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Annex 1

Matrix of Defense Diplomacy Activities.

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Year	Number	Time	Defense Diplomacy Activity	Category of Exchange	Multilateral	Type			Country		
				Criteria		Pragmatic	Mixed	Trans-formative	Indonesia	Philippines	Vietnam
2006	1		Seminar in Tokyo on Chemical and Biological Terrorism Preparedness and Crisis Management.	Training and Capacity Building	1	1			1	1	1
2006	2		Meeting with representatives from the Philippines (Foreign Affairs-Defense).	Working Level Meeting		1				1	
2006	3		Meeting with representatives from the Philippines (Defense – Defense).	Working Level Meeting		1				1	
2006	4	May	Cobra Gold 2006 with Indonesia	Military Exercises	1		1		1		
2006	5	June 15	Japan provides Indonesia with grant aid of 1,921 million yen for the project for Construction of Vessels for the Prevention of Piracy, Maritime Terrorism and Proliferation of Weapons. Official Development Assistance	Defense Equipment Transfer				1	1		
2006	6	June 16-22	Japan dispatches relief SDF personnel to Indonesia for earthquake aftermath support. Provides medical service to 3759 people.	HA-DR			1		1		
2006	7	July	Japan sends experts to Philippines (Mindanao). Reconstruction assistance and monitoring team.	HA-DR			1			1	
2006	8	August	Summit between ministers of defense of Japan and Indonesia. Discussion on fields of maritime security and disaster relief.	High Level Meeting			1		1		
2006	9	September	ReCAAP Regional Cooperation Agreement on Combating Piracy and Armed Robbery against ships in Asia (Philippines and Vietnam sign accord, Indonesia did not sign).	Bilateral Relations & Partnership Status - International Relations	1		1			1	1
2006	10	November	Visit by the Deputy Defense Minister of Indonesia.	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2006	11	November	Visit by Chief of Staff of the Armed Forces of Indonesia.	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2006	12	December	Meeting President of the Philippines and Japan's Prime Minister.	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2006	13	December	Japan implements the Bansamoro initiatives in Mindanao.	HA-DR		1				1	

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Totals 2006					3	7	5	1	7	7	2

2007	14		Japan grants aid to the Philippines for implementation of The Project for Enhancement of Communications System for Maritime Safety and Security. Communications equipment for the Philippine Coast Guard. Official Development Assistance	Defense Equipment Transfer				1		1	
2007	15		Visit by the President of the Philippines	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2007	16		Visit by the President of Vietnam	High Level Meeting		1					1
2007	17		Defense Ministers meeting with the Philippines	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2007	18		Meeting with representatives from Vietnam (Foreign Affairs – Defense).	Working Level Meeting		1					1
2007	19		Meeting with representatives from Vietnam (Defense – Defense).	Working Level Meeting		1					1
2007	20		Meeting with representatives from the Philippines (Foreign Affairs – Defense).	Working Level Meeting		1				1	
2007	21		Meeting with representatives from the Philippines (Defense – Defense).	Working Level Meeting		1				1	
2007	22		Meeting with representatives from Indonesia (Defense – Defense).	Working Level Meeting		1			1		
2007	23	January	MSDF Chief of Staff visits Indonesia	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2007	24	March	GSDF Chief of Staff visits Vietnam	High Level Meeting		1					1
2007	25	May	Cobra Gold 2007 Exercises with Indonesia and Japan. Purpose to enhance multinational functional cooperation. Philippines as observer.	Military Exercises	1		1		1	1	
2007	26	July	Japan provides the in Kuala Lumpur the Seminar on Prevention and Crisis Management of Chemical and Biological Terrorism.	Military Exercises	1		1		1	1	1

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2007	27	August	Prime Minister Abe visited Indonesia, reconfirming the commitment to cooperation in areas involving security of the region.	High Level Meeting			1		1		
Totals 2007					2	10	3	1	5	7	5

2008	28		Japan Assumes joint chair of the ARF's Inter-Sessional Meeting on Maritime Security (shared with Indonesia and New Zealand).	Bilateral Relations & Partnership Status - International Relations	1			1	1	1	1
2008	29	February	Visit to Japan by the Chief of Staff of Indonesian Navy	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2008	30	May	Cobra Gold 2008 Exercises with Indonesia and Japan. Purpose to enhance multinational functional cooperation. Vietnam as observer.	Military Exercises	1		1		1		1
2008	31	May	ASDF Chief of Staff visits Philippines	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2008	32	June 10	ASEAN +3 Workshop on HA-DR cooperation.	Training and Capacity Building	1		1		1	1	1
2008	33	August	Japan provided a loan from the Climate Change Program to support climate change countermeasures. Supporting amongst other issues, disaster countermeasures and maritime safety. Official Development Assistance	Defense Equipment Transfer			1		1		
2008	34	October	Administrative Viceministerial Meeting with Viceminister of defense of the Philippines	Working Level Meeting		1				1	
2008	35	November	Meeting with representatives from Vietnam (Foreign Affairs – Defense).	Working Level Meeting		1					1
2008	36	November	Meeting with representatives from Vietnam (Defense – Defense).	Working Level Meeting		1					1
2008	37	December	Visit to Japan by Commanding General of the Philippine Air Force	High Level Meeting		1				1	
Totals 2008					3	6	3	1	5	5	5

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2009	38	February	Cobra Gold 2009	Military Exercises	1		1		1		
2009	39	May	Japan Co-hosts ARF Field exercise on Disaster Relief	Military Exercises	1		1		1	1	1
2009	40	October	Japan dispatches SDF personnel and a rescue team to Indonesia	HA-DR			1		1		
2009	41	May	Meeting with Minister of National Defense of Vietnam, agree on the drafting of a memorandum on defense exchanges and Placement of their Relationship on a level of "Strategic Partnership"	Bilateral Relations & Partnership Status - International Relations		1					1
2009	42	May	Japan's Parliamentary Secretary for Defense visits Vietnam	High Level Meeting		1					1
2009	43	May	Japan's Parliamentary Secretary for Defense visits the Philippines	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2009	44	March	Visit by Secretary General of the Department of Defense of Indonesia	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2009	45	August	Pacific Armies Chief's Conference in Japan. Visit by Chief of Staff of the Indonesian Army, Commander of the Philippine Army, Chief of Staff of the Vietnam People's Army	High Level Meeting	1		1		1	1	1
2009	46	October	12th CHOD Commander of the Indonesian National Military	High Level Meeting	1	1			1		
Totals 2009					4	5	4	0	6	3	4

2010	47		Japan participates in Pacific Partnership Exercises	Military Exercises	1		1				1
2010	48	January	Administrative Vice Ministerial Meeting Indonesia	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2010	49	January	Visit to Vietnam By Vice Minister of Defense	High Level Meeting		1					1
2010	50	February	Visit to Vietnam by MSDF Chief of Staff	High Level Meeting		1					1
2010	51	February	Cobra Gold 2010	Military Exercises	1		1		1		

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2010	52	March	2nd Meeting of Senior Defense Officials on Common Security challenges in the Asia-Pacific Region (held in Japan) Attended by Indonesian Vice Minister of Defense, Philippine Vice Minister of Defense, Vietnamese Vice Minister of Defense.	Bilateral Relations & Partnership Status - International Relations	1		1		1	1	1
2010	53	April	6th Japan-Vietnam Foreign-Defense Ministry Dialogue	Working Level Meeting		1					1
2010	54	April	6th Japan -Vietnam Defense Ministry Dialogue	Working Level Meeting		1					1
2010	55	June	Visit to Indonesia by Chief of Joint Staff (at the Shangri La Dialogue)	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2010	56	August	4th Japan-Philippine Politico-Military Consultations	Working Level Meeting		1				1	
2010	57	August	4th Japan-Philippine Military-Military Consultations	Working Level Meeting		1				1	
2010	58	September	3rd Consultation amongst Defense Authorities Indonesia	Working Level Meeting		1			1		
2010	59	October	First ADMM Plus meeting in Vietnam	Bilateral Relations & Partnership Status - International Relations	1		1		1	1	1
2010	60	October	13th CHOD Chief of Staff level meeting with Chief of the General Staff of the Filipino National Armed Forces.	High Level Meeting	1		1			1	
2010	61	December	1st Japan Vietnam Strategic Partnership Dialogue	Bilateral Relations & Partnership Status - International Relations			1				1
Totals 2010					5	9	6	0	6	5	8
2011	62	January	Parliamentary Vice Minister of Defense visited the Philippines	High Level Meeting		1				1	

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2011	63	January	Parliamentary Vice Minister of Defense visited Vietnam	High Level Meeting		1					1
2011	64	January	Visit by Indonesias Defense Minister. Exchange of opinions regarding defense ministers meeting regularly.	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2011	65	February	ASEAN held a seminar for officials from South East Asia dealing with counter terrorism.	Training and Capacity Building	1	1			1	1	1
2011	66	February	Participation in Cobra Gold 11	Military Exercises	1		1		1		
2011	67	March	Second ARF Disaster Relief Exercise, by Japan and Indonesia.	Military Exercises	1		1		1	1	1
2011	68	April	At the ASEAN Defense Senior Officials Meeting Plus, it was decided that Japan will co-chair with Singapore the Experts Working Group on Military Medicine.	Training and Capacity Building	1		1		1	1	1
2011	69	June	Indonesia's President Visits Japan Japan Indonesia Summit, Agree to host ministerial consultations to enhance the "strategic partnership"	Bilateral Relations & Partnership Status - International Relations		1			1		
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2011	71	June	Japan Vietnam Ministerial Meeting - Exchange of views on defense cooperation and South China Sea situation. Agree on deepening defense cooperation of both countries. Held during the Shangri La Dialogue	High Level Meeting		1					1
2011	72	June	Pacific Partnership, reduced participation due to Great East Japan Earthquake (Japan contributes crew of approximately 10)	Military Exercises	1		1		1		
2011	73	June	Global Peace Operations Initiative Capstone training in Thailand (Japan contributes crew of approximately 10)	Military Exercises	1		1		1	1	1

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2011	74	July	Multilateral Joint Training (Japan contributes small crew of 2)	Military Exercises	1		1		1		
2011	75	July	7th PACC Meeting the Chief of the General Staff of the People's Army of Vietnam	High Level Meeting		1					1
2011	76	September	Visit to Japan by Philippine's President and Joint Statement where they place their relationship as "Strategic Partnership", they welcome the Japan-Philippines Dialogue on Maritime and Oceanic Affairs and agree on exchange and cooperation such as port calls and reciprocal visits.	Bilateral Relations & Partnership Status - International Relations		1				1	
2011	77	September	Administrative Vice Minister of Defense Bilateral talks with Indonesia - During ADMM	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2011	78	September	Administrative Vice Minister of Defense Bilateral talks with the Philippines - During ADMM	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2011	79	September	Administrative Vice Minister of Defense Bilateral talks with Vietnam - During ADMM	High Level Meeting		1					1
2011	80	September	Visit to Japan by Philippine Department of National Defense Undersecretary	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2011	81	September	Administrative Vice Minister Meeting in Tokyo	High Level Meeting		1					1
2011	82	October	Vietnam's Prime Minister Visits Japan	High Level Meeting		1					1
2011	83	October	Vietnam's Minister of Defense Visits Tokyo. First Time in 13 years. Memorandum of Defense Cooperation and Exchange	Bilateral Relations & Partnership Status - International Relations		1			1		
2011	84	November	1st Japan Indonesia Politico-Military Consultation	Working Level Meeting		1			1		
2011	85	November	4th Japan Indonesia Military Military Consultation	Working Level Meeting		1			1		
2011	86	November	Consultation among the foreign affairs and defense authorities in Tokyo	Working Level Meeting		1				1	

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2011	87	November	Administrative Chief of Staff meeting in Manila	High Level Meeting		1				1		
2011	88	December	2nd Japan Vietnam Strategic Partnership Dialogue MSDF Chief of Staff meeting with Vietnam's counterpart	Bilateral Relations & Partnership Status - International Relations			1				1	
2011	89	December	7th Consultation among the defense authorities in Tokyo	Working Level Meeting		1					1	
2011	90	December	Consultation among the foreign affairs and defense authorities in Tokyo	Working Level Meeting		1					1	
Totals 2011						7	22	7	0	14	10	13

2012	91		Seminars part of small scale programme Indonesia	Training and Capacity Building				1	1		
2012	92		Pacific Partnership 2012, MSDF Transport Vessel, SDF Medical Team, ASDF transport aircraft.	Military Exercises	1		1			1	1
2012	93	January	Meeting of the Parliamentary Vice Minister of Defense of Vietnam	High Level Meeting		1					1
2012	94	February	IISS Shangri La Dialogue, Japan's Parliamentary Senior Vice Minister of Defense gave a speech titled "Protecting Maritime Freedoms". Emphasises freedom of navigation, good seamanship and practical cooperation.	Bilateral Relations & Partnership Status - International Relations				1	1	1	1
2012	95	February	Cobra Gold 12, Approximately 70 Participants from Japan	Military Exercises	1		1		1		
2012	96	February	Global Peace Operations Initiative Capstone training (Shanti Doot-3), 2 crew	Military Exercises	1		1		1		
2012	97	February	Meeting Between Parliamentary Senior Vice Minister of Defense and Indonesian Minister of Defense.	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2012	98	February	Meeting of Vice Minister of Indonesia	High Level Meeting		1			1		

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2012	99	April	First Time Japan participates in tabletop exercises with US and Philippines. Balikpapan, 3 crew.	Military Exercises			1		1	1	
2012	100	April	Flag Officer of the Philippine Navy visits Japan	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2012	101	May	Chief of Staff Meeting in Hanoi	High Level Meeting		1					1
2012	102	May	Australian Army–Hosted Shooting Convention, 20 crew	Military Exercises	1	1			1	1	
2012	103	June	ADMM-Plus meeting with Senior Vice Minister of Indonesia and release of a memorandum on defense cooperation	High Level Meeting			1		1		
2012	104	June	Visit in Manila by Senior Vice Minister of Japan.	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2012	105	June	Visit by the Joint Chief of Staff to the Philippines	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2012	106	June	Administrative Vice-Ministerial meeting in Singapore	High Level Meeting		1					1
2012	107	June	ASDF Chief of Staff meeting in Japan	High Level Meeting		1					1
2012	108	June	Visit by the Vietnam Commander of Air Defense and Air Force	High Level Meeting		1					1
2012	109	July	Defense Ministers of Japan and the Philippines meet and sign a "Statement of Intent on Defense Cooperation and Exchanges"	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2012	110	October	Seminars part of small scale programmes Vietnam. Diving medicine.	Training and Capacity Building				1			1
2012	111	October	First meeting of the Expanded ASEAN Maritime Forum, held by Japan.	Bilateral Relations & Partnership Status - International Relations	1		1		1	1	1
2012	112	November	Japan's Parliamentary Vice Minister visits Vietnam and discuss cooperation options in capacity building	High Level Meeting		1					1

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2012	113	December	3rd Japan-Vietnam Strategic Partnership Dialogue	Bilateral Relations & Partnership Status - International Relations			1				1
Totals 2012					5	13	7	3	10	9	11

2013	114	January	Japan's PM visits Indonesia	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2013	115	January	Foreign Minister of Japan visits Philippines. Agreeing to strengthen security affairs due to tensions in the South China Sea.	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2013	116	January	Administrative Vice Minister of Defense Meeting	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2013	117	January	Japan's PM visits Vietnam and announces shared principles on the South China Sea	High Level Meeting			1				1
2013	118	January	Chief of Staff Joint Staff	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2013	119	January	GSDF Chief of Staff visits Indonesia	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2013	120	February	Seminar on oceanography as support in maritime security	Training and Capacity Building		1			1		
2013	121	March	Practitioners from Vietnam People's Army received short training on peacekeeping operations	Training and Capacity Building				1			1
2013	122	March	Administrative Vice Minister of Defense Meeting	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2013	123	April	Japan participates in the US-Philippines Balikatan Tabletop Exercise (“Shoulder to Shoulder”). A multilateral tabletop exercise, Japan and eight other countries also took part. The purpose of the field exercises and civil support activities was promotion of HA/DR, but they most likely had the additional purpose of displaying to China the close US-Philippine	Military Exercises	1		1			1	

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			military cooperation against the backdrop of South China Sea tension.								
2013	124	April	Parliamentary Vice Minister of Defense	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2013	125	April	Chief of Staff, MSDF visits Vietnam	High Level Meeting		1					1
2013	126	May	Chief of Staff, ASDF visits Vietnam	High Level Meeting		1					1
2013	127	May	Chief of Staff, ASDF Meeting	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2013	128	May	Thailand and Korea Co-host the Third ARF Field exercise on Disaster Relief. Japan Sends 50 Personnel and one aircraft.	Military Exercises	1		1		1	1	1
2013	129	May	Seminar on submarine medicine	Training and Capacity Building		1					1
2013	130	June	Chief of Staff ADSF	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2013	131	June	First ADMM Plus field training exercise on HA-DR	Military Exercises	1		1		1	1	1
2013	132	June	Japan Indonesia Defense Ministers Conference during the 12th Shangri La Dialogue	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2013	133	June	Defense Minister of Japan meets with Philippines counterpart to promote maritime defense cooperation and HA-DR capacity building.	High Level Meeting			1			1	
2013	134	July	Japan's PM visits Philippines and announces the provision of ten patrol boats as Official Development Assistance	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2013	135	July	Seminar on oceanography as support in maritime security	Training and Capacity Building				1	1		
2013	136	August	Second Vice Ministerial Meeting Japan-Vietnam	High Level Meeting		1					1
2013	137	August	Chief of Staff, Joint Staff Visits Vietnam	High Level Meeting		1					1

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2013	138	August	Chief of Staff, Joint Staff Meeting	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2013	139	September	Seminar on submarine medicine	Training and Capacity Building		1					1
2013	140	September	Defense Minister talks and shared awareness of South China Sea issues and visit to Cam Ranh Bay. Inspection of the defense of the Spratly Islands setup. Coast Guard Transfer Discussion	High Level Meeting			1				1
2013	141	September	Participation in ASEAN Expert Working Groups tabletop exercises on Counter Terrorism. Held in Indonesia	Military Exercises	1		1		1	1	1
2013	142	September	Seminar on Flight Safety for Vietnam	Training and Capacity Building			1				1
2013	143	November	Parliamentary Senior Vice Minister of Defense meets Deputy Minister of Defense of Indonesia	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2013	144	November	Vietnam Observers to HA-DR response exercise of the GSDF	Training and Capacity Building			1				1
2013	145	November	Assistance for Typhoon Damage in the Philippines, 1200 SDF personnel deployed.	HA-DR			1			1	
2013	146	December	Japan ASEAN commemorative summit. After Japan's PM Visited all the member states. Declaration of Partners for Peace and Stability. Interest in promoting defense cooperation.	Military Exercises	1			1	1	1	1
2013	147	December	Official Development Assistance Project for vessel procurement by the Philippines. 18.732 million Yen loan for 10 MRRVs (40m class)	Defense Equipment Transfer		1				1	
2013	148	December	Minister of Defense Meeting whilst SDF were doing HA-DR in the country	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2013	149	December	Chief of Staff MSDF	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2013	150	December	Japan Indonesia Summit Meeting	High Level Meeting		1			1		
Totals 2013					5	24	10	3	16	14	15
2014	151		Japan Philippines Summit Meeting	High Level Meeting		1				1	

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2014	152		Japan ASEAN Viceministerial Defense Meeting	High Level Meeting	1	1			1	1	1
2014	153	January	Administrative Vice Minister of Defense	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2014	154	February	Cobra Gold 2014	Military Exercises	1		1		1		
2014	155	February	Training in Oceanography, Flight Safety and Civil Engineering	Training and Capacity Building		1			1		
2014	156	March	Participation in ASEAN Komodo Exercises, hosted by Indonesia	Military Exercises	1		1		1	1	1
2014	157	March	Vietnam's President Visits Japan and upgrades bilateral relationship to a "Extensive Strategic Partnership"	Bilateral Relations & Partnership Status - International Relations		1					1
2014	158	March	Seminar on underwater medicine	Training and Capacity Building		1					1
2014	159	March	Seminar on Flight Safety	Training and Capacity Building		1					1
2014	160	March	Administrative Vice Minister of Defense	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2014	161	April	Parliamentary Vice Minister of Defense	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2014	162	April	Meeting between Ministers of Foreign Affairs, discussion of regional situation	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2014	163	April	Joint Staff Council Participated in ASEAN HA-DR Exercise	Military Exercises	1		1		1	1	1
2014	164	May	Prime Minister Abe presents the "Three principles on the Rule of Law at Sea" and reaffirms decision to provide vessels to the Philippines	High Level Meeting	1		1		1	1	1
2014	165	May	9th ASEAN-Japan Counter Terrorism Dialogue	High Level Meeting	1	1			1	1	1
2014	166	June	Visit by ASDF Chief of Staff	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2014	167	June	Pacific Partnership 2014. Participation of SDF medical personnel, GDSF repair crews, MDSF vessel and an ASDF transport aircraft.	Military Exercises	1		1			1	1

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2014	168	June	Seminar on Mindanao Peacebuilding	Training and Capacity Building			1			1	
2014	169	July	Foreign Minister Visits Vietnam and announces provision of used vessels to Vietnam	High Level Meeting			1				1
2014	170	September	Seminar on Capacity Building in Maritime Security and Disaster Relief.	Training and Capacity Building	1			1	1	1	1
2014	171	September	Chief of Staff visit to Philippines, First to do so.	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2014	172	September	4 GSDF officers participate in exercise PHIBLEX15 as observers	Military Exercises	1		1			1	
2014	173	October	MSDF Destroyer Sazanami participates in the First Trilateral Goodwill Exercises in Manila (with US)	Military Exercises	1		1			1	
2014	174	October	Japan ASEAN Defense Vice-Ministerial Forum in October.	High Level Meeting	1		1		1	1	1
2014	175	November	Japan's PM meets Philippines President at the sidelines of ASEAN meeting	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2014	176	November	Meeting between Ministers of Foreign Affairs, discussion of regional situation	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2014	177	November	Japan Indonesia Summit.	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2014	178	November	Meeting of Foreign Ministers, will to strengthen strategic partnership and undertake cooperation in maritime field	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2014	179	November	17th Japan ASEAN Summit submits a Joint Declaration for Cooperation to Combat Terrorism and Transnational Crime	High Level Meeting	1		1		1	1	1
2014	180	December	AirAsia Relief operations. SDF Maritime Unit, Two destroyers, three helicopters.	HA-DR			1		1		
Totals 2014					12	17	12	1	16	18	13
2015	181		PKO Training	Training and Capacity Building				1			1

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2015	182		Seminar on International Aviation Law	Training and Capacity Building		1				1	
2015	183	January	Defense Ministry Meeting, signing of memorandum on defense cooperation and exchanges.	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2015	184	January	Vice Minister of Defense Visit	High Level Meeting		1					1
2015	185	January	Vice Minister of Defense Visit	High Level Meeting		1					1
2015	186	January	Vice Minister of Defense Visit	High Level Meeting		1					1
2015	187	February	Cobra Gold 15	Military Exercises	1		1		1	1	
2015	189	February	MSDF Chief of Staff Visit	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2015	190	February	Seminar on International Aviation Law	Training and Capacity Building		1					1
2015	191	February	Seminar on International Aviation Law, Maritime Security	Training and Capacity Building		1				1	
2015	192	February	Visit by Vietnamese Naval Commander. Agree to strengthen service to service exchanges	High Level Meeting		1					1
2015	193	March	Vice Minister of Defense	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2015	194	March	Commander of Philippine Air Force Visits Japan	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2015	195	March	Japan Indonesia Summit. Statement supporting the further strengthening of their strategic partnership.	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2015	196	April	Indonesia Japan Summit at the sidelines of the Asian African Conference.	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2015	197	May	MSDF Philippines joint training	Military Exercises		1				1	
2015	198	May	MSDF Visit to Vietnam	High Level Meeting		1					1
2015	199	May	Chief of Staff ASDF Visit	High Level Meeting		1					1
2015	200	May	ASDF Chief of Staff Visit	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2015	201	May	Vice Minister of Defense	High Level Meeting		1			1		

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2015	202	May	ARF-Disaster Relief Exercises 2015, 10 Personnel sent	Military Exercises	1			1	1	1	1
2015	203	May	Shangri La Dialogue presentation by Japan's Minister of Defense "New Forms of Security Collaboration in Asia"	High Level Meeting	1			1	1	1	1
2015	204	May	Pacific Partnership 2015. Medical and engineering personnel	Military Exercises	1		1			1	
2015	205	June	Japan Philippines Summit	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2015	206	June	Seminar on International Aviation Law	Training and Capacity Building		1				1	
2015	207	July	Japan Vietnam Summit	High Level Meeting		1					1
2015	208	September	Japan Vietnam Summit	High Level Meeting		1					1
2015	209	September	Vietnam's General Secretary Visit	High Level Meeting		1					1
2015	210	September	Japan and Indonesia place their bilateral relations as a "Strategic Partnership"	Bilateral Relations & Partnership Status - International Relations			1		1		
2015	211	November	Japan Indonesia Summit at the sidelines of an ASEAN event	High Level Meeting		1			1		
2015	212	November	Philippines Japan Summit, Broad Agreement	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2015	213	November	Seminar on International Aviation Law	Training and Capacity Building		1					1
2015	214	November	Japan Vietnam Defense Ministers Meeting. Agreement on Port Calls and military exercises on HA-DR	High Level Meeting			1				1
2015	215	November	Delivery of 4 of the 6 used patrol boats agreed in 2014 to Vietnam's Coast Guard.	Defense Equipment Transfer		1					1
2015	216	December	First Foreign and Defense Ministerial Meeting. Indonesia welcomed Japan's "Proactive Contribution to Peace" policy.	High Level Meeting			1		1		
Totals 2015					4	27	5	3	9	15	16

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2016	217		MSDF Destroyer sub sequential visits at Subic Bay	Port Call		1				1	
2016	218		MSDF Vessels sub sequential visits at Subic Bay	Port Call		1				1	
2016	219		Participation in Indonesia's International Fleet Review	Military Exercises			1		1		
2016	220		RIMPAC 2016 Cruise training on the voyage from Japan to Hawaii	Military Exercises		1			1		
2016	221	January	Ministry of Defense held a seminar with the UK on HA-DR for ASEAN	Training and Capacity Building	1			1	1	1	1
2016	222	January	Cobra Gold 2019	Military Exercises	1	1			1		
2016	223	February	Signs Agreement concerning Transfer of Defense Equipment and Technology, this project will transfer up to 5 naval TC-90 training aircraft. They have longer range than the small planes currently used by the Philippine Navy	Defense Equipment Transfer	1	1				1	
2016	224	February	Initiated negotiations for the transfer of defense equipment	Defense Equipment Transfer		1			1		
2016	225	February	P-3C Patrol aircraft of MSDF dispatched to Danang in Central Vietnam for a joint table top exercise	Military Exercises		1					1
2016	226	March	Seminar on Underwater Medicine	Training and Capacity Building		1					1
2016	227	March	Seminar on Oceanography	Training and Capacity Building		1			1		
2016	228	April	2 MSDF Destroyers dock at Subic Bay on the Philippines for the first time in 15 years	Port Call		1				1	
2016	229	April	Komodo Military Exercises.	Military Exercises			1		1		
2016	230	April	Western Pacific Naval Symposium 2016 Ship Rider Program voyage from Indonesia to the Philippines on board a MSDF Destroyer with	Military Exercises	1		1		1	1	

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			Seminars at sea. / Training and Capacity Building								
2016	231	April	2 MSDF Destroyers make their first port call in Cam Ranh Bay	Port Call	1	1					1
2016	232	May	MSDF Dispatched one destroyer and 360 personnel on ADMM Plus Maritime Security Field Training Exercise	Military Exercises		1			1	1	1
2016	233	May	2 MSDF Destroyers make their first port call in Cam Ranh Bay	Port Call	1	1					1
2016	234	May	Japan Philippines Defense Ministerial Telephone Conference	High Level Meeting		1				1	
2016	235	June	Seminar on HA-DR	Training and Capacity Building				1		1	
2016	236	June	SDF Participate in Pacific Partnership 2016	Military Exercises			1		1	1	1
2016	237	July	Japanese Coast Guard makes port call in Danang	Port Call	1	1					1
2016	238	July	Provided Capacity Building Support for the maintenance of ship diesel engines	Training and Capacity Building		1			1	1	1
2016	239	July	Anti Piracy Drill by the Japanese Coast Guard and Philippine Coast Guard	Military Exercises	1	1				1	
2016	240	August	MSDF Goodwill Exercises	Military Exercises			1		1		
2016	241	September	MSDF Goodwill Exercises	Military Exercises	1		1			1	
2016	242	October	Anti Piracy Drill by the Japanese Coast Guard and Indonesian Coast Guard	Military Exercises		1			1		
Totals 2016					9	18	6	2	13	13	9

Total in all Years	59	158	68	15	107	106	101
		Total	241	Total	314		