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Bilateral Exercise with the Indian Navy

The Deployment Surface Force for Counter Piracy Enforcement conducted a bilateral exercise with the Indian Navy as follows.

1 Objectives

To improve the JMSDF's tactical capabilities and to strengthen cooperation with the Indian Navy

2 Date

July 8th, 2026

3 Exercise Area

Arabian Sea

4 Participating Units

JMSDF : JS TAKANAMI

Indian Navy : INS SURAT

5 Type of Exercise

Tactical maneuvers, etc.

