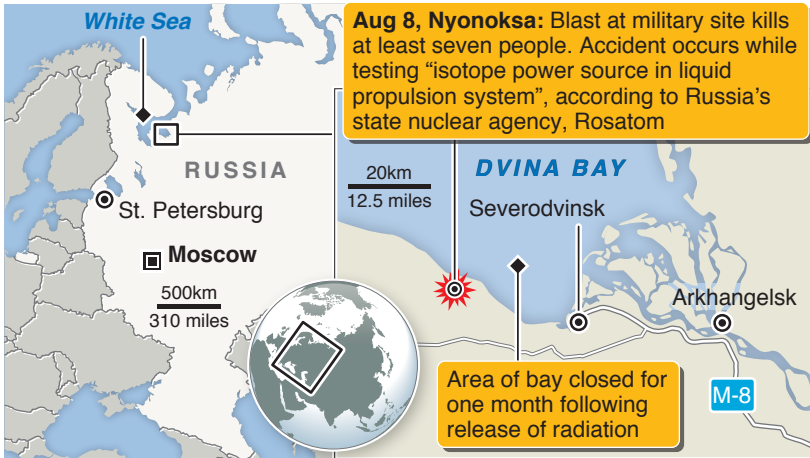


New missile blamed for Russian test site blast

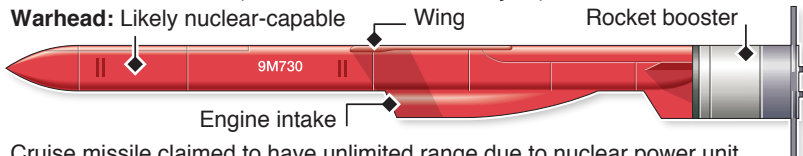
U.S. officials suspect that an accidental explosion and radiation release in northern Russia occurred during the testing of a nuclear-powered cruise missile revealed by the Kremlin in 2018

Aug 8, Nyonoksa: Blast at military site kills at least seven people. Accident occurs while testing “isotope power source in liquid propulsion system”, according to Russia’s state nuclear agency, Rosatom



9M730 BUREVESTNIK (NATO name *SSC-X-9 Skyfall*)

Warhead: Likely nuclear-capable



Cruise missile claimed to have unlimited range due to nuclear power unit