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Event Summary/Chinese Military Activities

October 29, 2025

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

- At around 10:00 a.m., Monday, October 27, 2025, JMSDF spotted PLAN Jiangkai-II-class FFG x 1 (hull number 515) sailing southward in the waters approximately 80km west of Kume-jima Island.
- The PLAN FFG continued to sail southeastward through the waters between Okinawa Main Island and Miyako-jima Island into the Pacific Ocean.
- At around 4:00 p.m., on the same day, JMSDF spotted PLAN Jiangkai-II-class FFG x 1 (hull number 599) sailing southward in the waters approximately 80km west of Kume-jima Island.
- The PLAN FFG continued to sail southeastward through the waters between Okinawa Main Island and Miyako-jima Island into the Pacific Ocean.
- JMSDF assets monitored the activities of these vessels.

ABBREVIATIONS

JMSDF: Japan Maritime Self-Defense Force

PLAN: People's Liberation Army Navy (China)

FFG: Guided Missile Frigate

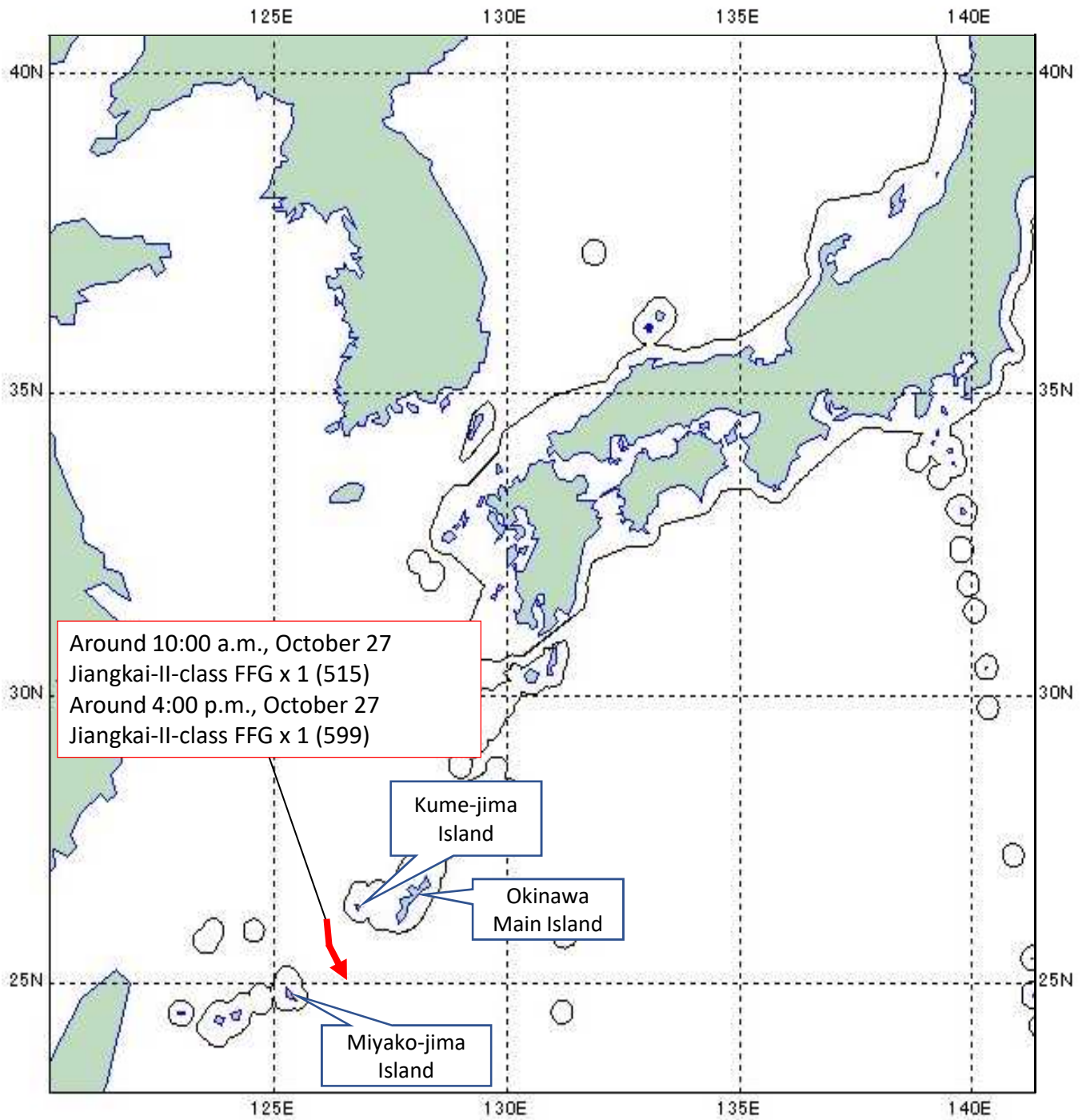
Jiangkai-II-class FFG (hull number 515)



Jiangkai-II-class FFG (hull number 599)



Overview of Activities



 : PLAN vessels