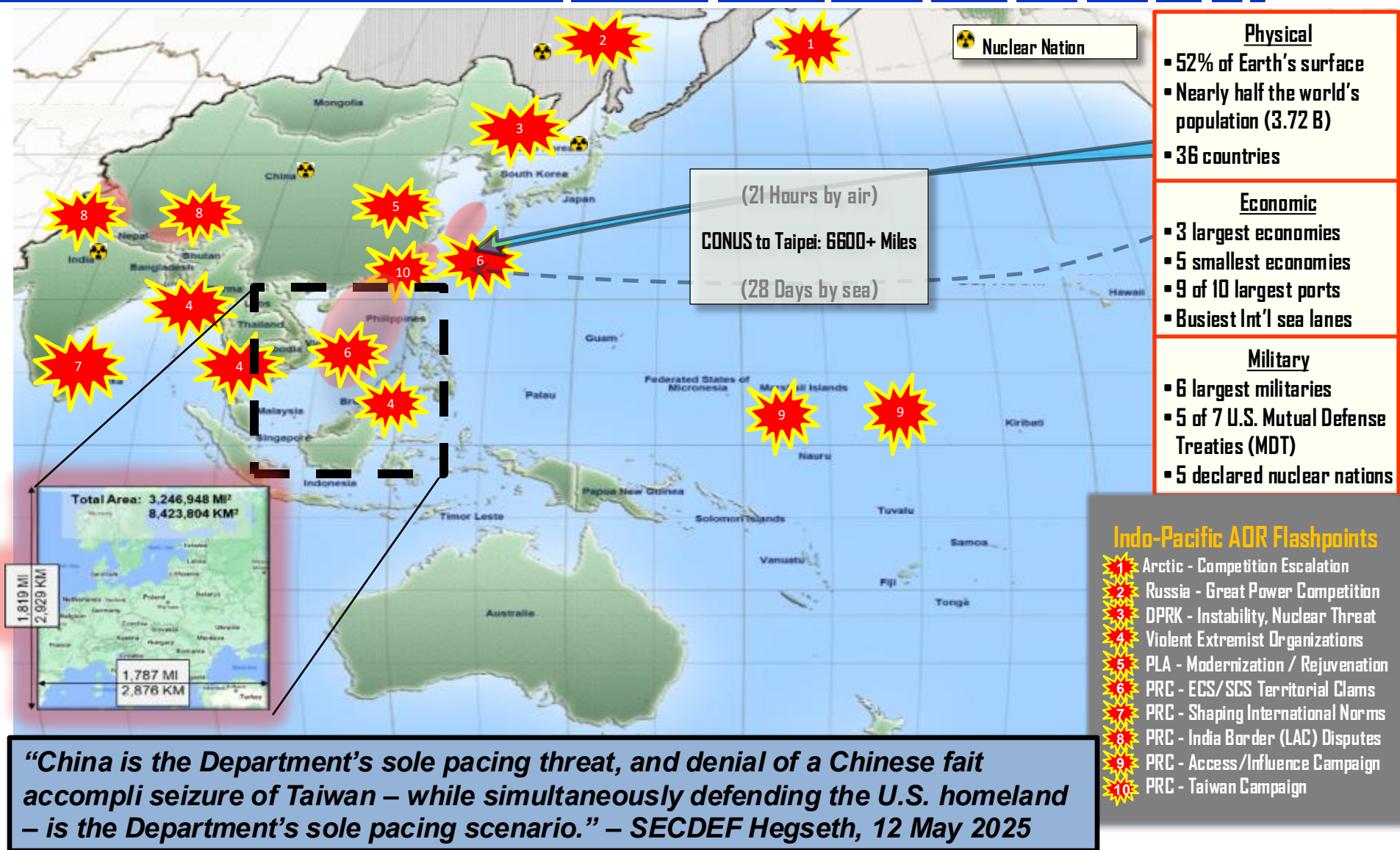




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China's View of the Operational Environment

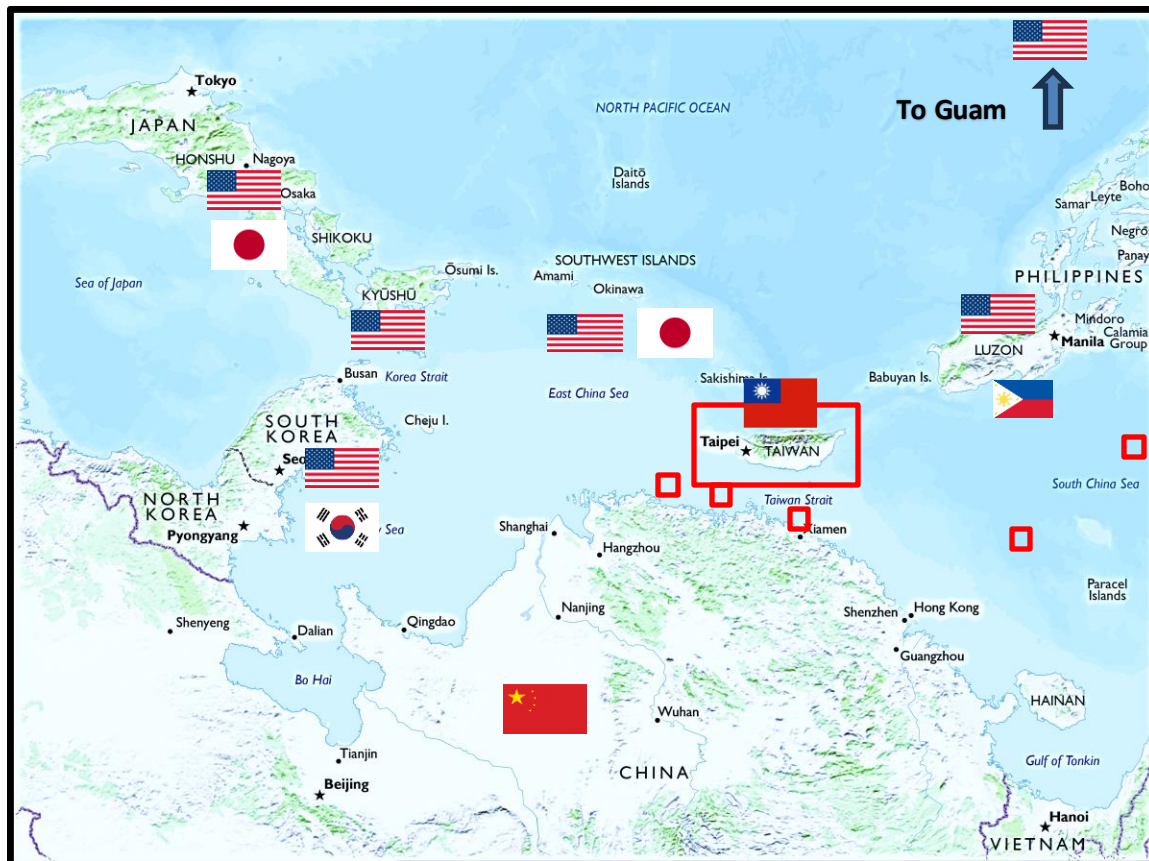


“Chinese people on both sides of the Taiwan Strait are one family. No one can sever our blood ties, and no one can stop the historical trend of the reunification of the motherland.”

-- Xi Jinping, 31 Dec 2024

“The Western countries led by the United States have implemented all-round containment, containment and suppression on our country, bringing unprecedented severe challenges to our development.

-- Xi Jinping, 6 Mar 2023



Geography is Destiny

- ***Beijing feels hemmed in by potentially hostile actors***
- ***Chinese Active Defense strategy calls for defending territorial integrity away from China's borders***



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Flashpoint Taiwan



Fujian (CV)



Renhai DDG (CG)



DF-26 IRBM



J-20 5th Gen



Z-20



ZTZ-99B



PCH-191 MRL



INTEGRATION OF TAIWAN
Xi Jinping's mandate to be prepared by 2027 and the projected first suitable weather conditions /'Optimal Sea-state': April 1, 2027

1 year, 9 Months, 19 days from today

PRC Advantages: Interior Lines, Magazine Depth, and Mass



"It is public that Xi has ordered his military to be capable of invading Taiwan by 2027....The threat China poses is real. And it could be imminent." -- SECDEF Hegseth, Shangri La Dialogue, 31 May 2025

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