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Escort operations as the Counter-Piracy Operation off the Coast of Somalia and in the Gulf of Aden (AUG 2021)

#### Record of Mission

#### 1. Direct Escort

- (1) Number of direct escort operations: 1 time
- (2) Number of escorted vessels: 1 vessel

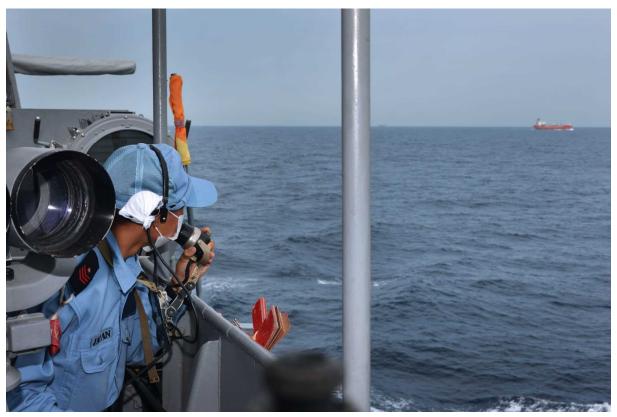
  (Accumulated Total (AT) of 3,933 escorted vessels since the start of operations under Japan's Anti-Piracy Measures Law)

#### [Breakdown]

- Japanese-registered ships: 0 (AT:25)
- Foreign ships operated by Japanese shipping companies: 1 (AT:694)
- Foreign ships other than above: 0 (AT:3, 214)
  - \*The above record does not include the 1st-41st escort operation performed as Maritime Security Activities.

### 2. Zone Defense

- (1) Number of days: 27days (AT: 2, 193 days)
- (2) Number of commercial vessels confirmed: Approx. 136vessels (AT: 20, 139 vessels)



JS" YUUGIRI" crew watching vessels



Surveillance of Gulf of Aden by SH-60J

## Escort operations conducted by MSDF unit (Deployed Maritime Unit) off the coast of Somalia and in the Gulf of Aden (JS"Yuugiri")

Number of Misson (Mission No. under Japan's Anti-Piracy Measures Law)		898 (857)					(Total)
		(301)					
Date and time (JST)		1110 10 511					//
	start	AUG.13,PM					/
	end	AUG.15,AM	<u> </u>			<u> </u>	
Total Number		1					1
Japanese-registered ships							
	Tanker						
	Container						
	LPG Tanker						
	LNG Tanker						
	General cargo ship						
	Exclusive cargo ship						
	Pure car carrier						
	Passenger ship						
Foreign ships operated by Japanese shipping companies		1					1
	Tanker	(1)					(1)
	Container						
	LPG Tanker						
	LNG Tanker						
	General cargo ship						
	Exclusive cargo ship						
	Pure car carrier						
	Passenger ship						
Foreign ships other than the above							
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	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 the above.