

Chief of the German Air Force And German Air Force aircraft visited Japan

From September 28 to 30, Lt Gen Ingo Gerhartz, Chief of the German Air Force and German Air Force aircraft visited Japan. Lt Gen Gerhartz flew Euro-Fighter by himself.

On September 28, Gen Izutsu Shunji, Chief of Staff, Koku-Jieitai(Japan Air Self-Defense Force), rode the F-2 and rendezvoused midair with Lt Gen Gerhartz, Chief of the German Air Force, who was flying on the Euro-Fighter. They had formation flight and observed the Koku-Jieitai-Luftwaffe bilateral training together.

On September 29, Gen Izutsu and Lt Gen Gerhartz held a joint press conference at the MOD in which they exchanged views on the security environment and the importance of Japan-Germany defense cooperation and exchanges.

Members of the Koku-Jieitai 7th Air Wing and the German Air Force also conducted a mutual aircraft observation tour , exchanged opinions and German Air Force personnel flew on F-2 at Hyakuri Air Base. Koku-Jieitai will continue to promotes cooperation with German Air Force to uphold and reinforce the Free and Open Indo Pacific.



JASDF-GAF Formation Flight



COS Welcoming GAF



Joint Press Conference



Gift Exchange



Unit Exchange



Group Photo