1. Record Nr. UNINA9910808052603321 Autore Mohan Reddy K. Titolo The significance of minor forest produce in the Indian tribal economy / / by Kalsani Mohan Reddy Pubbl/distr/stampa Newcastle-upon-Tyne, England:,: Cambridge Scholars Publishing,, [2018] ©2018 **ISBN** 1-5275-1996-1 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (xxiii, 331 pages) 301.440954 Disciplina Soggetti Tribes - India Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references. Intro -- Contents -- Acknowledgements -- Foreword -- List of Tables Nota di contenuto -- List of Abbreviations -- Chapter One -- Chapter Two -- Chapter Three -- Chapter Four -- Chapter Five -- Chapter Six -- Chapter Seven -- Annexure-I -- Annexure-II -- Select Bibliography. Sommario/riassunto This book uses empirical data to articulate the issues of the Indian tribal economy in general and the role of minor forest produce in the tribal economy in particular. It throws new light on hitherto underresearched areas, especially those related to the significance of minor forest produce. This book is primarily based on the functioning of the tribal economy and draws on the experience gained by the author during his sojourn as a research scholar working the debt of tribal farmers and the technological gap in tribal agriculture. Empirical evidence is given in the present book to explore the validity of the earlier hypotheses in respect of the contribution of minor forest produce to the total income of the tribal households. Furthermore, a statistical analysis is undertaken to ascertain the relative contribution

of each forest product to the augmentation of tribal earnings. The empirical work in this book also corroborates the theories of

dependency between the forest and the tribals.