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Sommario/riassunto	There has never been a greater need for an Australian green consumer guide to help people make informed choices about the products they buy. Tanya Ha responds to the shift in public debate about climate change toward actively seeking solutions with a practical guide that encourages consumers to become informed, get involved and to vote with their dollar. Packed with answers - practical tips and advice to help the reader make a real difference in their own lives - The Australian Green Consumer Guide is an essential, non-judgemental guide to making more ecologically sound consumer choices, wheth

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The energy sector and the development of North Sea oil
Decline in the use and output of coal
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Trade and production of motor vehicles
Britain's historical position as a major exporter
Agreement with Japan limiting imports to 11% of market in cars and commercial vehicles
Entry to EEC changed Textiles and clothing
Commonwealth preference, then 'voluntary' exports restraints.
Cotton re-organization scheme.
EFTA Regional employment premium and its discontinuance
Multi-fibre arrangement
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Privatization Growth of alliances
Regional policy and taxation
Divergent effect on manufactures and services
Emergence of the poverty trap. Reduces any multiplier effect in depressed regions;
Conclusion; Index

Sommario/riassunto

This work examines the reasons behind Britain's economic decline since the 1960's. Focusing on the restructuring of British industry and trading policy, the author discusses the causes and effects of deindustrialization and changes to traditional trading patterns. Particular attention is devoted to the impact of the EU. The work provides: * A new perspective by focusing on industry and trade rather than monetary issues; * A good comparative study of Britain's trading partners and rivals; * An accessible and relatively jargon-free discussion of a topical and far-reaching subject.
