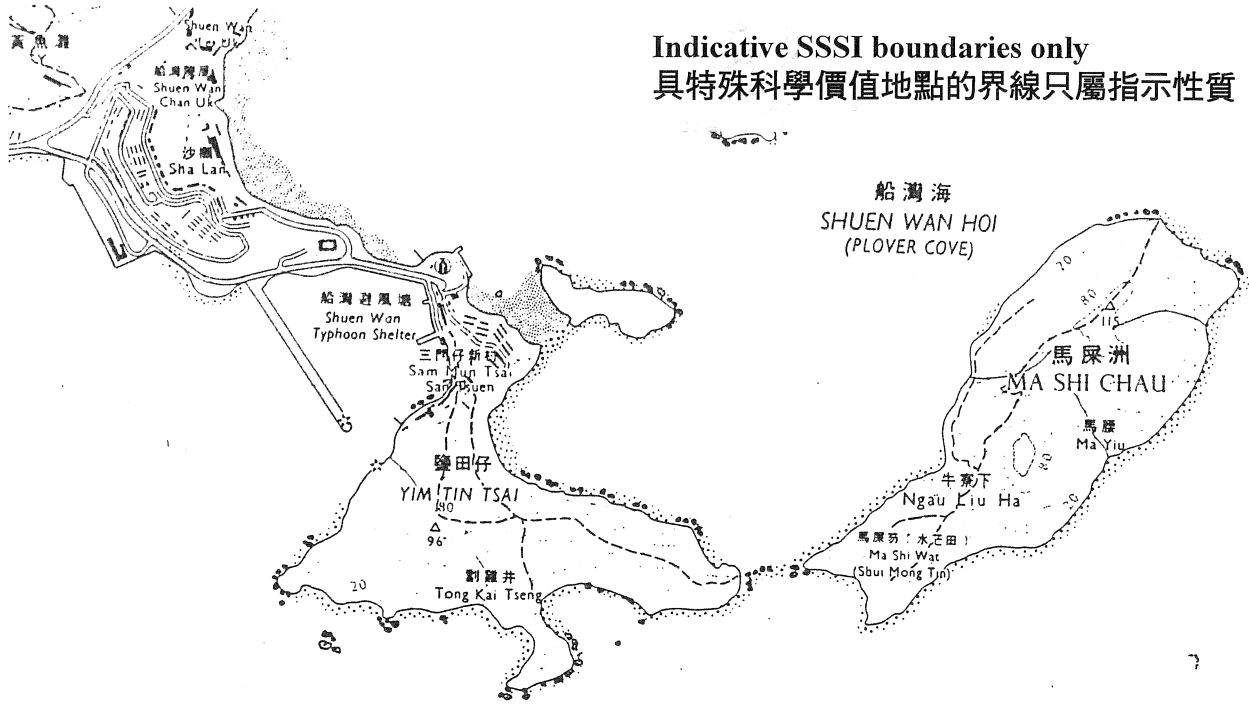
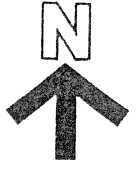
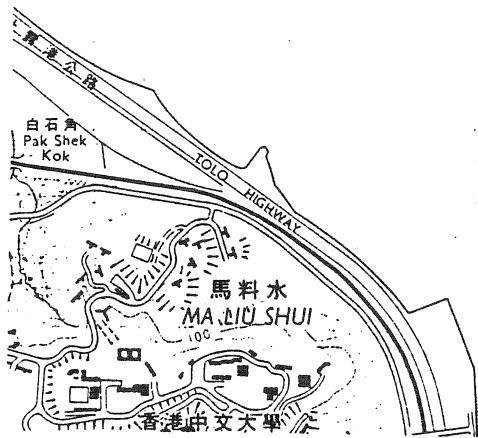


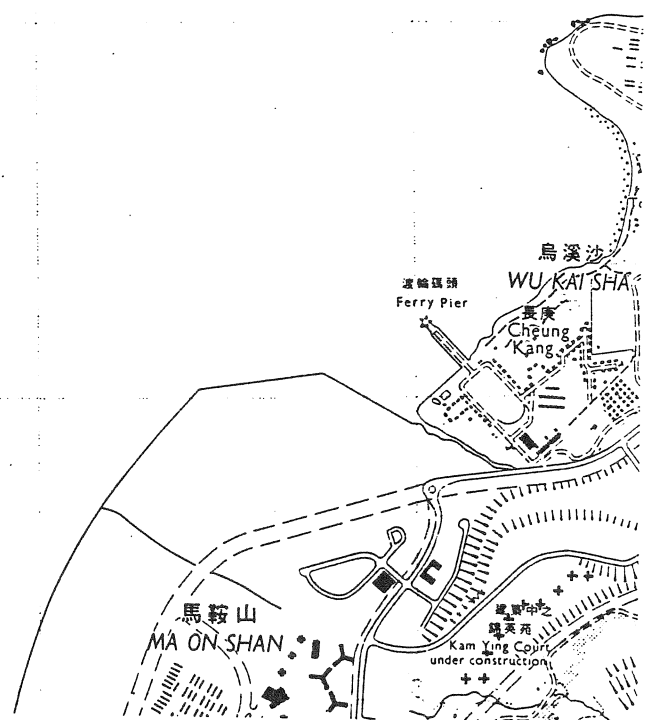
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REFERENCE		SITE OF SPECIAL SCIENTIFIC INTEREST— CENTRE ISLAND		PLANNING DEPARTMENT	
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No. 39 - Centre Island

Site

The whole Centre Island in Tolo Harbour and the area is about 3.1 hectares.

Date of Designation

24 September 1982

Special Scientific Interest

This island is of geological interest. It contains plant fossils of Permian age, including Pecopteris, Comsopteris and Cordaites. It is geologically linked to Ma shi Chau and contains the oldest rock formation known in Hong Kong. Rocks on this island also suffered from contact metamorphism, minerals like Andalusite has been discovered.

Degree of Hazard

Development such as tipping, reclamation, or borrowing will pose risk to the site.

Recommended Protection Measures

The Agriculture & Fisheries Department should be advised and consulted on any development proposals which might affect the island or the nearby area.