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A Tale of Two OPECs

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Despite recent events, global oil prices have remained steady in recent months. Why is that the case, and what role does OPEC play in influencing today's global oil market?

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