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Sommario/riassunto	A History of Mathematics: From Mesopotamia to Modernity covers the evolution of mathematics through time and across the major Eastern and Western civilizations. It begins in Babylon, then describes the trials and tribulations of the Greek mathematicians. The important, and often neglected, influence of both Chinese and Islamic mathematics is covered in detail, placing the description of early Western mathematics in a global context. The book concludes with modern mathematics,. covering recent developments such as the advent of the computer,.

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Nota di contenuto	List of tables and figures --Preface --Introduction: the 'defending democracy' in Israel - a framework of analysis --1. The Israeli response to extremism: the parliamentary arena --2. The State's response to extremism: attitudes towards subversive movements and violent organisations --3. The Israeli response to extremism: the social sphere --4. The role of 'civil society' in the 'defending democracy' --5. The 'defending democracy': from the 'militant' to an 'immunised' route? --Index.
Sommario/riassunto	Ami Pedahzur looks at the theoretical issue of how a democracy can defend itself from those wishing to subvert or destroy it without being required to take measures that would impinge upon the basic

principles of the democratic idea, with a case study of the Israeli  
response to Jewish extremism.

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