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Tankers Hit Again off Khasab in Second Day of Hormuz Attacks

- A tanker sailing outbound through the Strait of Hormuz was hit on its stern by an unidentified projectile about 11 nautical miles north of Oman's Khasab on Saturday, November 21, 2026, with no injuries reported and the environmental impact unknown, the United Kingdom Maritime Trade Operations centre said, Reuters reported. — Reuters
- The United Kingdom Maritime Trade Operations centre later reported a second incident on Saturday, November 21, 2026 involving a tanker hit in its engine room by an unidentified projectile 17 nautical miles east of Khasab; it was not immediately clear whether the two reports involved the same vessel, and no casualties were reported in either incident, Reuters reported. — Reuters
- Iran's navy said on Saturday, November 21, 2026 that an oil tanker caught fire after hitting a naval mine in a restricted area east of the Strait of Hormuz; Reuters said it could not independently verify the Iranian account or establish whether it referred to any of the incidents reported by the United Kingdom Maritime Trade Operations centre. — Reuters
- The Saturday incidents followed a similar attack on Friday, November 20, 2026, when a tanker sailing outbound through the Strait of Hormuz was struck by an unknown projectile 8 nautical miles north of Oman's Khasab and its company security officer reported a fire on board, with no casualties or environmental impact reported, Reuters reported. — Reuters
- No government, military or shipping authority has attributed either the Friday or the Saturday attacks, and neither tanker has been publicly named, Reuters reported. — Reuters

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