

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9910457112903321
Autore	Mansoor Peter R. <1960->
Titolo	Baghdad at sunrise [[electronic resource]] : a Brigade Commander's war in Iraq // Peter R. Mansoor ; foreword by Donald Kagan and Frederick Kagan
Pubbl/distr/stampa	New Haven, : Yale University Press, c2008
ISBN	1-282-35241-5 9786612352416 0-300-14263-3
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (416 p.)
Collana	The Yale library of military history
Disciplina	956.7044/342092 B
Soggetti	Iraq War, 2003-2011 Electronic books.
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Bibliographic Level Mode of Issuance: Monograph
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references (p. 359- 365) and index.
Nota di contenuto	Baghdad -- Rusafa -- "Bad karmah" -- Palm groves and blast barriers -- Ramadan -- Adhamiya -- New Year's interlude -- Winter in the desert -- Uprisings -- Karbala -- Transfer of sovereignty -- Reflections.
Sommario/riassunto	An on-the-ground commander describes his brigade's first year in Iraq after the U.S. forces seized Baghdad in the spring of 2003, and explains what went right and wrong as the U.S. military confronted an insurgency, in a firsthand analysis of success and failure in Iraq.

2. Record Nr.	UNINA9910484968003321
Autore	Allan J. David
Titolo	Stream Ecology : Structure and Function of Running Waters // by J. David Allan, María M. Castillo, Krista A. Capps
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Cham : , : Springer International Publishing : , : Imprint : Springer, , 2021
ISBN	9783030612863 3030612864
Edizione	[3rd ed. 2021.]
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (494 pages) : illustrations
Collana	Biomedical and Life Sciences Series
Disciplina	577.64
Soggetti	Freshwater ecology Marine ecology Biotic communities Biodiversity Freshwater and Marine Ecology Ecosystems
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and index.
Nota di contenuto	Dedication -- Preface to the Third Edition -- Acknowledgements -- Preface to the Second Edition -- 1. Rivers in the Anthropocene -- 2. Streamflow -- 3. Fluvial Geomorphology -- 4. Stream Chemistry -- 5. The Abiotic Environment -- 6. Primary Producers -- 7. Detrital Energy and the Decomposition of Organic Matter -- 8. Stream Microbial Ecology -- 9. Trophic Relationships -- 10. Species Interactions -- 11. Lotic Communities -- 12. Energy Flow and Nutrient Cycling in Aquatic Communities -- 13. Nutrient Dynamics -- 14. Carbon Dynamics and Stream Ecosystem Metabolism -- 15. How We Manage Rivers, And Why.
Sommario/riassunto	Stream Ecology: Structure and Function of Running Waters is designed to serve as a textbook for advanced undergraduate and graduate students, and as a reference source for specialists in stream ecology and related fields. This Third Edition is thoroughly updated and expanded to incorporate significant advances in our understanding of environmental factors, biological interactions, and ecosystem

processes, and how these vary with hydrological, geomorphological, and landscape setting. The broad diversity of running waters – from torrential mountain brooks, to large, lowland rivers, to great river systems whose basins occupy sub-continents – makes river ecosystems appear overwhelming complex. A central theme of this book is that although the settings are often unique, the processes at work in running waters are general and increasingly well understood. Even as our scientific understanding of stream ecosystems rapidly advances, the pressures arising from diverse human activities continue to threaten the health of rivers worldwide. This book presents vital new findings concerning human impacts, and the advances in pollution control, flow management, restoration, and conservation planning that point to practical solutions. Reviews of the first edition: ".. an unusually lucid and judicious reassessment of the state of stream ecology" Science Magazine "...provides an excellent introduction to the area for advanced undergraduates and graduate students..." Limnology & Oceanography "... a valuable reference for all those interested in the ecology of running waters." .
