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Autore	Vickers Adrian <1958->
Titolo	A history of modern Indonesia // Adrian Vickers, The University of Sydney [[electronic resource]]
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Edizione	[Second edition.]
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (xviii, 306 pages) : digital, PDF file(s)
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Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and index.
Nota di contenuto	1. Our colonial soil; 2. Cultures of the countryside; 3. 'To assail the colonial machine'; 4. The Revolution; 5. Living in the atomic age; 6. From the old order to the new; 7. Terror and development in happy land; 8. Age of globalisation, age of crisis; Biographies of key figures.
Sommario/riassunto	Since the Bali bombings of 2002 and the rise of political Islam, Indonesia has frequently occupied media headlines. Nevertheless, the history of the fourth largest country on earth remains relatively unknown. Adrian Vickers' book, first published in 2005, traces the history of an island country, comprising some 240 million people, from the colonial period through revolution and independence to the present. Framed around the life story of Pramoedya Ananta Toer, Indonesia's most famous and controversial novelist and playwright, the book journeys through the social and cultural mores of Indonesian

society, focusing on the experiences of ordinary people. In this new edition, the author brings the story up to date, revisiting his argument as to why Indonesia has yet to realise its potential as a democratic country. He also examines the rise of fundamentalist Islam, which has haunted Indonesia since the fall of Suharto.

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2. Record Nr.	UNINA9910619462003321
Autore	Wilson Bruce M. <1961-, >
Titolo	Water and Sanitation as Human Rights: Have They Strengthened Marginalized Peoples&rsquo; Claim for Access?
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ISBN	3-0365-5398-3
Descrizione fisica	1 electronic resource (176 p.)
Soggetti	Humanities Social interaction
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
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Sommario/riassunto	This book investigates the impact of the United Nations General Assembly's 2010 resolution that elevated rights to water and sanitation are stand-alone international human rights. A major goal of creating this new human right was to incentivize governments to prioritize and pursue policies to improve access to affordable, potable water to the more than 750 million people worldwide who lacked access, as well as to provide the more than 2.5 billion people with inadequate sanitation. The book's chapters use a variety of methodological approaches including qualitative case studies and quantitative studies that draw on data from around the world. The chapters reveal how the global human right to water and sanitation was created, how it has been used in rights struggles around the world, and the extent to which it has improved access to water and sanitation for the world's most marginalized people.

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