A HIJACKING

FACTS

Title A HIJACKING

Original title KAPRINGEN

Genre Drama

Director Tobias Lindholm **Screenwriter** Tobias Lindholm

Cast Pilou Asbæk, Søren Malling, Roland Møller, Dar Salim

Producers Tomas Radoor, René Ezra

Executive producers Henrik Zein, Lena Haugaard, Thomas Heinesen

Production company Nordisk Film Production A/S

Editor Adam Nielsen

Cinematographer Magnus Nordenhof Jønck

Sound design Morten Green

Duration 99 min

Year of production 2012

Shot on ARRI Alexa

Sound 5.1

Format DCP

Screen ratio 1:1.85

Spoken languages Danish, English, Somali

Country of origin Denmark

Domestic release 20 September 2012

Budget EUR 2m

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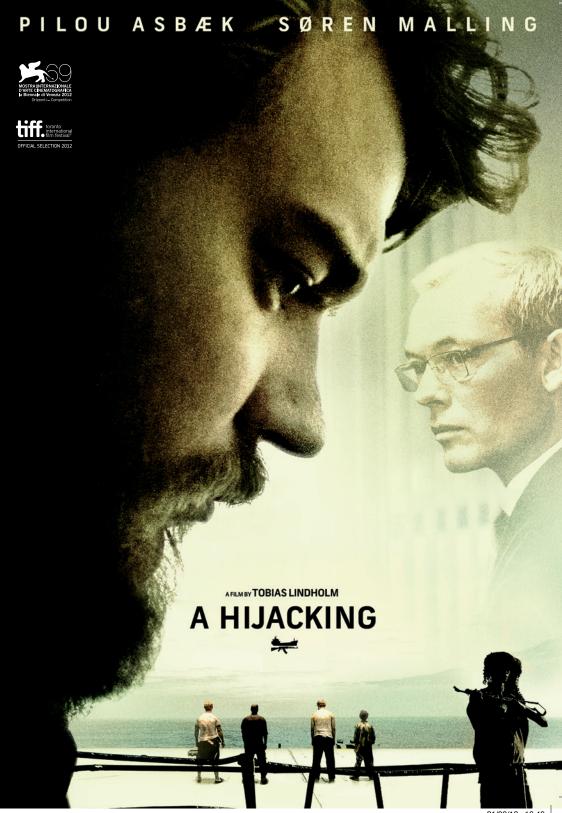
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SYNOPSIS

The cargo ship MV Rozen is heading for harbour when it is hijacked by Somali pirates in the Indian Ocean. Amongst the men on board are the ship's cook Mikkel and the engineer Jan, who along with the rest of the seamen are taken hostage in a cynical game of life and death. With the demand for a ransom of millions of dollars a psychological drama unfolds between the CEO of the shipping company and the Somali pirates.

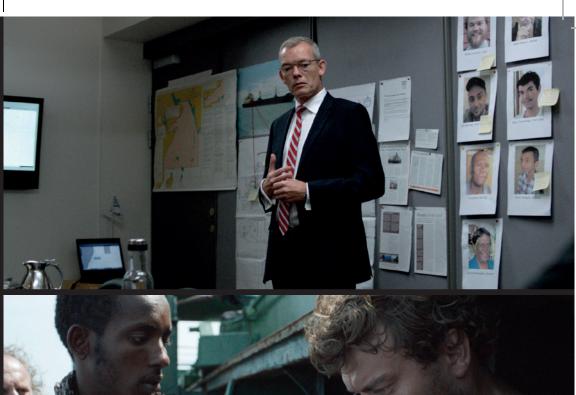
DIRECTOR'S BIOGRAPHY

Tobias Lindholm, born in Denmark, 1977. Screenwriter graduate from the National Film School of Denmark, 2007.

Tobias Lindholm has written several episodes for the DR TV-series THE SUMMERS (2008) and BAFTA winner BORGEN (2009-2010) and was co-writer, together with Thomas Vinterberg, on Vinterberg's SUBMARINO (2010) which was selected for the Berlinale competition and winner of the Nordic Council Film Prize, and THE HUNT (2013), winner of Best Actor (Mads Mikkelsen), the Vulcain Prize and the Ecumenical Jury Award in Cannes 2012.

The prison drama R (2010) was a writer-director collaboration between Lindholm and Michael Noer and marked their debut as feature film directors. R was selected for Rotterdam International Film Festival, won the Dragon Award for Best Nordic Film in Gothenburg in 2010 and the Danish Critic's Bodil Award for Best Film in 2011 where Lindholm also received a special commendation for his writing on R and SUBMARINO. A HIJACKING (2012) is Lindholm's second feature film.









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