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Xi Jinping and His Years Ahead

Is China changing the world
or is it a status-quo power?



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One of the world's most pressing issues is whether we can cope with China in the future as China is rapidly growing economically and henceforth strengthening its political and military power. Some even have begun to argue that if a country replaces the US as the world's number one power, it will surely be China. The sheer and growing size of its economy has begun influencing the world's energy, financial, trade, and investment balances, and needless to say, the military equilibrium. Is China consciously and unconsciously challenging and altering basic allocation of power in current international relations?

On the other hand, after China became a permanent member of the UN Security Council and particularly from the start of Deng Xiaoping's open policy, China has become the foremost beneficiary of contemporary international relations. The de facto alliance with US prevented a possible Soviet invasion to China, and the enormous US market and Japanese ODA and FDI have been a tremendous bonanza for China's economic miracle. Why, then, does China need to change the world?

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