

HAZARD

A large blue naval ship, possibly a destroyer or cruiser, is shown from a front-three-quarter perspective. The ship has a prominent radar dome on its mast and is sailing on a blue sea with white-capped waves. The sky is a deep blue with scattered white clouds. The ship's hull number '61' is visible on the bow.

IDENTIFY
AN ENEMY
VESSEL
BEFORE IT
CAN
ESCAPE

NAVAL INTRUSION

Briefing

Greetings, Special Agent.

We have a special case on our hands today. As tensions around the island nation of Taiwan rise by the day, allied nations reach out frequently for our help. Today is no exception. This morning at 09:43 Taipei Standard Time, the Taiwanese Navy identified a foreign vessel entering it's waters.

Upon making contact, the ship left westward for international waters. However, a UAV was dispatched and managed to snatch a picture of the vessel.

The ship did not identify, nor does it match the database of known vessels operated by any Navy around the world. It comes close to several, but appears to be altered for a different purpose.

The Taiwanese government signed a contract for our services to identify the original make and model of the vessel.

As always, Special Agent. The Contract is yours, if you choose to accept.

Materials

ship-image-01.png

Answer Instruction

Use the answer to unlock the flagfile, this will reward you with your badge.

Answer Format: type-123q-nato-reporting-name

Answer Example: type-555d-kingkong-IV

Flagfile

Be advised, the flagfile is an encrypted ZIP. Make sure your OS supports the ZIP format. Ensure the password contains no hidden characters.

Write-Up

There is an attached file called a write-up, this will give you the answer in case you get stuck.

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