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of commodity-based booms from wood and wool to beef and butter. Now the country faces new challenges. By doubling down on dairy farms, arent New Zealanders destroying the clean rivers and natural reputation upon which the countrys primary exports (and tourism) are based? And in a world where value is increasingly rooted in capital- and technology intensive industries, can New Zealand really sustain its high living standards by growing grass? This book takes readers out on to farms, orchards and vineyards, and inside the offices and factories of processors and exporters, to show how New Zealanders are answering these challenges by building The New Biological Economy. From Icebreaker to Mr Apple, from milk and merino to wine and tourism, from high end Berlin restaurants to the shelves of Sainsburys,

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