbreviation are as follows.

## ➤ Official English Name

**【Current】 Japan Air Self-Defense Force (JASDF)**

**【New】 Japan Aerospace Self-Defense Force (JASDF)**

- “Aerospace” encompasses both air and space domains.
- “Aerospace” reflects our unified approach to both air and space domains.

