



## MF-189 South African Air Force - Maritime Reconnaissance



SAAF 35 Squadron



The South African Air Force was formed in 1920. Today the SAAF has a limited combat facility and has been structured towards regional peacekeeping and maritime reconnaissance. 35 Squadron, equipped with the AVRO Shackleton aircraft is an MR unit with responsibility for the patrol of the South African coastline for detection of oil spills, Smugglers and Illegal Fishing.



**Aircraft** AVRO Shackleton (or any appropriate aircraft)

### **Patrol Routes**

1. Depart Ysterplaat, FAYP. Overfly Langerbaanweg, FALW; Kleisee, FAKZ. Return to Ysterplaat. 526 nm.
2. Depart Ysterplaat. Overfly Overburg, FAOB, Port Elizabeth, FAPE. Land at Durban, FADN. 726 nm.

### **NOTAMS:**

Total 1252nm.

Two complete patrols for ribbon credit.