

Iran shoots down U.S. Triton drone

The U.S. says a surveillance drone shot down by a surface-to-air missile was in international airspace over the Strait of Hormuz

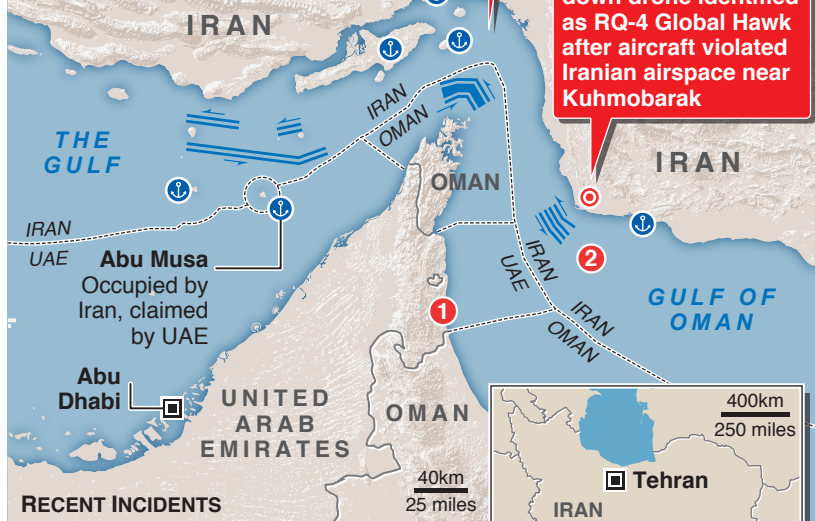
MQ-4C TRITON: Can fly for over 24 hours at a time, at altitude higher than 16,000m, with range of 15,000km



- IRGC naval bases
- Maritime boundary
- Deep-water shipping lane

STRAIT OF HORMUZ

Jun 20: Islamic Revolution Guards Corps say it shot down drone identified as RQ-4 Global Hawk after aircraft violated Iranian airspace near Kuhmobarak



RECENT INCIDENTS

- 1 May 12:** Four tankers, including two Saudi vessels, hit by "sabotage" attacks in UAE port of Fujairah
- 2 Jun 13:** Two oil tankers, Norwegian-owned *Front Altair* and Japanese-owned *Kokuka Courageous*, attacked in Gulf of Oman

