



# Threat Awareness Brief

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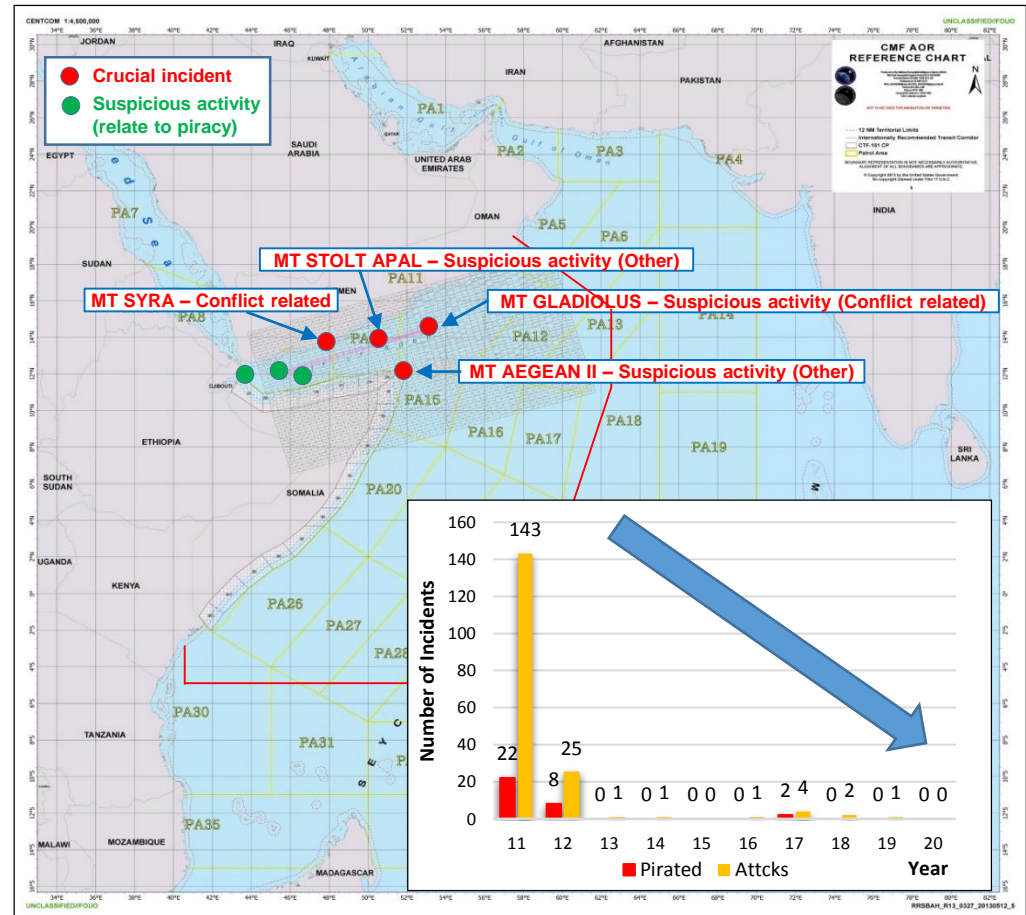
# Overview

- Piracy Update
- Other regional maritime security threats
- Industry Releasable Threat Bulletins (IRTB) in the Previous 12 months
- Conclusion



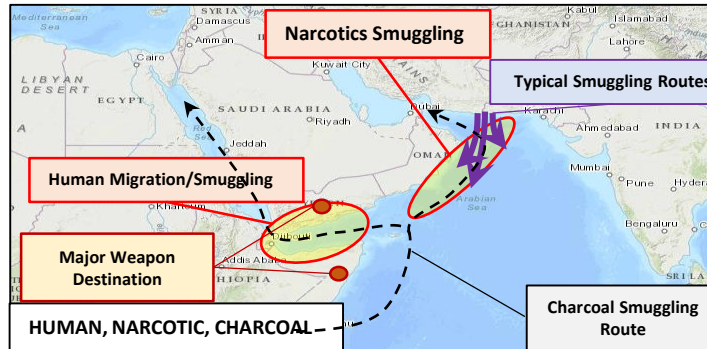
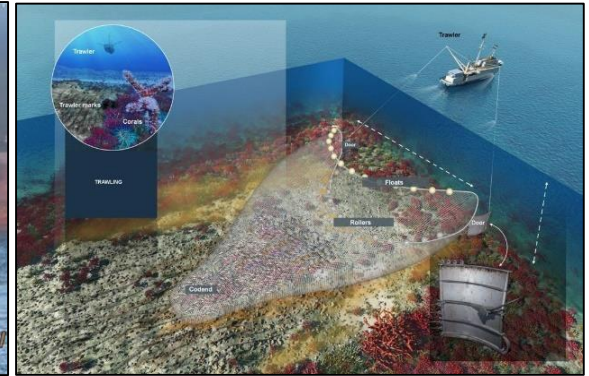
# Piracy Update

- Since 2012, Piracy suppressed & Threat LOW
- Mistaken Identity
- Where have they gone?
- A return?
- Key Takeaways: BMP5 & Records



# Other Regional Maritime Security Threats

- Illegal Fishing: Somalia
- Terrorism: Mozambique
- Smuggling
  - Weapons
  - Narcotics
  - Charcoal
  - People
- Regional Conflict: Yemen



# Industry Releasable Threat Bulletin's (IRTBs) (018-021)

Previous 12 months significant events

- IRTB 018: 3 Mar 20: MV Gladiolus (Conflict Related / Terrorism)
- IRTB 019: 17 May 20: MV Stolt Apal (Suspicious Activity – Terrorism?)
- IRTB 020: 19 Aug 20: MV Aegean II (Suspicious Activity – Armed Robbery)
- IRTB 021: 3 Oct 20: MT Syra (Conflict Related)

MT SYRA,  
03 OCT 2020

MV STOLT APAL,  
17 MAY 2020

MT GLADIOLUS,  
3 MAR 2020

MV AEGEAN II,  
19 AUG 2020



# Conclusion & Key Takeaways

- Piracy remains suppressed
- There has been an increase in other maritime crime
- The threat from terrorism / spillover of armed conflict in both Yemen and potentially Mozambique exists
- There remains no 'conflict in Yemen' related direct threat to non SLC merchant traffic
- Operators act as per BMP-5: If we don't know we cannot help
- If you can, take photos and records: accuracy in reporting avoids dis-information
- People – Force Flow – Aircraft and Capacity Building are required for the mission. We need contributions
- Communication across MICs builds the picture. Security comes from the sum of its parts

