

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9910778053103321
Autore	Lee James R. <1951->
Titolo	Climate change and armed conflict [[electronic resource]] : hot and cold wars / / James R. Lee
Pubbl/distr/stampa	New York, : Routledge, 2009
ISBN	1-135-21163-9 1-282-23422-6 9786612234224 0-203-87220-7
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (193 p.)
Collana	Routledge Studies in Peace and Conflict Resolution
Disciplina	303.48/5
Soggetti	Climatic changes - Political aspects War - Environmental aspects
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Description based upon print version of record.
Nota di contenuto	Book Cover; Title; Copyright; Contents; Maps; Tables; Acknowledgments; 1 The Climate Change War; 2 A brief history of climate change and conflict; 3 Climate change and conflict trends; 4 Scenarios of climate change and conflict; 5 Climate change, conflict, and political choices; Bibliography; Index
Sommario/riassunto	This book examines the evolution of the relationship between climate change and conflict, and attempts to visualize future trends. Owing to the accumulation of greenhouse gases in the atmosphere, current trends in climate change will not appreciably alter over the next half century even if drastic action is taken now. Changes in climate will produce unique types and modes of conflict, redefine the value of important resources, and create new challenges to maintaining social order and stability. This book examines the consequences of climate change and argues that it has and will produce two