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# STRATEGIC GLOBAL SIGNIFICANCE OF CHINA'S COKE AND STEEL SUPPLY CHAINS

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China is now the largest producer of coal, coke, and steel in the world. Polenske will trace the supply chains for these important commodities and examine factors that are affecting their prices and use. In addition, she will examine the causes of the recent climb in energy intensity (energy consumption per unit of gross domestic product) in China, which declined by a significant 67% from 1978 to 2000.

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