

**Piracy monthly report November 2020**  
**Acts of piracy and armed robbery allegedly committed against ships reported by**  
**Member States or international organizations in consultative status**

N°	Ship Name Type of Ship Flag Gross Tonnage IMO Number	Date Time	Position of the incident*	Details of the incident	Consequences for crew, ship, cargo	Action taken by the master and the crew	Was the incident reported to the coastal authority? Which one?	Reporting State or international organization	Coastal State Action Taken
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**IN INTERNATIONAL WATERS**

1	Nefeli II Product tanker Panama 6501 9291638	04/11/2020 05:49 UTC	WEST AFRICA Around 96nm SSW of Brass Nigeria 02° 43.92' N 006° 02.81' E	Around six to seven pirates armed with rifles attacked and boarded the tanker underway. Alarm raised and all crew mustered in the citadel. Local authorities notified. A security vessel was dispatched to assist the tanker. Once the pirates had left the tanker, the crew emerged and noticed the bridge equipment damaged. Ship's item were also reported stolen. Under the escort of the security vessel the ship proceeded to a safe port. The tanker and crew are safe.	All crew took shelter in the citadel. Pirates damaged the bridge equipment and stole ship's item	Took shelter in the citadel	Yes Yes. MDAT-GoG	PRC relayed the message to Nigerian Navy HQ (Ops room) & Nimasa	A security vessel was dispatched to assist the tanker
2	Torm Alexandra Chemical tanker Singapore 30302 9466001	07/11/2020 06:15 LT	WEST AFRICA South of Cotonou Benin 03° 31.23' N 002° 33.54' E	While underway, perpetrators boarded the tanker. The crew retreated to the citadel and the master was able to establish communication with the company office / CSO via satellite phone.  At about 0855 hrs (UTC), the Italian Navy informed that the Italian frigate "Federico Martinengo (F596)" was responding and proceeding towards the ship. The Italian frigate subsequently sent its helicopter to the location of Torm Alexandra at about 1100 hrs (UTC). Upon seeing the helicopter, the perpetrators escaped from the ship.  The Italian frigate arrived at the location of the ship at about 1600 hrs (UTC). The Navy personnel from the Italian frigate boarded the ship and did a sweep to ascertain that the perpetrators had left the ship. The crew came out from the citadel when the all clear was given.	The crew was not injured.  Nothing was stolen.	The crew retreated to the citadel and the master was able to establish communication with the company office / CSO via satellite phone.	Yes Lagos MRCC, and MDAT-GOG	ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore)	The Italian frigate "Federico Martinengo (F596)" responded and proceeded towards the ship. The Italian frigate subsequently sent its helicopter to the location of Torm Alexandra.  Thereafter, the Italian frigate arrived at the location of the ship. The Navy personnel from the Italian frigate boarded the ship and did a sweep to ascertain that the perpetrators had left the

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								ship.	
3	Name Withheld Product tanker Singapore 30302	07/11/2020 06:15 UTC	WEST AFRICA Around 172nm South of Cotonou Benin 03° 31.00' N 002° 34.00' E	Pirates armed with rifles boarded the tanker underway. Alarm raised, main engine stopped, SSAS activated, CSO informed and all crew mustered in the citadel. Benin Navy dispatched a patrol boat. An Italian Navy frigate and its helicopter responded. A naval boarding team boarded the tanker and once clearance was given, the crew emerged from the citadel and regained control of the tanker. All crew members are reported safe.	Nil	Alarm raised, main engine stopped, SSAS activated, CSO informed and all crew mustered in the citadel	Yes MDAT-GoG	PRC relayed the message to MOC Benin	A naval boarding team boarded the tanker to rescued
4	Wesley Product tanker Marshall Islands 9382 8917924	07/11/2020 16:20 UTC	WEST AFRICA Around 87nm SW of Bayelsa Nigeria 03° 35.90' N 004° 36.30' E	Seven armed pirates in a boat chased the tanker underway. Alarm raised, crew mustered in citadel, and activated the fire pump. As the boat approached the tanker, the armed team fired warning shots resulting in the boat moving away. The tanker and crew are safe. The Incident was reported to local agent.	Nil	Alarm raised, crew mustered in citadel, and activated the fire pump. The armed team fired warning shots	No	PRC relayed the message to Nigerian Navy HQ (Ops room) & Nimasa	The Nigerian Navy armed guard onboard fired warning shots
5	Zeno Tanker Liberia 79668 9247429	08/11/2020 21:25 LT	MALACCA STRAIT Approximately 4.4 nm south of Tanjung Bulat, East Johor, Malaysia Malaysia 01° 16.46' N 104° 12.53' E	While underway, three perpetrators were sighted in the engine room. The alarm was immediately raised and a search on board the ship was conducted. There was no confrontation between the crew and the perpetrators. At about 2305 hrs, the master updated Singapore VTIS via VHF that there was no further sighting of the perpetrators on board. Some ship equipment including a sounding rod, an oil sampling rod, a portable breathing apparatus, portable instruments for measuring ullage and a portable spray painter were stolen from the engine room. The crew was not injured. The RSN's MSTF and Singapore Police Coast Guard were informed; and the Malaysian and Indonesian authorities were notified. A safety navigational broadcast was initiated to alert mariners.	The crew was not injured.  Some ship equipment including a sounding rod, an oil sampling rod, a portable breathing apparatus, portable instruments for measuring ullage and a portable spray painter were stolen from the engine room.	The alarm was immediately raised and a search on board the ship was conducted.	Yes Singapore VTIS	ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore)	The RSN's MSTF, Singapore Police Coast Guard, and the Malaysian and Indonesian authorities were notified. A safety navigational broadcast was initiated.
6	Lefkada Bulk carrier Liberia 23306 9767546	09/11/2020 02:20 LT	MALACCA STRAIT Approximately 5.4 nm southeast of Tanjung Ramunia, East Johor, Malaysia Malaysia 01° 17.70' N 104° 20.02' E	While underway, two perpetrators were sighted in the vicinity of engine room locker. The alarm was raised, crew mustered and a search on board the ship was conducted. There was no confrontation between the crew and the perpetrators. At about 0340 hrs, the master updated Singapore VTIS that there was no further sighting of the perpetrators on board. The oil spill equipment locker was found unlocked and a lifebuoy was stolen. The crew was not injured. The RSN's MSTF and Singapore Police Coast Guard were informed; and the Malaysian and Indonesian authorities were notified. A safety navigational broadcast was initiated to alert mariners.	The crew was not injured.  A lifebuoy was stolen.	The alarm was raised, crew mustered and a search on board the ship was conducted	Yes Singapore VTIS	ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore)	The RSN's MSTF, Singapore Police Coast Guard, and the Malaysian and Indonesian authorities were notified. A safety navigational broadcast was initiated.

7	Atlantic Diana Bulk carrier Panama 17018 9515539	09/11/2020 03:08 LT	MALACCA STRAIT Approximately 5.7 nm northwest of Tanjung Pergam, Pulau Bintan Indonesia 01° 16.73' N 104° 18.02' E	While underway, one perpetrator was sighted in the vicinity of the steering gear flat. The alarm was raised, crew mustered and a search on board the ship was conducted. There was no confrontation between the crew and the perpetrator. At about 0755 hrs, the master updated Singapore Vessel Traffic Information System (VTIS) that there was no further sighting of the perpetrator on board. Nothing was stolen and the crew was not injured. The Republic of Singapore Navy (RSN)'s Maritime Security Task Force (MSTF) and Singapore Police Coast Guard were informed; and the Indonesian authorities were notified. A safety navigational broadcast was initiated to alert mariners.	The crew was not injured.  Nothing was stolen.	The alarm was raised, crew mustered and a search on board the ship was conducted	Yes Singapore VTIS	ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore)	The RSN's MSTF and Singapore Police Coast Guard were informed; and the Indonesian authorities were notified. A safety navigational broadcast was initiated to alert mariners.
8	Bob Barker Research ship Netherlands 488 5280540	09/11/2020 06:30 UTC	WEST AFRICA Around 116nm South of Cotonou Benin 04° 26.30' N 002° 42.00' E	Duty officer onboard the ship noticed a speed boat approaching and raised the alarm. Master transmitted a distress alert and fired a rocket flare resulting in the boat moving away temporarily and then commenced the approach again. Eight armed persons were identified in the approaching boat. All crew retreated into the citadel. The onboard Benin Navy personnel fired warning shots which resulted in the boat aborting and moving away. All crew safe.	Nil	Alarm raised, Master No transmitted a distress alert and fired a rocket flare. Crew mustered into Citadel and The onboard Benin Navy security personnel fired warning shots.		PRC relayed message to Benin Authorities	NA
9	Jane Product tanker Marshall Islands 29733 9364588	11/11/2020 01:00 UTC	WEST AFRICA Around 70nm South of Cotonou Benin 05° 12.00' N 002° 35.00' E	Around eight armed pirates in a skiff chased and attempted to board a tanker underway. Master raised the alarm, increased speed, took evasive manoeuvres and activated the distress alert. As the skiff closed in, the pirates opened fire towards the bridge and accommodation. A Nigerian Navy patrol boat responded to the distress alert. Due to the hardening measures taken by the Master, the skiff aborted the attack. The patrol boat rendezvoused with the tanker and escorted her to a safe port. Some bridge and accommodation damage were reported due to the firing.	Some bridge and accommodation damage were reported	Alarm raised, fire pump activated, commenced evasive maneuvers, and SSAS activated	Yes MDAT-GoG	MOC Benin, Nigerian Navy HQ (Ops room) & Nimasa	Nigerian Navy patrol vessel was deployed to the location to assist and escorted the vessel to the safe port
10	Name Witheld Heavy load carrier Liberia 44471	13/11/2020 14:54 UTC	WEST AFRICA 78NM NW of Neves Sao Tome and Principe 01° 11.32' N 005° 33.25' E	Pirates armed with rifles in a small boat approached the ship underway. They boarded the ship, opened fire and injured one crew. Before escaping, the pirates stole ship and crew properties and kidnapped 14 crew members. The Owners of the ship notified the IMB Piracy Reporting Centre who then liaised with relevant regional and international authorities in the region and requested for assistance. Italian, Spanish and Portuguese Navy Vessels arrived at the location and aided the ship. The injured crew was transported on an Italian Aircraft to the hospital in Sao Tome and Principe. The ship and remaining crew were escorted to a safe port.	Ship and crew properties stolen. 14 crew members kidnapped	Alarm raised, and SSAS alert activated	No	PRC relayed the message to Sao Tome and Principe Navy, Italian Navy and Warships in GOG	Italian, Spanish and Portuguese Navy Vessels arrived at the location and aided the ship. The injured crew was transported on an Italian Aircraft to the hospital in Sao Tome and

									Principe. The ship and remaining crew were escorted to a safe port.
11	Asia Spring Bulk carrier Panama 39994 9223320	17/11/2020 14:50 UTC	MALACCA STRAIT Singapore Strait Singapore 01° 15.00' N 104° 04.30' E	While underway, three perpetrators were sighted on the main deck. The alarm was raised and crew mustered. The perpetrators escaped from the stern of the ship. The master reported the incident to Singapore VTIS. Nothing was stolen and the crew was not injured. The ship did not require assistance and proceeded on her passage to China. The RSN's Maritime Security Task Force (MSTF) and Singapore Police Coast Guard were informed; and the Indonesian authorities were notified. A safety navigational broadcast was initiated to alert mariners.	The crew was not injured. Nothing was stolen.	Alarm raised, crew mustered, and ship lights switched on	Yes Singapore VTIS	PRC relayed the message to Singapore Police Coast Guard  ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore)	The RSN's MSTF and Singapore Police Coast Guard were informed; and the Indonesian authorities were notified. A safety navigational broadcast was initiated to alert mariners.
12	Errina Product tanker Panama 15450 9802061	22/11/2020 06:57 UTC	WEST AFRICA Around 105nm South of Lagos Nigeria 04° 38.63' N 003° 28.44' E	A tanker underway, was boarded by six armed pirates. The crew managed to retreat into the citadel. The Owners of the tanker notified the IMB Piracy Reporting Centre who liaised with relevant regional and international authorities in the region and requested for assistance. A Nigerian navy patrol boat was dispatched to the location. An Italian Navy frigate and its helicopter also responded. The pirates damaged ships property and equipment and stole cash and belongings and escaped. All crew reported safe. Master proceeded to a safe port as advised by the Nigerian Navy.	The pirates damaged ships property and equipment and stole cash and belongings	All crew mustered in the citadel	Yes Nigerian authority, MDAT-GoG	PRC relayed the message to Nigerian Navy HQ (Ops room), Nimasa & Sao Tome and Principe Navy	Nigerian Navy patrol boat, Italian Navy vessel and helicopter were dispatched to the location.
13	Epic Bolivar LPG tanker Singapore 6036 9254264	25/11/2020 21:05 UTC	INDIAN OCEAN Pussur River, Mongla Bangladesh 22° 22.99' N 089° 37.37' E	Three robbers armed with a crowbar boarded an anchored tanker. Duty watchman noticed the robbers and informed the bridge. Alarm raised and crew mustered. Seeing the alerted crew, the robbers escaped without stealing anything. Incident reported to Port control.	Nil	Alarm raised and crew mustered	Yes Mongla Port Control	PRC relayed the message to Bangladesh Coast Guard	NA
14	Milan General cargo ship Saint Kitts and Nevis 1576	26/11/2020 12:58 UTC	WEST AFRICA Around 12nm SW of Bayelsa Nigeria 04° 28.10' N 005° 31.17' E	Armed persons attacked and boarded the ship underway. They kidnapped 10 crew members and left the ship drifting. Upon receiving the information	10 crew members were kidnapped	NA	Yes MDAT - GoG	PRC relayed message to Italian Navy, Nigerian Navy HQ & Nimasa	Nigerian Navy patrol vessel was deployed to the location

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from the Owners, the IMB Piracy Reporting Centre informed the relevant authorities, including the Italian navy. Nigerian Navy dispatched a patrol boat to investigate and assist the remaining crew and vessel. On 21 Dec 2020, the Owners confirmed that the 10 kidnapped crew members were released safely.

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15	Name Withheld Product tanker Marshall Islands 23270	29/11/2020 21:10 UTC	WEST AFRICA Around 56nm SSE of Anloga Ghana  001° 10.70' E	A tanker underway noticed a possible pirate mother vessel approaching and raised the alarm. SSAS activated, speed increased, evasive manoeuvres commenced and non-essential crew retreated into the citadel. The bridge team kept a lookout towards the mother vessel. A skiff with four armed persons was noticed approaching from a different direction. As the skiff approached, it opened fire towards the bridge. The pirates boarded the tanker using a ladder with hooks. Once onboard, the pirates damaged the communication equipment and stole ship and crew cash and properties. Before escaping, they kidnapped four crew members. The Master was reported injured during the incident. The tanker sailed to a safe anchorage.	Ships and crew properties stolen. 4 crew members kidnapped and Master injured	Alarm sounded, SSAS activated, speed increased, evasive manoeuvres commenced and non-essential crew retreated into the citadel	Yes MDAT-GoG, Togo Navy & Port Control Lome	PRC relayed the message to Ghana MRCC, Ghana Navy & Ghana MOC	Investigation carried out
16	Semirio Bulk carrier Marshall Islands 88955 9406893	29/11/2020 22:20 UTC	MALACCA STRAIT Singapore Strait Approximately 6.4 nm northwest of Tanjung Tondang, Pulau Bintan, Singapore 01° 16.40' N 104° 15.50' E	Unnoticed, robbers boarded the ship underway, stole ship's spares and escaped. Incident reported to VTIS  While underway, two perpetrators were sighted in the vicinity of the steering gear room. The alarm was raised and a search on board was conducted. At about 0835 hrs, the master updated that there was no further sighting of the perpetrators on board. Some engine spares were declared stolen. All crew are safe and no assistance required. The ship continued her voyage to China. The Republic of Singapore Navy's Maritime Security Task Force (MSTF) and Singapore Police Coast Guard were informed; and the Malaysian and Indonesian authorities were notified. A safety navigational broadcast was initiated to alert mariners.	The crew was not injured. Ship spares stolen	Crew alerted and a search was carried out	Yes Singapore VTIS	PRC relayed the message to Singapore Police Coast Guard  ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore)	The Republic of Singapore Navy's MSTF and Singapore Police Coast Guard were informed; and the Malaysian and Indonesian authorities were notified. A safety navigational broadcast was initiated to alert mariners.

## IN TERRITORIAL WATERS

1	AM Delta General cargo ship Ghana 999 9015929	16/11/2020 03:20 UTC	WEST AFRICA Around 45NM SSW of Brass Nigeria 03° 32.70' N 006° 09.39' E	Eight pirates armed with assault rifles in a speed boat boarded the ship underway. The pirates stole ship and crew properties and kidnapped five crew members before escaping. Remaining crew onboard sailed the ship to a safe port. On 30 Dec 2020, the Owners confirmed that the five kidnapped crew members were released safely on 23 Dec 2020.	Ship and crew properties stolen. Five crew members kidnapped	NA	Yes Nigerian Navy	PRC relayed the message to Nigerian Navy HQ & Nimasa	NA
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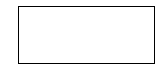
2	Name Wihtheld Togo 236	16/11/2020 05:40 UTC	WEST AFRICA Around 40nm SSE of Lome Togo 05° 28.00' N 001° 25.00' E	The IMB Piracy Reporting Centre received information that Owners had lost contact with their tanker. The Centre immediately informed and commenced information exchange with all relevant Regional Authorities including an Italian warship in the vicinity. The tanker was located by an Italian navy helicopter on 23 Nov 2020 and position updates of the tanker were provided by the Italian warship until a Nigerian Navy patrol boat arrived to escort the tanker to a safe port. Three crew were reported as kidnapped.	Three crew members were kidnapped	Nil	No	PRC relayed message to the Italian Navy & Togo Navy	Nigerian Navy patrol vessel was deployed to the location to assist and escorted the vessel to the safe port
3	MTM Amsterdam Product tanker Singapore 12184 9776444	18/11/2020 04:19 LT	MALACCA STRAIT Singapore Strait Singapore 01° 16.58' N 104° 14.57' E	While underway, two perpetrators armed with knives were sighted at aft poop deck. The alarm was raised and a search on board the ship was conducted immediately. The master reported the incident to Singapore Vessel Traffic Information System (VTIS); and that the perpetrators had escaped undetected. Nothing was stolen and the crew was not injured. The ship proceeded on her passage to China. The Republic of Singapore Navy (RSN) and Singapore Police Coast Guard were informed; and the Malaysian and Indonesian authorities were notified.	The crew was not injured. Nothing was stolen.	The alarm was raised and a search on board the ship was conducted immediately.	Yes Singapore VTIS	PRC relayed the message to Singapore Police Coast Guard  ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore)	The RSN and Singapore Police Coast Guard were informed; and the Malaysian and Indonesian authorities were notified.
4	TW 5320/6 F Fishing vessel Malaysia	20/11/2020 15:50 LT	MALACCA STRAIT Tanjung Hantu area, Inderasabah, Tawau, East Malaysia Malaysia	While underway, three perpetrators approached the fishing boat in a purple-striped white wooden boat (Honda 40 HP). One of the perpetrators was seen carrying a weapon resembling a gun. The perpetrators took away a Yamaha 15HP Outboard Motor (OBM) and the crew's personal belongings and two mobile phones before they left. The police under the command of Eastern Command is currently investigating the incident.	A Yamaha 15HP Outboard Motor (OBM), crew's personal belongings and two mobile phones were stolen.	No information available	Yes ReCAAP ISC via regional authorities	ReCAAP ISC via regional authorities	The police under the command of Eastern Command is currently investigating the incident.

## IN PORT AREA

1	Team Hope Bulk carrier Marshall Islands 22662 9616723	02/11/2020 23:30 UTC	EAST AFRICA Nacala Anchorage Mozambique 14° 22.90' S 040° 42.10' E	Around four to five robbers armed with long knives in a wooden boat came alongside an anchored ship. They boarded the ship using hooks attached with ropes and broke into the paint locker. Duty crew on routine rounds noticed the robbers, alerted the Duty Officer and retreated into the accommodation. Alarm raised and crew mustered. The robbers stole ship's stores and escaped. Local agents informed.	Paint locker was broken into and ship's stores stolen	Alarm raised and crew mustered	No	PRC relayed the message to MRCC Mozambique	NA
2	Cape Martin Container ship Cyprus 28007 9360245	03/11/2020 01:30 LT	SOUTH CHINA SEA Vung Tau Anchorage (on "H19" Viet Nam 10° 14.80' N 107° 00.90' E	While at anchor, the duty crew noticed seven or eight perpetrators had boarded the ship. The alarm was raised immediately. The perpetrators jumped overboard and escaped in a small boat. The crew conducted a search on board the ship and discovered 12 cans of paint were stolen from	The crew was not injured.  Twelve cans of paint were stolen from the paint store.	The crew was not injured.  Twelve cans of paint were stolen from the paint store.	Yes Vung Tau Port Control	CHECK - ReCAAP or IMB	The alarm was raised immediately and a search on board the ship was

			the paint store. The crew was not injured. The incident was reported to Vung Tau Port Control; and the Vietnam authorities and Vietnam Coast Guard were notified.						conducted.
3 Nord Biscay Bulk carrier Singapore 35332 9799795	04/11/2020 04:00 UTC	SOUTH AMERICA (A) Santana Port Brazil 00° 03.70' S 051° 10.00' W	Unnoticed, robbers boarded a berthed ship, broke into the forecandle store, stole ship's stores and escaped. Incident noticed during routine rounds.  While at berth, the duty crew found the forecandle door opened with the padlock missing. There was no sign of any perpetrators on board the ship or nearby. Ship stores were found missing in the forecandle room. The ship's CSO was informed.	The crew was not injured.  Ship stores were stolen.	A search was carried out	No		ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore)	NA
4 BSL Cape Town Container ship Liberia 26833 9275048	13/11/2020 02:12 UTC	WEST AFRICA Takoradi Anchorage Ghana 04° 53.20' N 001° 42.60' W	Unnoticed, robbers boarded an anchored ship, broke into the forecandle store, stole ship's stores and escaped. Incident noticed during routine rounds and reported to the port authorities.	Ship's stores stolen	A searched was made throughout the ship	Yes Port Authority		PRC relayed the message to Ghana MRCC, Ghana Navy & Ghana MOC	Sent patrol boat to the area
5 Asia Emerald III Bulk carrier Singapore 33045 9530682	19/11/2020 10:30 UTC	SOUTH CHINA SEA Inner Anchorage, Camppha Anchorage Viet Nam 20° 55.79' N 107° 18.06' W	Unnoticed, robbers boarded an anchored bulk carrier, stole ship's stores and escaped. Incident noticed during routine rounds and reported to the port authorities.  While at anchor and discharging cargo, ship stores (paint) were found stolen from the bulk carrier. The incident was suspected to have taken place on 19 Nov 20 between 1730 hrs and 2030 hrs when the crew was involved in the repair of the ship's equipment. The ship was not damaged and crew not injured.	Ship's store stolen	Nil	Yes Port Authorities		PRC relayed the message to Veitnam Coast Guard & Vietnam Maritime Security Centre	NA
6 Fairchem Sword Product tanker Marshall Islands 11752 9673678	24/11/2020 21:15 UTC	MALACCA STRAIT Dumai anchorage Indonesia 01° 42.93' N 101° 26.48' E	Four robbers armed with knives boarded an anchored tanker. Duty oiler on routine rounds was threatened by the robbers before they escaped with stolen engine spares. Incident reported to local authorities through local agent.	Duty oiler on routine rounds was threatened and engine spares stolen	NA	Yes Local authorities through local agent		PRC relayed the message to Indonesian Marine Police ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore)	Investigation carried out
7 Name Withheld Bulk carrier Liberia 36336	25/11/2020 03:30 UTC	WEST AFRICA Monrovia Liberia 06° 20.65' N 010° 47.75' W	A robber boarded a berthed bulk carrier and stole ship's properties. Upon noticing the robber, the vessel crew chased the robber who managed to escape. Incident reported to the Port Authority.	Ship's properties stolen	A search was carried out	Yes Port authority, agent and CSO		PRC relayed the message to MRCC Monrovia	NA
8 Resilience Bulk carrier Italy 91971 9511454	27/11/2020 01:40 UTC	WEST AFRICA Takoradi port Anchorage Ghana 04° 53.27' N 001° 41.61' W	Duty watchmen onboard an anchored ship noticed two unauthorised persons on the forecandle deck and immediately informed the bridge. Alarm raised and crew mustered. Seeing the alerted crew, the robbers escaped without stealing anything. Incident reported to Port control.	nil	Alarm raised and crew mustered.	Yes Port Control		PRC relayed the message to Ghana MRCC, Ghana Navy & Ghana MOC	NA

9 Tango Rey General cargo ship Vanuatu 6382 9214185	30/11/2020 03:00 UTC	WEST AFRICA Conakry Anchorage, Guinea Guinea 09° 21.80' N 013° 42.40' W	Six robbers armed with guns boarded the anchored ship. The robbers stole ship's properties, cash and crew personal belongings before escaping. All crew safe. Incident reported to the Port Authority.	Crew properties stolen	NA	Yes Conakry Port Authorities	PRC relayed the message to Guinea MRCC	NA
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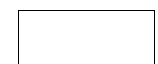
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**IN INTERNATIONAL WATERS**

1 La Boheme Product tanker Marshall Islands 42684 9314167	09/11/2020 20:28 UTC	WEST AFRICA Around 95nm South of Cotonou Benin 04° 45.42' N 002° 26.83' E	A product tanker underway was approached by two skiffs. Alarm raised and all non-essential crew mustered in the citadel. The Master increased speed, commenced evasive manoeuvres, activated the fire pump and notified the regional authorities. The skiffs attempted to close in and fired upon the vessel. The vessel hardening and evasive manoeuvres resulted in the skiff aborting the attack and moving away. Vessel and crew reported safe.	Nil	Alarm raised, fire pump activated, commenced evasive maneuvers, SSAS activated and all crew mustered in the citadel	Yes MRCC Lagos and MDAT-GoG	PRC relayed the message to MOC Benin	NA
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