

## JASDF-JGSDF Joint Training in Air Defense Missile Shooting Practice(ASP)

On September 16, Koku-Jieitai(Japan Air Self-Defense Force) conducted a joint training as part of the Air Defense Missile Shooting Practice, with Japan Ground Self-Defense Force(JGSDF) at the McGregor Range, New Mexico, US.

Along with air defense combat training by using actual targets, the training also aimed to improve the Integrated Air and Missile Defense (IAMD) capability by conducting live-fire exercises in cooperation with each other. All units participating in the ASP will continuously plan to conduct the same land-air joint training.

Koku-Jeitai will further strengthen our deterrence and response capabilities against various types of missile threats with the JGSDF. We will continue to commit to maintaining and improving our skills and proficiency through daily training.

