

May 14, 2026  
Maritime Staff Office

(Announcement)

Commissioning Ceremony for JS *NATORI*

Commissioning Ceremony for FFM *NATORI* will be performed as described below.

1. Date

May 21, 2026

(1) Delivery Ceremony

09:30 a.m. to 09:35 a.m.

(2) Ensign Flag Presentation Ceremony

09:35 a.m. to 10:22 a.m.

2. Place

Nagasaki Shipyard, Mitsubishi Heavy Industries, Ltd.

3. Each event will be conducted by the following officials:

(1) Delivery Ceremony

Mr. ITO Eisaku, President of Mitsubishi Heavy Industries, Ltd.

(2) Ensign Flag Presentation Ceremony

VADM FUKUDA Tatsuya, Commandant, Sasebo District

4. Commanding Officer of JS *NATORI*

CDR HIRATSUKA Yoichiro