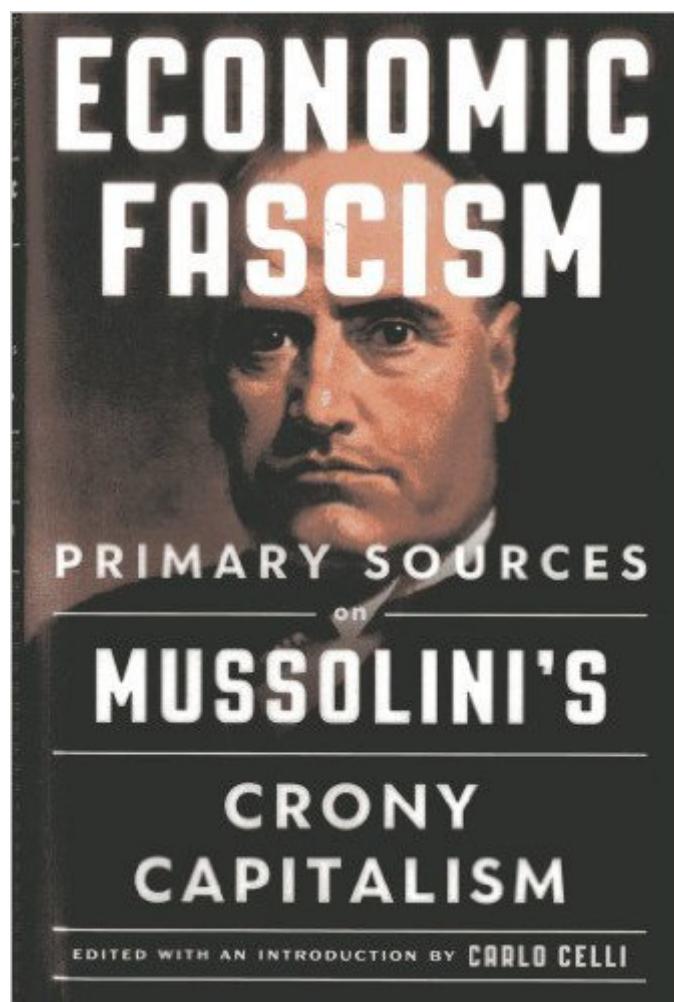


The book was found

# Economic Fascism: Primary Sources On Mussolini's Crony Capitalism



## **Synopsis**

It may be argued that Mussolini (1883–1945, dictator of Italy 1922–1943) invented modern crony capitalism. Although he described himself as a socialist, he rejected the Marxist version. As he saw it, the state would not own the economy. Ownership would nominally remain in private hands, although the state would exercise total control. Government control without direct ownership had the advantage that when the economy did well, the state could take credit. When the economy did poorly, private parties could be blamed. Prior to the debacle of World War II, many of Mussolini's policies were admired by democrats such as economist John Maynard Keynes and President Franklin Roosevelt. Today nobody supports what came to be called fascism, but nevertheless many of the economic policies central to it survive and even dominate in countries all over the world. This unique collection of Mussolini's statements about economics is important, all the more so since many of them have not been previously available in English. Professor Carlo Celli has reviewed all the available material and created a masterful compilation of the most important primary documents. He also provides an introduction to set the scene and an appendix of economic data to clarify what was happening at the time. If you are interested in the origins of today's crony capitalism and in better understanding it, you will want this book.

## **Book Information**

Hardcover: 341 pages

Publisher: Axios Press (October 7, 2013)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 1604190760

ISBN-13: 978-1604190762

Product Dimensions: 5.4 x 1 x 8.3 inches

Shipping Weight: 1 pounds (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 5.0 out of 5 stars (See all reviews) (2 customer reviews)

Best Sellers Rank: #1,592,748 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #362 in Books > Biographies & Memoirs > Historical > Europe > Italy #608 in Books > Politics & Social Sciences > Politics & Government > Ideologies & Doctrines > Fascism #1761 in Books > History > Europe > Italy

## **Customer Reviews**

Carlo Celli has provided an outstanding compilation of historical documents which illustrate Mussolini's political philosophy. They provide lessons of history which are timely and relevant to the current "too big to fail" alliance between the U.S government/politicians and big business,

particularly in the wake of the recent financial crisis in the U.S. If you are concerned about the policies implemented in the U.S. over the past decade and their impact on the future success of the American political system, you should read this book.

This is the definitive compilation of Mussolini's economic philosophy. Required reading for anyone desiring to better understand Mussolini, Fascism, and the groundwork laid by Mussolini for many of today's economic and political policies.

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Economic Fascism: Primary Sources on Mussolini's Crony Capitalism Liberal Fascism: The Secret History of the American Left, From Mussolini to the Politics of Meaning Mussolini and Fascism: The View from America (Princeton Legacy Library) Primary Preventive Dentistry (Primary Preventive Dentistry ( Harris)) Primary Care Medicine: Office Evaluation and Management of the Adult Patient (Primary Care Medicine ( Goroll )) Perspectives from the Past: Primary Sources in Western Civilizations (Sixth Edition) (Vol. 1) Cuban American Fiction in English: An Annotated Bibliography of Primary and Secondary Sources Modern Philosophy: An Anthology of Primary Sources The Literature of Islam: A Guide to the Primary Sources in English Translation (ATLA Bibliography Series) Rural Economic Development, 1975-1993: An Annotated Bibliography (Bibliographies and Indexes in Economics and Economic History) Handbook of United States Economic and Financial Indicators, 2nd Edition (Bibliographies and Indexes in Economics and Economic History) Prevail: The Inspiring Story of Ethiopia's Victory over Mussolini's Invasion, 1935&#150;1941 Mussolini y el fascismo italiano (Estudios) (Spanish Edition) The Spice Trade: A Bibliographic Guide to Sources of Historical and Economic Information (Bibliographies and Indexes in World History) Wholesale Sources: With more than 200 Product Sources for your eBay, , Flea Market and E-Commerce store. International Relations, International Security, and Comparative Politics: A Guide to Reference and Information Sources (Reference Sources in the Social Sciences) Fascism and Big Business Blackshirts and Reds: Rational Fascism and the Overthrow of Communism Fascism: What It Is and How to Fight It Money, Greed, and God: Why Capitalism Is the Solution and Not the Problem

[Dmca](#)