

Islamic State affiliates in Southeast Asia

As so-called Islamic State loses control of territory in Syria and Iraq, violence by IS affiliates is surging on the other side of the world — specifically in the Philippines and Indonesia



May 24: IS raises its black flag over Marawi. Up to 500 militants from Abu Sayyaf and Maute group involved in siege

Marawi City

MINDANAO

Zamboanga

50 miles
80km

Zamboanga: U.S. Marines and special forces counter-terrorism base

May 24: Double suicide bombing in Jakarta claimed by IS

■ **Abu Sayyaf:** Leader of Mindanao-based group, **Isnilon Hapilon** (right) declares allegiance to IS in 2014 and is subsequently named group's emir in Southeast Asia



■ **Jemaah Islamiyah:** Group dedicated to establishment of an Islamic state in Southeast Asia. Cells in Thailand, Singapore, Malaysia and Philippines

■ **Jamaah Ansharut Tauhid:** Splinter group of Jemaah Islamiyah — bases across Indonesia including in Aceh, Sulawesi and Java

■ **Maute group:** Biggest among IS affiliates. Brothers **Omarkhayam** and **Abdullah Maute** (right) at forefront of battle of Marawi



■ **Bangsomoro Islamic Freedom Fighters and Ansar al-Khilafah**
Philippines: Pro-IS splinter groups of **Moro Islamic Liberation Front (MILF)** in Mindanao. MILF signs peace deal with government in 2014



■ **Katibah Nusantara:** Southeast Asian combat unit in Syria has some 800-900 fighters — around 200 have returned home