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(Announcement)

Japan-Canada Bilateral Exercise (KAEDEX23)

The Overseas Training Cruise 2023 units conducted a bilateral exercise with the Royal Canadian Navy (RCN) in order to strengthen cooperation to realize a "Free and Open Indo-Pacific" as described below.

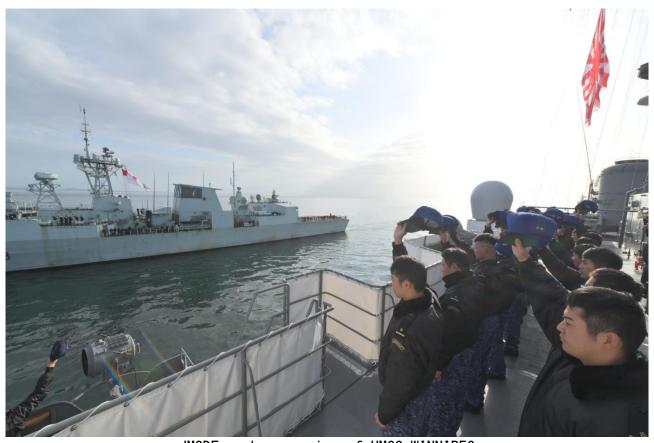
- 1. Objectives
 - (1) To improve the JMSDF's tactical capabilities
 - (2) To strengthen cooperation with the RCN
- 2. Period June 13 14
- 3. Exercise Area In the vicinity of Victoria
- 4. Participating units
 - (1) JMSDF: JS KASHIMA, JS HATAKAZE
 - (2) RCN: HMCS WINNIPEG
- 5. Type of exercise

Tactical Exercise (Tactical Maneuvering, PHOTOEX, LINKEX, etc.)



From the front, HMCS WINNIPEG, JS HATAKAZE





JMSDF members seeing of HMCS WINNIPEG