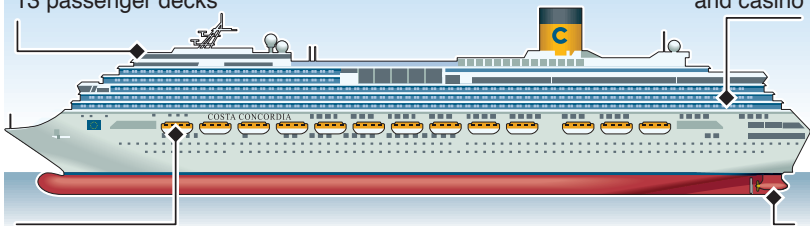


Costa Concordia largest cruise ship to sink

The *Costa Concordia* that capsized off the Italian coast was Europe's largest cruise liner at the time of its launching in 2006. Although since dwarfed by other passenger ships such as the *Allure of the Seas*, it is still the largest vessel of its kind ever to sink

Height above waterline: 60m (approximately 85 percent of ship's overall height). Total of 13 passenger decks

Facilities: 1,500 cabins, five restaurants, 13 bars, fitness centre, four swimming pools, giant movie screen, theatre and casino



Lifeboats: Fully enclosed, engines operate even if boat is inverted

Propulsion: "Azipod" thrusters rotate 360° to move ship in any direction

SPECIFICATIONS

Owner	Carnival Corp.
Gross tonnage	114,500
Length	290m
Speed	23 knots (43km/h)
Passengers	3,700
Crew	1,100
Cost	€450 million

Allure of the Seas
360m



Airbus
A380

Statue of Liberty

Costa Concordia
290m

RMS Titanic
269m

