1. **Name:**

ASEAN Senior Officials Meeting on Transnational Crime

1. **Short description:**

The AMIM is an annual gathering of military intelligence chiefs of ASEAN Member States to discuss intelligence aspects of various defence and security issues affecting Southeast Asia.

1. **Formality:**

Formal. Operates within the ASEAN Secretariat.

1. **Regional coverage:**

Southeast Asia

1. **Members (including states and non-states):**

ASEAN member states

1. **Includes non-state actors?**

No

1. **Date created:**

1999

1. **Date visibly started to engage with maritime security (e.g. first document that refers to it):**

Unclear

1. **Brief History and Description:**
2. **Maritime Security Issues Covered:**

Piracy, trafficking

1. **Noteworthy documents and strategies:**
2. **Meeting Intensity:**

1 meeting a year

1. **Ongoing projects and activities:**
2. **Funding structure:**

Funded by the ASEAN Secretariat, which is in turn funded by member countries and external countries and organizations

1. **Challenges:**

As it takes place within the ASEAN structure, an ongoing challenge is its perception as a talking shop, tied into broader regional limits to cooperation

**16.** **Cooperation or link with other arrangements:**

1. **Institutional contacts:**
2. **Noteworthy literature**:
3. **Knowledge gaps to follow up on:**