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Event Summary/Russian Military Activities

June 20, 2025

Russian Navy vessels sailed through Japan's strait.

- At around 1:00 a.m., Thursday, June 12, 2025, JMSDF spotted the following four RFN vessels sailing northeastward in the waters approximately 50 km northwest of Rebun Island.
 - Steregushchiy-class FFG × 2 (hull number 333 and 335)
 - Tarantul-III-class FSGM × 1 (hull number 971)
 - Dubna-class AOR × 1

- The RFN vessels continued to sail eastward through Soya Strait.

- JMSDF assets monitored the activities of these vessels.

ABBREVIATIONS

JMSDF: Japan Maritime Self-Defense Force

RFN: Russian Federation Navy

FFG: Guided Missile Frigate

FSGM: Guided-Missile Corvette

AOR: Replenishment Oiler

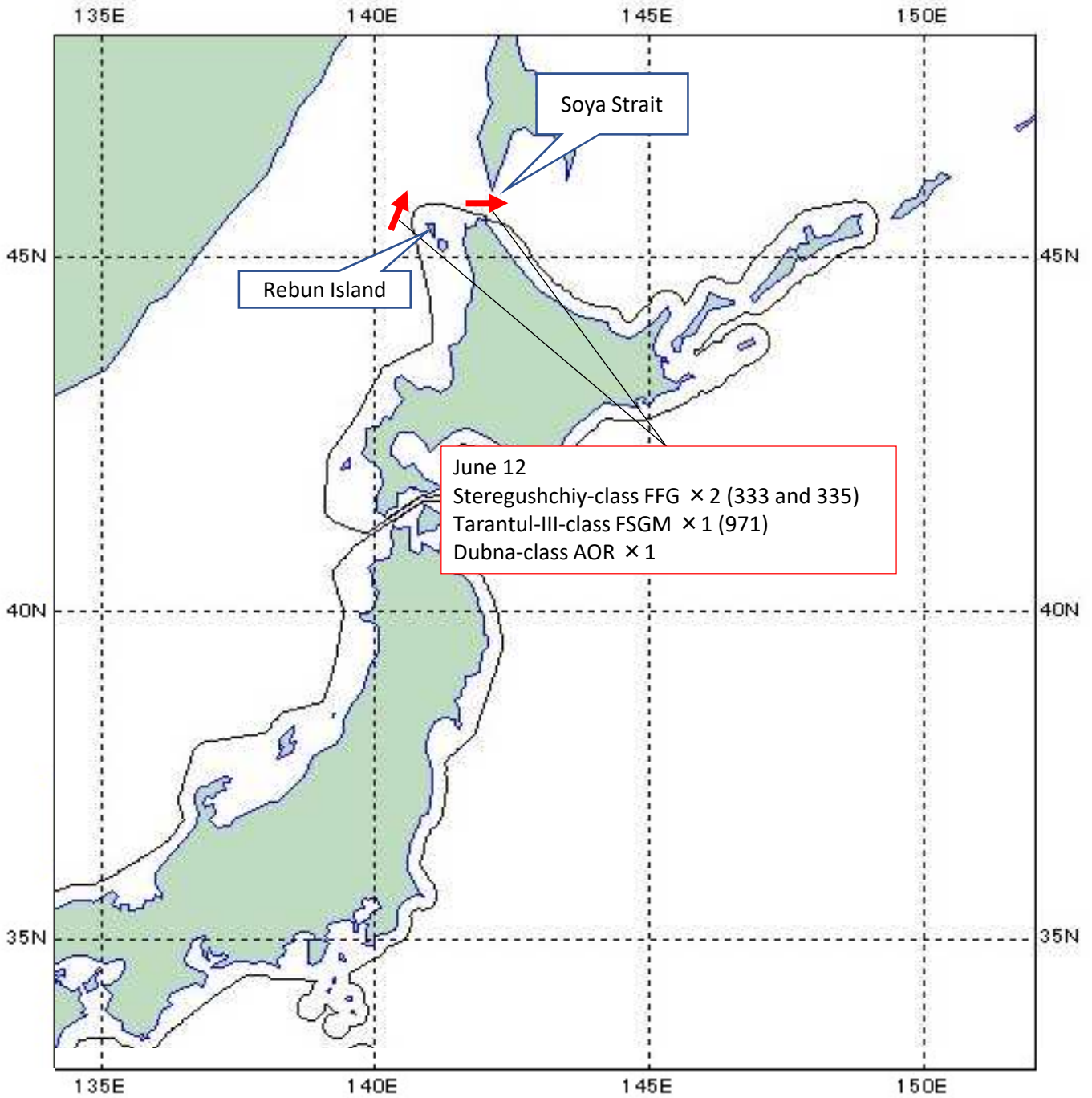
Steregushchiy-class FFG (hull number 333)




Steregushchiy-class FFG (hull number 335)



Overview of Activities



 : RFN vessels