

DATE & PLACE	TYPE ACFT	HIGH INT?	MAJCOM & MISHAP WING	# EARLY REL.	SYNOPSIS/STATUS
<p>15 April 02</p> <p>Near Misawa AB, Japan</p>	<p>F-16C</p>	<p>NO</p>	<p>PACAF</p> <p>35th FW Misawa AB, Japan</p>	<p>NO</p>	<p>FACTS: Mishap aircraft (MA) departed Misawa AB, Japan as number two of a two ship on a routine training mission. At approximately 1130L, the mishap pilot (MP) ejected after reporting engine problems with the MA. MA crashed into Pacific Ocean, approximately 62 miles north of Misawa and one mile off shore. Host nation search and rescue forces successfully recovered MP and are in the process of salvage operations.</p> <p>STATUS: <u>SIB suspended pending salvage of aircraft parts.</u></p>