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Sommario/riassunto	These 13 essays illuminate women's involvement in the southern market economy in all its diversity and explore the lives of a wide range

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