China's growing role as infrastructure financier for sub-Saharan Africa Oct 20, 2008. Building bridges: China's growing role as infrastructure financier for Sub-Saharan Africa (English). Abstract. China and Africa have a long history of political and economic ties, which have greatly intensified in recent years. Both bilateral and multilateral actions have fostered the relationship. This paper focuses on China's growing role in infrastructure financing in Africa. The paper examines the trends and policy options for infrastructure financing in Sub-Saharan Africa.
