



SUDAN

SAUDI ARABIA

OMAN

ERITREA

YEMEN

Route of Maersk Alabama

Aden

500 miles

DJIBOUTI

10° N

ETHIOPIA

SOMALIA

Crew taken hostage

600 miles from  
Somalian coast

equator

SOUTH  
SUDAN

Mogadishu

KENYA

Nairobi

SEYCHELLES

INDIAN  
OCEAN

10° S

Lake  
Victoria

Mombasa

Ship reaches port  
after crisis ends

TANZANIA

50° E

60° E



70° E

SOURCES: ESRI, Tele Atlas

THE VIRGINIAN-PILOT

MOZAMBIQUE

MADAGASCAR