1. Record Nr. UNINA9910480382503321 Autore Petras James F. <1937-> Titolo Power and Resistance : US Imperialism in Latin America / / by James Petras, Henry Veltmeyer Leiden, Netherlands;; Boston, [Massachusetts]:,: Brill,, 2016 Pubbl/distr/stampa ©2016 **ISBN** 90-04-30742-7 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (232 p.) Collana Studies in Critical Social Sciences, , 1573-4234;; Volume 83 Critical Global Studies;; Volume 6 Disciplina 327.7308 Soggetti **Imperialism** Electronic books. United States Foreign relations Latin America Latin America Foreign relations United States 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 Preliminary Material -- Introduction -- Imperialism and Capitalism: Rethinking an Intimate Relationship -- Imperialism in an Era of Extractive Capitalism -- Extractive Imperialism and the Post-Neoliberal State -- Agroextractivist Imperialism -- US Imperialism in Latin America: Then and Now -- US Global Power in the 21st Century: Military or Economic Imperialism? -- Fifty Years of Imperial Wars: Results and Perspectives -- Networks of Empire and Realignments of World Power -- Paradoxes of Anti-Imperialism and Class Struggle --The United States and Venezuela: Decades of Defeats and Destabilization -- The Chávez Factor in us Imperialism -- Obama's Imperialist Offensive against Venezuela -- Bibliography -- Index. This book concerns the form taken today by US imperialism in Latin Sommario/riassunto America, with reference to the projection of US state power as a means of both advancing the economic interests of the US capitalist class in the region and maintaining its hegemony over the world capitalist system. In Part I the book delves into the complex relationship that

exists between imperialism and capitalism as the system that

dominates the world economy. Part II elaborates on the economic and

political dynamics of imperial power in Latin America and the forces of resistance that these dynamics have generated. Part III focuses on the relationship between the United States and Venezuela, which has assumed the leadership in the anti-imperialist struggle.