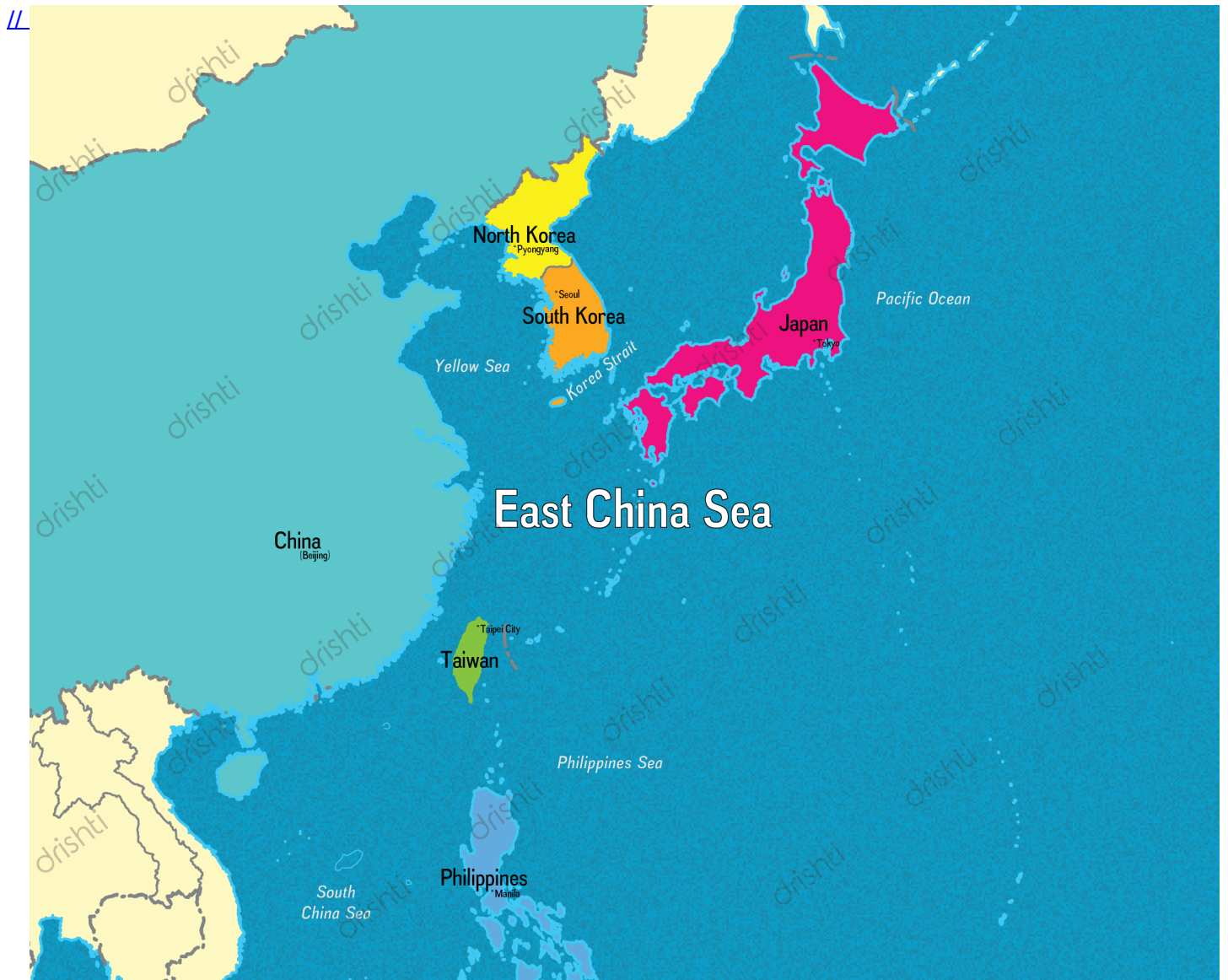




East China Sea



Key Points

- **Physical Geography:**
 - A **part of the Pacific Ocean** and is a marginal sea in the east of China.
 - **Bordering Countries:** South Korea, Japan, the Republic of China (Taiwan) and the People's Republic of China.
 - Towards the south of it is the **South China Sea** and to the west is the **Asian continent**.
 - **Connects with the Sea of Japan through the Korea Strait** and **opens to the north into the Yellow Sea**.

▪ **Recent Related Event:**

- **Contested Senkaku/Diaoyu Islands:** Tensions **between China and Japan** have risen over the contested Senkaku/Diaoyu islands that lies in this sea.

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