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## **RUSSIAN SHIP UNDER US SANCTIONS SINKS AFTER ENGINE ROOM BLAST**

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BBC News (24 December 2024)

A Russian cargo ship, Ursa Major, has sunk in the Mediterranean between Spain and Algeria after an explosion in the engine room, Russia's foreign ministry has confirmed.

It said 14 members of the crew were rescued and taken to the Spanish port of Cartagena but two others were missing.

Ursa Major left port in St Petersburg 12 days ago, according to Russian news agency Interfax.

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