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Sommario/riassunto	Having initially not had the attention of Sartre or Heidegger, Merleau- Pontys work is arguably now more widely influential than either of his two contemporaries. Merleau-Ponty: Key Concepts presents an

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accessible guide to the core ideas which structure Merleau-Pontys thinking as well as to his influences and the value of his ideas to a wide range of disciplines. The first section of the book presents the context of Merleau-Pontys thinking, the major debates of his time, particularly existentialism, phenomenology, the history of philosophy and the philosophy of history and society. The second section outlines his major contributions and conceptual innovations. The final section focuses upon how his work has been taken up in other fields besides philosophy, notably in sociology, cognitive science, health studies and feminism.