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The Theory of Economic Integration (Routledge Revivals) 2013-05-13

first published in 1962 the theory of economic integration provides an excellent exposition of a complex and far reaching topic professor balassa has been remarkably successful in covering so much ground with such care and balance in a treatment which is neither in any way abstruse nor unnecessarily technical his book will interest economists in europe by reason of its subject and treatment but it is also a valuable and reliable textbook for students tackling integration as part of a course of international economics and for those studying public finance he distinguishes between the various forms of integration free trade area customs union common market economics union and total integration in addition he applies the theoretical principles to current projects such as the european common market and free trade area and to latin american integration projects in offering this theoretical study the author builds on the conclusions of other writers but goes beyond this in providing a unifying framework for previous contributions and in exploring questions that in the past received little attention in particular the relationship between economic integration and growth especially the interrelationship between market size and growth and the implications of various factors for economic growth in an integrated area

The Economics of International Integration 2002-09-11

international economic integration can in many ways be seen as one of the everyday consequences of globalization as communication lines grow shorter more and more countries are seeing the use in hacking down trade barriers this new edition of peter robson s classic text will doubtless please its many fans

European Socio-Economic Integration 2012-12-06

economic integration is one of the most noteworthy issues in international economic policy at the end of the twentieth century the recent examples of the european union eu and the north american free trade association nafta have raised important questions about the economic integration process and the possible establishment of economic unions in other parts of the world against the backdrop of the financial crisis in europe and prospects of increasing integration in asia this volume showcases research from an international array of researchers to provide a basic understanding of the current issues problems challenges and opportunities for achieving integration addressing both empirical and theoretical aspects of such topics as monetary union social policy reform and social union public finance and technology policy the chapters in part 1 are focused primarily on economic issues while part 2 covers on social policy the welfare state and political reforms with a particular emphasis on the european union among the questions addressed what are the main determinants and implications for socio economic integration how can economic policy influence the growth and integration process why is innovation important for regional economic development what has been the policy response so far and what lessons have we learned from it and finally what are our action lines for the future

The Economic Integration of Europe 2021-06-08

the clearest and most up to date account of the achievements and setbacks of the european union since 1945 europe has been transformed since the second world war no longer a checkerboard of entirely sovereign states the continent has become the largest single market area in the world with most of its members ceding certain economic and political powers to the central government of the european union this shift is the product of world historical change but the process is not well understood the changes came in fits and starts there was no single blueprint for reform rather the eu is the result of endless political turmoil and dazzling bureaucratic gymnastics as brexit demonstrates there are occasional steps backward too cutting through the complexity richard pomfret presents a uniquely clear and comprehensive analysis of an incredible achievement in economic cooperation the economic integration of europe follows all the major steps in the creation of the single market since the postwar establishment of the european coal and steel community pomfret identifies four stages of development the creation of a customs union the deepening of economic union with the single market the years of monetary union and eastward expansion and finally problems of consolidation throughout he details the economic benefits costs and

controversies associated with each step in the evolution of the eu what lies ahead pomfret concludes that for all its problems europe has grown more prosperous from integration and is likely to increase its power on the global stage

The Theory of Economic Integration 1982

this book is intended to provide a basic understanding of current issues and problems of economic integration identifying economic integration as one of the main features of modern international economics the authors examine its many aspects and consequences which remain as yet obscure and unexplored after addressing general issues regarding economic integration the authors include empirical theoretical analyses of the monetary union social policy reform social union public finance and technological policies

Economic Integration 2001-12-05

the regional economic integration a comparative study of central asian and south asian regions this book has been acknowledged as an exhaustive research on economic integration between central asia and south asian as well as within the regions this book has given an idea that both the regions are complementary to each other having a lot of potential in all growing sectors to harness this potential efficiently both the regions should cooperate with each other economic benefits might help in diluting some political problems existing within the regions war devastating countries by economic integration could yield maximum benefits in the european union then why not these regions could do so history is witnessed that these regions enjoy same social and culturalties while engaging in trade activities author has made extensive efforts to highlight the benefits of economic integration for development and prosperity of both the regions

Regional Economic Intergration [i.e. Integration] 2009

the problem of economic integration is treated from a purely theoretical standpoint in a manner which far exceeds in thoroughness any prior attempt to deal with this problem in a similar fashion originally published in 1961 the princeton legacy library uses the latest print on demand technology to again make available previously out of print books from the distinguished backlist of princeton university press these editions preserve the original texts of these important books while presenting them in durable paperback and hardcover editions the goal of the princeton legacy library is to vastly increase access to the rich scholarly heritage found in the thousands of books published by princeton university press since its founding in 1905

Economic Integration 2015-12-08

this work explains the theoretical historical and political background of the north american free trade agreement nafta covering its impact and the debates surrounding its existence the authors also introduce the theory of economic integration and post war economic management

North American Economic Integration 1999

this work defines economic integration making distinctions between various forms of integration such as a free trade area customs union common market economic union and total integration

The Theory of Economic Integration 1961

while major theories of economic regionalism in the existing literature are primarily constructed to explore institutionalized regional integration european integration in particular the analytical framework developed in this work explains the unique process and pattern of regional integration in east

asia

The Politics of Economic Regionalism 2010-01-20

this book proposes a renewal of open regionalism in latin america and the caribbean lac aimed at achieving the region s goals of high growth with stability the lac region experienced a growth spurt with equity during the first decade of the 21st century it is well understood that an unsustainable demand boom fueled by terms of trade improvements drove this growth acceleration episode especially in south america unfortunately terms of trade are no longer fueling growth and the region s policymakers are in search of new sources of growth with stability with the experience of east asia and the pacific in mind many policymakers in lac are looking to international economic ties as a potential source of stable growth the challenge highlighted in this book lies in designing an integration agenda comprising trade and factor market integration that is conducive to region wide efficiency gains which can help lac enhance its global competitiveness the forces of geography imply that pro growth global integration cannot be achieved without building a strong neighborhood thus this volume argues that lac s regional economic integration agenda needs to go well beyond the current spaghetti bowl of preferential trading arrangements

Better Neighbors 2017-03-15

the essays in this volume discuss worldwide economic integration between 1850 and 1930 challenging the popular description of the period after 1918 as one of mere deglobalisation the authors argue that markets were not only places of material exchange but also socially structured entities shaped by the agency of individual actors and by complex structures of political and economic power economic transactions were supported by an array of different institutions ranging from formalised regulations to informal relations of personal trust they argue that these networks were strong enough to prosper even during and after world war i in a political climate often hostile to foreign trade the foundations of worldwide economic integration shows that institutionalism altered its shape in the face of circumstances that increasingly challenged international trade by presenting case studies from various countries this book offers a fresh perspective on crucial periods of economic globalisation

Economic Integration 1976

the splintering of the multilateral trading system into a number of trading blocs and arrangements has been one of the most important issues in international economics particularly after the establishment of the world trade organisation in 1995 and especially after the launch of the doha round in 2001 international economic integration has played a significant part in the economic policy decisions for most countries and regions throughout the world over decades if this is so why then has the success of integration schemes been so variable and what are the prospects for integration in the future is integration a building or a stumbling block on the way to universal free trade this book addresses these crucial questions the book builds on and extends earlier research and publications by the author and presents new and up to date material the author continues to broaden and deepen traditional integration theory using a new model that incorporates market imperfections such as economies of scale foreign direct investment and an evolutionary approach to the spatial location of firms and industries this reflects modern approaches to trade competition investment and the geographical distribution of production the main theoretical types of integration free trade areas customs unions common markets and economic unions are discussed in detail with the help of a number of practical examples these considerations have a european slant as this is the area where economic integration has the deepest meaning and because the eu serves as a model for a number of integration groups elsewhere in the world the book also covers integration in the americas the pacific region south east asia and africa the concluding chapter outlines the accumulated experiences of economic integration throughout the world and provides guidelines to assist in steering integration through the mist that obscures the future providing an excellent understanding of the complex issues involved with international economic integration this volume will be extremely valuable for students of international economics development and international business

The Foundations of Worldwide Economic Integration 2013-01-07

this new book brings together contributions from recognized experts in trade policy discussing and evaluating economic integration in the western hemisphere the alternative trade strategies being pursued in this area and latin american relationships with united states and canada these essays provide progress reports concerning the different regi

The Economics of International Integration 2006

the global impact of economic integration is the subject of this book which examines policies in europe and abroad ali m el agraa is the author and editor of many books on economics and trade including japan s trade frictions and trade theory and policy

A More Perfect Union? 1996

first published in 1968 this reissue is a study of contemporary international economic policy with particular emphasis upon economic integration as a means of bringing about a faster rate of economic progress and of helping to overcome poverty peter robson s book is a study of the rationale of common markets and other forms of economic integration among african states and of their operation in practice the book will be of great value to those concerned with administering or assessing integration schemes in africa and indeed in less developed areas throughout the world in addition it is an important contribution to the field of development economics

Economic Integration in the Americas 2008-01-31

in this innovative work guglielmo carchedi argues that only an analysis centered on class as the basic unit of social life with production and distribution of value understood as the bedrock of the economy can throw light on the internal contradictions of european economic integration two specific themes emerge from this radical approach first familiar topics such as competition and social policy economic and monetary union the common agricultural policy and immigration are treated in an original manner second subjects usually ignored in the standard textbooks for instance the role of interest groups in the union s decision making process are shown to be of crucial importance in understanding the economics of the european union this work therefore provides both an introduction to and a critique of the european project the book s central message however is that another sort of europe is possible one based on the erosion of economic polarization on the abolition of europe s imperialist relations with the third world and on the creation of truly democratic institutions of self determination

The Theory and Measurement of International Economic Integration 1989

this text contains an analysis of each of the major regional economic integration systems that are currently in place in the western hemisphere it also discusses the issues raised by economic integration in countries with radically different levels of economic development

Economic Integration in Africa 2012-08-06

in this major new text miroslav n jovanovic presents an analysis of all the major aspects of economic integration in the european union beginning with an overview of the origins of european integration he moves on to discuss in detail all the main policy areas these include monetary policy competition policy industrial policy fiscal policy trade policy the common agricultural policy foreign direct investment regional policy the volume also includes a discussion of less well known policy areas such as social policy environmental policy and transport policy containing an excellent blend of theory and practice and presenting a highly complex issue in an accessible and non technical way this text will be an invaluable resource for students of international economics

international business and european studies

For Another Europe 2001

can north america survive as a region in light of the political turbulence provoked by the global economic crisis or have regional integration and collaboration reached a plateau beyond which disintegration is likely in north america in question leading analysts from canada the united states and mexico provide theoretically innovative and rich empirical reflections on current challenges sweeping the continent and on the faltering political support for north american regionalism this collection begins by reviewing the recent trajectories and events that have undermined north america s trilateral relationship then addresses concerns that go beyond nafta and economic issues including labour immigration energy the environment quality of citizenship borders women s and civil society struggles and democratic deficits although demonstrating that many informal dimensions of north american integration continue to flourish the contributors assess whether the future will hold greater economic instability security crises and emerging bilateral relationships

Economic Integration in the Western Hemisphere 1994

international economic integration is not a recent phenomenon its roots can be traced back to the roman empire this informative volume departs from the conventional short term analysis and takes a long term view of the process offering perspectives that are both detailed and diverse author dennis mccarthy examines seven types of organizations that exemplify international economic integration colonial empires merchant associations religious empires criminal empires free trade areas customs unions and common markets and representative examples of each type are analyzed in a comparative framework timely and unique this book demonstrates that international economic integration is an economic and political process that also involves political economy with an introduction defining key terms and concepts a retrospective summarizing the main insights and endnotes and a detailed bibliography offering readers ways to pursue these topics further mccarthy s book will prove indispensable to students and general readers who wish to gain a firm understanding of international economics and the processes that shape the world today

European Economic Integration 2002-09-11

the increasingly integrated global economy presents both opportunities and challenges to national and international policymakers global economic integration is widely thought to improve the allocation of resources promote technological transfer and enhance living standards but at the same time economic integration has frequently been associated with growing trade imbalances increased financial market volatility and less effective domestic macroeconomic policies to identify domestic and international policies that will help nations around the world achieve the greatest net benefits from global integration the federal reserve bank of kansas city sponsored a symposium titled global economic integration opportunities and challenges at jackson hole wyoming on august 24 26 2000 the symposium brought together a distinguished group of central bankers academics and financial market representatives to discuss these issues

North America in Question 2012-09-26

this book offers an in depth analysis of economic integration in africa with a focus on the east african community eac

International Economic Integration in Historical Perspective 2006-09-27

this book discusses the way in which economic integration and preferential trade agreements reinforce or alter the existing location of industries using a conceptual approach with real life examples the author seeks to clarify and explain the key tendencies of the relationship and influence between spatial

distribution of production and economic integration geography of production and economic integration will develop students specialists and policymakers understanding of this highly topical subject

Global Economic Integration 2001-12

this text is an accessible and comprehensive introduction to the theory of economic integration and to the principle economic policies of the eu

International Economic Integration 1965

first published in 1971 this is a study of the application of the economic theory of integration in developing countries attempts to assess the development of common markets and free trade areas in the contemporary developing world the book synthesises various revisions of the old theory of the customs union tackling the process of elaborating an appropriate theory for developing countries the reissue will be of interest to those concerned with international trade and development economics as well as those interested in the development of the caribbean region

Economic Integration in Africa 2017-10-12

the book provides a comprehensive and critical analysis of the theoretical and empirical literature in international economics arising from the proliferation of regional integration schemes in the last four decades the focus is on the pure theoretical and empirical work in the field covering all recent developments in theoretical work and measurement techniques in regional integration the new book fully updates the analysis in the author's very well received the theory and measurement of international economic integration 1989 to take into account the impact of a further decade of rapid integration around the world detailed empirical analysis of the major integration schemes themselves can be found in the author's collection international economic integration 1997

Geography of Production and Economic Integration 2002-01-04

economic geography is the most complete up to date textbook available on the important new field of spatial economics this book fills a gap by providing advanced undergraduate and graduate students with the latest research and methodologies in an accessible and comprehensive way it is an indispensable reference for researchers in economic geography regional and urban economics international trade and applied econometrics and can serve as a resource for economists in government economic geography presents advances in economic theory that explain why despite the increasing mobility of commodities ideas and people the diffusion of economic activity is very unequal and remains agglomerated in a limited number of spatial entities the book complements theoretical analysis with detailed discussions of the empirics of the economics of agglomeration offering a mix of theoretical and empirical research that gives a unique perspective on spatial disparities it reveals how location continues to matter for trade and economic development yet how economic integration is transforming the global economy into an economic space in which activities are performed within large metropolitan areas exchanging goods skills and information economic geography examines the future implications of this evolution in the spatial economy and relates them to other major social and economic trends provides a complete introduction to economic geography explains the latest theory and methodologies covers the empirics of agglomeration from spatial concentration measurement to structural estimations of economic geography models includes history and background of the field serves as a textbook for students and a resource for professionals

European Economic Integration 2005

this book asks anew whether there really was european integration before 1914 by focussing on quantitative economic indicators and qualitative data the international regulation of patents communication networks social policy and plant protection the authors re evaluate european integration of the time

and address the politics of seemingly apolitical cooperation the authors show that european integration was multifaceted and cooperation less the result of intent than of incentives national polities and international regimes co shaped each other the result is a book that achieves two things offer stand alone chapters that shed light on specific developments and these read altogether develop a bigger picture it will be of interest to researchers and students of economic history as well as those interested in the history of internationalism and globalisation

A Theory of Economic Integration for Developing Countries 2010-11-26

questions related to the economics of regionalism became increasingly important beginning in the late 1980s when regional groupings started to become very popular as a tool of commercial policy the goal of this book is to address the question of whether or not regionalism in developed countries has truly benefited developing countries and to what degree regionalism among developing countries and between developed and developing countries will improve economic development prospects mordechai kreinin and michael plummer consider the implications of the emerging global trend of economic regionalism for developing countries the analysis focuses on the trade and investment effects of integration in developed countries on developing countries as well as the ramifications of regional integration in the latter after an extensive review of the theoretical and empirical literature pertinent to the economics of regionalism the book considers the ex post trade and direct foreign investment effects of the single market program in europe and nafta followed by chapters on asean and economic integration in latin america primarily mercosur the study suggests three salient conclusions first in designing preferential trading arrangements developed countries should recognize and attempt to minimize the possible discriminating effect on developing countries second the developing countries have an abiding interest in the success of wto negotiations that would minimize the discrimination against them of regional groupings in europe and north america and third any customs unions or free trade areas among the developing countries themselves should be outward looking if they are to enhance the welfare of developing countries economists and policy scholars as well as readers interested in regionalism and economic development will find this book a great resource

Central America 1989-03-19

this timely book provides a wide ranging and insightful discussion of how labor market institutions and policies influence the mechanisms of economic integration and how economic integration inturn is likely to influence key features of labor markets it offers both a clear analysis of these issues and a wealth of comparative labor market data robert j flanagan stanford university a volume of the integrating national economies series

The Essentials of Economic Integration 1974

south asia today is among the most unstable regions in the world riddled by both intra and inter state conflict this book presents a comprehensive technical analysis of the trade conflict relationship within the region and explores how south asia demonstrates underperformance of its potential for economic integration using the gravity model framework the book highlights quantitative estimates of the cost of conflict in terms of loss of trade for south asia other variables representative of political and economic regimes are also included to make the model comprehensive and the book goes on to discuss how the analysis reveals the overriding significance of the india pakistan relationship in the regional landscape it looks at how the results of the econometric exercise reveal the extent to which a common border when disputed becomes a barrier rather than a facilitator to trade and additionally the extent to which long standing and persistent conflict can debilitate trade relationships the book is a useful contribution for students and scholars of south asian studies and international political economy and assists in formulating policy to correct the anti home bias that is evident in trade patterns of the south asian economies

Regional Integration 1999-07-30

the eu single market and the opening up of eastern europe offer a chance to create a truly pan european market economy in this respect many lessons

can be learned from early 20th century developments in europe bearing this in mind the authors analyze the fragility of international trade financial investment and foreign relations in and across europe from both a contemporary and historical perspective in a period of increased migration and higher capital mobility the major oecd countries are faced with such issues as monetary integration the role of banks and the requirement for structural adjustment even more complex is the integration of russia policymakers and the business community alike are presented simultaneously with unique opportunities and unique challenges with old and new pitfalls looming

Economic Geography 2008-09-08

this book discusses the way in which economic integration and preferential trade agreements reinforce or alter the existing location of industries using a conceptual approach with real life examples the author seeks to clarify and explain the key tendencies of the relationship and influence between spatial distribution of production and economic integration geography of production and economic integration will develop students specialists and policymakers understanding of this highly topical subject

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Economic Integration and Development 2002

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