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Titolo	Freshwater mussel ecology [[electronic resource]] : a multifactor approach to distribution and abundance // David L. Strayer
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Soggetti	Freshwater mussels - Ecology Electronic books.
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Sommario/riassunto	Pearly mussels (Unionoidea) live in lakes, rivers, and streams around the world. These bivalves play important roles in freshwater ecosystems and were once both culturally and economically valuable as sources of food, pearls, and mother-of-pearl. Today, however, hundreds of species of these mussels are extinct or endangered. David L. Strayer provides a critical synthesis of the factors that control the distribution and abundance of pearly mussels. Using empirical analyses and models, he assesses the effects of dispersal, habitat quality, availability of fish hosts, adequate food, predators, and parasites. He also addresses conservation issues that apply to other inhabitants of fresh waters around the globe and other pressing issues in contemporary ecology.

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Titolo	Labour's foreign policy since 1951 [[electronic resource] /] / Rhiannon Vickers
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ISBN	1-84779-595-1 1-78170-324-8 1-84779-475-0
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (255 p.)
Collana	The Labour Party and the world ; ; v. 2
Disciplina	324.241072 327.41
Soggetti	Socialism - Great Britain - History - 20th century Great Britain Foreign relations 1945-1964
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Sommario/riassunto	This is the second book in a unique two-volume study tracing the evolution of the Labour Party's foreign policy throughout the 20th century to the present date. This is the first comprehensive study of the history of the Labour Party's worldview and foreign policy. It argues that Labour's foreign policy perspective should be seen not as the development of a socialist foreign policy, but as an application of the ideas of liberal internationalism. Volume Two provides a critical analysis of Labour's foreign policy since 1951. It examines Labour's attempts to rethink foreign policy, focusing on intr

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Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (164 p.)
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Sommario/riassunto	Cavitation refers to the formation of vapor cavities in a liquid when the local pressure becomes lower than the saturation pressure. In many hydraulic applications, cavitation is considered as a non-desirable phenomenon, as far as it may cause performance degradation, vibration problems, enhance broad-band noise-emission, and eventually trigger erosion. In this Special Issue, recent findings about cavitation instabilities are reported. More precisely, the dynamics of cavitation sheets are explored at very low Reynolds numbers in laminar flows, and in microscale applications. Both experimental and numerical approach are used. For the latter, original methods are assessed, such as smooth particles hydrodynamics or detached eddy simulations coupled to a compressible approach.