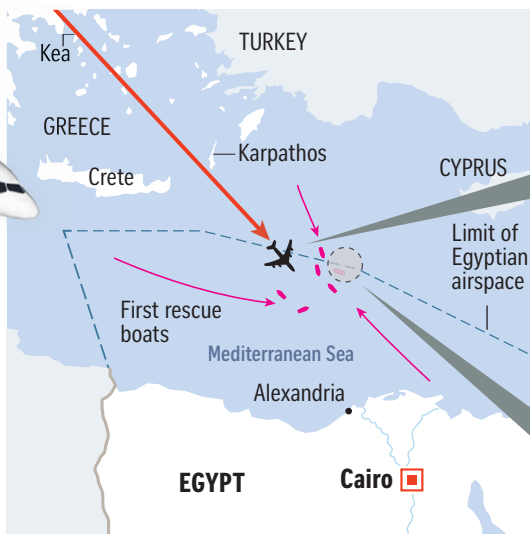


Flight MS804's final hours



Last position visible on radar. The plane swerved sharply twice before plunging from altitude of 11,200m.

Egyptian military aircraft and naval ships yesterday found personal items and wreckage.

May 18 timeline



Past EgyptAir disasters

May 7, 2002

A Boeing 737 that had taken off from Cairo crashed 6km from its destination, Tunis, killing at least 14 of the 62 on board.

Oct 31, 1999

The co-pilot of a Boeing 767, en route to Cairo from the United States, deliberately flew into the Atlantic off Massachusetts, killing all 217 people on board.

Nov 23, 1985

Three armed men hijacked a Cairo-bound flight. Sixty people died, most of them during a raid by Egyptian troops.

Dec 25, 1976

A Boeing 707 going to Bangkok from Cairo crashed into a factory near the Thai capital, killing all 52 on board and scores of textile workers.

Jan 30, 1973

A Soviet-built Ilyushin 18 turboprop airliner crashed into a mountain near Nicosia Airport in Cyprus, killing all 37 people on board.