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Collana	Animal series
Altri autori (Persone)	MichalskiSergiusz
Disciplina	595.44
Soggetti	Spiders Spiders - Mythology Spiders in art Animals in literature Animals in motion pictures Spiders - Symbolic aspects Spiders - Psychological aspects Human-animal relationships Animals and civilization
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Note generali	Description based upon print version of record.
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and index. Includes Web resources (p. 217).
Nota di contenuto	Introduction : spiders on the wall and elsewhere -- Some basic zoological facts -- Arachnophobia -- Venom and cold intellect : the spider and its web in the European intellectual tradition -- The femme fatale and eroticism -- Oppressive mothers, dreams and Louise Bourgeois -- Spiders in art and caricature -- Myth and folklore -- Urban legends -- Spider goes Hollywood.
Sommario/riassunto	Both fascinating and frightening, the spider has a rich symbolic presence in the imagination. At once a representative of death, due to its fangs and dangerous poison, the spider can also represent life and creation, because of its intricate web and females who carry sacs of thousands of tiny eggs. In this wide-ranging book, Katarzyna and Sergiusz Michalski investigate the natural history and cultural

significance of the spider. From ancient Greek myth to Dostoyevsky, the authors explore the appearance of spiders in literature and their depictions in art, pay

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Edizione	[1st ed.]
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (xviii, 417p.) : maps
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Nota di contenuto	Part I: Perspectives 1. Introduction: The Fifty Years' War 2. The American and Soviet Foreign Policy Part II: The Emergence of a Bipolar World 1941-1953 3. The Second World War and the Struggle for Peace 1941-1946 4. 'Two Ways of Life': The Cold War in Europe 1947-1953 5. Cold War: The Far Eastern Dimension, 1945-1950 Part III: Globalism and the Limits of Bipolarity 1953-1964 6. Peaceful Coexistence and

Irreconcilable Conflict 7. The Nuclear Arms Race 1945-1963 8. The United States, the Soviet Union and the Third World Part IV: Detente and its Limits 1965-1981 9. Detente in the Making 1965-1973 10. The Vietnam War and the Superpower Triangle 11. Detente Under Pressure 1973-1981 Part V: Cold War V International Politics: The Denouement 1981-1991 12. Reaganism and the Spectre of Communism 13. Gorbachev and the New World Disorder Conclusion

Sommario/riassunto

Taking an impartial stance, the author presents a comprehensive history of the global politics of the Cold War, covering the goals and fears of each superpower.
