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Maritime Staff Office

(Announcement)

Japan-Thailand Goodwill Exercise

The JMSDF and the Royal Thai Navy conducted a goodwill exercise in order to strengthen defense cooperation for a “Free and Open Ocean” as described below.

1. Objectives

- (1) To improve JMSDF’s tactical capabilities
- (2) To promote mutual understanding with the Royal Thai Navy

2. Date

March 30

3. Exercise Area

Gulf of Thailand

4. Participating Units

- (1) JMSDF: JS *SUZUTSUKI*
- (2) Royal Thai Navy: HTMS *TAPI*

5. Type of exercises

Tactical maneuvering, Communication Exercise

6. Notes

Preventive measures against COVID-19 were implemented during the exercise.