

【Press Release】

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Air Staff Office

## Japan-U.S. Bilateral Training

The Japan Air Self-Defense Force (JASDF) and the U.S. Force conducted bilateral training to enhance deterrence and response capabilities of Japan-U.S. Alliance. The details are as follows:

### Details

1. Purpose

To enhance the Japan-U.S. bilateral response capabilities and to improve tactical skills.

2. Date

Mar 2, 2023

3. Location

Air space over the Sea of Japan.

4. Participating Units

- a. JASDF : 4 F-35As, 3rd Air Wing (Misawa)  
4 F-2s, 7th Air Wing (Hyakuri)  
4 F-2s, 8th Air Wing (Tsuiki)  
Northern Aircraft Control and Warning Wing (Misawa)  
Central Aircraft Control and Warning Wing (Iruma)  
Western Aircraft Control and Warning Wing (Kasuga)
- b. U.S. Air Force : 2 B-1s, 28th Bomb Wing (Andersen)  
4 F-16s, 35th Fighter Wing (Misawa)  
1 KC-135 18th Air Wing (Kadena)

5. Training

Tactical trainings

6. Notes

Preventive measures against COVID-19 were implemented during the training.

