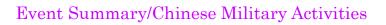
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Presumed Chinese aircraft activity around Japan's Southwest

- In the afternoon, Wednesday, January 22, 2025, JASDF spotted aircraft over the East China Sea and the Pacific Ocean.
- The presumed affiliation, type and number of spotted aircraft were:
 - a Chinese UAV
 - a Chinese aircraft
- JASDF fighters conducted scramble to monitor the activity of those aircraft.

ATTACHMENT: Overview of the aircraft's activity

ABBREVIATIONS

JASDF: Japan's Air Self-Defense Force

U A V: unmanned aerial vehicle

Overview of Activity

