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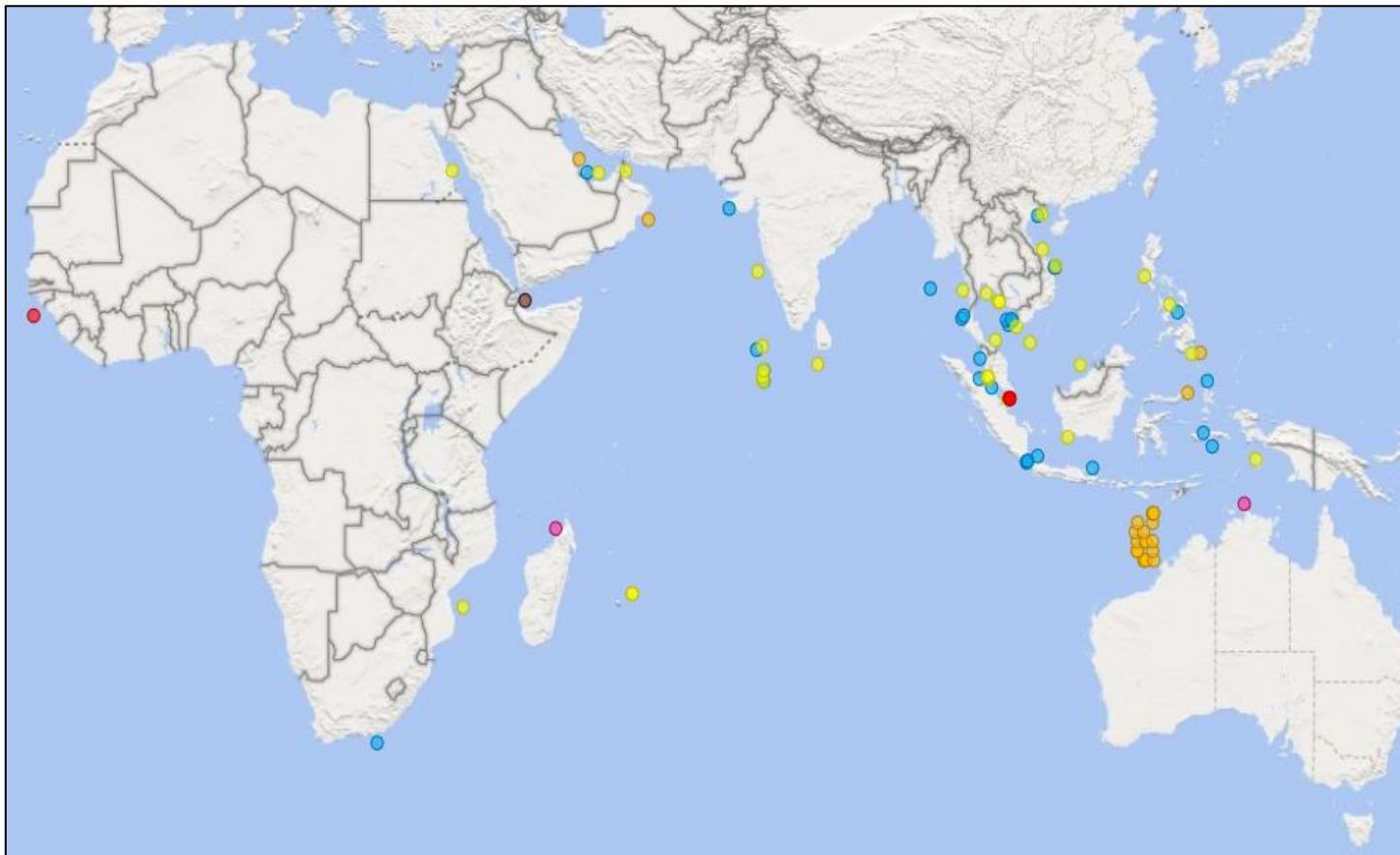
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Category	No
Piracy & Armed Robbery	05
Contraband Smuggling	28
IUU Fishing	22
Irregular Human Migration	02
Maritime Incidents	31
Maritime Security Threats (Hybrid)	01
Cyber Security Threats	Nil
Marine Environment Pollution	Nil
Climate Change & Security	Nil
Others	Nil
<b>Total incidents</b>	<b>89</b>
Cyclone(s)	Nil



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Sub-Category	No
● Attack	Nil
● Kidnap	Nil
● Hijack	Nil
● Hijack & Kidnap	Nil
● Sea Robbery	Nil
● Sea Theft	01
● Illegal Boarding	Nil
● Attempted Sea Robbery	02
● Attempted Sea Theft	01
● Attempted Boarding	Nil
● Suspicious Approach	01
<b>Total incidents</b>	<b>05</b>



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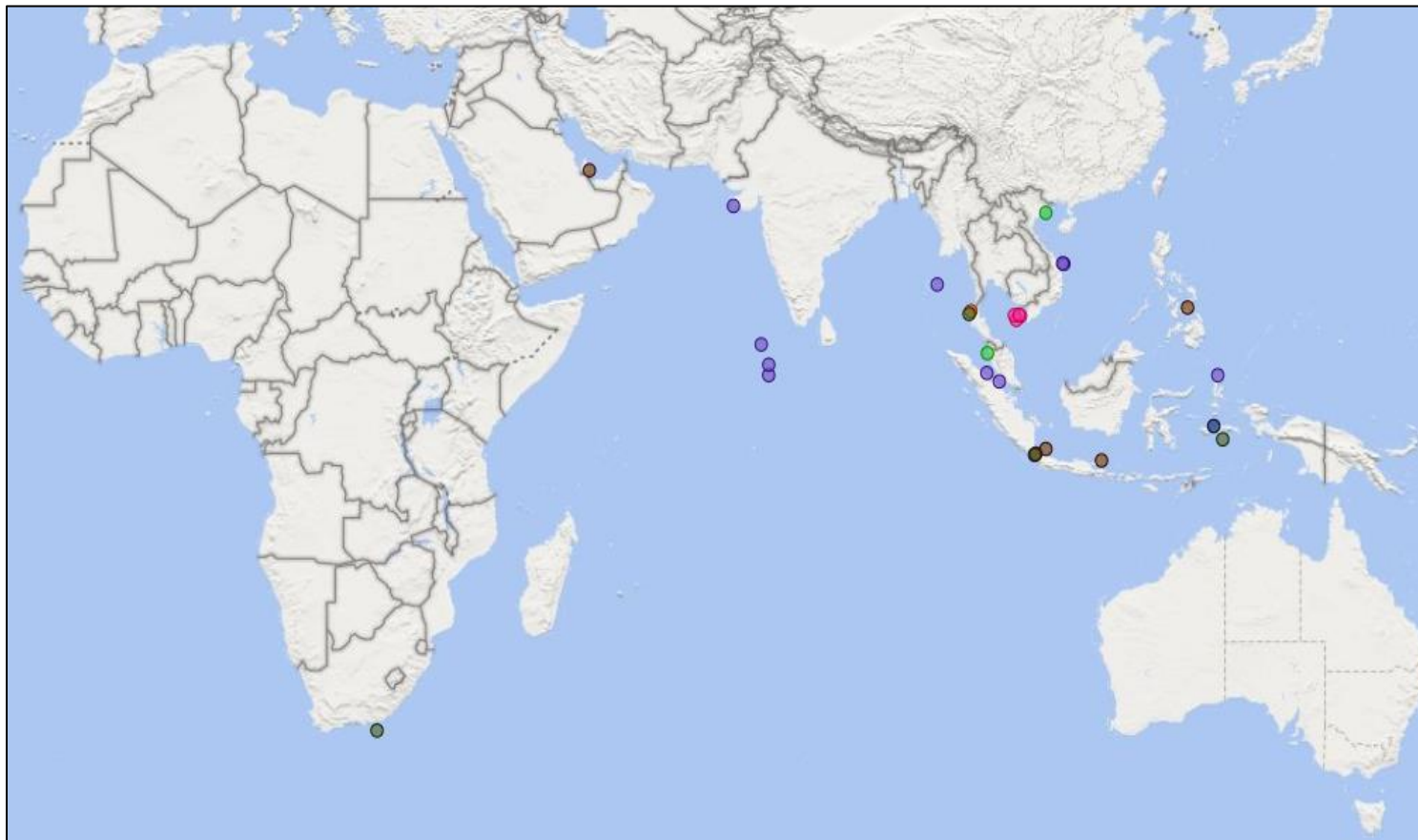
Sr	Date/ Time	Sub Category	Country/ Region	Location Lat/Long	Details of Vessels Involved	Incident Details	Crew Status	Vessel/ Post Incident Status	Responder(s)
1.	19 Nov 24	Sea theft	Indonesia/ South East Asia	4.5 nm NW of Kapalajernih Island	<i>AMMOS</i> Bulk carrier Flag - Bahamas IMO: 9573804 MMSI: 311000996	02 perpetrators boarded the vessel while underway and were sighted in engine room. Alarm raised. Escaped with engine spares.	Safe	Underway	Indonesia authorities
2.	20 Nov 24 0510 LT	Attempted sea theft	Indonesia/ South East Asia	In Phillip Channel  01°04'04"N 103°41'04"E	<i>GENCO LION</i> Bulk carrier Flag - Marshall Islands IMO: 9593464 MMSI: 538005330	04 perpetrators boarded the vessel while underway and were sighted in engine room. Alarm raised. Perpetrators escaped. Nothing stolen.	Safe	Underway	Indonesia authorities
3.	22 Nov 24 0150 LT	Attempted sea robbery	Indonesia/ South East Asia	In Phillip Channel  01°03'47"N 103°42'11"E	<i>HTK CONFIDENCE</i> Bulk carrier Flag - Vietnam IMO: 9412969 MMSI: 574002820	02 perpetrators armed with knife boarded the vessel while underway and were sighted in engine room. Alarm raised. Perpetrators escaped Nothing stolen.	Safe	Underway	Indonesia authorities
4.	24 Nov 24 0100 LT	Attempted sea robbery	Indonesia/ South East Asia	In Phillip Channel  01°03'54"N 103°41'18"E	01 bulk carrier Flag – Panama	06 perpetrators boarded the vessel while underway. A perpetrator armed with knife was sighted in the engine room. Alarm raised. Perpetrators escaped. Nothing stolen.	Safe	Underway	Indonesia authorities
5.	25 Nov 24	Suspicious approach	Guinea/ Gulf of Guinea	10°05'00"N 016°12'00"W	<i>NORDBERG</i> Cargo vessel Flag - Palau IMO: 8952467 MMSI: 511100562	Reportedly, a small craft with 07-08 persons approached the vessel within 1.5 nm.	Safe	Underway	UNK



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Alcohol	Nil
Domestic Products	01
Drugs	11
Fuel	04
Natural Resources	02
Tobacco	05
Weapons	Nil
Wildlife	04
Others	01
<b>Total incidents</b>	<b>28</b>



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1.	03 Nov 24	Indonesia/ South East Asia	At Bakeuni Port	UNK	Drug	Cannabis	159 kg/ UNK	02 suspects apprehended. Vehicle seized.	Indonesia authorities
2.	04 Nov 24	Indonesia/ South East Asia	In Tanjungbalai	01 boat	Drugs	Methamphetamine	30 kg/ UNK	Suspects escaped. Boat seized.	Indonesia authorities
3.	08 Nov 24	Indonesia/ South East Asia	At Merak Port Executive	UNK	Tobacco	Cigarettes	150 cartons/ UNK	Without valid documents. 01 suspect apprehended. Vehicle seized.	Indonesia authorities
4.	08 Nov 24	Indonesia/ South East Asia	At Besuki Traditional Port	<i>KLM KANGEN PUTRA</i> Wooden boat	Tobacco	Cigarettes	UNK	Without valid documents.	Indonesia authorities
5.	08 Nov 24	Indonesia/ South East Asia	At Bakauheni Port	UNK	Wildlife	Reptiles skin	358 pieces/ UNK	Suspected to be domestically smuggled. 01 vehicle seized.	Indonesia authorities
6.	10 Nov 24	Maldives/ South Asia	At Male Commercial port	UNK	Drugs	Cannabis and cathinone	1.03 kg and 2.2 kg / UNK	Suspected to be smuggled from a foreign country by sea.	Maldives authorities
7.	10 Nov 24	South Africa/ East Africa	In Port Elizabeth	UNK	Wildlife	Abalones	516 / USD 4,422	Without valid documents. 01 suspect apprehended. Vehicle seized.	South Africa authorities
8.	12 Nov 24	Indonesia/ South East Asia	At Roro port, Dumai	01 passenger ship	Drugs	Methamphetamine	2.1 kg/ UNK	Suspected to be smuggled domestically by sea. 01 suspect apprehended.	Indonesia Authorities
9.	12 Nov 24	Indonesia/ South East Asia	At Moro Port	<i>KLM KAMPAR INDAH 01 GT 174</i> Cargo vessel	Tobacco	Cigarettes	819,400 sticks/ UNK	Suspected to be smuggled from a foreign country by sea. 01 suspect apprehended. Vessel seized.	Indonesia authorities
10.	13 Nov 24	Philippines/ South East Asia	Off Barangay Marigondon	01 boat	Tobacco	Cigarettes	368 boxes/ USD 2,50,630	Without valid documents. Suspects apprehended. Boat capsized.	Philippines authorities



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11.	14 Nov 24	Qatar/ West Asia	At Hamad Port	UNK	Tobacco	Tobacco	2,575 kg/ UNK	Hidden inside shipment of metal bars. Suspected to be smuggled to a foreign country by sea.	Qatar authorities
12.	15 Nov 24	Indonesia/ South East Asia	In Ambon	<i>KM NGAPULU</i> passenger boat	Wildlife	Reptiles	111/ UNK	Suspected to be domestically smuggled.	Indonesia authorities
13.	15 Nov 24	India/ South Asia	Off Porbandar, Gujarat	01 foreign fishing vessel	Drugs	Methamphetamine	700 kg/ UNK	Suspected to be smuggled from a foreign country by sea. 08 foreign suspects apprehended. Vessel seized.	India authorities
14.	17 Nov 24	Vietnam/ South East Asia	Off Hai Phong	01 vessel Reg. No. HN- 2445	Natural resources	Sand	1,450 m3/ UNK	Without valid documents. 04 suspects apprehended.	Vietnam authorities
15.	17 Nov 24	Thailand/ South East Asia	Off Ranong	01 fishing vessel	Wildlife	Shellfish	4,050 kg/ USD 5,760	Suspected to be smuggled from a foreign country by sea. Suspects escaped. Vessel seized.	Thailand authorities
16.	18 Nov 24	Vietnam/ South East Asia	38 nm SW of Tho Chu Island	01 cargo vessel Reg. No. KG 91844 TS	Fuel	Diesel	60,000 L / UNK	Without valid documents. 03 suspects apprehended. Vessel seized.	Vietnam authorities
17.	19 Nov 24	Vietnam/ South East Asia	10 nm off Tho Chau Island	01 fishing boat Reg. No. TG 91138 TS	Fuel	Diesel	40,000 L/ UNK	Without valid documents. 05 suspects apprehended. Vessel seized.	Vietnam authorities
18.	20 Nov 24	Malaysia/ South East Asia	At Butterworth Container Terminal Port	UNK	Natural resources	Bamboo sticks	6,025 kg / USD 10,657	Without valid documents. Suspected to be smuggled from a foreign country by sea.	Malaysia Authorities
19.	20 Nov 24	Indonesia/ South East Asia	Off Sanleko	01 boat	Others	Cyanide and carbon chemicals	25 cans and 320 sacks/ UNK	Suspected to be smuggled domestically by sea. 09 suspects apprehended. Boat and vehicle seized.	Indonesia authorities





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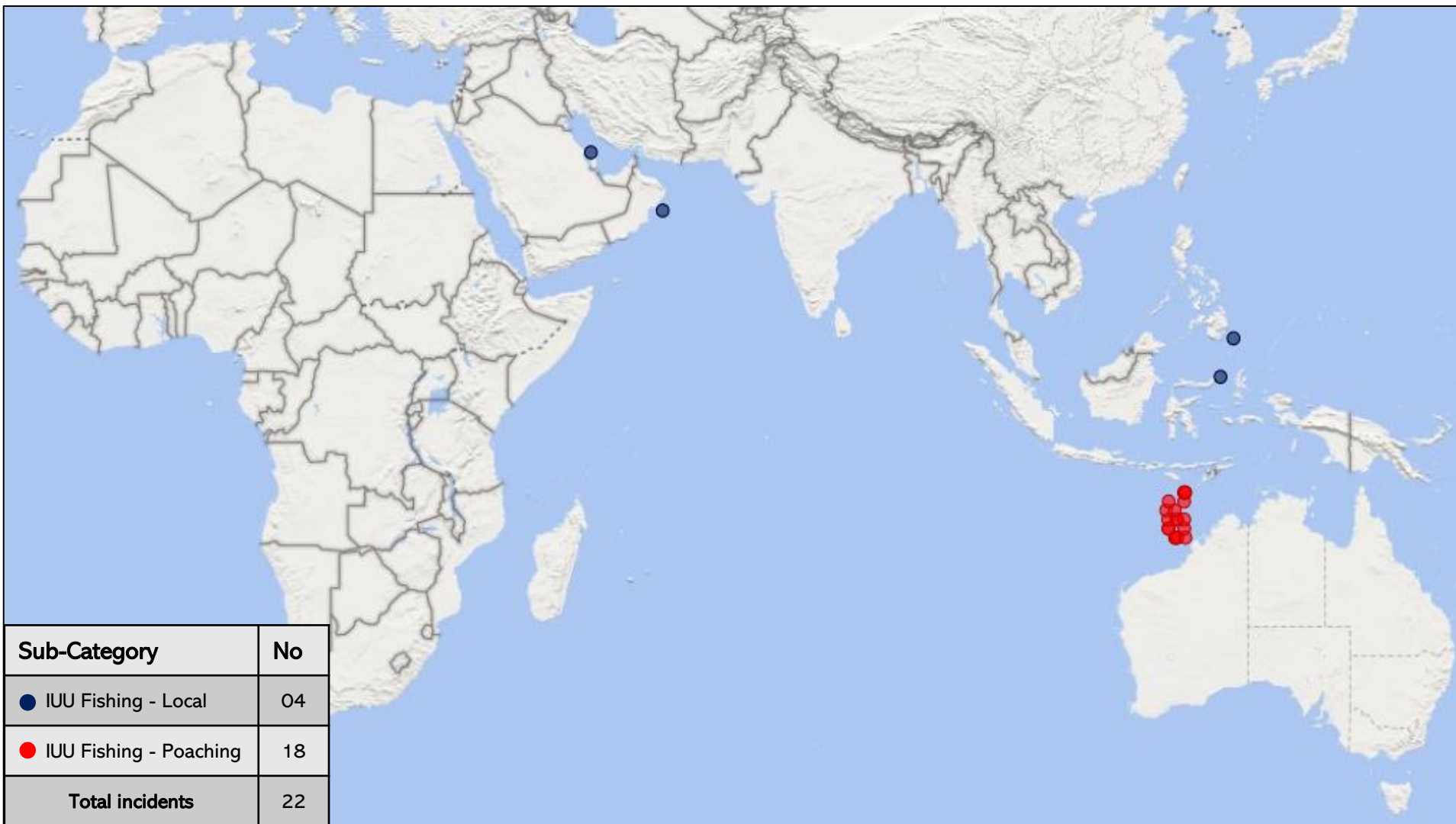
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20.	21 Nov 24	Vietnam/ South East Asia	25 nm off Dong Nam Du Island	01 vessel Reg. No. KG 93815 TS	Fuel	Diesel	55,000 L/ UNK	Without valid documents. 04 suspects apprehended. Vessel seized.	Vietnam authorities
21.	22 Nov 24	Indonesia/ South East Asia	Off Tolop Island	01 speedboat	Drugs	Methamphetamine	2.6 kg/ UNK	Suspected to be smuggled from a foreign country by sea.	Indonesia Authorities
22.	22 Nov 24	Thailand/ South East Asia	In Ranong	01 boat	Domestic Products	Rubber	950 kg/ UNK	Without valid documents. Suspects escaped. Boat seized.	Thailand authorities
23.	22 Nov 24	Vietnam/ South East Asia	Off Kien Giang	02 fishing vessels Reg. No. KG 56950 TS and KG 91482 TS	Fuel	Diesel	85,000 L	Without valid documents. Vessels seized.	Vietnam authorities
24.	23 Nov 24	Vietnam/ South East Asia	In Coast of Binh Son	UNK	Drugs	Drug	1,500 tablets/ UNK	Found in a plastic bag. Washed ashore.	Vietnam authorities
25.	23 Nov 24	Maldives/ South Asia	Off Makunudhoo	01 fishing boat	Drugs	Methamphetamine and cocaine	334 kg and 124.6/ USD 64,850,843	Suspected to be smuggled from a foreign country by sea. 05 suspects apprehended. Boat seized.	Maldives authorities
26.	23 Nov 24	Vietnam/ South East Asia	In Coast of Binh Chau commune	UNK	Drugs	Drug	1,517 tablets/ UNK	Found in a plastic bag. Washed ashore.	Vietnam authorities
27.	23 Nov 24	India/ South Asia	80 nm off Barren Island	<i>SOE WAI YAN</i> <i>HTOO</i> Fishing vessel	Drugs	Methamphetamine	5,500 kg/ UNK	Suspected to be smuggled from a foreign country by sea. 06 suspects apprehended.	India authorities
28.	24 Nov 24	Maldives/ South Asia	Off Maldives	UNK	Drugs	Methamphetamine	1.5 kg/ UNK	Suspected to be smuggled from a foreign country by sea.	Maldives Authorities



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1.	01 Nov 24	Local	Indonesia/ South East Asia	Off Bitung, Sulawesi	04 fishing vessels	Illegal fishing (without valid documents)	Vessels/ UNK	70 apprehended	Indonesia authorities
2.	12 Nov 24	Poaching	Australia/ South East Asia	N of Australia	01 foreign fishing vessel	Illegal fishing in country's waters	Vessel and fish/ UNK	11 foreign fishermen apprehended.	Australia authorities
3.	13 Nov 24	Poaching	Australia/ South East Asia	N of Australia	01 foreign fishing vessel	Illegal fishing in country's waters	Vessel and fish/ UNK	07 foreign fishermen apprehended.	Australia authorities
4.	13 Nov 24	Poaching	Australia/ South East Asia	N of Australia	01 foreign fishing vessel	Illegal fishing in country's waters	Vessel / UNK	07 foreign fishermen apprehended.	Australia authorities
5.	14 Nov 24	Poaching	Australia/ South East Asia	N of Australia	01 foreign fishing vessel	Illegal fishing in country's waters	Vessel / UNK	09 foreign fishermen apprehended.	Australia authorities
6.	14 Nov 24	Poaching	Australia/ South East Asia	N of Australia	01 foreign fishing vessel	Illegal fishing in country's waters	Vessel / UNK	05 foreign fishermen apprehended.	Australia authorities
7.	14 Nov 24	Poaching	Australia/ South East Asia	N of Australia	01 foreign fishing vessel	Illegal fishing in country's waters	Vessel / UNK	08 foreign fishermen apprehended.	Australia authorities
8.	15 Nov 24	Poaching	Australia/ South East Asia	N of Australia	01 foreign fishing vessel	Illegal fishing in country's waters	Vessel / UNK	10 foreign fishermen apprehended.	Australia authorities
9.	16 Nov 24	Poaching	Australia/ South East Asia	N of Australia	01 foreign fishing vessel	Illegal fishing in country's waters	Vessel and fish/ UNK	11 foreign fishermen apprehended.	Australia authorities
10.	16 Nov 24	Local	Philippines/ South East Asia	Off Davao Del Norte	02 fishing boats	Illegal fishing (using illegal equipment)	Boats and fishing paraphernalia/ UNK	01 apprehended.	Philippines authorities



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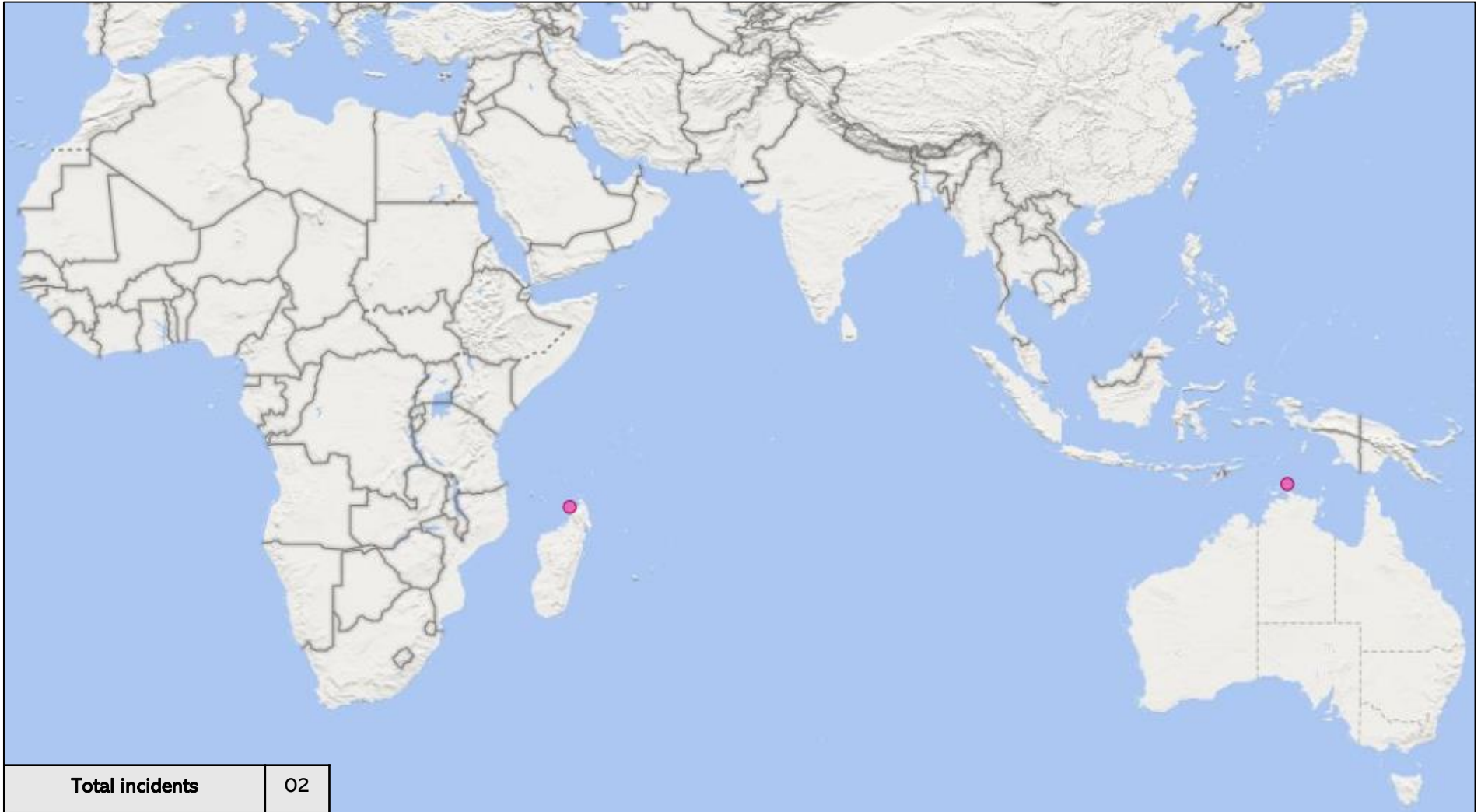
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11.	16 Nov 24	Poaching	Australia/ South East Asia	N of Australia	01 foreign fishing vessel	Illegal fishing in country's waters	Vessel and fish/ UNK	11 foreign fishermen apprehended.	Australia authorities
12.	16 Nov 24	Poaching	Australia/ South East Asia	N of Australia	01 foreign fishing vessel	Illegal fishing in country's waters	Vessel/ UNK	11 foreign fishermen apprehended.	Australia authorities
13.	16 Nov 24	Poaching	Australia/ South East Asia	N of Australia	01 foreign fishing vessel	Illegal fishing in country's waters	Vessel / UNK	09 foreign fishermen apprehended.	Australia authorities
14.	17 Nov 24	Poaching	Australia/ South East Asia	N of Australia	01 foreign fishing vessel	Illegal fishing in country's waters	Vessel and Trepang/ UNK	06 foreign fishermen apprehended.	Australia authorities
15.	17 Nov 24	Poaching	Australia/ South East Asia	N of Australia	01 foreign fishing vessel	Illegal fishing in country's waters	UNK	09 foreign fishermen apprehended. Vessel destroyed.	Australia authorities
16.	17 Nov 24	Poaching	Australia/ South East Asia	N of Australia	01 foreign fishing vessel	Illegal fishing in country's waters	Vessel and Trepang/ UNK	10 foreign fishermen apprehended.	Australia authorities
17.	17 Nov 24	Poaching	Australia/ South East Asia	N of Australia	01 foreign fishing vessel	Illegal fishing in country's waters	Vessel and fish/ UNK	05 foreign fishermen apprehended.	Australia authorities
18.	17 Nov 24	Poaching	Australia/ South East Asia	N of Australia	01 foreign fishing vessel	Illegal fishing in country's waters	Vessel and fish/ UNK	09 foreign fishermen apprehended.	Australia authorities
19.	17 Nov 24	Poaching	Australia/ South East Asia	N of Australia	01 foreign fishing vessel	Illegal fishing in country's waters	Vessel and Trepang/ UNK	10 foreign fishermen apprehended.	Australia authorities
20.	17 Nov 24	Local	Oman/ West Asia	Off Wilayat, Mahout	Fishing boats	Illegal fishing (without valid documents)	Boat/ UNK	22 apprehended.	Oman authorities
21.	18 Nov 24	Poaching	Australia/ South East Asia	N of Australia	01 foreign fishing vessel	Illegal fishing in country's waters	Vessel / UNK	07 foreign fishermen apprehended.	Australia authorities
22.	18 Nov 24	Local	Bahrain/ West Asia	Off Bahrain	UNK	Illegal fishing (without valid documents)	70 kg crab/ UNK	02 foreign fishermen apprehended.	Bahrain authorities



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1.	11 Nov 24	Australia/ South East Asia	UNK/ Australia	In Croker Island	UNK	04 apprehended	Migrants attempting to enter the country illegally by sea.	Australia authorities
2.	22 Nov 24	Madagascar/ East Africa	Somalia/ Mayotte	Off Nosy Be	02 boats	70 (48 rescued and 22 dead)	Migrants attempting to enter the country illegally by sea. Boats capsized.	Madagascar authorities

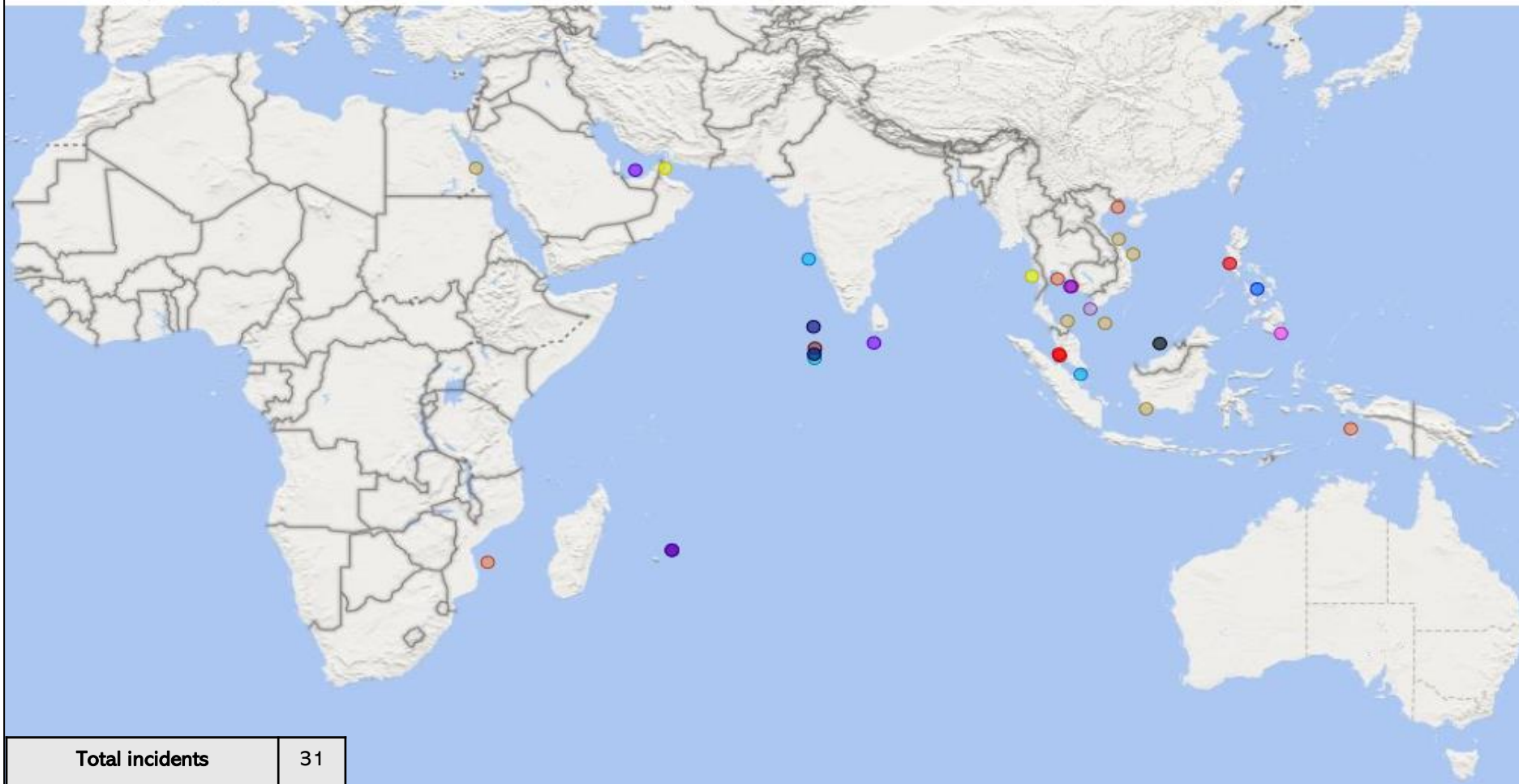


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Total incidents

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1.	09 Nov 24	Missing	Philippines/ South East Asia	Off Davao	01 fishing boat	Missing	01 fisherman missing. SAR Initiated.	Philippines authorities
2.	17 Nov 24	Mechanical failure	Indonesia/ South East Asia	Off Dobo	01 passenger boat	Towed ashore	Engine failure. All 27 passengers rescued.	Indonesia authorities
3.	17 Nov 24	Collision	Indonesia/ South East Asia	Off Tanjung Balai	01 tanker	Underway	No casualties reported	Indonesia authorities
					01 fishing vessel	Sank	04 fishermen rescued. 02 missing. SAR initiated	
4.	18 Nov 24	Sunk	Vietnam/ South East Asia	110 nm SE of Hon Khoai	01 fishing boat Reg. No. CM 99457 TS	Sank	All 09 fishermen rescued.	Vietnam authorities and fishing vessel Reg. No. CM 92224 TS
5.	19 Nov 24	SAR	Vietnam/ South East Asia	Off Hon Chuoi island	01 fishing boat Reg. No. CM 91142 TS	Underway	01 fisherman rescued.	Vietnam authorities
6.	19 Nov 24	Man overboard	Philippines/ South East Asia	Off Baliguian island	01 fishing boat	Recovered	Heavy weather. Mortal remains of fisherman recovered.	Philippines authorities
7.	19 Nov 24	Mechanical failure	Mozambiqu/ East Africa	Off Mozambique	<i>HAIZEA BOST</i> Fishing vessel Flag - Spain IMO: 9808089 MMSI: 224428000	Towed ashore	Engine failure and adrift.	Mozambique authorities





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8.	20 Nov 24	Sunk	Indonesia/ South East Asia	Off Bagan Belanda Kendawangan	<i>TK NIAGA 1</i> Barge  <i>KM SINAR UTARA</i> Tugboat <i>KM. SETIA JAYA A</i> Tugboat Flag - Indonesia MMSI: 525800271	Sank  At berth  At berth	Heavy weather. Loaded with 100 tons of palm fruit. No casualties reported.	Indonesia authorities
9.	20 Nov 24	MEDEVAC	Sri Lanka/ South Asia	76 nm off Galle Lighthouse	<i>THEWJAN PUTHA</i> Fishing vessel Reg. No. IMUL-A- 1043 GLE Flag - Sri Lanka	Underway	01 injured fisherman evacuated.	Sri Lanka authorities
10.	20 Nov 24	Grounding	Maldives/ South Asia	Off Hanimaadhoo Harbour	<i>SNOW 261</i> Cargo vessel	Towed ashore	No casualties reported.	Maldives authorities
11.	21 Nov 24	Mechanical failure	Vietnam/ South East Asia	Off Da Tay Island	01 fishing vessel Reg. No. BD 96095TS	Towed ashore	Heavy weather. Engine failure and adrift. Both fishermen rescued.	Vietnam authorities
12.	21 Nov 24	Sunk	Vietnam/ South East Asia	Off Quang Tri	01 fishing boat Reg. No. QB 88991 TS	Sank	Heavy weather. All 05 fishermen rescued.	Vietnam authorities



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13.	21 Nov 24	Collision	India/ South Asia	70 nm NW of Goa	01 vessel	Underway	No casualties reported.	India authorities
					<i>MARTHOMA</i> Fishing vessel	Sank	11 fishermen rescued. 02 missing. SAR initiated.	
14	21 Nov 24	Grounding	Maldives/ South Asia	03°30'18"N 73°22'36"E	<i>ALMA</i> Boat	Towed ashore	All 08 (05 foreign) persons safe.	Maldives authorities
15.	21 Nov 24	MEDEVAC	UAE/ West Asia	Off Zirku Island	01 fishing vessel	Underway	01 injured fisherman evacuated.	UAE authorities
16.	21 Nov 24	Fire	UAE/ West Asia	At Fujairah port	01 fishing vessel	At berth	02 injured fishermen rescued. 01 succumbed to injuries later. Fire extinguished.	UAE authorities
17.	22 Nov 24	Vessel detained	Malaysia/ South East Asia	9.5 nm SW of Tanjung Sauh, Selangor	01 fishing vessel	Detained	Without valid documents. All 06 (05 foreign) crew members apprehended.	Malaysia authorities
18.	22 Nov 24	Vessel detained	Philippines/ South East Asia	Off Manila Bay	<i>AU LEO</i> Tanker Flag - Panama IMO: 9157521 MMSI: 351458000	Detained	Without valid documents.	Philippines authorities
19.	22 Nov 24	Vessel detained	Malaysia/ South East Asia	10.5 nm SW of Tanjung Sauh, Selangor	01 fishing vessel	Detained	Without valid documents. All 05 (04 foreign) crew members apprehended.	Malaysia authorities



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20.	22 Nov 24	Fire	Myanmar/ South East Asia	In Myeik Port	01 fishing boat	Damaged	Fire in engine room. 02 injured fishermen rescued. 01 dead. Fire extinguished.	Myanmar authorities
21.	23 Nov 24	Mechanical failure	Thailand/ South East Asia	Off Sattahip	<i>CHOKNAVATTANAKORN</i> Fishing boat	Towed ashore	Engine failure and adrift. Both fishermen rescued.	Thailand Authorities
22.	23 Nov 24	Sunk	Vietnam/ South East Asia	Off Quang Ngai	01 fishing boat Reg. No. QNg 44586 TS	Sank	Heavy weather. 03 fishermen rescued. 01 missing. 01 dead. SAR initiated.	Vietnam authorities
23.	24 Nov 24	Death	Malaysia/ South East Asia	Off Batu Mandi, Samalaju	UNK	UNK	Mortal remains of a person recovered.	Malaysia authorities
24.	24 Nov 24	Mechanical failure	Thailand/ South East Asia	13 nm off Koh Kood	<i>CHOK PRAROJ</i> Fishing boat	Towed ashore	Engine failure. All 04 fishermen rescued.	Thailand authorities
25.	24 Nov 24	MEDEVAC	Thailand/ South East Asia	30 nm off Koh Kood	<i>RUNGARUN</i> Fishing boat	Underway	01 injured fisherman evacuated.	Thailand authorities
26.	24 Nov 24	Sunk	Thailand/ South East Asia	80 nm E of Songkla	<i>NARINRAT</i> Fishing boat	Sank	All 05 fishermen rescued.	Thailand authorities
27.	24 Nov 24	Capsized	Maldives/ South Asia	Off Gulheefalhu	<i>RANAA 02</i> Supply boat	Capsized	Both crew members rescued.	Maldives authorities



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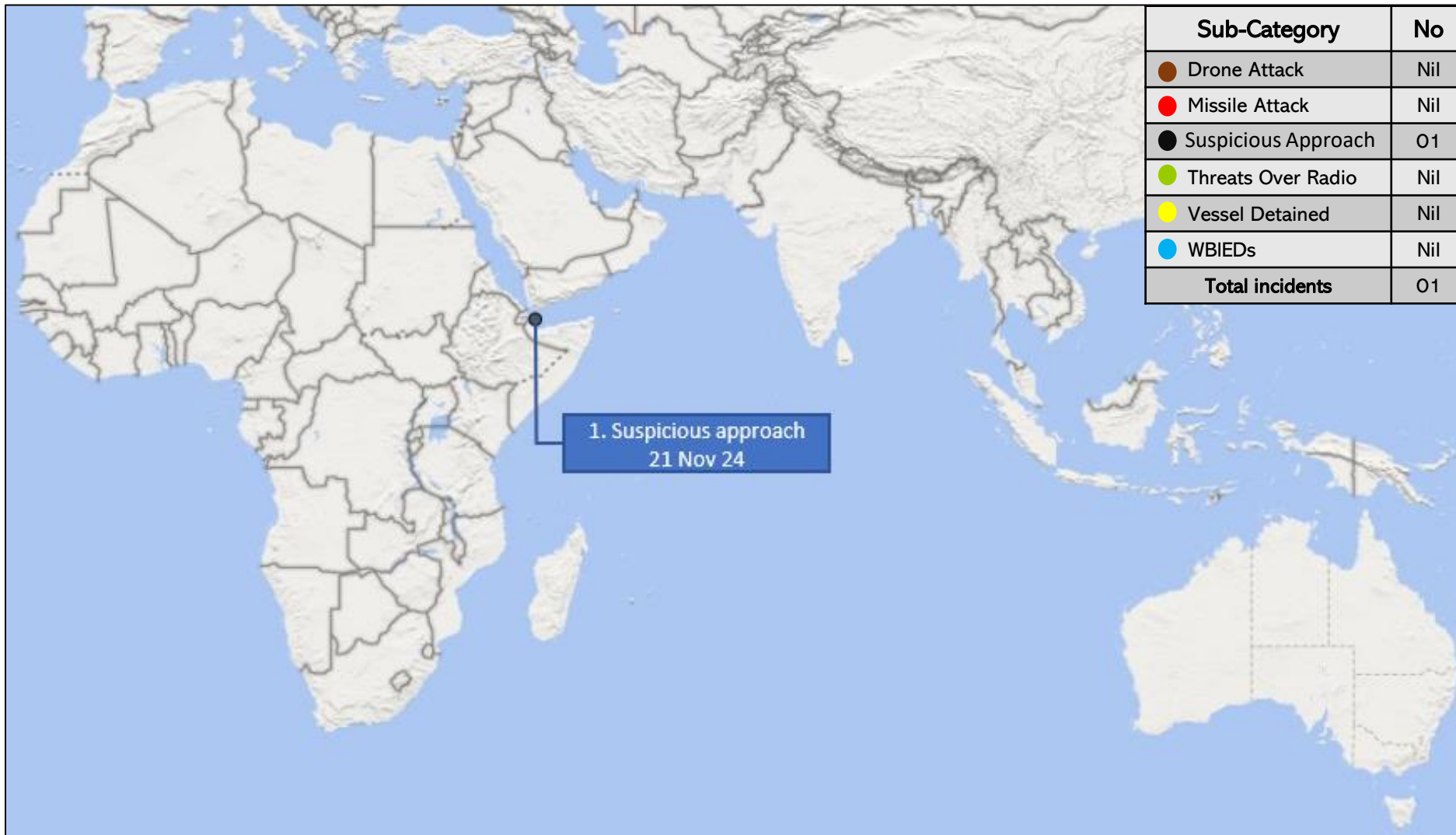
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28.	25 Nov 24	Death	Mauritius/ East Africa	Off Port Louis	<i>SHENG HONG</i> Fishing vessel Flag – Taiwan IMO: 7920869 MMSI: 416702000	At berth	Mortal remains of a South Africa crew member recovered.	Mauritius authorities
29.	25 Nov 24	MEDEVAC	Mauritius/ East Africa	In Port Louis Harbour	<i>SEA DRAGON</i> Fishing vessel Flag - Mauritius MMSI: 645755000	Underway	01 crew member evacuated. Nationality – Mauritius.	Mauritius authorities
30.	25 Nov 24	Sunk	Egypt/ West Asia	Off Marsa Alam	<i>SEA STORY</i> Cruise vessel Flag - Egypt	Sank	Heavy weather. 33 persons rescued. 07 missing. 04 dead. SAR initiated.	Egypt authorities
31.	26 Nov 24	Flooding	Maldives/ South Asia	1.3 nm E of M.Naalafushi	<i>HAWKS CARRIER</i> Supply vessel	At berth	All 06 crew members safe. Assisted in de-flooding.	Maldives authorities



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Sub-Category	No
● Drone Attack	Nil
● Missile Attack	Nil
● Suspicious Approach	01
● Threats Over Radio	Nil
● Vessel Detained	Nil
● WBIEDs	Nil
<b>Total incidents</b>	<b>01</b>



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Sr	Date	Country/ Region	Location	Details of Vessels Involved	Incident Details	Crew Status	Vessel/ Post Incident Status	Responder(s)
1.	21 Nov 24 0700 LT	Yemen/ South Asia	74 nm SW of Aden	<i>TRIPLE SEVEN</i> Yacht Flag - Cayman Island IMO: 9374894 MMSI: 319058500	Reportedly, a small craft with unknown number of persons approached the <i>TRIPLE SEVEN</i> yacht within 01 nm. No injury or damage reported.	Safe	Underway	UNK



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## Indian Coast Guard Seizes Largest-Ever Drug Haul in the Andaman Sea

On November 25, 2024, the Indian Coast Guard intercepted a boat in the Andaman Sea carrying approximately 5,500 kg of methamphetamine along with a satellite phone. This seizure is considered the biggest-ever drug haul by the Indian Coast Guard. The crew, consisting of six Myanmar nationals, were detained, and the vessel was brought to Sri Vijaya Puram, Port Blair for further investigation.





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States work towards regional maritime security strategy for the Western Indian Ocean and Gulf of Aden  
<https://www.imo.org/en/MediaCentre/Pages/WhatsNew-2185.aspx>

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