



110606-N-TO330-320 IWO TO, Japan (June 6, 2011) – Brig. Gen. William Blake Crowe, deputy Commander of United States Forces Japan, poses with Dr. Takeshi Jo, vice president of the Atsugi-Japan Goodwill Society on the flight line at Iwo To as a F/A-18E Super Hornet flies overhead during Carrier Air Wing FIVE's (CVW5) Fleet Carrier Landing Practice (FCLP). American and Japanese officials

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110606-N-TO330-340 IWO TO, Japan (June 6, 2011) – Russell Morales, second secretary of Regional Affairs Section at the American Embassy, captures images along the flight line at Iwo To of F/A-18E Super Hornets participating in Fleet Carrier Landing Practice (FCLP). American and Japanese officials were given the opportunity to see firsthand the FCLP process and learn more about the benefits of an established site for the practice prior to the air wing's deployment on USS George Washington (CVN-73), the Navy's only permanently forward deployed carrier. (U.S. Navy photo by Mass Communication Specialist Seaman Apprentice Vivian Blakely/Released)



110606-N-TO330-374 IWO TO, Japan (June 6, 2011) – Cmdr. Brent Freeman, naval attache and primary maritime issues officer of the American embassy, speaks with Mr. Tetsuo Kotani, special research fellow at the Okazaki Institute, about the Fleet Carrier Landing Practice (FCLP) in depth as a participating F/A-18E Super Hornet flies by. American and Japanese officials were given the opportunity to see firsthand the FCLP process and learn more about the benefits of an established site for the practice prior to the air wing's deployment on USS George Washington (CVN-73),

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