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This book will interest policy makers in the public and private sector involved in industrialisation of the resource sector, as well as those researching resource, industrial and trade policy. It also adds to understanding development strategy in the context of the impact of China and other emerging economies on Africa.

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