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Maritime Staff Office

(Announcement)

### Japan-U.S.-ROK Multilateral Exercise

The JMSDF conducted a multilateral exercise with the United States Navy (USN) and the Republic of Korea Navy (ROKN) as described below in order to strengthen cooperation to realize a “Free and Open Indo-Pacific”.

#### 1. Objectives

- (1) To improve the JMSDF’s tactical capabilities
- (2) To strengthen cooperation with participating navies

#### 2. Period

March 17 - 20

#### 3. Exercise Area

East China Sea

#### 4. Participating Units

- (1) JMSDF: JS *IKAZUCHI*
- (2) USN: USS *CARL VINSON*, USS *PRINCETON*, USS *STERETT*, USS *WILLIAM P. LAWRENCE*,
- (3) ROKN: ROKS *SEJONG THE GREAT*, ROKS *DAE JOYEONG*

#### 5. Type of Exercise

Tactical Exercise (SAREX, Anti-Surface Warfare, Anti-Air Warfare, Anti-Submarine Warfare and others.), PHOTOEX



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