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REPORTS ON ACTS OF PIRACY AND ARMED ROBBERY AGAINST SHIPS

Annual Report - 2014

1 In pursuance of the Maritime Safety Committee's instruction to the Secretariat to issue monthly reports of all incidents of piracy¹ and armed robbery against ships² reported to the Organization and, in addition, to issue composite reports accompanied by an analysis, on a regional basis, of the situation and an indication on whether the frequency of incidents is increasing or decreasing and advising on any new feature or pattern of significance, the annex hereto provides, in the tabulated format agreed by the Committee, the summary of reports on incidents received between 1 January and 31 December 2014 including a distinction between acts of piracy and acts of armed robbery against ships and attempted attacks (Annex 2). Further, and as instructed by the Committee (MSC 75/24, paragraph 18.41), the Secretariat has, since July 2002, started classifying separately any reported incidents of piracy and armed robbery **at sea** (international or territorial waters) vis-à-vis acts of armed robbery allegedly committed in port areas, as well as attempted acts of armed robbery.

¹ "Piracy" is defined in the 1982 United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS) (article 101) as follows:

"Piracy consists of any of the following acts:

- (a) any illegal acts of violence or detention, or any act of depredation, committed for private ends by the crew or the passengers of a private ship or a private aircraft, and directed:
 - (i) on the high seas, against another ship or aircraft, or against persons or property on board such ship or aircraft;
 - (ii) against a ship, aircraft, persons or property in a place outside the jurisdiction of any State;
- (b) any act of voluntary participation in the operation of a ship or of an aircraft with knowledge of facts making it a pirate ship or aircraft;
- (c) any act inciting or of intentionally facilitating an act described in sub-paragraph (a) or (b)."

² "Armed robbery" against ships is defined in the *Code of Practice for the Investigation of the Crimes of Piracy and Armed Robbery Against Ships* (resolution A.1025(26), annex, paragraph 2.2), as follows:

"Armed robbery against ships means any of the following acts:

- (a) any illegal act of violence or detention or any act of depredation, or threat thereof, other than an act of piracy, committed for private ends and directed against a ship or against persons or property on board such a ship, within a State's internal waters, archipelagic waters and territorial sea;
- (b) any act of inciting or of intentionally facilitating an act described above."

2 At its sixty-sixth session in June 1996, the Committee further instructed the Secretariat to prepare, after March of every year, an annual summary of all acts of piracy and armed robbery against ships, which had occurred during the previous year and had been reported to the Organization, based on their actual date and time of occurrence.

3 Pursuant to this request, the annexes hereto provide information on reports of piracy and armed robbery against ships received by the Secretariat since 1984, when relevant statistics started being compiled and, in particular, those which occurred in the course of 2014 as well as a regional analysis thereof.

4 At its eighty-fifth session in December 2008, the Committee also instructed the Secretariat, *inter alia*, to include in future issues of MSC.4 circulars additional and separate annexes listing incidents occurring in waters off the coast of Somalia.

5 The number of acts of piracy and armed robbery against ships, which were reported to the Organization to have occurred or been attempted in 2014 is 291, a modest decrease by seven (2.3%) incidents over the 298 figure reported in 2013.

6 From the data referred to above, it also emerges that the areas most affected by acts and attempted acts of piracy and armed robbery against ships in 2014 were the South China Sea (93 in total), the Straits of Malacca and Singapore (81 in total), and the Western Indian Ocean (Arabian Sea, East Africa, the Persian Gulf and the wider Indian Ocean) with 62 in total, followed by West Africa (45 in total), South America and the Caribbean* (nine in total) and the North Atlantic Ocean (one in total). Following the trend in 2013, the number of incidents caused by Somalia-based pirates has fallen further to eight from 20 in 2013, significantly lower than the 78 incidents reported in 2007 when Somalia-based piracy was prevalent. No ship was reported hijacked by Somalia pirates in 2014.

7 While the number of incidents that took place in the South China Sea remain high, with 93 reports made to the Organization in 2014, this represents a decrease compared with the 142 incidents reported in 2013, and includes incidents that have occurred in the waters off the Philippines and Indonesia. In 57 (61.2%) of the 93 incidents reported in that region, pirates/armed robbers deployed actual force against the crew or threatened them with violence. In eleven cases the ships had reportedly been hijacked.

8 The number of reported acts of piracy and armed robbery in the Gulf of Guinea (West Africa) decreased to 45, compared with 54 incidents reported in 2013 and 64 incidents reported in 2012. However, 7 ships were reported hijacked to the Organization.

9 The number of reported acts of piracy and armed robbery in South America and the Caribbean has fallen to nine incidents, compared with 15 reported in 2013. No incidents were reported for the Mediterranean Sea in 2014, a contrast to the eight reported in 2013. One incident occurred in the North Atlantic Ocean.

10 Approximately 40.8% of attacks worldwide were reported to have occurred or to have been attempted in territorial waters, largely due to an increase in armed robbery activity in the Strait of Malacca. Furthermore, in 119 (40.8%) of the 291 reports received, the crews were violently attacked by groups of one to four people, who also reportedly carried knives or guns in 108 (90.7%) out of those 119 incidents.

* As reported to MSC 76 (MSC 76/23, paragraph 16.2), the geographically large South American and Caribbean region has been sub-divided into three regions: South America (Atlantic), South America (Pacific) and the Caribbean. This change is reflected in all relevant reports issued as of 1 January 2003.

11 The data also reveals that during the period under review at least four crew members were reported killed, three in the South China Sea and one in West Africa. This amounts to an increase of three casualties as compared to 2013, which saw one reported casualty in total. About 137 crew members were reportedly taken hostage/kidnapped. This same figure was reported in 2013, compared to 313 reported in 2012. In 49 cases the crew were assaulted in 2014, compared to 11 in 2013, largely due to a significant increase in violence employed by pirates and armed robbers off the coast of West Africa. Worldwide, 21 ships were reportedly hijacked, as compared to 13 in 2013.

12 The total number of incidents of piracy and armed robbery against ships, reported to have occurred or to have been attempted from 1984 to the end of December 2014, has risen to 7,043.

13 With regards to acts of piracy and armed robbery against ships reported to the Organization, information on such acts, which have reportedly occurred or been attempted during 2014 have been circulated by means of monthly reports (MSC.4/Circ.206, MSC.4/Circ.207, MSC.4/Circ.209, MSC.4/Circ.210, MSC.4/Circ.211, MSC.4/Circ.212, MSC.4/Circ.213, MSC.4/Circ.214, MSC.4/Circ.215, MSC.4/Circ.216, MSC.4/Circ.217 and MSC.4/Circ.218).

14 The annexes to this document provide a breakdown of the information referred to above as follows:

- .1 annex 1 provides a list of all acts reported to have occurred or to have been attempted in 2014 in chronological order of occurrence;
- .2 annex 2 provides a regional analysis of acts reported to have been allegedly committed or attempted during 2014;
- .3 annex 3 provides a graphical presentation by area, on an annual basis, of the acts reported to have been allegedly committed or attempted during 2014;
- .4 annex 4 provides a graphical presentation by area, on an annual basis, of reports received between 1984 and 31 December 2014; and
- .5 annex 5 provides a list of all acts reported to have occurred or to have been attempted in waters off the coast of Somalia in 2014 in chronological order of occurrence.

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LIST OF ACTS OF PIRACY AND ARMED ROBBERY AGAINST
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Date	Ship Name	IMO No.	Monthly Circular
ARABIAN SEA			
17/01/2014	NAVE ATROPOS	9638563	MSC.4/Circ. 206
08/02/2014	GEISE	9195470	MSC.4/Circ. 207
08/02/2014	CELSIUS MUMBAI	9304332	MSC.4/Circ. 207
28/02/2014	CRYSTAL GOLD	8400244	MSC.4/Circ. 207
07/03/2014	JOLLY QUARZO	9578983	MSC.4/Circ. 209
23/03/2014	JO SPRUCE	8919037	MSC.4/Circ. 209
05/04/2014	NAME WITHHELD		MSC.4/Circ. 210
13/04/2014	EVERHARD SCHULTE	9439838	MSC.4/Circ. 210
14/04/2014	SPYROS K	9565948	MSC.4/Circ. 210
17/04/2014	FLAG THENIA	9605487	MSC.4/Circ. 210
15/09/2014	GENEVA QUEEN	9638642	MSC.4/Circ. 215
30/12/2014	CAPTAIN NIKOLAS I	9483774	MSC.4/Circ. 218
EAST AFRICA			
16/01/2014	SAM JAGUAR	9637428	MSC.4/Circ. 206
13/02/2014	ANDREA	8209690	MSC.4/Circ. 207
16/12/2014	TORM VITA	9246803	MSC.4/Circ. 218
INDIAN OCEAN			
05/02/2014	PHOENIX NEREID	9586863	MSC.4/Circ. 207
10/02/2014	PROGRESS	9387750	MSC.4/Circ. 207
20/02/2014	SG VICTORY	9491276	MSC.4/Circ. 207
24/02/2014	ALPINE MIA	9391426	MSC.4/Circ. 207
28/02/2014	RIVER GLOBE	9464168	MSC.4/Circ. 207
01/03/2014	LATMAR	9230191	MSC.4/Circ. 209
08/03/2014	MT SP BERLIN	9387152	MSC.4/Circ. 209
20/03/2014	PAC SCHEDAR	9443360	MSC.4/Circ. 209
18/04/2014	PREM MALA	9209972	MSC.4/Circ. 210
24/04/2014	LOYALTY	9497488	MSC.4/Circ. 210
30/04/2014	NJORD THYRA	9304588	MSC.4/Circ. 210
05/05/2014	HISTRIA AGATA	9357559	MSC.4/Circ. 211
10/05/2014	FRONT AVON		MSC.4/Circ. 211
29/05/2014	ALPINE MONIQUE	9451707	MSC.4/Circ. 211

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08/06/2014	GAS BATAM	9526992	MSC.4/Circ. 212
10/06/2014	RATNA SHALINI	9439670	MSC.4/Circ. 212
06/07/2014	NORD GAINER	9448724	MSC.4/Circ. 213
07/07/2014	CONCEPT	9272204	MSC.4/Circ. 213
24/07/2014	GOLDEN ADVENTURE	9510577	MSC.4/Circ. 213
31/07/2014	AMUR RIVER	9378943	MSC.4/Circ. 213
04/08/2014	BW TOKYO	9398307	MSC.4/Circ. 214
08/08/2014	GIUSEPPE MAURO RIZZO	9448580	MSC.4/Circ. 214
22/08/2014	NAVIOS ORIANA	9614969	MSC.4/Circ. 214
03/09/2014	CHEMROAD ECHO	9284685	MSC.4/Circ. 215
14/09/2014	KOKUKA COURAGEOUS	9568495	MSC.4/Circ. 215
15/09/2014	RELIANCE II	9489764	MSC.4/Circ. 215
18/09/2014	GOLDEN FAN	8511263	MSC.4/Circ. 215
22/09/2014	OCEAN OSPREY	9150652	MSC.4/Circ. 215
22/09/2014	PENTRADER	8604955	MSC.4/Circ. 215
27/09/2014	FRONT ARROW	9654555	MSC.4/Circ. 215
06/10/2014	CLIPPER	8917807	MSC.4/Circ. 216
07/10/2014	DUBAI STAR	9365362	MSC.4/Circ. 216
08/10/2014	ARIZONA	9592733	MSC.4/Circ. 216
20/10/2014	MIMI SELMER	9324083	MSC.4/Circ. 216
23/10/2014	MIMI SELMER	9324083	MSC.4/Circ. 216
24/10/2014	SHROPSHIRE	9497115	MSC.4/Circ. 216
12/11/2014	IRIS GLORY	9364382	MSC.4/Circ. 217
23/11/2014	KIMOLOS TRADER	9658458	MSC.4/Circ. 217
25/11/2014	DORADUS	9471185	MSC.4/Circ. 217
27/11/2014	SBI CAKEWALK	9677375	MSC.4/Circ. 217
27/11/2014	DIMITRIS L	9216456	MSC.4/Circ. 217
10/12/2014	STEINTOR	9216731	MSC.4/Circ. 218
14/12/2014	BARRY TRADER	9658446	MSC.4/Circ. 218
17/12/2014	CS SUMMER	9366938	MSC.4/Circ. 218

**STRAITS OF MALACCA
AND SINGAPORE**

03/01/2014	LADY CORDELIA	9411587	MSC.4/Circ. 206
06/01/2014	JO SPRUCE	8919037	MSC.4/Circ. 206
31/01/2014	TANGO, Lewek Lea	9550046	MSC.4/Circ. 206

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01/02/2014	GLOBAL FRONTIER	9445605	MSC.4/Circ. 207
06/02/2014	KOTA BERKAT	8918071	MSC.4/Circ. 207
06/02/2014	KOTA INTAN	9358577	MSC.4/Circ. 207
07/02/2014	VERITY	9505388	MSC.4/Circ. 207
23/02/2014	JUARA SMOOTH 1	8936279	MSC.4/Circ. 207
06/03/2014	SEA VOYAGER	9408310	MSC.4/Circ. 209
06/03/2014	ORPHEAS	9318149	MSC.4/Circ. 209
10/03/2014	CAPE VENI	9344485	MSC.4/Circ. 209
29/03/2014	NORDIC ANNE	9488413	MSC.4/Circ. 209
29/03/2014	NAME WITHHELD		MSC.4/Circ. 209
31/03/2014	SAMOS	9486934	MSC.4/Circ. 209
31/03/2014	MYSTIC	9421831	MSC.4/Circ. 209
02/04/2014	PACIFIC GALAXY	9397793	MSC.4/Circ. 210
04/04/2014	RIDGEBURY JOHN B	9349631	MSC.4/Circ. 210
06/04/2014	MASAKUNI		MSC.4/Circ. 210
07/04/2014	BUDGET 18	9480320	MSC.4/Circ. 210
09/04/2014	BLACKFIN	9110365	MSC.4/Circ. 210
16/04/2014	SCF ALTAI	9224439	MSC.4/Circ. 210
19/04/2014	NEW SAILING 2	9071167	MSC.4/Circ. 210
21/04/2014	SKS DARENT	9461843	MSC.4/Circ. 210
22/04/2014	NANIWA MARU NO. 1	9058907	MSC.4/Circ. 210
03/05/2014	MSC MELATILDE	9404675	MSC.4/Circ. 211
03/05/2014	BOMAR PRELUDE	9272723	MSC.4/Circ. 211
04/05/2014	HARBOUR OSCAR - HARBOUR PIONEER	9661778	MSC.4/Circ. 211
14/05/2014	SEA BAY	9439539	MSC.4/Circ. 211
22/05/2014	NORDIC AGNETHA	9422639	MSC.4/Circ. 211
28/05/2014	ORAPIN 4	8210027	MSC.4/Circ. 211
28/05/2014	ORE VITORIA	8802923	MSC.4/Circ. 211
28/05/2014	KIEN SAN 1 - KIEN SAN 8		MSC.4/Circ. 211
29/05/2014	EASTERN STAR	9104500	MSC.4/Circ. 211
02/06/2014	NORD TOKYO	9519200	MSC.4/Circ. 212
17/06/2014	BULK ECUADOR	9426192	MSC.4/Circ. 212
25/06/2014	TORM HELENE	9143532	MSC.4/Circ. 212
25/06/2014	NCC TIHAMA	9295270	MSC.4/Circ. 212
26/06/2014	AN MAY	9313395	MSC.4/Circ. 212

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15/07/2014	STELLA KOSAN	9373591	MSC.4/Circ. 213
25/07/2014	SEA DIAS	9535876	MSC.4/Circ. 213
25/07/2014	JBU OPAL	9400409	MSC.4/Circ. 213
02/08/2014	PENTRADER	8604955	MSC.4/Circ. 214
10/08/2014	EPHESUS	9412622	MSC.4/Circ. 214
10/08/2014	DEWS	8810322	MSC.4/Circ. 214
11/08/2014	BOMAR PRELUDE	9272723	MSC.4/Circ. 214
22/08/2014	KOTA JUTA	9226839	MSC.4/Circ. 214
23/08/2014	PORT HAINAN	9456422	MSC.4/Circ. 214
24/08/2014	LINCOLN EXPRESS	8616611	MSC.4/Circ. 214
24/09/2014	ZILOS	9199206	MSC.4/Circ. 215
25/09/2014	STENA SUPERIOR	9579030	MSC.4/Circ. 215
01/10/2014	HAI JIE 1		MSC.4/Circ. 216
09/10/2014	NAME WITHHELD		MSC.4/Circ. 216
19/10/2014	LYCASTE PEACE	9249336	MSC.4/Circ. 216
20/10/2014	SPAR TAURUS	9299288	MSC.4/Circ. 216
21/10/2014	SWIBER RAVEN	9502116	MSC.4/Circ. 216
23/10/2014	GLORY SUN	8402917	MSC.4/Circ. 216
27/10/2014	PIONEER 89 - Comfort Shipping 2578	8984446	MSC.4/Circ. 216
27/10/2014	PAVIAN	9248904	MSC.4/Circ. 216
04/11/2014	BLUSTER	8516976	MSC.4/Circ. 217
07/11/2014	WINSTAR GRACE	9092836	MSC.4/Circ. 217
13/11/2014	EPHESOS	9607423	MSC.4/Circ. 217
13/11/2014	TIP TOP 1	9629859	MSC.4/Circ. 217
16/11/2014	CRYSTAL DREAM	9498080	MSC.4/Circ. 217
17/11/2014	EVER ALPHA	9552757	MSC.4/Circ. 217
17/11/2014	SOL 1005	8663547	MSC.4/Circ. 217
21/11/2014	NEW EMERALD	9110987	MSC.4/Circ. 217
22/11/2014	ALPINE MAYA	9387932	MSC.4/Circ. 217
23/11/2014	RIVER ETERNITY	9323974	MSC.4/Circ. 217
23/11/2014	CAPE YORK	9218088	MSC.4/Circ. 217
24/11/2014	MOL MANEUVER	9475648	MSC.4/Circ. 217
19/12/2014	PENDULUM	9344095	MSC.4/Circ. 218
20/12/2014	UMT 6	9188104	MSC.4/Circ. 218

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21/12/2014	MAERSK MEDITERRANEAN	9314911	MSC.4/Circ. 218
25/12/2014	ALABRA	9032654	MSC.4/Circ. 218
25/12/2014	BILLION TRADER II	9323053	MSC.4/Circ. 218
25/12/2014	BULK INDIA	9284271	MSC.4/Circ. 218
28/12/2014	SVENJA	9458901	MSC.4/Circ. 218

NORTH ATLANTIC OCEAN

30/05/2014	ARGENTA GERBERA	9424596	MSC.4/Circ. 211
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PERSIAN GULF

25/02/2014	ATALANTA	9228394	MSC.4/Circ. 207
30/03/2014	ALBUM	9240407	MSC.4/Circ. 209
25/09/2014	OCEAN QUEEN	9368223	MSC.4/Circ. 215

SOUTH AMERICA (A)

12/04/2014	NAME WITHHELD		MSC.4/Circ. 210
05/10/2014	NAME WITHHELD		MSC.4/Circ. 216

SOUTH AMERICA (C)

13/02/2014	JONA	9337028	MSC.4/Circ. 207
25/06/2014	UMGENI	9382499	MSC.4/Circ. 212
04/09/2014	WAPPEN VON LEIPZIG	9260847	MSC.4/Circ. 215
24/10/2014	JURA	9670420	MSC.4/Circ. 216
14/11/2014	COMET	9146106	MSC.4/Circ. 217
05/12/2014	SAN ANDRES	9347255	MSC.4/Circ. 218

SOUTH AMERICA (P)

07/11/2014	SAGARJEET	9507776	MSC.4/Circ. 217
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SOUTH CHINA SEA

03/01/2014	GIOVANNA IULIANO	9122576	MSC.4/Circ. 206
07/01/2014	FAIRCHEM STALLION	9291456	MSC.4/Circ. 206

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10/01/2014	SINAR BIAK	9101560	MSC.4/Circ. 206
17/01/2014	AU CO 01	9638563	MSC.4/Circ. 206
18/01/2014	ORIENTAL SAPPHIRE	9273014	MSC.4/Circ. 206
05/02/2014	NCC HUDA	9399272	MSC.4/Circ. 207
10/02/2014	PROSPERITY	9086083	MSC.4/Circ. 207
14/02/2014	KARIN RAMBOW	9327566	MSC.4/Circ. 207
01/04/2014	CENTAUR	9144328	MSC.4/Circ. 210
17/04/2014	SRI PHANG-NGA	8712257	MSC.4/Circ. 210
18/04/2014	VISHVA NIDHI	9464742	MSC.4/Circ. 210
20/04/2014	SN FEDERICA	9256248	MSC.4/Circ. 210
30/04/2014	ZHONGJI NO. 1	9379818	MSC.4/Circ. 210
01/05/2014	JAN VAN GENT	9456721	MSC.4/Circ. 211
01/05/2014	PRIME EXPRESS	9459242	MSC.4/Circ. 211
03/05/2014	ZHONGJI NO. 1	9379818	MSC.4/Circ. 211
04/05/2014	IVER EXPRESS	9314208	MSC.4/Circ. 211
07/05/2014	MAPLE EXPRESS	9258351	MSC.4/Circ. 211
12/05/2014	BALTIC GALAXY	9402237	MSC.4/Circ. 211
23/05/2014	MARATHA PARAMOUNT	9561344	MSC.4/Circ. 211
25/05/2014	NEW GLORY	9154141	MSC.4/Circ. 211
27/05/2014	INDEPENDENCE	9629536	MSC.4/Circ. 211
29/05/2014	CHARLOTTE KOSAN	9293600	MSC.4/Circ. 211
31/05/2014	AVRA	9232187	MSC.4/Circ. 211
31/05/2014	LUCAS	9181211	MSC.4/Circ. 211
03/06/2014	KIM HOCK TUG 8	9557537	MSC.4/Circ. 212
03/06/2014	GEMINA	9083316	MSC.4/Circ. 212
03/06/2014	NAME WITHHELD		MSC.4/Circ. 212
03/06/2014	OCEAN BIRD	8919817	MSC.4/Circ. 212
07/06/2014	KWEICHOW	9070694	MSC.4/Circ. 212
07/06/2014	BUDI MESRA DUA	9554913	MSC.4/Circ. 212
09/06/2014	MANYPLUS 12 - HUB 18		MSC.4/Circ. 212
10/06/2014	RONALD		MSC.4/Circ. 212
14/06/2014	AI MARU	7727504	MSC.4/Circ. 212
25/06/2014	MT BRITISH GANNET	9282481	MSC.4/Circ. 212
26/06/2014	RHL CALLIDITAS	9495777	MSC.4/Circ. 212
27/06/2014	PIERA	9450909	MSC.4/Circ. 212

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30/06/2014	CHALLENGE PROCYON	9527403	MSC.4/Circ. 212
30/06/2014	G. COMMANDER	9114581	MSC.4/Circ. 212
30/06/2014	BARCELONA	9078232	MSC.4/Circ. 212
02/07/2014	PACIFIC DAWN	9307140	MSC.4/Circ. 213
04/07/2014	MORESBY 9	7705740	MSC.4/Circ. 213
05/07/2014	GLENN MAR-B		MSC.4/Circ. 213
09/07/2014	HARBOUR HORNBILL	9150638	MSC.4/Circ. 213
09/07/2014	KMARIN MUGUNGHWA	9694995	MSC.4/Circ. 213
13/07/2014	C. P. 41	9186455	MSC.4/Circ. 213
15/07/2014	ORIENTAL GLORY	9072587	MSC.4/Circ. 213
19/07/2014	PACIFIC SILVER	9184603	MSC.4/Circ. 213
23/07/2014	GALLANT PESCADORES	9175860	MSC.4/Circ. 213
25/07/2014	JI XIANG	8403909	MSC.4/Circ. 213
20/08/2014	CHALLENGE PROCYON	9527403	MSC.4/Circ. 214
20/08/2014	LAKE DAHLIA	9391969	MSC.4/Circ. 214
22/08/2014	ZEALAND AMSTERDAM	9610884	MSC.4/Circ. 214
25/08/2014	BRO VARIO	9276303	MSC.4/Circ. 214
27/08/2014	NAME WITHELD		MSC.4/Circ. 214
28/08/2014	V. L. 14	9084712	MSC.4/Circ. 214
17/09/2014	ORAPIN 2	8122323	MSC.4/Circ. 215
19/09/2014	PACIFIC LONDON	9171838	MSC.4/Circ. 215
25/09/2014	SENTEK 23	9601003	MSC.4/Circ. 215
03/10/2014	SUNRISE 689	9624196	MSC.4/Circ. 216
09/10/2014	SRIKANDI 515	9710828	MSC.4/Circ. 216
11/10/2014	JULES POINT	9610690	MSC.4/Circ. 216
12/10/2014	VENUS	9553232	MSC.4/Circ. 216
14/10/2014	VERONIQUE D	9572070	MSC.4/Circ. 216
15/10/2014	SURATCHANYA	9066930	MSC.4/Circ. 216
17/10/2014	BULK SINGAPORE	9295608	MSC.4/Circ. 216
18/10/2014	SC TIANJIN	9378333	MSC.4/Circ. 216
19/10/2014	SAIGON BRIDGE	9444998	MSC.4/Circ. 216
21/10/2014	YUFENG 6	9588718	MSC.4/Circ. 216
21/10/2014	IRENES BELIANCE	9315862	MSC.4/Circ. 216
22/10/2014	ARUNA HULYA	9635391	MSC.4/Circ. 216

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08/11/2014	GALISSAS	9397781	MSC.4/Circ. 217
08/11/2014	VISHVA NIDHI	9464742	MSC.4/Circ. 217
12/11/2014	ORIENTAL GLORY	9072587	MSC.4/Circ. 217
16/11/2014	BEATRICE	9430818	MSC.4/Circ. 217
16/11/2014	BERGE KANGCHENJUNGA	9073438	MSC.4/Circ. 217
19/11/2014	ARAL SEA	9161314	MSC.4/Circ. 217
19/11/2014	KING BRUCE	9357810	MSC.4/Circ. 217
20/11/2014	GAS ARIES	8906810	MSC.4/Circ. 217
22/11/2014	NORGAS SONOMA	9240134	MSC.4/Circ. 217
04/12/2014	OLYMPIC GEMINI	9331397	MSC.4/Circ. 218
04/12/2014	GASCHEM PACIFIC	9402574	MSC.4/Circ. 218
07/12/2014	SEMUA BERJAYA	9396878	MSC.4/Circ. 218
07/12/2014	VP ASPHALT 2	9616395	MSC.4/Circ. 218
07/12/2014	NAME WITHHELD		MSC.4/Circ. 218
20/12/2014	KOMATI	9362700	MSC.4/Circ. 218
20/12/2014	LOS ANDES BRIDGE	9451472	MSC.4/Circ. 218
25/12/2014	EPHESUS	9412622	MSC.4/Circ. 218

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02/01/2014	SUPER LEAGUE	9251171	MSC.4/Circ. 206
08/01/2014	OCEAN CRESCENT	9258193	MSC.4/Circ. 206
16/01/2014	SKYLARK	9295048	MSC.4/Circ. 206
18/01/2014	KERALA	9390927	MSC.4/Circ. 206
30/01/2014	LEONID LOZA	9412347	MSC.4/Circ. 206
04/02/2014	UAL LOBITO	9265653	MSC.4/Circ. 207
05/02/2014	SUEZ VASILIS	9524451	MSC.4/Circ. 207
06/02/2014	SUEZ VASILIS	9524451	MSC.4/Circ. 207
06/02/2014	CHER	9357614	MSC.4/Circ. 207
19/02/2014	MASTERS FORCE	9036923	MSC.4/Circ. 207
20/02/2014	MAERSK HANDLER	9246724	MSC.4/Circ. 207
04/03/2014	NAME WITHHELD		MSC.4/Circ. 209
06/03/2014	APOLLOGRACHT	9014896	MSC.4/Circ. 209
06/03/2014	PRIME LADY	8112524	MSC.4/Circ. 209
20/03/2014	CRETE	8806371	MSC.4/Circ. 209

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05/05/2014	CHINA SPIRIT	9655846	MSC.4/Circ. 211
13/05/2014	UNGIESHI	9261841	MSC.4/Circ. 211
21/05/2014	UNGIESHI	9261841	MSC.4/Circ. 211
02/06/2014	LUHAI	9159452	MSC.4/Circ. 212
03/06/2014	SAMPATIKI	9405772	MSC.4/Circ. 212
05/06/2014	FAIR ARTEMIS	9464156	MSC.4/Circ. 212
05/06/2014	MARINE 711	7395870	MSC.4/Circ. 212
10/06/2014	STADT SEVILLA	9440306	MSC.4/Circ. 212
30/06/2014	JAN DAVID S	9259381	MSC.4/Circ. 212
25/07/2014	HAI SOON 6	9062697	MSC.4/Circ. 213
04/08/2014	CASTLEGATE	9460318	MSC.4/Circ. 214
09/08/2014	BW LENA	9324318	MSC.4/Circ. 214
11/08/2014	SKANDI SINGAPORE	9429857	MSC.4/Circ. 214
14/08/2014	ODIN FINDER	7031761	MSC.4/Circ. 214
20/08/2014	BLIZZARD	8516952	MSC.4/Circ. 214
26/08/2014	HUASCAR	9038751	MSC.4/Circ. 214
26/08/2014	SEA STERLING	9607318	MSC.4/Circ. 214
27/08/2014	SP BOSTON	9471173	MSC.4/Circ. 214
29/09/2014	LAUREN FOSS	8218938	MSC.4/Circ. 215
11/10/2014	NA		MSC.4/Circ. 216
25/10/2014	STRIDER	9514494	MSC.4/Circ. 216
04/11/2014	IRENES LOGOS	9123922	MSC.4/Circ. 217
08/11/2014	LADY ELIZABETH	9446491	MSC.4/Circ. 217
11/11/2014	CONGER	9198771	MSC.4/Circ. 217
16/11/2014	NAME WITHHELD		MSC.4/Circ. 217
13/12/2014	ODIN FINDER	7031761	MSC.4/Circ. 218
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	South China Sea	Straits of Malacca and Singapore	Indian Ocean	Persian Gulf	Arabian Sea	East Africa	West Africa
Location of incident							
In international waters	2	1	0	1	9	1	7
In territorial waters	5	2	1	2	2	0	6
In port area	4	1	1	0	0	0	4
Status of ship when attacked							
Steaming	1	3	0	3	11	1	10
At anchor	10	1	2	0	0	0	5
Not stated	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Number of persons involved in the attack							
1-4 persons	7	3	1	0	1	0	5
5-10 persons	2	1	0	1	4	1	9
More than 10 persons	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
Not stated	2	0	0	2	4	0	2
Consequences to the crew							
Actual violence against the crew	1	0	0	1	2	1	8
Threat of violence against the crew	6	2	2	2	7	0	7
Ship missing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ship hijacked	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
None/not stated	4	2	0	0	1	0	2
Weapons used by attackers							
Guns	2	1	0	1	2	1	9
Knives	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Rocket-propelled grenades	0	0	0	0	2	0	1
Other	0	0	0	1	3	0	2
None/not stated	7	2	2	1	4	0	4
Parts of ship raided							
Master and crew accommodation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cargo area	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Store rooms	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Engine room	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Main deck	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Not boarded	11	4	2	3	11	1	17
Not stated	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other							
Lives lost (unit: people)	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wounded crew (unit: people)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Missing crew (unit: people)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Crew hostage (unit: people)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Assaulted (unit: people)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ransom	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total number of incidents reported per area	11	4	2	3	11	1	17
Total number of incidents reported			49				

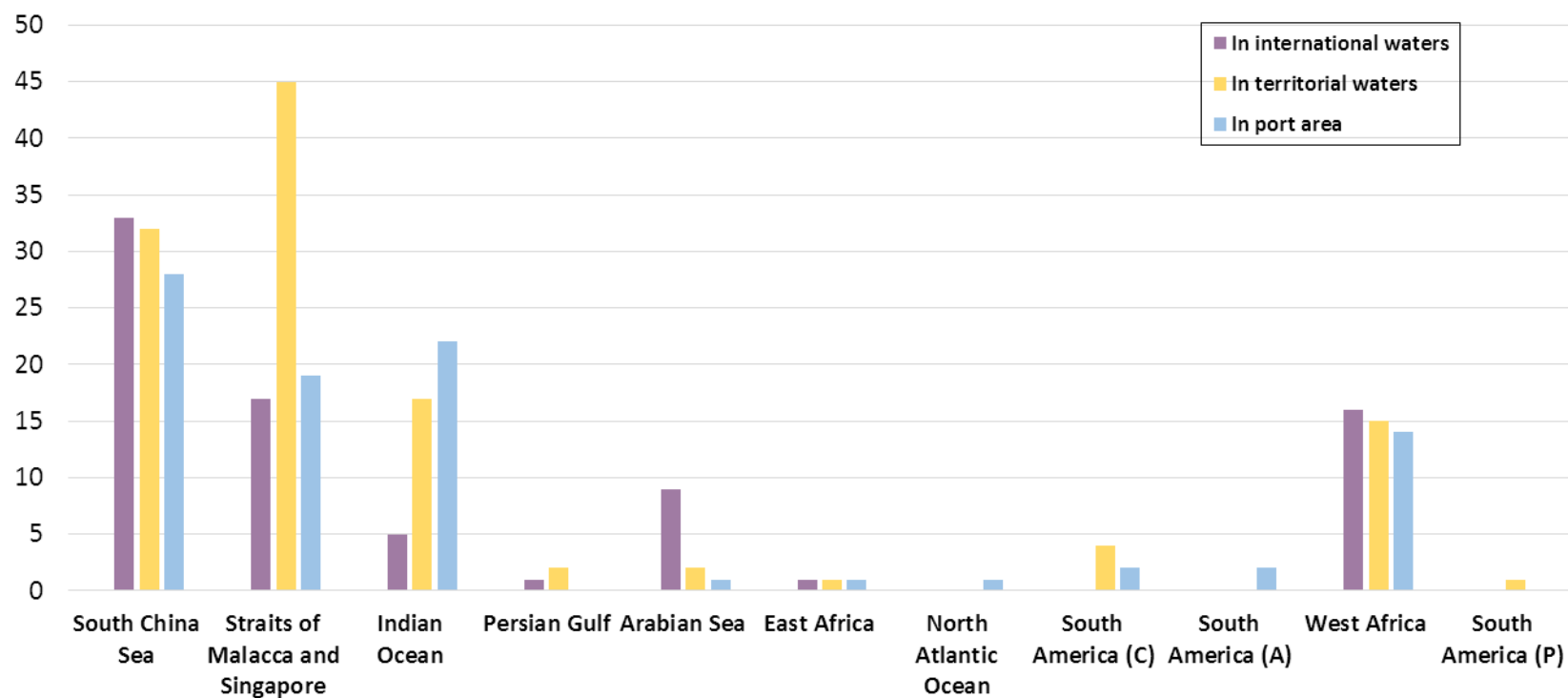
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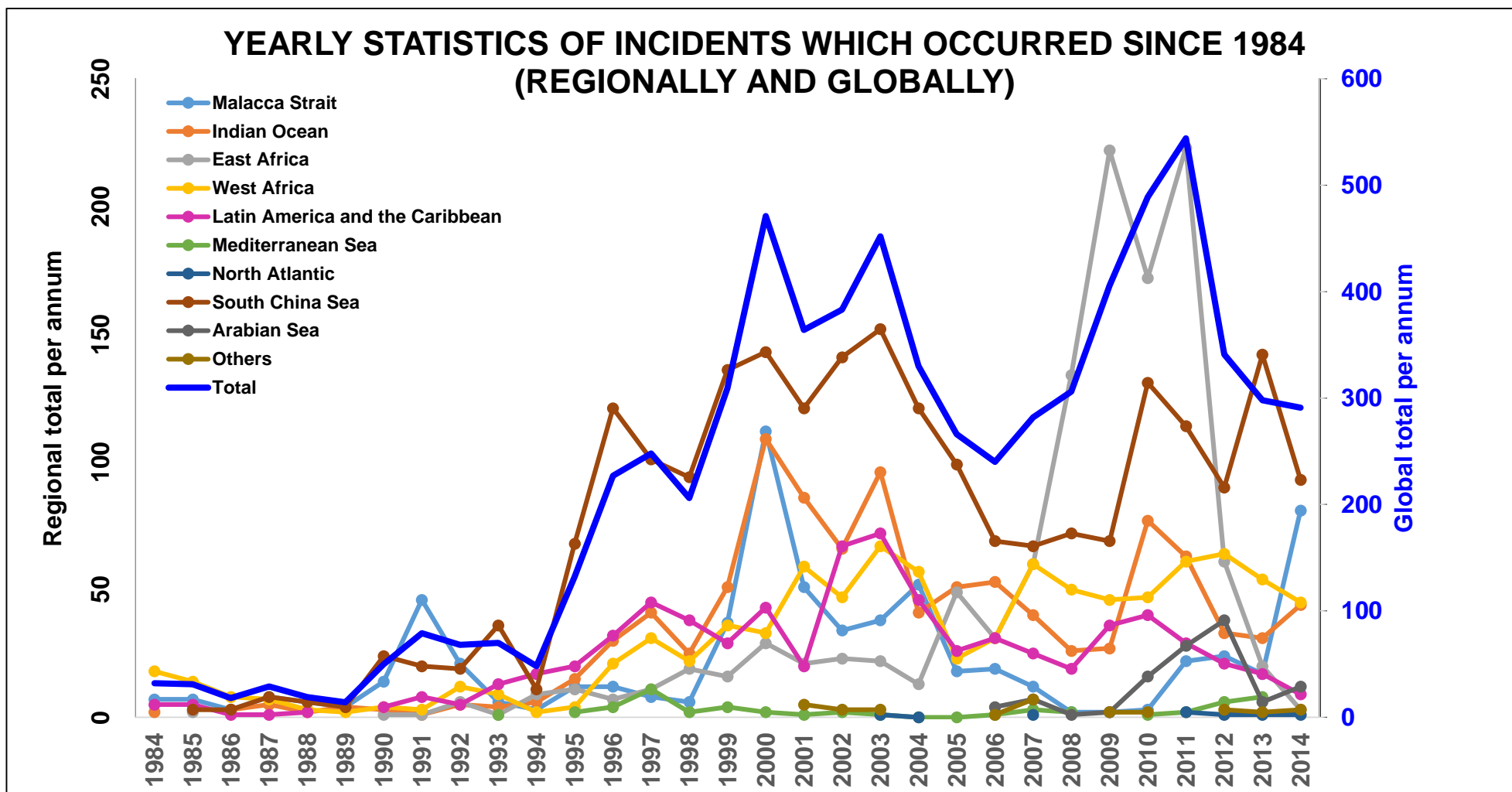
	South China Sea	Straits of Malacca and Singapore	Indian Ocean	Arabian Sea	East Africa	North Atlantic Ocean	South America (C)	South America (A)	West Africa	South America (P)
Location of incident										
In international waters	31	16	5	0	0	0	0	0	9	0
In territorial waters	27	43	16	0	1	0	4	0	9	1
In port area	24	18	21	1	1	1	2	2	10	0
Status of ship when attacked										
Steaming	24	45	5	0	0	0	0	0	9	0
At anchor	52	29	34	1	2	1	5	2	16	1
Not stated	6	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	2	0
Number of persons involved in the attack										
1-4 persons	30	37	17	1	1	1	2	1	12	0
5-10 persons	26	22	13	0	0	0	1	1	8	0
More than 10 persons	1	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Not stated	22	14	7	0	0	0	2	0	5	1
Consequences to the crew										
Actual violence against the crew	33	34	10	0	0	1	2	0	8	0
Threat of violence against the crew	17	16	14	0	2	0	0	1	7	0
Ship missing	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ship hijacked	11	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	7	0
None/not stated	20	23	17	1	0	0	4	1	4	1
Weapons used by attackers										
Guns	9	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	7	0
Knives	20	24	17	0	1	0	2	2	5	0
Rocket-propelled grenades	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	9	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
None/not stated	36	40	20	1	1	1	3	0	12	1
Parts of ship raided										
Master and crew accommodation	13	10	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Cargo area	6	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Store rooms	18	15	20	1	1	0	4	2	7	0
Engine room	17	20	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Main deck	26	25	17	0	1	1	2	0	11	1
Not boarded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Not stated	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other										
Lives lost (unit: people)	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Wounded crew (unit: people)	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Missing crew (unit: people)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Crew hostage (unit: people)	43	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	66	0
Assaulted (unit: people)	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	41	0
Ransom	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total number of incidents reported per area	82	77	42	1	2	1	6	2	28	1
Total number of incidents reported	242									

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17/01/2014	NAVE ATROPOS	9638563	MSC.4/Circ. 206
08/02/2014	GEISE	9195470	MSC.4/Circ. 207
08/02/2014	CELSIUS MUMBAI	9304332	MSC.4/Circ. 207
13/02/2014	ANDREA	8209690	MSC.4/Circ. 207
28/02/2014	CRYSTAL GOLD	8400244	MSC.4/Circ. 207
07/03/2014	JOLLY QUARZO	9578983	MSC.4/Circ. 209
23/03/2014	JO SPRUCE	8919037	MSC.4/Circ. 209
05/04/2014	NAME WITHHELD		MSC.4/Circ. 210
13/04/2014	EVERHARD SCHULTE	9439838	MSC.4/Circ. 210
14/04/2014	SPYROS K	9565948	MSC.4/Circ. 210
17/04/2014	FLAG THENIA	9605487	MSC.4/Circ. 210
30/12/2014	CAPTAIN NIKOLAS I	9483774	MSC.4/Circ. 218