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pwrecked off the Coast of Italy

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- *Costa Concordia embarks on 7-day cruise near Rome, with 4,229 tourists and crew
- *(7:00pm) Set sail from Coast of Italy on Friday, January 13th, 2012
- *(9:30pm) Ship collides with rocks 300m off island of Giglio, Italy
- *(9:35pm) Power outage and panic begins
- *(9:45pm) Alarms go off to alert onboard crew members

- * (9:50pm) Ship begins to list (tilt on an angle)
- * (10:00pm) Captain tries to move ship toward shore
- * (10:10pm) Signal to abandon ship goes off, life boats deployed
- * (10:20pm) Coastguard launches rescue boats
- * 32 Casualties
- *40 injured
- * Captain found ashore next day with 300 passengers still aboard ship

*Accident Brief



*Computer System

- *On-Board Naval Navigation System: map the rocks surrounding the cruise ship
- *Radar: Calculates the distance between the ship and other ships/other objects & nautical vessels
- *Automatic Radar Plotting Aid: shows position of ship with respect to other vessels
 - *Creates an optimal route to avoid collision
- *GPS: functions as a receiver
 - *shows ship's location with help of satellite in orbit

*Normal Functions of System

- *Electrical outage
- *No total-navigation (computer system that helps "see")
- *Ship listed (tilted on an angle)
 - *Eventually sank
- *Explosion on board ship
- *Steering Stopped Working



- *Diesel Engine Malfunction
 - *Controlled propellers to power ship
- *Alarm did not go off when ship was off course
- *Ship lights failure
- *Malfunction of ships generators



*Failures and Faults

- *As of Februaury 6^{th,} 2012, the International Chamber of Shipping, called for the earliest publication of the accident report
 - *Still looking into how the power outage occurred
- *Still too early to have a concrete reason why the cruise ship capsized
- *Captain found to have been using drugs during voyage of cruise
- *Criminal proceedings have been made against cruise officers for negligence, and chain of events





*The End

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