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Event Summary/Chinese Military Activities

June 30, 2026

The activity of a Chinese Navy vessel in the waters surrounding Japan.

- At around 2:00 p.m., Thursday, June 25, 2026, JMSDF spotted PLAN Luyang-III-class DDG x 1 (hull number 119) sailing northeastward in the waters approximately 70 km southwest of Tsushima Island.
- The PLAN DDG continued to sail northeastward through Tsushima Strait into the Sea of Japan.
- JMSDF assets monitored the activities of the vessel.

ABBREVIATIONS

JMSDF: Japan Maritime Self-Defense Force

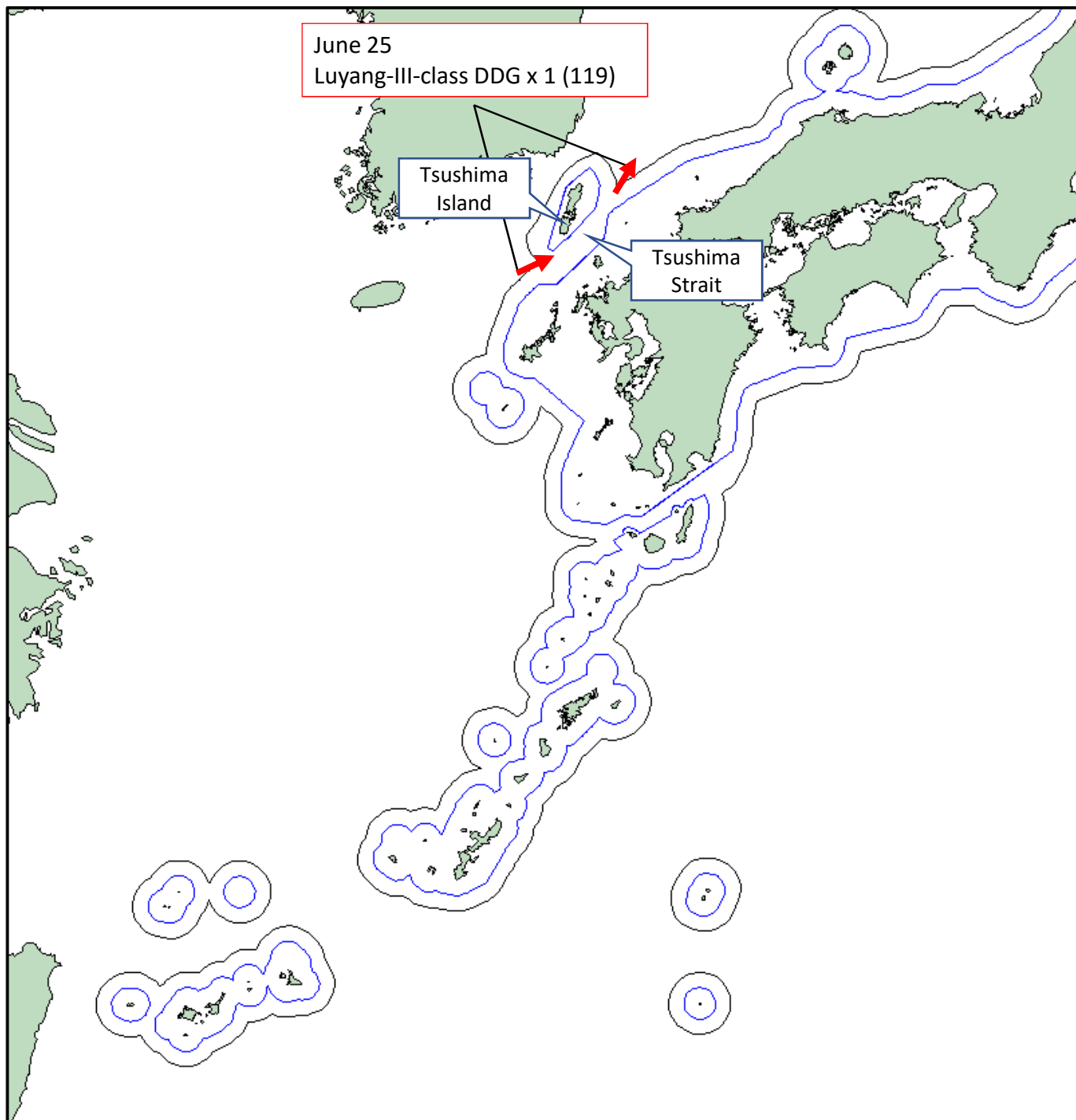
PLAN: People's Liberation Army Navy (China)

DDG: Guided Missile Destroyer

Luyang-III-class DDG (hull number 119)



Overview of Activities



 : PLAN vessel