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Escort operations performed by MSDF units (Deployed Maritime Units) off the coast of Somalia and in the Gulf of Aden

Record of Mission (As of November, 2016)

1. Direct Escort

- (1) Number of direct escort operations: 6 times (759th 765th)

 (The 718th 724th escort operation under Japan's Anti-Piracy Measures Law)
- (2) Number of escorted vessels: 8 vessels (AT of 3,746 escorted vessels since the start of operations under Japan's Anti-Piracy Measures Law)

[Breakdown]

- Japanese-registered ships: 0 (AT: 17)
- Foreign ships operated by Japanese shipping companies: 1 (AT: 669)
- Foreign ships other than above: 7 (AT: 3,060)
 - *The above record does not include the 1st 41st escort operation performed as Maritime Security Activities.
- (3) For more details of each mission, see the attached file.

2. Zone Defense

- (1) Number of days: 26 (AT: 869 days)
- (2) Number of commercial vessels confirmed: Approx. 50 (AT: 13,580 vessels)

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Misson No. (Mission No. under Japan's Anti-Piracy Measures Law)		759	760	761	762	763	764	765		/-
		(710)	(711)	(712)	(713)	(714)	(715)	(716)		(Total)
Date and time (JST)										
	start	NOV. 2, PM	NOV. 4, PM	NOV. 7, AM	NOV. 11, PM	NOV. 19, PM	NOV. 22, PM	NOV. 27, AM		/
	end	NOV. 4, PM	NOV. 6, PM			NOV. 22, AM				
Total Number		1	1	1	1	1	1	2		8
Japanese-registered ships		0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0
	Tanker									
	Container									
	LPG Tanker									
	LNG Tanker									
	General cargo ship									
	Exclusive cargo ship									
	Pure car carrier									
	Passenger ship									
Foreign ships operated by Japanese shipping companies		0	1	0	0	0	0	0		1
	Tanker		(1)							
	Container									
	LPG Tanker									
	LNG Tanker									
	General cargo ship									
	Exclusive cargo ship									
	Pure car carrier									
	Passenger ship									
Foreign ships other than above		1	0	1	1	1	1	2		7
	Tanker			(1)			(1)	(2)		(4)
	Container									
	LPG Tanker									
	LNG Tanker									
	General cargo ship	(1)			(1)	(1)				(3)
	Exclusive cargo ship									
	Pure car carrier									
	Passenger ship									

X Total numbers presented in the () is the accumulated total of Japanese-registered ships, Foreign ships operated by Japanese shipping companies, and Foreign ships other than above.