

53 countries

14% of the world's population, rising by over 400% since 1950

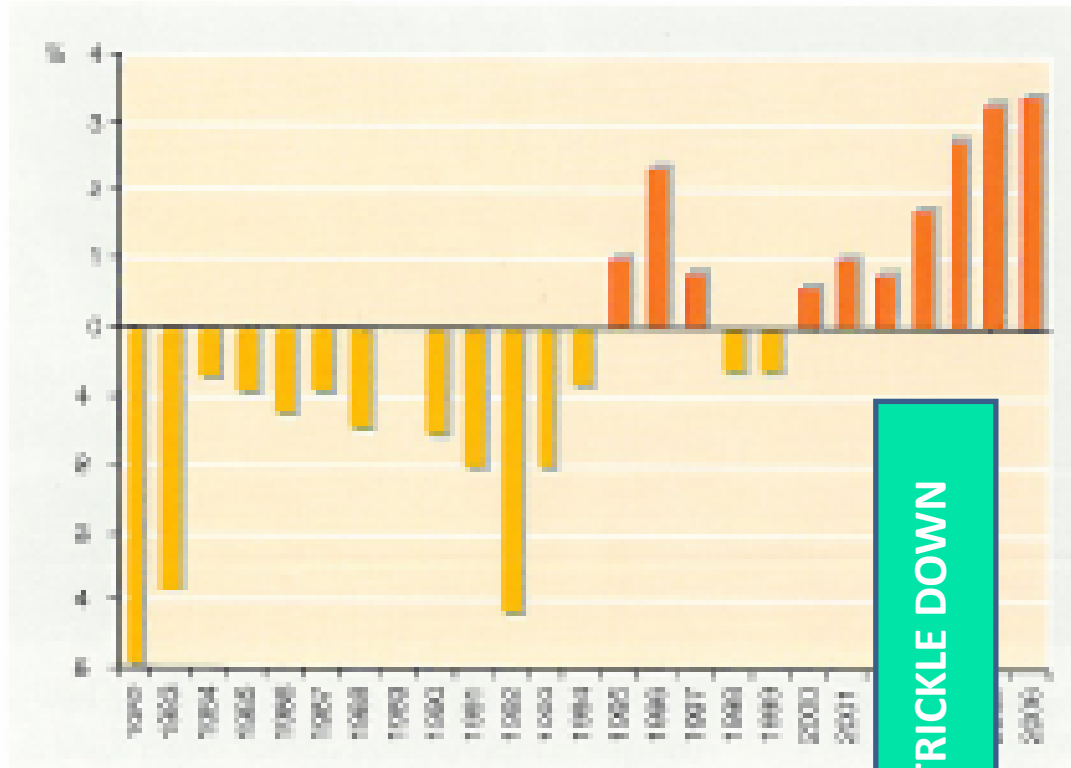
20% of the world's land area

**AFRICA**

Over 2000 different languages, within 6 main linguistic groupings

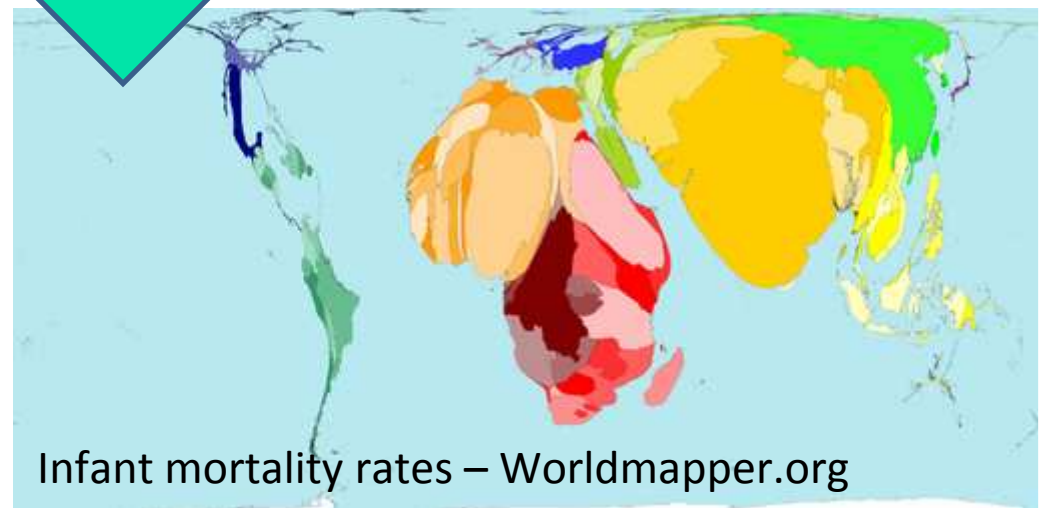
The bottom 25 ranked countries on the UN Human Development Report

90% of the world's platinum deposits, 90% of the world's cobalt and 50% of the world's gold.



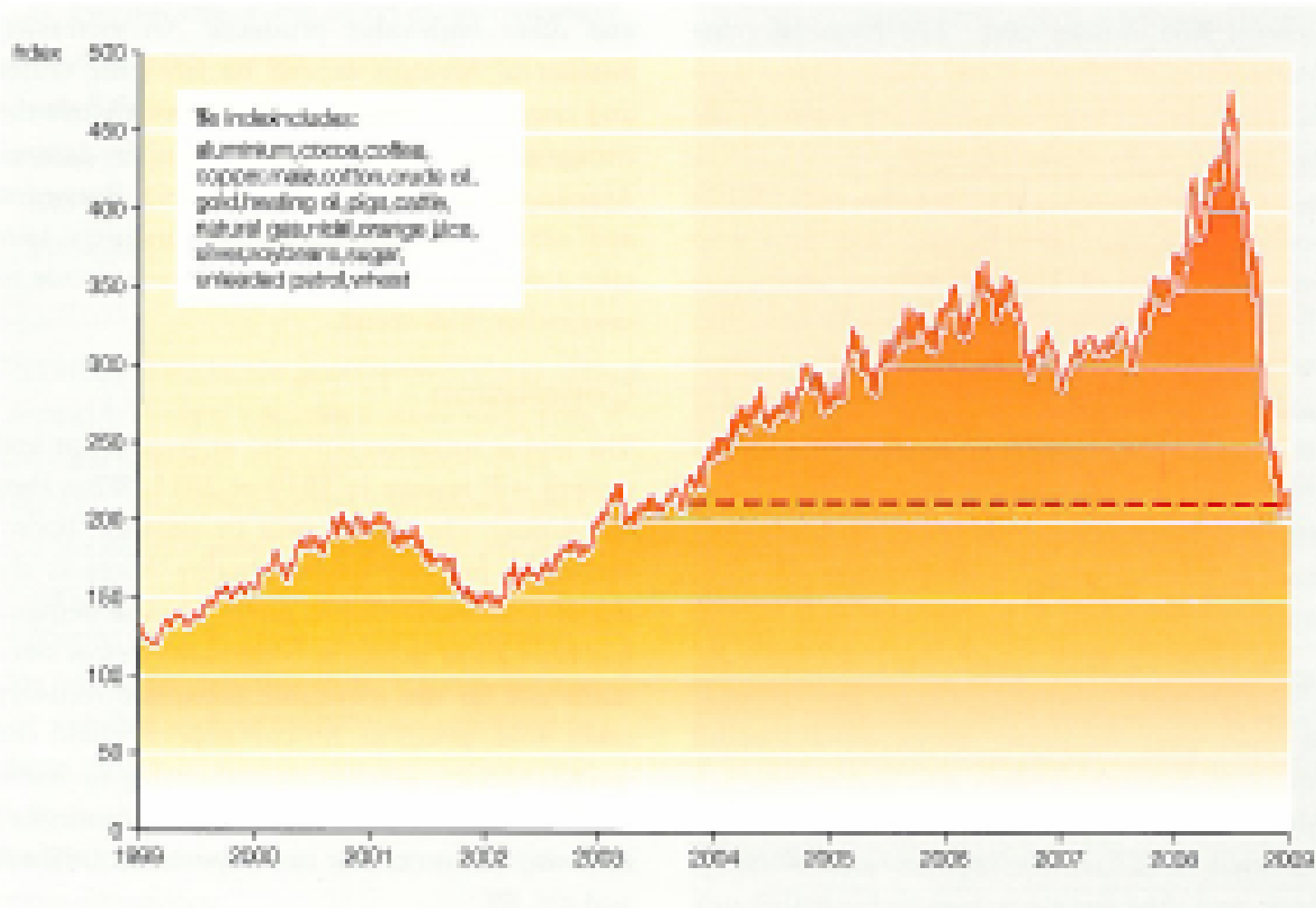
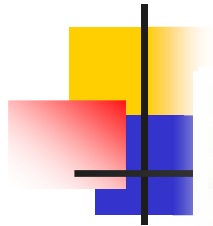
Annual growth (%) in GDP per capita in sub-Saharan Africa 1982 - 2006

TRICKLE DOWN

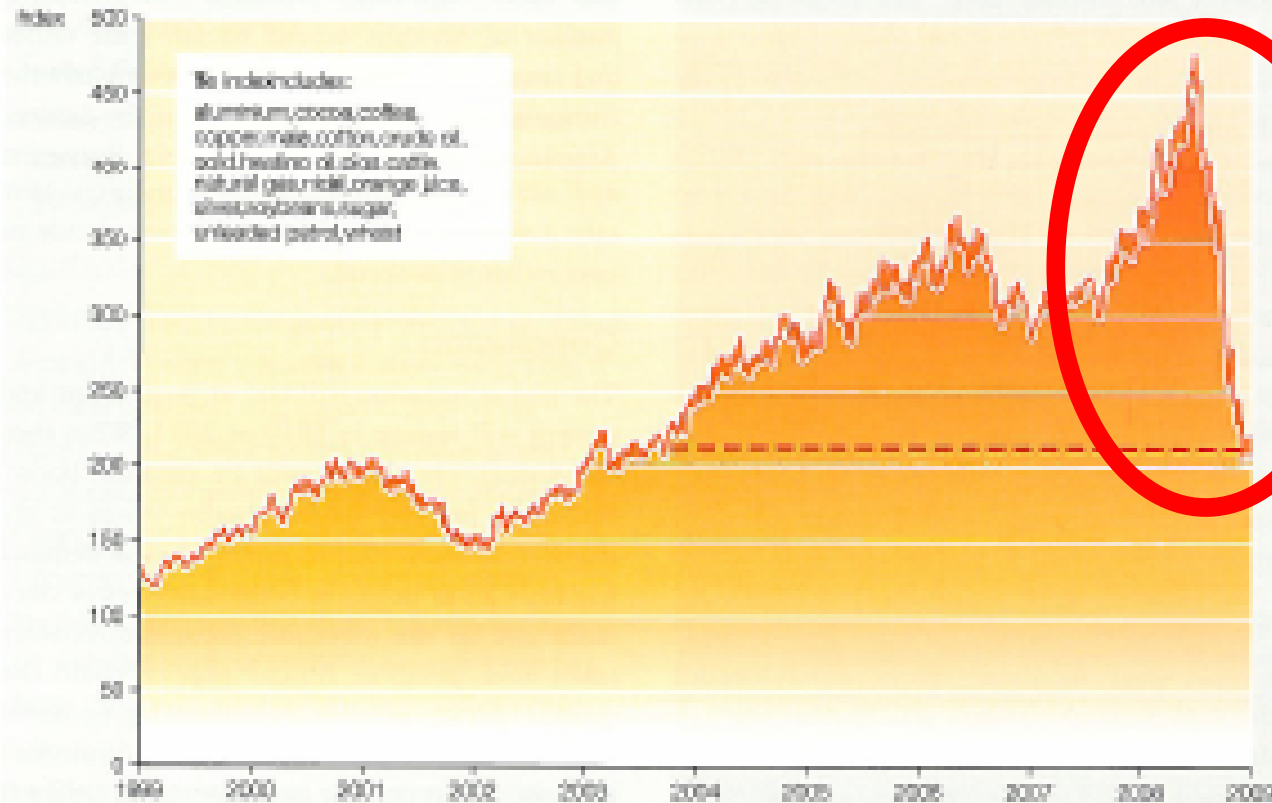


Infant mortality rates – Worldmapper.org

# The Reuters-Jefferies commodity price index 1999 - 2009



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The big  
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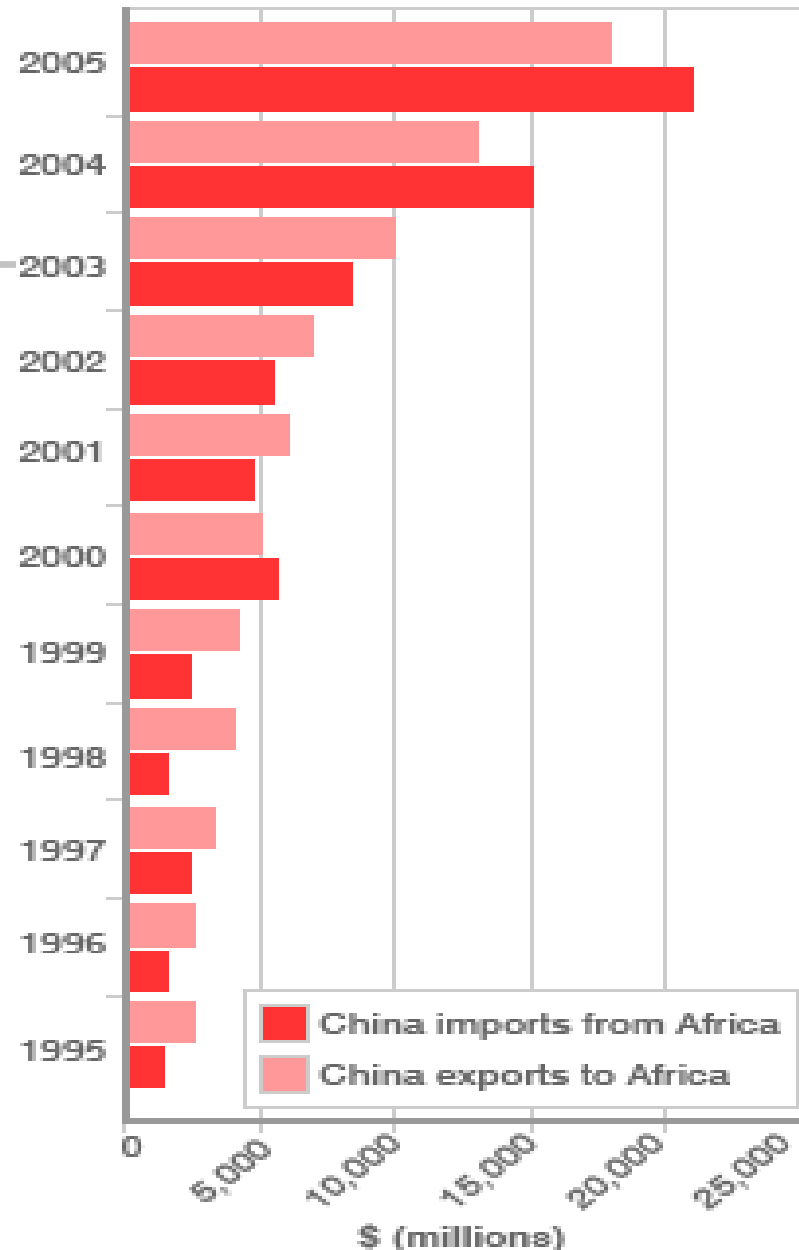


‘.....a silent tsunami which knows no borders, sweeping the world.’

# China and 'the new scramble for Africa'



CHINA'S TRADE WITH AFRICA

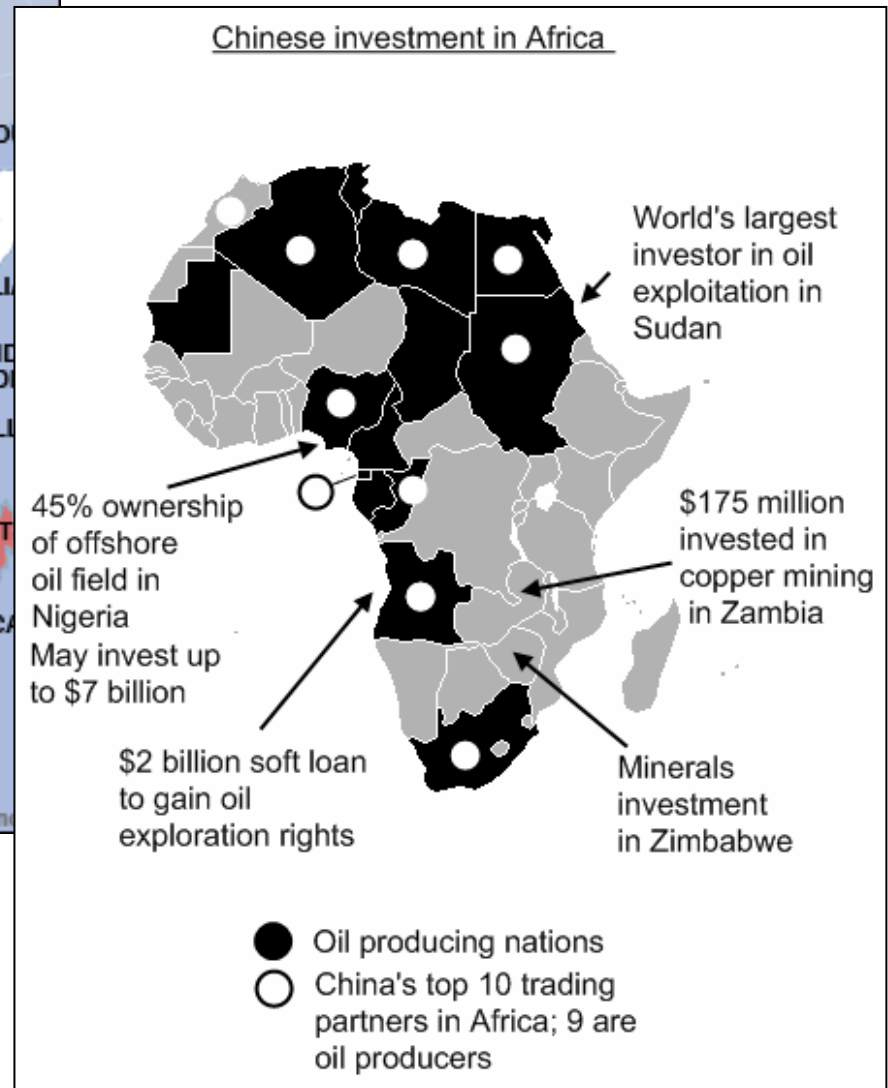


SOURCE: Stellenbosch University

### CHINA'S FOREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENT IN AFRICA (2005)

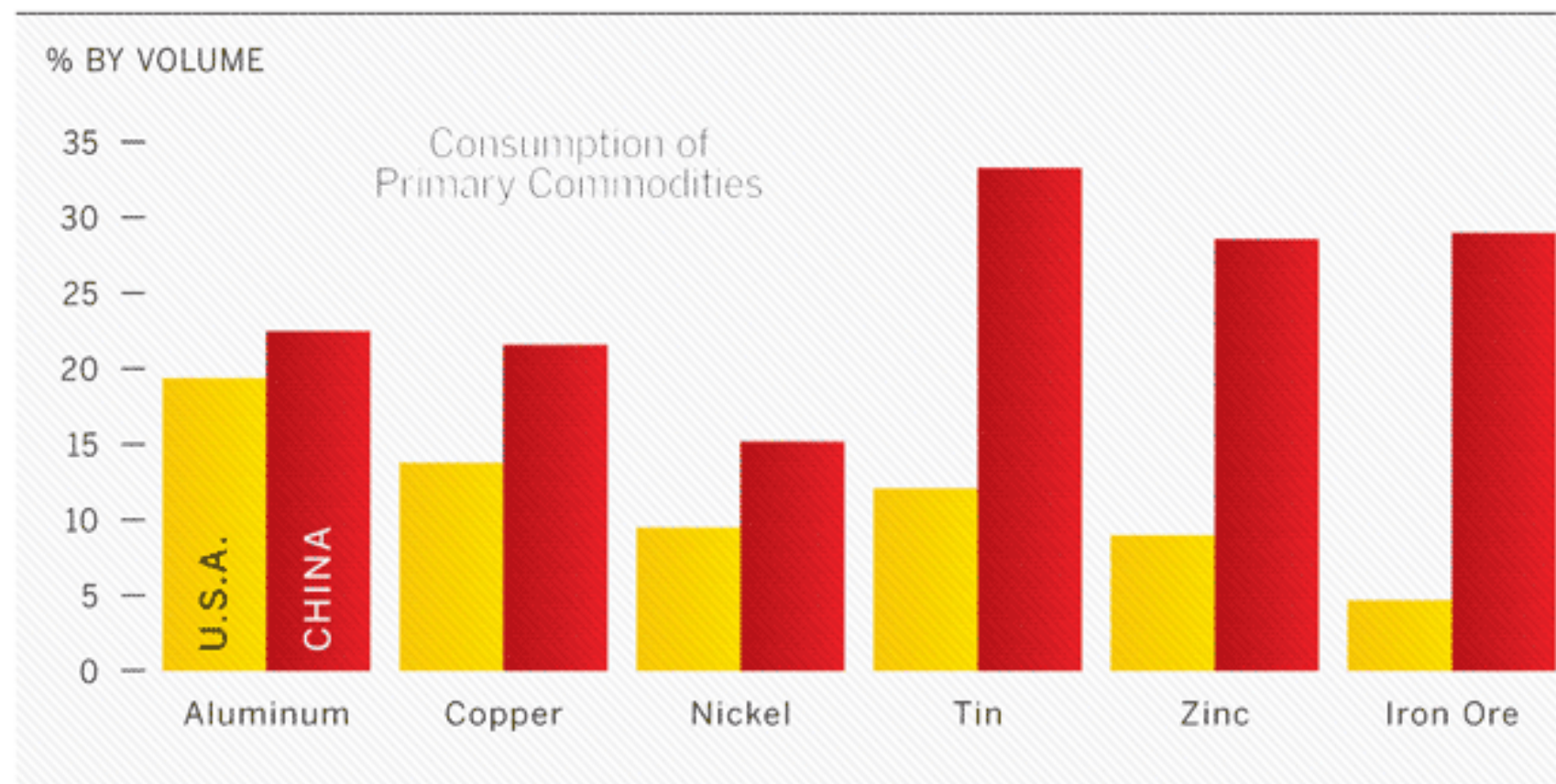


### Chinese investment in Africa



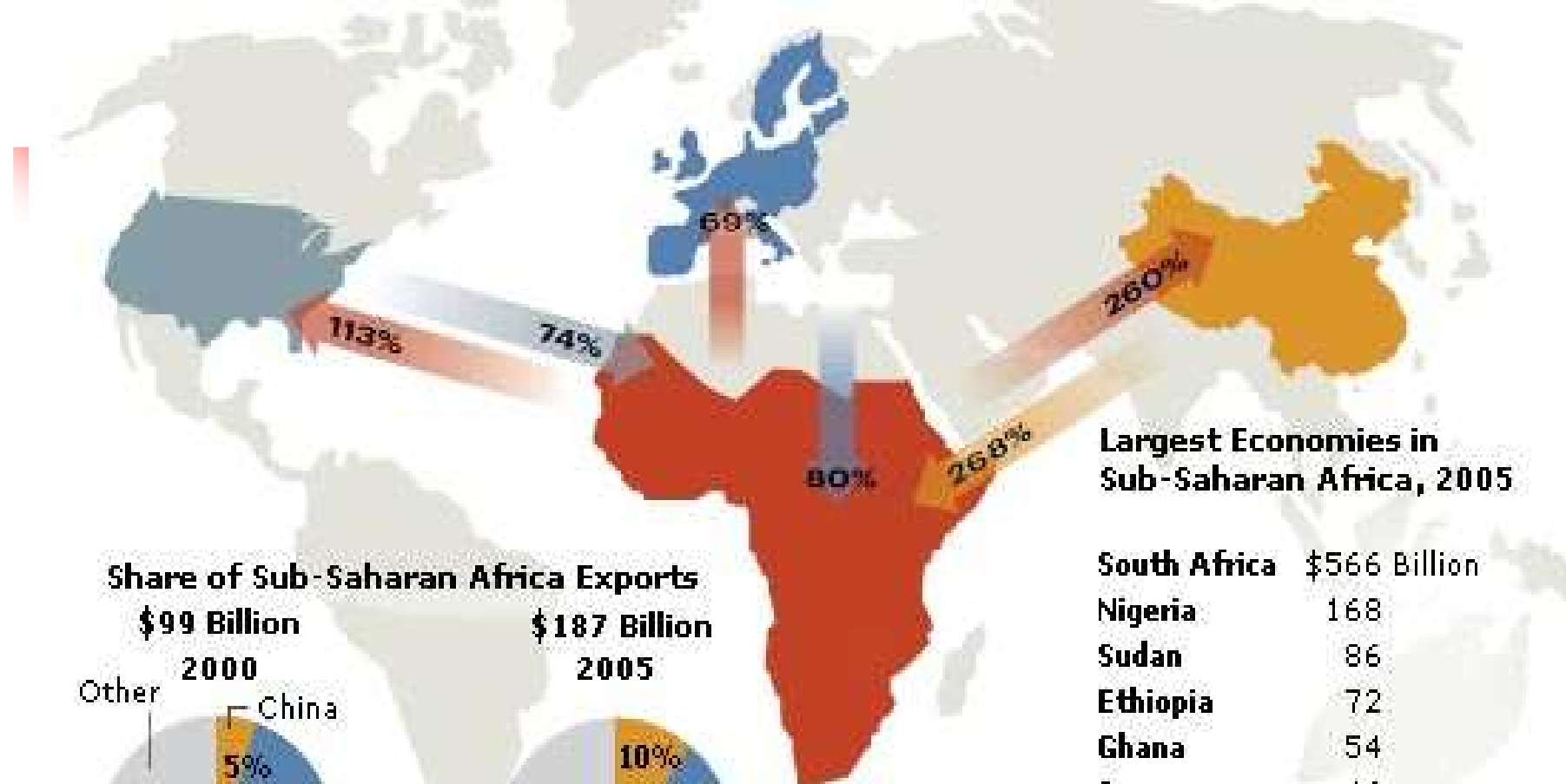
# The Omnivore

China is gobbling up natural resources of all kinds.



Note: As of 2005. Source: World Bank

**Arrows Show Increase in Regional Imports and Exports Between 2000 to 2005**

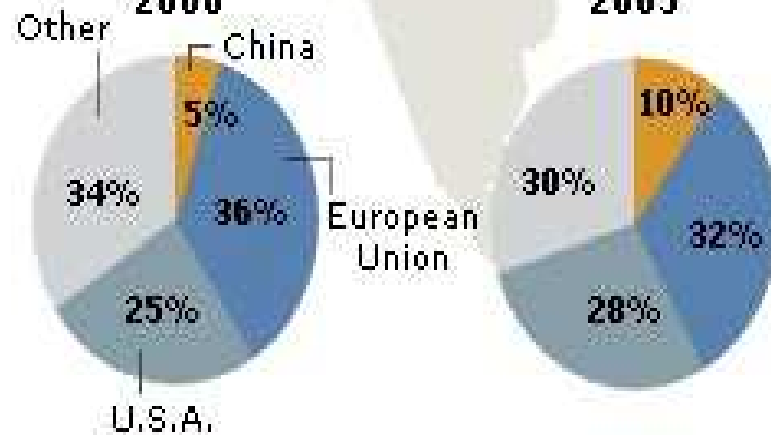


**Largest Economies in Sub-Saharan Africa, 2005**

<b>South Africa</b>	\$566 Billion
<b>Nigeria</b>	168
<b>Sudan</b>	86
<b>Ethiopia</b>	72
<b>Ghana</b>	54
<b>Congo</b>	46
<b>Angola*</b>	46
<b>Uganda</b>	45
<b>Kenya</b>	42
<b>Cameroon</b>	38

\*E stimate

**Share of Sub-Saharan Africa Exports**  
**\$99 Billion 2000**      **\$187 Billion 2005**



SOURCE: UNITED NATIONS COMTRADE

# ANGOLA

**Full name:** The Republic of Angola

**Population:** 18.5 million (UN, 2009)

**Capital:** Luanda

**Area:** 1.25m sq km (481,354 sq miles)

**Major languages:** Portuguese (official),  
Umbundu, Kimbundu, Kikongo

**Major religion:** Christianity

**Life expectancy:** 45 years (men), 49  
years (women) (UN)

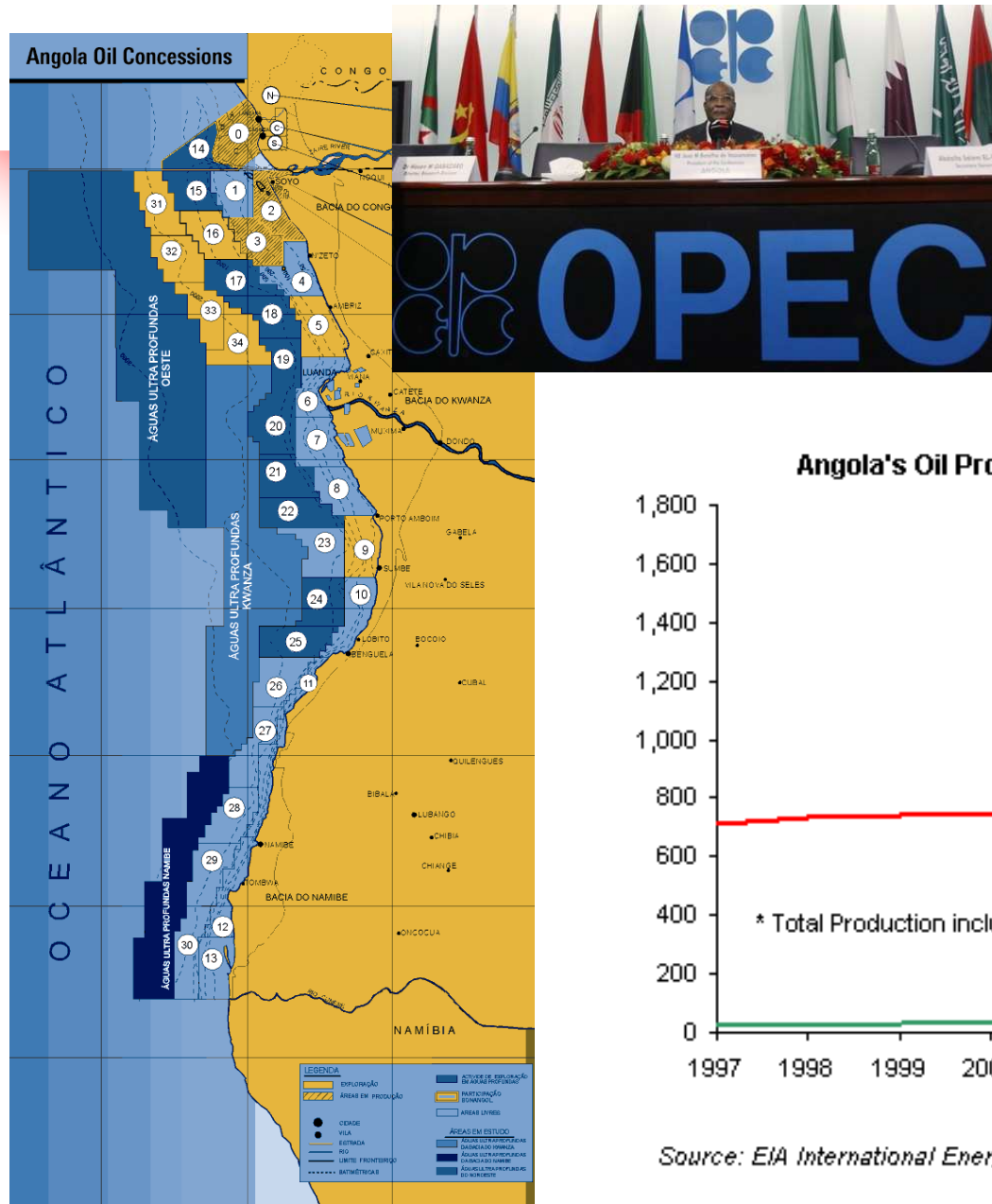
**Monetary unit:** 1 kwanza = 100 lwei

**Main exports:** Oil, diamonds, minerals,  
coffee, fish, timber

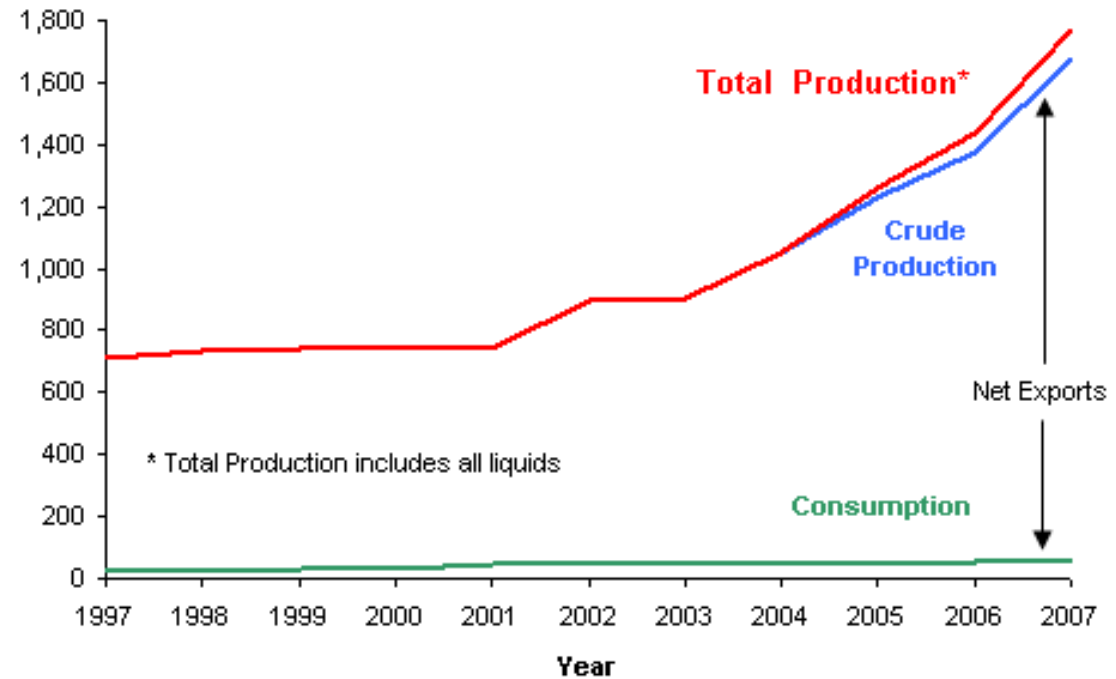
**GNI per capita:** US \$3,450 (World Bank,  
2008)



# Angola's burgeoning oil industry



Angola's Oil Production and Consumption, 1997 - 2007

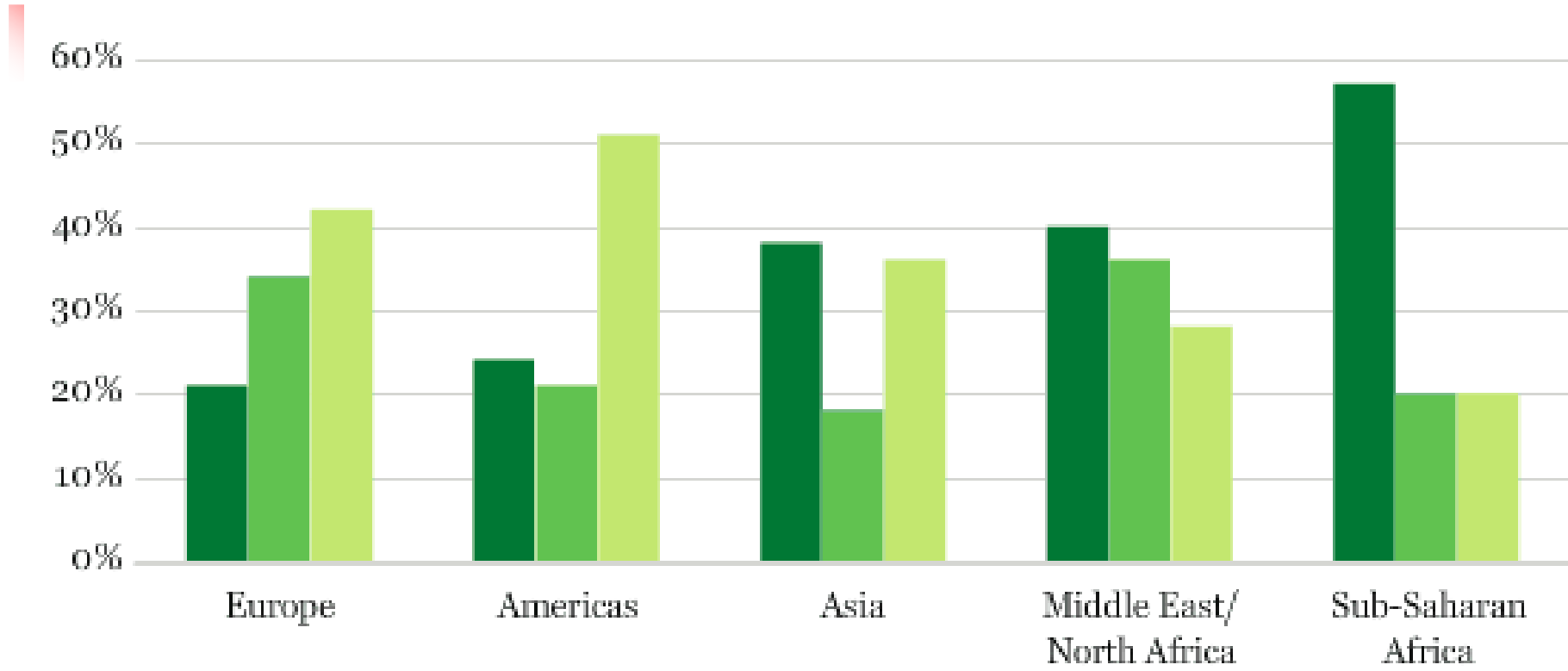


Source: EIA International Energy Annual; Short-Term Energy Outlook

*Do you approve or disapprove of the job performance of the leadership of China?*

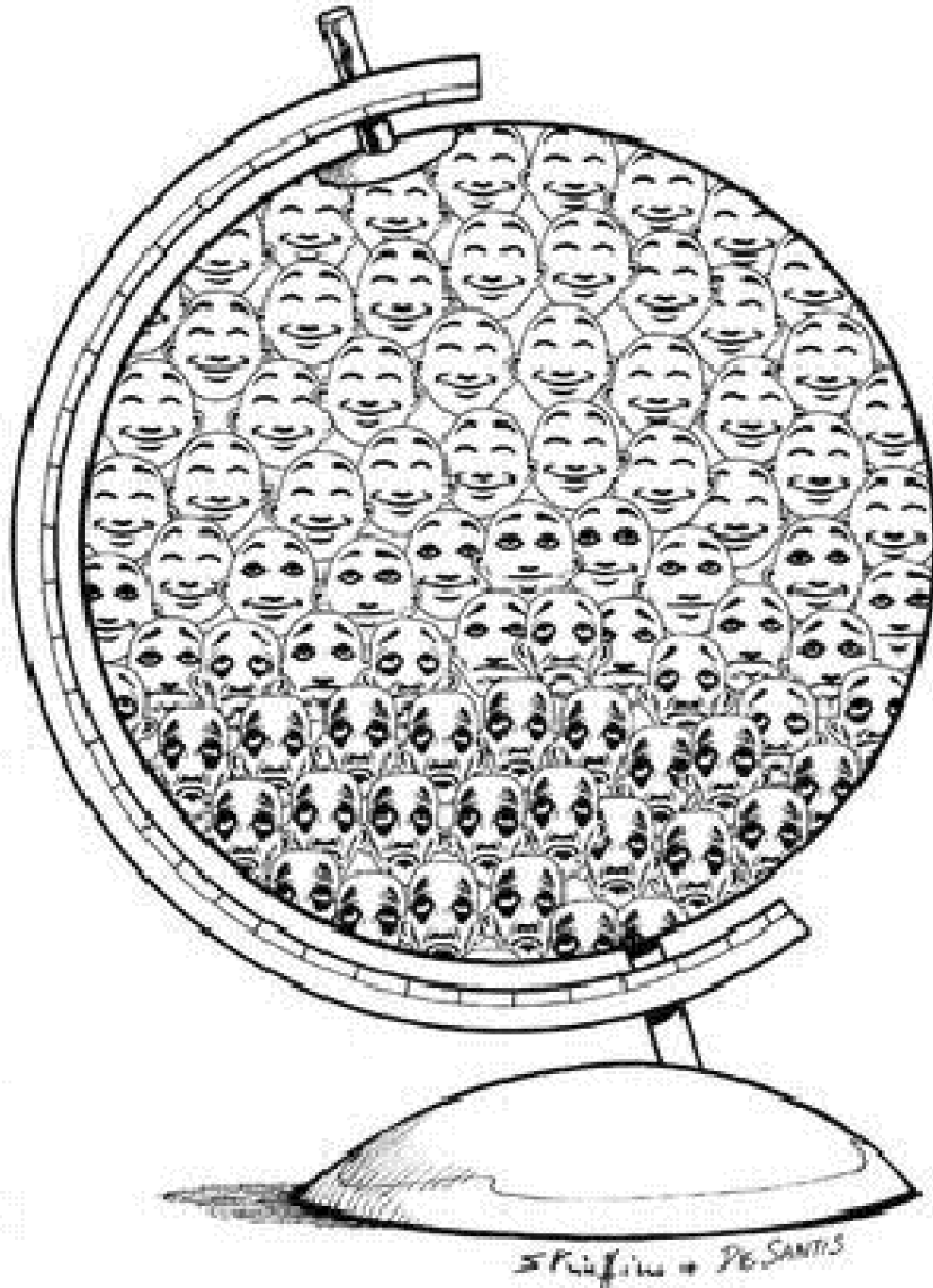
Regional medians

■ % Approve   ■ % Disapprove   ■ % Don't know/Refused



2005-2008

GALLUP POLL



The BIG question with China's increasing investment in Africa, is based around the motives for this investment.

Is this a case of 'South-South' development or is it really neo-colonialism?