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## ONE DEAD, SEVEN MISSING AFTER TWO JAPAN NAVY HELICOPTERS CRASH IN PACIFIC

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Two Japanese navy helicopters carrying eight crew members crashed into the Pacific Ocean during a night-time training exercise after possibly colliding with each other, killing one person, the defence minister said on Sunday.

Rescuers on Sunday searched for seven others who were still missing.

The two SH-60 patrol helicopters were conducting antisubmarine exercises on Saturday night near Torishima in the remote Izu island group, off the southern coast of central Japan.

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