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Aerial activities of P-3C patrol aircraft off the coast of Somalia and in the Gulf of Aden

Record of Mission (As of December, 2014)

1. Number of flights (As of December 1st through December 31th):
18 flights (Accumulated Total (AT): 1,248 flights)
2. Flight hours
Approx. 140 hours (AT: Approx. 9,640 hours)
3. Number of visually confirmed commercial ships
Approx. 1,600 ships (AT: Approx. 102,200 ships)
4. Number of the information provided to Japanese destroyers, foreign warships, and/or commercial ships
Approx. 120 times (AT: Approx. 10,300 times)
5. Specific Cases which requires action by the units
None.