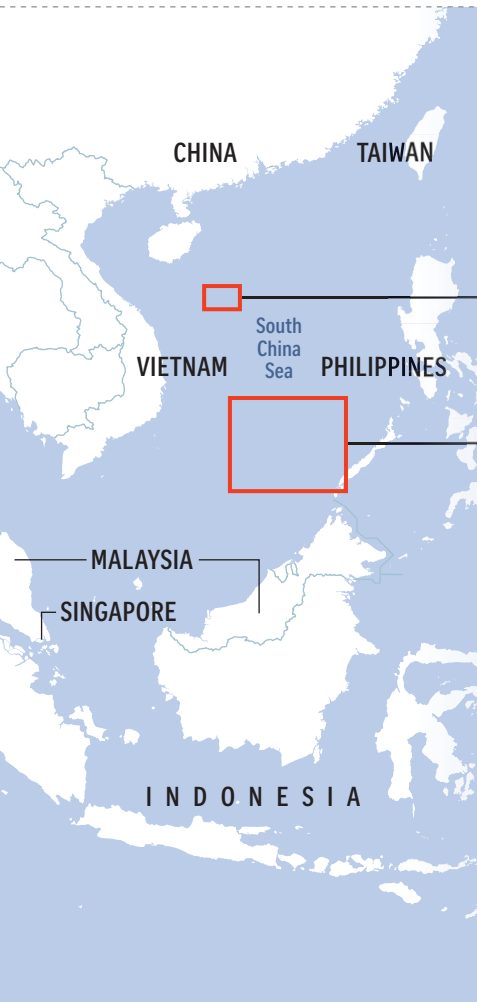
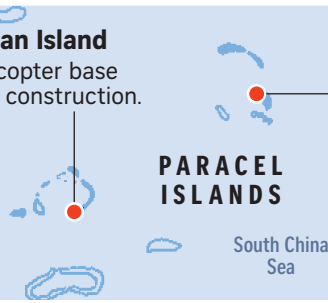


# China's build-up in South China Sea



## Duncan Island

A helicopter base under construction.

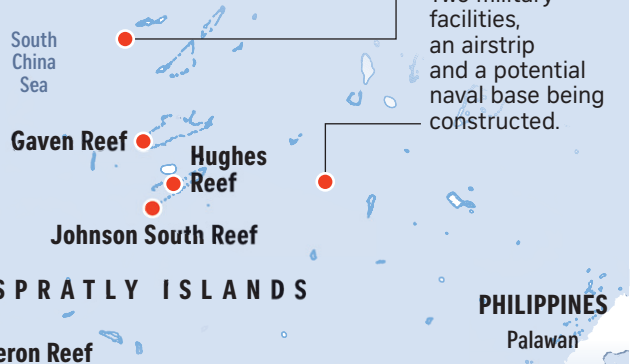


## Woody Island

- Airport
- Two harbours
- Numerous radar domes
- HQ-9 surface-to-air missile system

## Fiery Cross Reef

A 3km airstrip that can be used for both civilian and military airplanes, helipads, a radar dome, a surveillance tower and possible satellite communication facilities.



## Subi Reef

An airstrip under construction.

## Mischief Reef

Two military facilities, an airstrip and a potential naval base being constructed.

## Cuarteron Reef

Facilities on Cuarteron Reef, Johnson South Reef, Gaven Reef and Hughes Reef all feature at least one helipad.



A China Southern Airline passenger plane landing at a newly built airport during a test flight in Yongshu Reef island, also known as Fiery Cross Reef, in the South China Sea on Jan 6.