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Maritime Staff Office

(Announcement)

## Japan-France Bilateral Exercise “OGURI-VERNY 24-3”

The Indo-Pacific Deployment 2024(IPD24) unit conducted a bilateral exercise “OGURI-VERNY 24-3” with the French Navy 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 French Navy

## 2. Period

July 10 - 11

## 3. Exercise Area

Off Noumea

## 4. Participating Units

- (1) JMSDF  
JS *NOSHIRO* (IPD24 Third Surface Unit)
- (2) French Navy  
FS *VENDEMIARE*

## 5. Type of exercises

Tactical Exercise (ADEX, LINKEX, Tactical Maneuvering), PHOTOEX



FS *VENDEMIARE* conducting training



JMSDF members seeing of the FS *VENDEMIARE*