

What we know about Flight MH370

1 00:41, Mar 8: Malaysia Airlines *Flight MH370* carrying 239 people departs Kuala Lumpur International Airport bound for Beijing

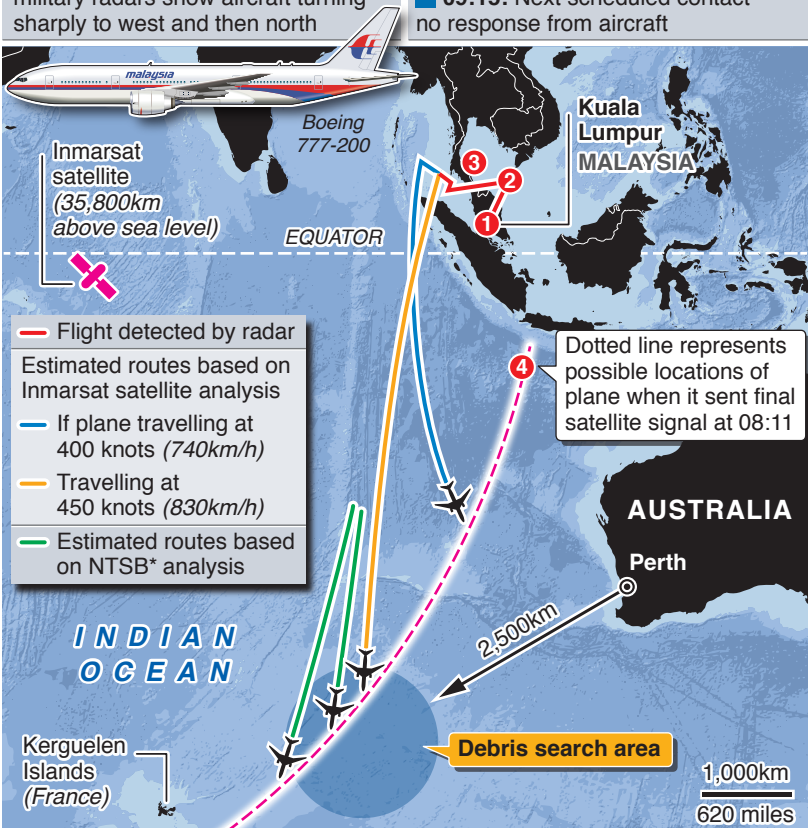
2 01:21: Plane's transponder – which identifies aircraft, location and altitude – disabled

3 01:30-02:15: Malaysian and Thai military radars show aircraft turning sharply to west and then north

4 08:11: Inmarsat satellite picks up automatic “handshake” data between aircraft and ground station indicating plane was still flying seven hours after losing contact with air traffic control

08:19: Evidence of further “partial handshake” at this time still being analysed by experts

09:15: Next scheduled contact – no response from aircraft



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Sources: Australian Maritime Safety Authority, Inmarsat, NTSB

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