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Development in the tropics is important economically for developing and industrialised nations. This text looks at approaches that attempt to minimise the impact of development.
