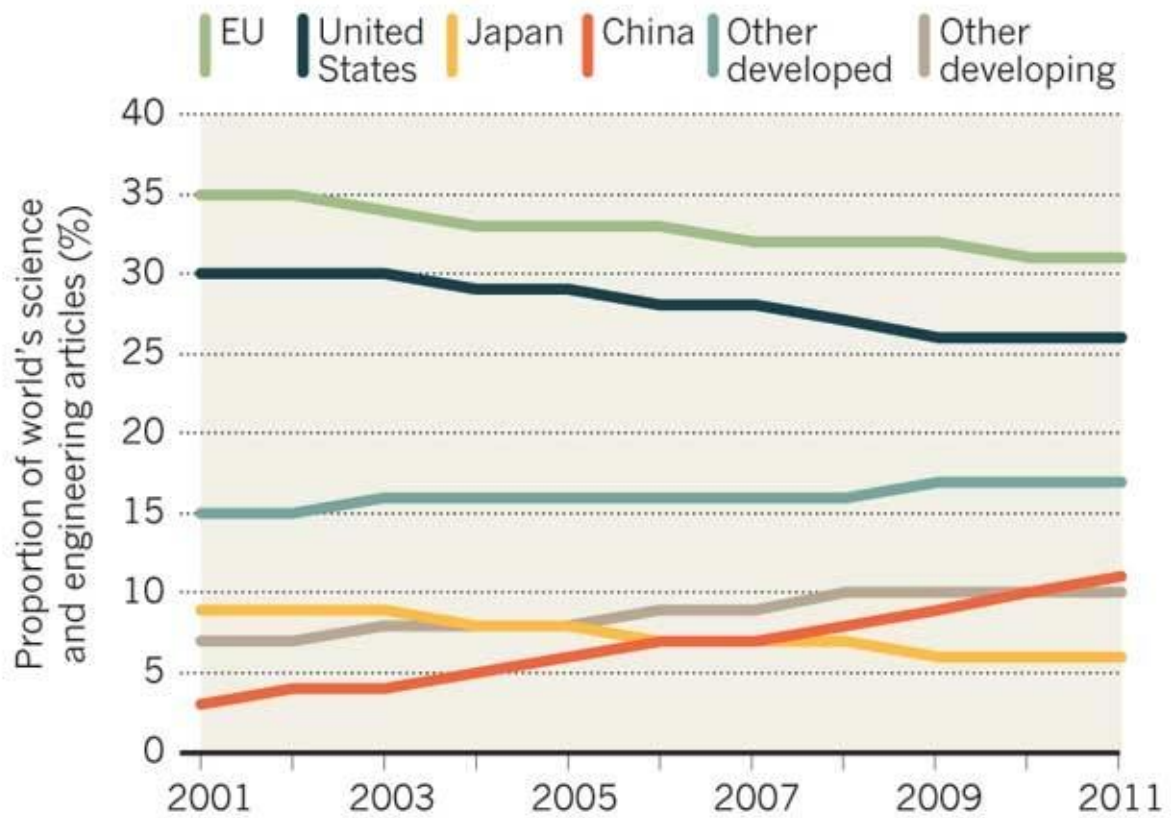


CHINA'S RESEARCH RISE

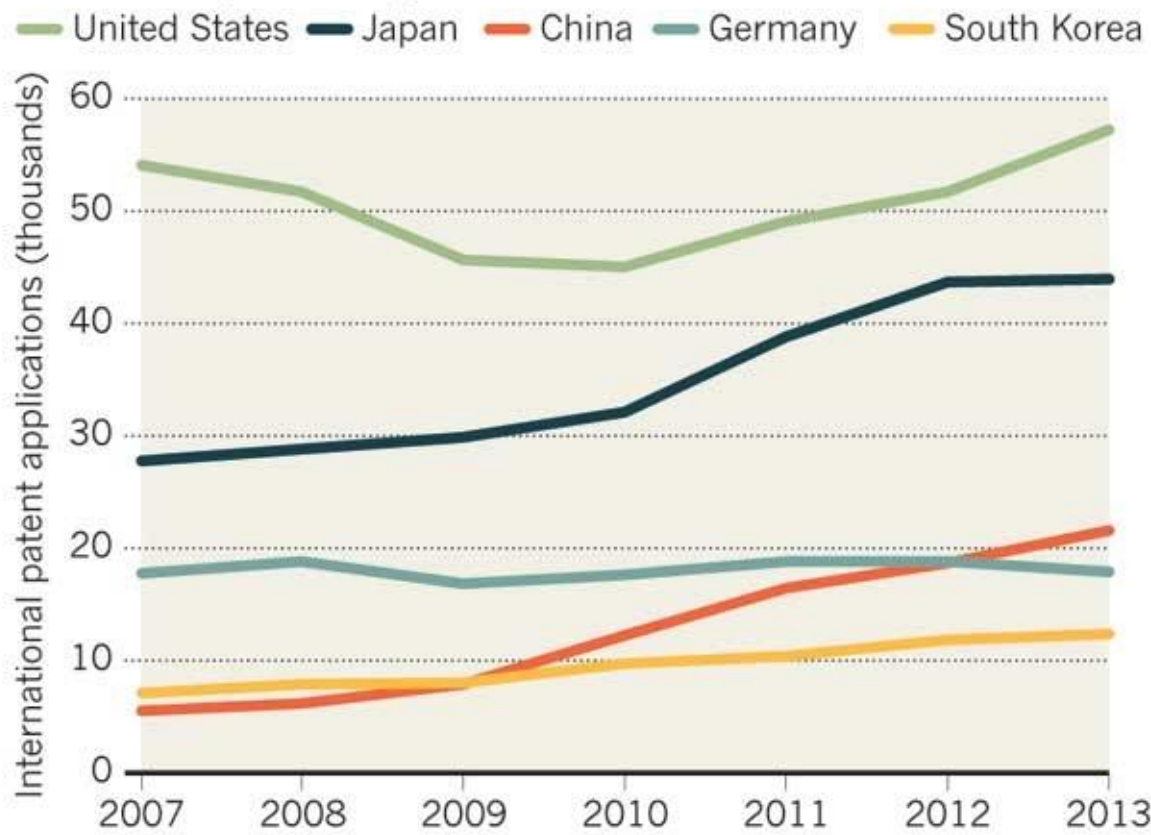
The US National Science Foundation charts the growing proportion of scientific articles with Chinese authors.



Obrázok č. 1.

CHINA'S PATENTS SURGE

China overtook Germany in 2013 to reach third place in international patent filings.

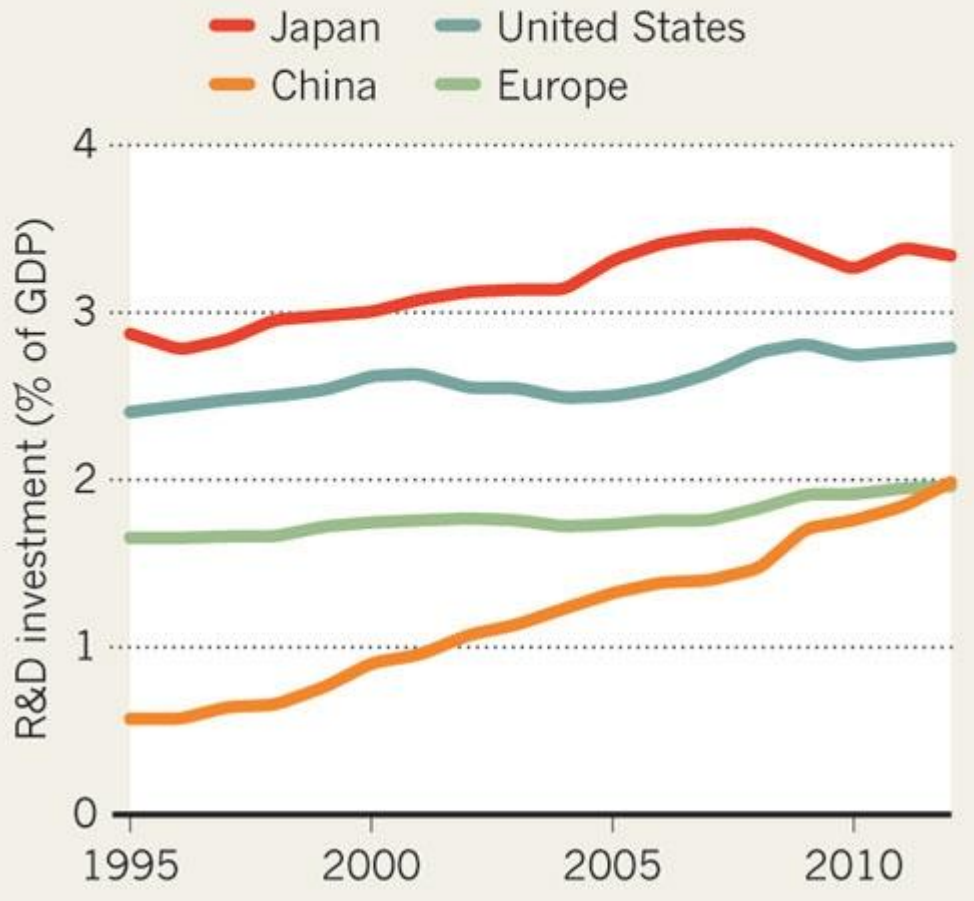


<http://www.nature.com/news/seven-days-14-20-march-2014-1.14894>

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SHOOTING STAR

China has passed Europe in its investment in research and development (R&D) as a percentage of its gross domestic product (GDP).

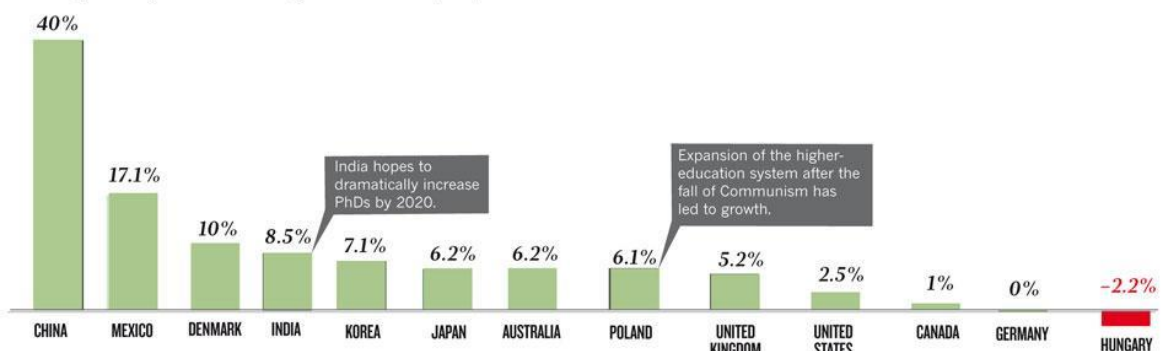


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Obrázok č. 3.

The rise of doctorates

Major expansion of higher education has boosted PhD output in many countries, shown here as average annual growth of doctoral degrees across all disciplines, 1998–2006.



<http://www.nature.com/news/2011/110420/full/472276a/box/1.html>

Obrázok č. 4.