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Event Summary/Russian Military Activities

April 28, 2025

A Russian Navy vessel sailed through Japan's strait.

- At around 1:00 p.m., Wednesday, April 16, 2025, JMSDF spotted a RFN Udaloy-I-class DD (hull number 564) sailing northeastward in the waters approximately 50 km west of Rebun Island.
- The RFN vessel continued to sail eastward through Soya Strait.
- JMSDF assets monitored the activities of this vessel.

ABBREVIATIONS

JMSDF: Japan Maritime Self-Defense Force

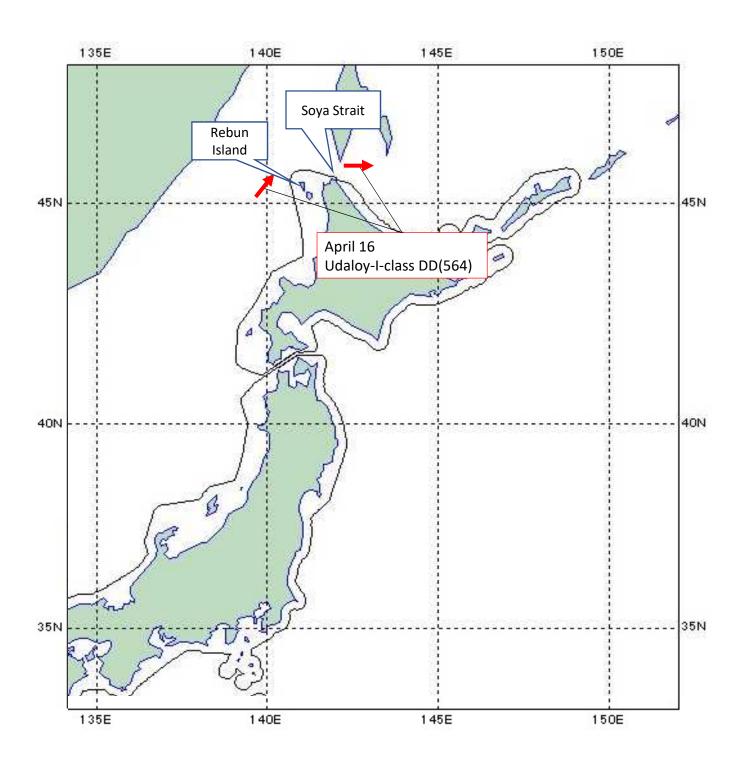
RFN: Russian Federation Navy

DD: Destroyer

Udaloy-I-class DD (564)



Overview of Activities



: RFN vessel