

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9910464032603321
Autore	Williams Eric <1911-1981, >
Titolo	The economic aspect of the abolition of the West Indian slave trade and slavery // Eric Williams ; edited by Dale W. Tomich ; with an introduction by William Darity Jr
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Lanham, Maryland : , : Rowman & Littlefield, , 2014 ©2014
ISBN	1-4422-3140-8
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (279 p.)
Collana	World Social Change
Disciplina	382/.4409729
Soggetti	Industries - Great Britain - History Slave trade - Great Britain Electronic books. Great Britain Economic conditions
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Description based upon print version of record.
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and index.
Nota di contenuto	Contents; Preface; Introduction; Contents; Introduction; P A R T I. THE ABOLITION OF THE SLAVE TRADE; Ch01. The Impolicy of the Slave System; Ch02. The Superiority of the French West Indies; Ch03. East India Sugar; Ch04. The Attempt to Secure an International Abolition; Ch05. The West Indian Expeditions; Ch06. The Significance of the West Indian Expeditions; Ch07. The Abolition of the Slave Trade; P A R T I I. THE ABOLITION OF SLAVERY; Ch08. The Abolitionists and Emancipation; Ch09. The Foreign Slave Trade; Ch10. East India Sugar; Ch11. The Distressed Areas Ch12. The Industrialists and EmancipationEpilogue; Appendix One: The "Influential Men"; Appendix Two: Ramsay as an Authority; Appendix Three: Select Documents Illustratingthe Inter-Colonial Slave Trade; Bibliography; Index; About the authors
Sommario/riassunto	Slavery helped finance the Industrial Revolution in England. Plantation owners, shipbuilders, and merchants connected with the slave trade accumulated vast fortunes that established banks and heavy industry in Europe and expanded the reach of capitalism worldwide. Eric Williams advanced these powerful ideas in the influential and widely debated

Capitalism and Slavery, published in 1944 and based on his previously unavailable dissertation, now available in book form for the first time. Williams's profound critique became the fou
