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Titolo	Shared borders, shared waters : Israeli-Palestinian and Colorado River Basin water challenges // editors, Sharon B. Megdal, Robert G. Varady and Susanna Eden, the University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona, USA
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Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (306 p.)
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Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	A Balkema book.
Nota di contenuto	section 1. Water development : infrastructure and institutions -- section 2. Political ad economic perspectives on water -- section 3. Learning from comparison -- section 4. Challenges, new and old : climate change and wastewater -- section 5. Expanding water supplies : promising strategies and technologies.
Sommario/riassunto	This collection of papers examines water management in two of the world's prominent, arid transboundary areas facing similar challenges. In the Middle East, the chronically water-short Israeli-Palestinian region has recognized the need both to conserve and supplement its traditional water sources. Across the globe on the North American continent, Arizona-a state in the southwestern United States bordering Mexico-relies significantly on the overallocated Colorado River, as well as on non-renewable groundwater supplies. For both regions, sustainable and cost-effective solutions clearly requir

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Titolo	The intertidal wilderness [[electronic resource] ] : a photographic journey through Pacific Coast tidepools // Anne Wertheim Rosenfeld with Robert T. Paine
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Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references (p. 151-161) and index.
Nota di contenuto	Front matter -- Contents -- Preface -- Acknowledgments -- 1. Introduction -- 2. Competition: The Struggle for Limited Resources -- 3. Predation -- 4. Reproduction and Settlement on the Shore -- 5. The Role of Color -- 6. Nature's Variability: Understanding the Changing Patterns, Conserving the Species -- Appendix A: Planning Your Visit to the Tidepools -- Appendix B: Classifying Animals and Plants -- Further Reading -- Photograph Locations and Dates -- Index
Sommario/riassunto	The Intertidal Wilderness is a stunning photographic exploration of the tidepools of the Pacific coast, from Baja California to as far north as southeast Alaska. These lush photographs capture in striking color the enormous variety of life and biological detail in the intertidal zone along one of the world's most spectacular coastlines. The interpretative text and captions describe telltale signs of ecological relationships and processes, helping the seashore explorer to appreciate ecological interactions and their consequences. The text delves into the roles of competition, predation, reproduction, natural variation in space and time, and color that characterize this vibrant ecosystem. This revised edition has been updated throughout, incorporating new scientific

information, new photographs, and a new chapter discussing the recent human impact on this threatened environment. Fusing art and science, *The Intertidal Wilderness* conveys the fragility, complexity, and interdependence of the plants and animals living at the interface of land and sea. *The Intertidal Wilderness* vividly animates the surprisingly delicate beauty of the often violent intertidal zone, which daily withstands pounding waves at high tides as well as desiccation and exposure at low tides. With revealing photographs, engaging text, and a solid foundation in marine biology, this book will capture the imagination of the casual seashore visitor as well as the dedicated enthusiast.

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