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economic and diplomatic relations with sub-Saharan Africa from 1974

to the early 1990's makes it clear that Japan was lukewarm in the struggle against apartheid. Case studies of Tanzania and Nigeria dissect Japan's trade, aid and investment policies