

[Death toll from migrant shipwreck off Tunisia rises to 11](#)

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TUNIS: The death toll from a migrant shipwreck off Tunisia last week has risen to 11, most of them Tunisians, as they tried to cross the Mediterranean to Italy, TAP state news agency said on Sunday.

It added that five more bodies were recovered on Saturday night by Coast Guard and Navy units as part of a search operation for migrants who went missing in the wake of a shipwreck off Chebba, Mahdia, on Sept 6.

The coast guard rescued 14 migrants who had been on the overcrowded boat, which sank off Chebba town in Mahdia region.



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[Jordanian PM visits British embassy to offer condolences on Queen Elizabeth's](#)

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LONDON: Jordanian Prime Minister Bisher Al-Khasawneh and other officials visited the British embassy in Amman on Sunday to offer their condolences on the passing of Queen Elizabeth II.

Al-Khasawneh wrote in a condolence book at the embassy and expressed solidarity with the British people and government during this difficult time.

“The passing away of Queen Elizabeth II is a great loss not only for the UK and its people but also for the world,” Khasawneh said.



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[Rise in break-ups and divorce in Lebanon mirrors socio-economic changes](#)

across the Arab world

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BEIRUT: As globalization transforms most aspects of modern life, the nature of family and family life is no longer what it was even 10 years ago. The usual stresses and strains on marriage have been compounded by the growing trend of people moving away from their families and countries of origin in search of a livelihood.

That the Arab world is not insulated from these socio-economic changes is evident from the rise in the number of couples choosing to separate in several Middle Eastern and North African countries.



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Yemen minister calls for curbing of

Iran's 'subversive' activities

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AL-MUKALLA: Yemen's information minister has called for stronger international action to rein in Iran's destructive activities, warning that Iran is arming the Houthis to weaken the country and gain control over international trade and energy through the Red Sea.



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Iran seizes 'foreign' fuel-smuggling ship, says state media

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TEHRAN: Iranian naval forces have seized a foreign-registered ship they said was smuggling fuel in the Gulf and arrested its crew, state media reported on Saturday.

"A foreign vessel carrying 757,000 liters of smuggled fuel has been seized," the state broadcaster's website quoted a commander of the Revolutionary Guards maritime forces as saying.

"The seven crew members, who are foreign nationals, have been arrested and handed over to judicial authorities," General Ramazan Zirahi added, without

specifying their nationalities.



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