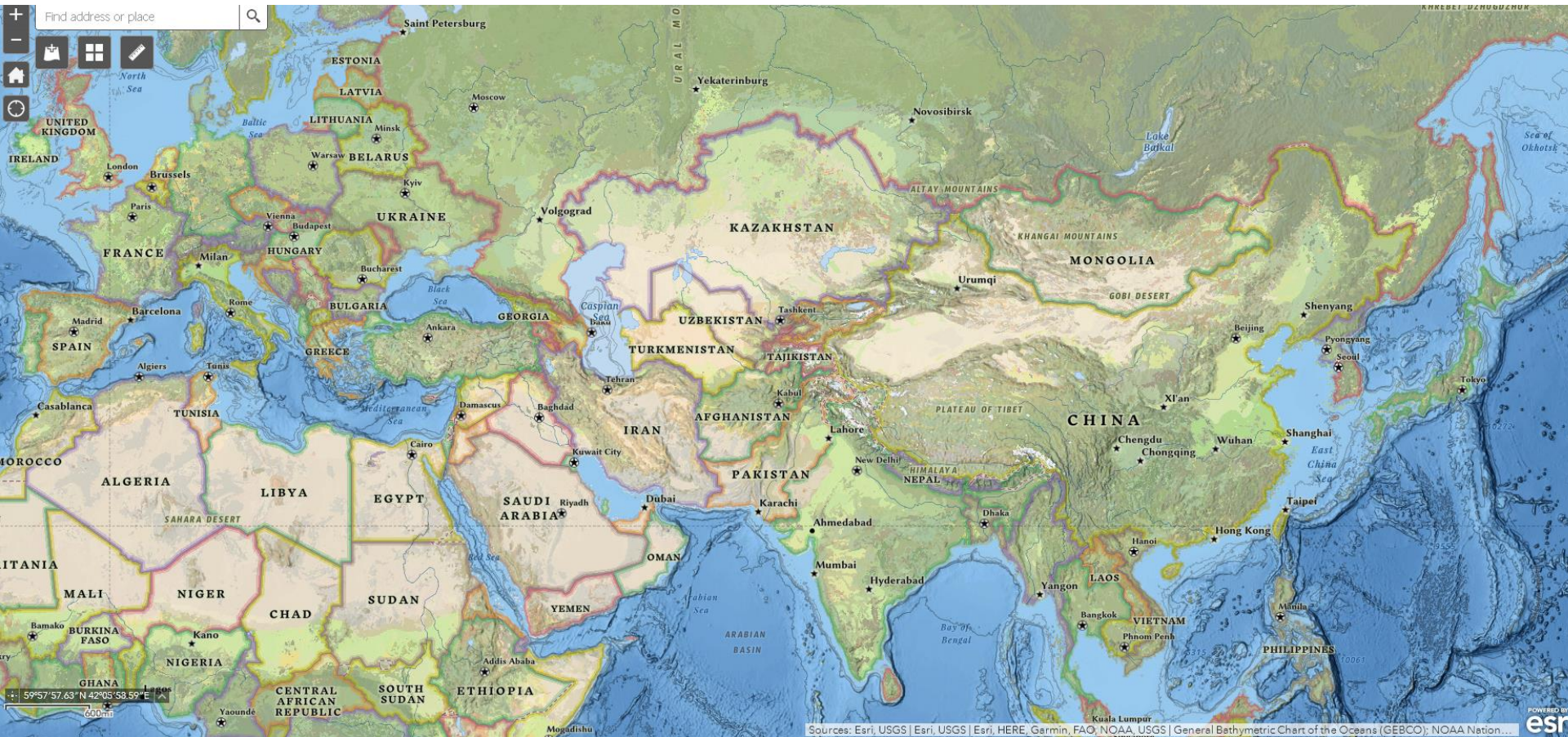


QUIZ:
of China and
The United States of America,

**which one was better
endowed by nature,
strategically and
geopolitically?**

CHINA

- Geography: some plains, mostly mountains and high plateau; extensive deserts
- Population: 1,400 million
- Coastal baselines: 4,600 km
- Maritime exclusive economic zone: 877,019 km², totally walled in
- Bordering nations: : 14
- Oceanic breadth: 150 km
- Overseas territories: none



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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

- Geography: extensive plains; mountains; some deserts
- Population: 335 million
- Coastal baselines: 17,000 km
- Maritime exclusive economic zone: 11,351,000 km², wide open
- Bordering nations: : 2
- Oceanic breadth: 10,000 km
- Overseas territories: several, up to 9,000 km from home



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CIRCLE YOUR CHOICES

Don't be shy!

Which seems more vulnerable?

CHINA

or

The United States of America

Which seems more threatening?

CHINA

or

The United States of America