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Event Summary/Russian Military Activities

February 10, 2025

Russian Navy vessels sailed through waters in Japan's southwest.

- At around 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, February 5, 2025, JMSDF spotted the following three RFN vessels sailing southwestward in the waters approximately 60 km north of Iriomote-jima Island.
 - Steregushchiy-class FFG × 2 (hull number 339 and 343)
 - Dubna-class AOR × 1
- On the same date, these RFN vessels continued to sail southwestward through the waters between Yonaguni-jima Island and Iriomote-jima Island into the Pacific Ocean.
- These are the same vessels sailed southwestward through Tsushima Strait on Monday, February 3, 2025.
- JMSDF assets monitored the activities of these vessels.

ABBREVIATIONS

JMSDF: Japan Maritime Self-Defense Force

RFN: Russian Federation Navy

FFG: Guided Missile Frigate

AOR: Replenishment Oiler

Steregushchiy-class FFG (339)



Steregushchiy-class FFG (343)



Dubna-class AOR



Overview of Activities

