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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 (MAY 2025)

1. Record of Mission (MAY 1-31)

(1) Number of flights

13 flights (Accumulated Total (AT): 3,434 flights)

(2) Flight hours

Approx. 80 hours (AT: Approx. 24,480 hours)

(3) Number of visually confirmed commercial ships

487 ships (AT: 289,401 ships)

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

11 times (AT: 16,465 times)

2. Action in Response to Incidents

None in particular.



The 57th Deployment Air Force for Counter Piracy Enforcement (DAPE) arrived in Djibouti



P-3C heading to flight duty