

## Headlines:

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## Details:

### **Turkey Accidentally Reveals Secret Ballistic Missile**

Turkish social media have been celebrating a video of a new ballistic missile called Tayfun, or Typhoon, that was tested from a launch site from the Black Sea town of Rize. It was leaked and widely reported on Turkish and international media. But Turkish officials were in a panic mode looking for the source of the leak. The new ballistic missile was developed by Roketsan, a state-owned weapons manufacturer, and the test showed that it was capable of hitting targets at a distance of more than 500km in 456 seconds. After the initial shock, officials informally asked media operators and TV channels to censor some of the details, such as the specific details on the missile's range. Speaking to Greek broadcaster, retired General Frangoulis Fragos said that Turkish President Recep Tayyip Erdogan ordered the Turkish defence sector to design a missile that can travel 2,500km. "It would give Turkey the ability to control the wider region and play the role of a regional power," he said.

### **Rishi Sunak becomes Britain's Third Prime Minister this year**

Former Treasury Chief Rishi Sunak has become Britain's first prime minister of color after being chosen to lead the governing Conservative Party desperate for a safe pair of hands to guide the country through economic and political turbulence. The challenges facing the UK's third prime minister this year are enormous. He must try to shore up an economy sliding toward recession and reeling after his predecessor's brief, disastrous experiment in libertarian economics, while also attempting to unite a demoralized and divided party that trails far behind the opposition in opinion polls. In his first public statement, Sunak said "the United Kingdom is a great country, but there is no doubt we face a profound economic challenge." Sunak will be the first British prime minister with South Asian roots and its first Hindu leader but Sunak still faces resentment from supporters of Boris Johnson for quitting the government in July, a move that helped topple the then-leader. His background as an investment banker at Goldman Sachs and his wife's vast wealth — she is the daughter of an Indian billionaire — also fuel a sense he is out of touch with the struggles of ordinary people.