

# JOINT STAFF PRESS RELEASE

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## SDF Joint Exercise in FY2022 (CPX)

The JSDF will conduct SDF Joint Exercise (CPX) in FY2022 as follows.

In this exercise, the JSDF conducts training and verification under the series of scenario from gray zone situation to armed attack situation to further strengthen the integrated operational capabilities. As Japan faces the most severe and complex security environment since the end of WWII, the JSDF fundamentally reinforce the defense capability, advance the posture and capability through trainings and exercises to respond to every contingency and protect the lives and peaceful livelihoods of Japanese nationalities.

### 1 Purpose of the Exercise

Train and verify the JSDF's Joint Operation relating to the defense and security plans to maintain and advance the JSDF's integrated operational capabilities.

### 2 Period

From 27th Jan. 2023 to 3rd Feb. 2023

### 3 Place

Ichigaya district of Ministry of Defense, camps and bases of units participating in the exercise

### 4 Director of the exercise

Chief of Staff, Joint Staff

### 5 Major participating units

#### (1) Ground Self-Defense Force

Ground Component Command, Regional Armies, etc.

#### (2) Maritime Self-Defense Force

Self-Defense Fleet, Regional Districts, etc.

#### (3) Air Self-Defense Force

Air Defense Command, Air Support Command, etc.

#### (4) Joint Forces

JSDF Intelligence Security Command, JSDF Cyber Defense Command

#### (5) Staff Office, etc.

Internal Bureaus, Joint Staff, Ground Staff Office, Maritime Staff Office, Air Staff Office, Defense Intelligence Headquarters,

## 6 Others

Since 2006, SDF Joint Exercise (CPX) has been conducted in almost every other year, and this year marks the eighth time.