

## PAC-3 maneuver deployment training (Hiroshima)

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On July 20, the 6th Fire Unit, 2nd Air Defense Missile Group (Ashiya Air-base) of Koku-Jietai(Japan Air Self-Defense Force) conducted PAC-3 maneuver deployment training at JMSDF Kure District, Hiroshima Prefecture.

The purpose of this training is to maintain and improve the capability to deal with ballistic missiles, and this is the second such training in this fiscal year following the maneuver deployment training to Maishima Sports Island in Osaka City in May.

As the security environment surrounding Japan grows increasingly severe, the Koku-Jietai is maintaining and improving its high level of skills in ballistic missile defense through these training, and maintaining its readiness to carry out its missions safely and reliably. We will continue to carry out our mission with the understanding and cooperation of the people of Japan.

