

China is using its economic relations and positive trade surplus as tools to develop potential military power status in Asia, in the light of this statement, discuss its impact on India as her neighbour

→ The relationship between China and the rest of the world is changing, and a great deal of value could be at stake depending on whether there is more or less engagement.

Penetration of China, through the use of economic levers, which we are unable to match in scale and speed of delivery, will test Indian diplomacy. Real threat of China succeeding in its continuing effort to tether India to the sub-continent and prevent its projection of influence in the region and beyond.

China's BELT AND ROAD initiative to connect East Asian economic region with the European circle and run across the continents of Asia, Europe and Africa

China's debt-trap diplomacy - 'Premature mentality' in evaluating commercial value of investment projects and inadequacies in debt evaluation leads to suspension, rethinking over project costs and finally to debt trap

Sri Lanka's Hambantota port was forced to lease to China for 99 years; ~~complete suspension and rethinking of a billion~~

- complete suspension and rethinking of a billion dollar Malayan railway project
- Project cost in Maldives, Ethiopia, Pakistan are worrisome
- Through OBOK, China is countering the strategies of India in N-E region and is promoting its greater presence in North-East India