

PRESS RELEASE

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Maritime Staff Office

(Announcement)

Participation in the Exercise Sea Breeze 2025

The JMSDF has participated in the multilateral exercise “Sea Breeze 2025” co-hosted by the U.S. and Ukraine as described below.

1. Objectives

- (1) To improve the JMSDF’s tactical capabilities.
- (2) To enhance mutual understanding and strengthen relationship with the participating countries

2. Period

June 30 - July 11

3. Exercise Area

In the vicinity of Portland (the UK)

4. Participating Units

Mine Warfare Force Headquarters: EOD team (9 personnel)

Maritime Staff Office: Diving medical officer (1 personnel)

5. Type of Exercises

EOD Exercise, Dive Exercise



EOD Exercise



Group photo of participants