

Patrol Squadron Persian Gulf Deployments (1990–1991)

1990 Deployments

VP-19

Deployed to: NAF Misawa, Japan
 Aircraft: P-3C UI
 Date In: Aug 1990
 Date Out: Mar 1991
 Losses: None
 Detachment Site: Dhahran, Saudi Arabia
 Detachment Date In: 28 Aug 1990
 Detachment Date Out: 2 Feb 1991

VP-23

Deployed to: NAS Bermuda
 Aircraft: P-3C UII
 Date In: 10 May 1990
 Date Out: Nov 1990
 Losses: None
 Detachment: Jeddah, Saudi Arabia
 Detachment Date In: 2 Oct 1990
 Detachment Date Out: 10 Nov 1990

VP-4

Deployed to: Diego Garcia, IO
 Aircraft: P-3C UI
 Date In: 1 Nov 1990
 Date Out: 1 May 1991
 Losses: None
 Detachment Site: Al Masirah, Oman
 Detachment Date In: 10 Nov 1990
 Detachment Date Out: 10 Mar 1991

VP-8

Deployed to: NAS Sigonella, Sicily
 Aircraft: P-3C UII.5
 Date In: 2 Dec 1990
 Date Out: 10 Jun 1991
 Losses: None
 Detachment Site: Jeddah, Saudi Arabia
 Detachment Date In: 5 Dec 1990
 Detachment Date Out: 10 Mar 1991

1991 Deployments

VP-46

Deployed to: NAS Cubi Point, Philippines
 Aircraft: P-3C UIII
 Date In: 1 Jan 1991
 Date Out: 1 Jul 1991
 Losses: None
 Detachment Site: Al Masirah, Oman
 Detachment Date In: 26 Jan 1991
 Detachment Date Out: 10 Mar 1991

VP-40

Deployed To: NAF Misawa, Japan
 Aircraft: P-3C UIII
 Date In: Feb 1991
 Date Out: 3 Aug 1991
 Losses: None
 Detachment Site: Diego Garcia, IO

Detachment Date In: 6 Feb 1991
 Detachment Date Out: 10 Mar 1991

VP-91*

Deployed To: NAF Misawa, Japan
 Aircraft: P-3C UIII
 Date In: Feb 1991
 Date Out: Aug 1991
 Losses: None
 Detachment Site: Al Masirah, Oman
 Detachment Date In: 9 Feb 1991
 Detachment Date Out: 23 Feb 1991

* One VP-91 crew and aircraft was deployed to participate in Operation Desert Storm. The crew was credited with assisting in the destruction of two Iraqi naval vessels during combat in the Persian Gulf. This event marked the only participation by a Navy patrol squadron in direct combat with the Iraqi Navy during the Gulf War.