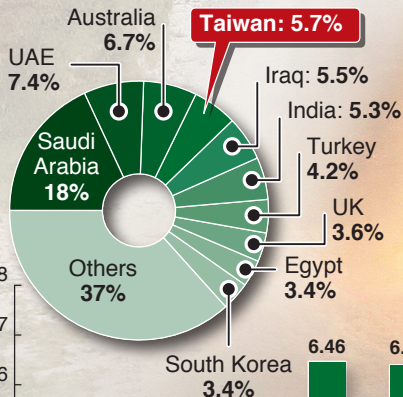


# U.S. plans \$2bn weapons sale to Taiwan

The U.S. plans to sell more than \$2 billion worth of weapons to Taiwan, a move that has angered China and is likely to escalate the growing trade war between the world's two biggest economies

## TOP 10 IMPORTERS OF U.S. ARMS

(Share of U.S. exports, 2013-17)



Taiwan request includes  
**108 M1A2 Abrams tanks**,  
**1,240 TOW anti-armour missiles**,  
**409 Javelin anti-tank missiles** and **250 Stinger air defence systems**



## U.S. ARMS SALES TO TAIWAN

(\$ billion, 2001-19)

