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Titolo	The many faces of philosophy : reflections from Plato to Arendt / / edited by Amelie Oksenberg Rorty
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ISBN	1-280-47309-6 0-19-972920-4 1-4237-8700-5
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (xxix, 512 p.)
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Note generali	Originally published: 2003. Formerly CIP.
Sommario/riassunto	Whilst philosophical writing may appear to be dry or difficult it has to be said that philosophers throughout the ages have wrestled eloquently and compellingly with some of mankind's most pressing problems. This anthology brings together thousands of years of philosophical endeavour and brilliant prose.

2. Record Nr.	UNINA9910790442003321
Autore	MacDonald Brian S
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Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (231 p.)
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Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references.
Nota di contenuto	The Conceptual Model: The Purpose of Military Forces -- Modelling Issues -- Northwest Africa -- West Africa -- Central Africa Case -- Southern Africa -- Eastern Africa -- The Middle East Case -- Determining the Extent of Military Overspending -- Appendix 1 - National Development Tasks: Canadian Defence Structure Review of 1975 -- Appendix 2 - United Nations Centre for Disarmament: Defence Expenditures Disaggregation Model -- Appendix 3 - African Debtors to the Former Soviet Union -- Appendix 4 - NATO Distribution of Defence Expenditures by Category: Average 1985-89 -- Appendix 5 - Distribution of Canadian Military Personnel by Military Occupation Codes (MOCs) 1994 -- Appendix 6 - Partial Correlation Analysis: Military Imports/Military Expenditures -- Appendix 7 - Social and Socioeconomic Militarization: Praetorian and Spartan Indices (1990-94 Means) -- Appendix 8 - Financial Militarization ME/GNP and ME/CGE -- Appendix 9 - Military Capabilities (1996-97).
Sommario/riassunto	The author, an eminent policy analyst, applies strategic balance of power models to African security issues for the first time, and formulates the "Praetorian Index" to gauge levels of military corruption, and the risk of social unrest and civil war. He compares the fine line

between sufficient and excessive military spending across ten countries and defines regional indicators of genuine security need or ambition. This controversial work will interest agencies and policy analysts involved with international development and official development assistance, and is essential reading for anyone interested in disarmament issues or international risk management.
