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Global Facts Check Answer Key

Factual Statements (should be underlined): 1, 2, 3, 6, 8, 10

- These sentences provide verifiable information or general truths about globalization, trade, and technology.

Opinion Statements (should be crossed out): 4, 5, 7, 9

- These sentences express beliefs, arguments, or predictions that cannot be proven true or false.

Teacher's Guide:

- **Skill Focus:** Distinguishing fact from opinion in informational texts about global topics.
- **Differentiation Tips:**
 - For struggling learners, model the difference using simpler examples (e.g., "The Earth orbits the Sun" vs. "The Earth is a beautiful planet").
 - For advanced students, have them justify *why* each opinion might still influence public debate on globalization.
- **Engagement Idea:**
 - Turn it into a "Fact vs. Opinion Debate"-students choose one opinion statement and defend or challenge it using evidence.
- **Extension Activity:**
 - Assign a short research task: find one current globalization-related article and highlight two facts and two opinions within it.