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Event Summary/Russian Military Activities

September 25, 2026

The activity of Russian Navy vessels in the waters surrounding Japan.

- At around 5:00 a.m., Wednesday, September 23, 2026, JMSDF spotted RFN Slava-class CG x 1 (hull number 011) and Marshal Nedelin-class AGM x 1 (hull number 331) sailing northeastward in the waters approximately 60 km west of Rebun Island.
- The RFN vessels continued to sail eastward through Soya Strait.
- JMSDF assets monitored the activities of the vessels.

ABBREVIATIONS

JMSDF: Japan Maritime Self-Defense Force

RFN: Russian Federation Navy

CG: Guided Missile Cruiser

AGM: Missile Range Instrumentation Ship

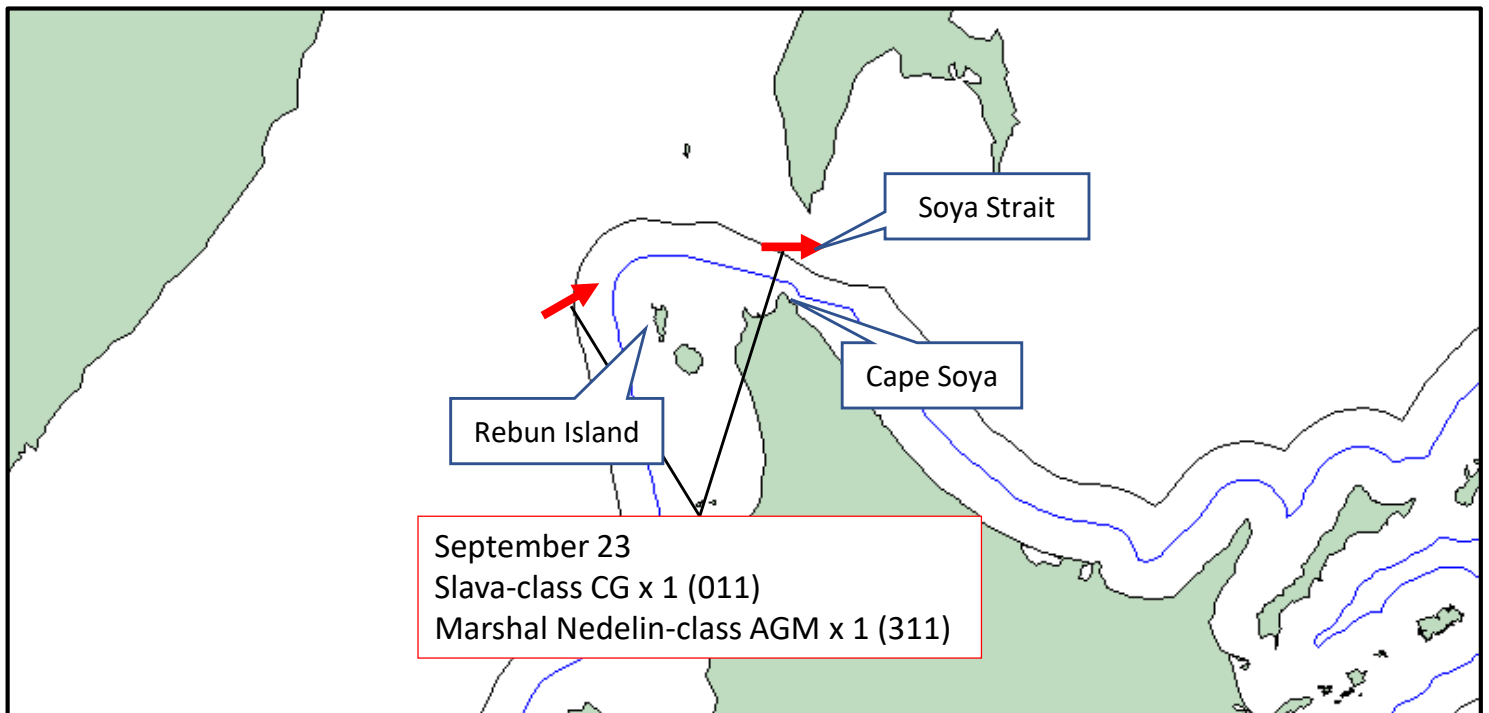
Slava-class CG (hull number 011)



Marshal Nedelin-class AGM (hull number 331)



Overview of Activities



→ : RFN Vessel
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