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- Global shifts: the changing contours of the global economic map
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Ezcurra, Roberto and Rodríguez-Pose, Andrés (2013) Does economic globalization affect regional inequality? A cross-country analysis. World Development, 52: 92–103.

This paper charts how economic globalization led to increasing regional inequalities in 47 countries between 1990 and 2007. It provides a macro view on the uneven geographies of global shift.

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This paper introduces a special issue of the journal and examines how the rise of China presents a significant challenge to the dominant view of economic globalization.

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This paper identifies the recent global shift in markets from the global north to the global south and considers its implications for understanding the changing organization of the global economy.

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This paper discusses how the critical dialogue on economic development in the global north and the global south can be further stimulated. It shows how the study of the shifting centre of gravity in the global economy is important in today's context.