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Aerial activities of P-3C patrol aircraft as the Counter-Piracy Operation off the coast of Somalia and in the Gulf of Aden (NOV 2024)

1. Record of Mission (NOV 1–30)

(1) Number of flights

11 flights (Accumulated Total (AT): 3,363 flights)

(2) Flight hours

Approx. 70 hours (AT: Approx. 24,010 hours)

(3) Number of visually confirmed commercial ships

339 ships (AT: 287,039 ships)

(4) Number of the information provided to Japanese destroyers, foreign warships, and/or commercial ships

14 times (AT: 16,401 times)

2. Action in Response to Incidents

None in particular.



A P-3C crew member on duty



A P-3C crew member during maintenance