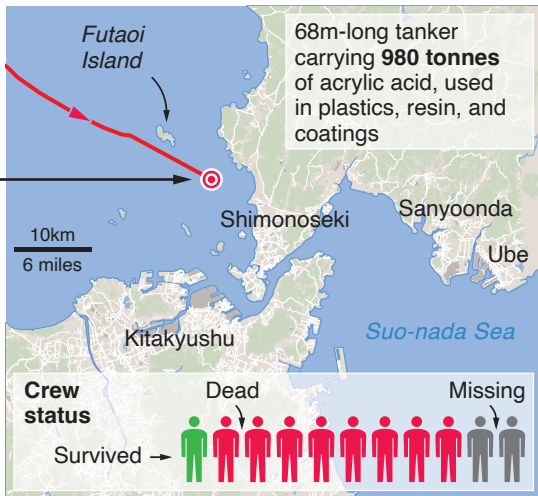


# Chemical tanker capsizes off Japan

A South Korean-flagged chemical tanker carrying industrial acid has capsized in stormy seas off southwestern Japan, killing at least eight of the crew



**Mar 20, 7:00am,**  
(Mar 19, 2200GMT):  
**Keoyoung Sun,**  
forced to anchor  
during storm, issues  
distress call saying  
vessel is listing



*Sea of Japan  
(East Sea)*

**MAIN  
MAP**

**Tokyo**

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