

-(Reuters 11/10) [U.S. warship sails near islands Beijing claims in SCS - U.S. officials](#) : The guided-missile destroyer carried out normal maneuvering operations that challenged “excessive maritime claims” near the Paracel Islands.

-(RT 11/10) [Beijing sends frigate & jets to warn off US destroyer near SCS islands](#) , accusing the US of damaging the country’s sovereignty and security interests in the region.

-(The Guardian 9/10) [All-conquering Xi: China heralds its leader in ecstatic Beijing exhibition](#) : The Five Years



On exhibit marks the end of Xi Jinping’s first term in power but some wonder whether he will ever relinquish his leadership.

-(Reuters 9/10) [Philippines apologises to China for using Taiwan logo at ceremony](#) : The Department of National Defence (DND) assured China that it, together with the armed forces, still adheres to the “One China Policy”.

-(Business-Standard 7/10) [South China Sea important for Vietnam, others, says envoy](#) : The South China Sea is important not only for countries in the region, but also for countries outside the region.