MARITIME SECURITY INFORMATION SOURCES

A Comprehensive Resource Guide

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CATEGORY & RESOURCE	DESCRIPTION	ACCESS LINK
GENERAL MARITIME SECURITY		
Maritime Global Security	A shipping industry resource offering guidance and external links on maritime security threats. Organized by threat type and geography, it provides region-specific and global insights, with endorsed guidance from industry associations.	https://www.maritimeglobalsecurity.org/geography/global/
Stable Seas	Comprehensive research platform for maritime illicit activities such as piracy, human trafficking, illegal fishing, and drug smuggling. Provides an interactive maritime security index and detailed reports.	https://www.stableseas.org/
U.S. Maritime Administration	Provides advisories and analysis on navigation threats, particularly those affecting U.S. interests. Offers insights into geopolitical risks, piracy, and other maritime security threats.	https://www.maritime.dot.gov/msci-advisories
Marshall Islands Maritime	A compilation of maritime security resources, including legal frameworks, security guidelines, and best practices for maritime operations.	https://www.register-iri.com/maritime/maritime-security/
International Maritime Organization	The United Nations agency responsible for maritime safety and security. Provides guidelines, regulations, and reports on issues like piracy, port security, and cyber threats in the maritime domain.	https://www.imo.org/en/OurWork/Security/Pages/MaritimeSecurity.aspx
Information Fusion Centre	A regional maritime security information-sharing center based in Singapore. Facilitates collaboration among nations to enhance maritime security in the Asia-Pacific region.	https://www.ifc.org.sg/ifc2web/app_pages/User/commonv2/pubsProducts.cshtml
UKMTO	Provides maritime security information within the UKMTO Voluntary Reporting Area (VRA), including threat assessments and advisories for commercial shipping.	https://www.ukmto.org/ukmto-products
MICA Centre	A French initiative that provides maritime situational awareness and information sharing to enhance maritime security.	https://www.mica-center.org/en/home/
MARITIME TERRORISM		
START Database	The Global Terrorism Database (GTD) maintained by the University of Maryland, containing over 200,000 incidents of terrorism worldwide since 1970. Includes detailed information on maritime terrorism incidents.	https://www.start.umd.edu/
Jamestown Foundation	A think tank specializing in Eurasian security issues, including maritime terrorism. Publishes analyses and reports on terrorist activities in maritime regions.	https://jamestown.org/?s=MARITIME+TERRORISM
RAND Corporation	A research organization that provides in-depth studies on terrorism, including maritime terrorism. Maintains a database of global terrorism incidents.	https://www.rand.org/nsrd/projects/terrorism-incidents.html
UN Counter-Terrorism	The United Nations' official counter-terrorism documentation, including resolutions, reports, and	https://www.un.org/counterterrorism/cct

	strategies to combat terrorism, including maritime terrorism.	
West Point CTC	A U.S.-based center that conducts research and analysis on terrorism and counter-terrorism, including maritime terrorism. Publishes the Sentinel journal.	https://ctc.westpoint.edu/
South Asia Terrorism Portal	A comprehensive resource for monitoring terrorist activities in South Asia, including maritime terrorism incidents.	www.satp.org
Perspectives on Terrorism	An academic journal that publishes research articles on terrorism, including maritime terrorism. Freely accessible.	https://pt.icct.nl/
ICT Israel (International Institute for Counter-Terrorism)	An Israeli academic institute that conducts research on terrorism and counter-terrorism, including maritime terrorism.	https://ict.org.il/
Washington Institute	A U.S.-based think tank that focuses on Middle East security issues, including maritime terrorism.	https://www.washingtoninstitute.org/
Fondation Recherche Stratégique	A French think tank that provides strategic analysis on global security issues, including maritime terrorism.	https://www.frstrategie.org/
PIRACY INFORMATION		
ICC-IMB Piracy Centre	The International Maritime Bureau's Piracy Reporting Centre is the primary source for data on maritime piracy. Publishes quarterly and annual reports on piracy incidents.	http://www.icc-ccs.org/piracy-reporting-centre
NGA Maritime Safety	The National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency provides reports and Anti-Shipping Activity Messages (ASAM) on piracy incidents globally.	https://msi.nga.mil/
IMO Piracy Reports	The International Maritime Organization publishes monthly and annual reports on piracy incidents.	https://www.imo.org/en/OurWork/Security/Pages/Piracy-Reports-Default.aspx
ReCAAP (Regional Cooperation Agreement on Combating Piracy and Armed Robbery against Ships in Asia)	A regional organization that monitors and reports on piracy and armed robbery in Asian waters.	http://www.recaap.org/
MSCIO-EUNAVFOR ATALANTA	Provides piracy information and threat assessments in the Western Indian Ocean, particularly related to the EU's counter-piracy mission, Operation Atalanta.	https://mscio.eu/mscio-products/weekly-threat-assessment/
ILLEGAL TRAFFIC & FISHING		
UNODC	The UN agency responsible for combating drug trafficking, human trafficking, and other transnational crimes. Publishes annual reports and maintains specialized databases.	https://www.unodc.org/

UNODC Databases	Specialized databases maintained by UNODC on various crimes, including maritime crime, drug trafficking, and human trafficking	https://www.unodc.org/unodc/en/international-cooperation/databases.html
Global Fishing Watch	A platform that monitors global fishing activities using satellite data. Tracks fishing vessels and identifies illegal fishing activities.	https://globalfishingwatch.org/map/
Trygg Mat Tracking	A Norwegian organization that publishes reports on illegal fishing activities and maintains a database of vessels involved in illegal fishing.	https://www.tm-tracking.org/publications-resources
Stop Illegal Fishing	An African-based initiative that works to combat illegal fishing in African waters. Publishes case studies and reports on illegal fishing activities.	https://stopillegalfishing.com/all-publications/