

How to Find the Titanic Sub Before It's Too Late

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Rescue teams are scrambling to find the sub, which has gone missing near the wreckage of the *Titanic*, before those aboard run out of oxygen.

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Finding the 22-foot-long *Titan* submersible, which went missing on June 18, is a desperate race against time. The craft, powered by four electric thrusters that move it at a maximum speed of 3 knots, lost contact with its surface vessel, the *Polar Prince*, [around 105 minutes](#) into a dive. The *Titan* was headed for the wreckage of the *Titanic*, roughly 375 nautical miles from Newfoundland, Canada. If the sub is still intact, those aboard have only two days of air left.

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