



MV Doryssa (+1943)

Details

general

nationality: [british](#)
 purpose: transport
 type: [tanker](#)
 propulsion: [motor vessel](#)
 date built: 1938

details

weight (tons): 8078 grt
 dimensions: 147,3 x 18,1 x 8,3 m
 engine: 8cyl diesel engine
 power: 502 n.h.p.
 speed: 12 knots

about the loss

cause lost: [torpedo](#)
 date lost: [25/04/1943](#) [dd/mm/yyyy]
 casualties:

about people

builder:  [Hawthorn Leslie & Co. Ltd.](#)
 (R & W Hawthorn),
 Hebburn-On-Tyne
 owner:  [Anglo-Saxon Petroleum](#)
 Co. Ltd., London
 captain:

about the wreck

depth:
 orientation:
 protected:
 war grave:

updates

entered by: [Vleqqeert Nico](#)
 entered: 14/09/2009
 last update: [Vleqqeert Nico](#)
 last update:

Position

[Vleqqeert Nico](#) 14/09/2009

latitude: 37°03'0X" S
 longitude: 024°03'0X" E
 division: 1'=60"
 remarks: Position is PA.
 ref. used: [www.reqiamarina.net](#)

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History

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The British motortanker [Doryssa](#) was shelled and torpedoed by Italian submarine [Leonardo da Vinci](#) and sank about 250 miles ESE of Cape Agulhas.

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[Lettens Jan](#) 24/09/2010

DA VINCI FINAL PATROL

On her final patrol the Italian submarine [Leonardo da Vinci](#) sank following ships:

- [Empress of Canada](#) (br. 21.517 grt.)
- [Lulworth Hill](#) (br. 7.628 grt.)
- [Sembilan](#) (nl. 6.566 grt.)
- [Manaar](#) (br. 8.007 grt.)
- [John Drayton](#) (am. 7.177 grt.)
- [Doryssa](#) (br. 8.078 grt.)

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Hawthorn Leslie & Co. Ltd. (R & W Hawthorn), Hebburn-On-Tyne
Extracted from "Jane's Fighting Ships for 1919" Hawthorn Leslie. R. & W. HAWTHORN, LESLIE & CO., LTD. (HEBBURN YARD, HEBBURN-ON-TYNE). Twelve slips up to 700 ft. long. One dock : 460 x 68 x 21 ft. on blocks. 26 ft. draught of quay at low water. Engine department of 150,000 I.H.P. per annum. Designers and builders of cruisers, destroyers and other warship types. Engine every type of war vessel. Builders of locomotives for main line service and works. Employees: 6-7,000.



LAT: 27°08,6XXS LON: 47°31,8XXE

