Superyacht crosses Strait of Hormuz

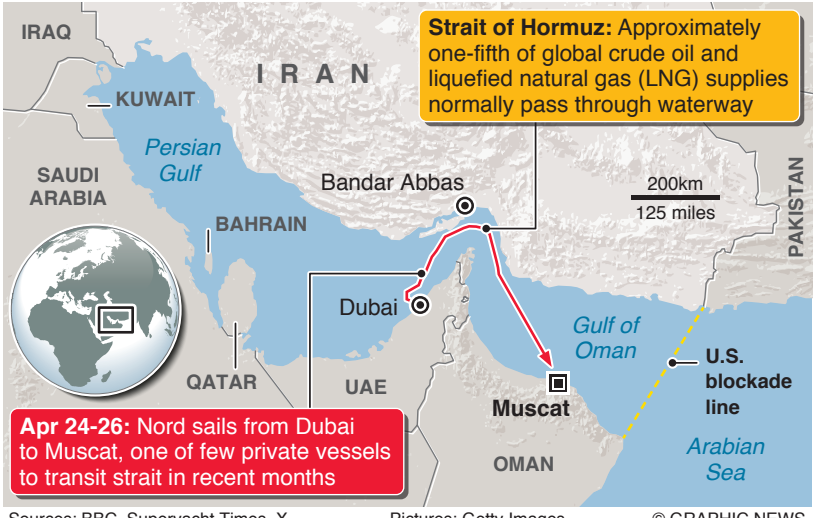
A luxury yacht linked to one of Russian President Vladimir Putin's key allies has sailed through the Strait of Hormuz, despite the ongoing blockade of the key shipping channel

*142m-long **Nord** superyacht is estimated to be worth more than $500 million*



Vessel accommodates 36 guests across 20 staterooms, attended by crew of 42, and features swimming pool, two helicopter landing pads and submarine

*Sanctioned Russian billionaire **Alexei Mordashov** is not listed as yacht's formal owner but records show it was registered to firm owned by his wife in 2022*



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