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OPEN CALL

In Greece, as a term combining the words *oikos* and *logos*, the word ecology meant the knowledge of the home. Its root, then, was similar to that of economy – *oikos* and *nemein* – which referred to the management of the home. As you cannot manage what is unknown, ecology was at the foundations of economy.

Nowadays, this relationship has been reversed. Not only economic criteria prevail over ecological ones, but also both spheres are seen as antagonistic: ecologic concerns seem at odds with economic growth.

In reviewing the relationship between ecology and economics, it would seem that, as a field of knowledge, architecture has not much to say about it. However, does that really mean we have nothing to add? Are there ideas or proposals that, from architecture, can shed light on the issue? At **ARQ**, we believe so.

Interestingly, 'green architecture' has had a very good reception from economic power, although it is still unclear if that green refers to the color of chlorophyll or that of money. That is why we offer this issue 103 of **ARQ** to essays, research, designs, and proposals that, overcoming the 'green' cliché, enable new and more sophisticated readings on ecology from architecture.

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