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L'estinzione di piante e animali ha seguito il suo corso per milioni di anni, al ritmo di una specie ogni secolo. La maggior parte, però, si è estinta negli ultimi cinquant'anni, e l'accelerazione è terrificante: ogni anno oltre un migliaio di specie diverse scompare. La conservazione è una corsa contro il tempo, prima che l'inquinamento, la caccia, i pesticidi e la progressiva distruzione di habitat naturali e del loro sempre più fragile equilibrio ecologico segnino un punto di non ritorno. Per tutti noi presto potrebbe essere l'«ultima occasione» non solo per scongiurare la scomparsa di piante e animali sempre più rari, ma anche, semplicemente, per poterli osservare in tutta la loro struggente o maestosa bellezza. E L'ultima occasione, appunto, è il libro che Douglas Adams, il celebre scrittore di fantascienza e autore della Guida galattica per gli autostoppisti, e Mark Carwardine, zoologo, hanno dedicato agli animali in via d'estinzione: dal terribile varano di Komodo in Indonesia all'indifeso kakapo della Nuova Zelanda, dagli imponenti

rinoceronti africani ai delfini baiji del Fiume Azzurro, dall'aye-aye del Madagascar alle volpi volanti di Rodrigues. Un indimenticabile diario di viaggio intorno al mondo alla ricerca di creature esotiche minacciate da un imminente pericolo; un libro geniale, profondo e struggente, spesso esilarante nel tratteggiare personaggi, circostanze e incontri paradossali e assurdi, e al tempo stesso venato di una pacata tristezza per la superficialità, la stupidità e la cupidigia con cui gli uomini guardano al regno animale e, più in generale, alla natura. Anche se poi sono gli uomini, dalla Cina all'Africa a Mauritius, a condurre ogni giorno la lotta per la conservazione degli ultimi esemplari delle specie più rare, curandoli, proteggendoli, sperimentando sul campo strategie di salvaguardia quasi sempre tardive eppure molto spesso efficaci. Nato come serie radiofonica per la BBC e considerato ormai un «classico» della divulgazione scientifica, L'ultima occasione ci restituisce uno sguardo appassionato e acuto - oltreché informato - sulla bellezza e la fragilità del mondo naturale, sulle piccole e apparentemente insignificanti catastrofi che ogni giorno si verificano nelle nostre foreste, negli oceani, nei deserti. E ci lascia un monito definitivo: per quanto rara e marginale, ogni specie animale è importante e la sua scomparsa renderà il mondo un luogo più povero, più tetro e molto più solitario.

Douglas Noël Adams (1952-2001) è stato uno scrittore di fantascienza, sceneggiatore e umorista britannico. Nel 1979 ha pubblicato Guida galattica per gli autostoppisti, nato da una serie di grande successo trasmessa dalla BBC. Fra i suoi libri ricordiamo La vita, l'Universo e tutto quanto (Mondadori 2003), Il salmone del dubbio (Mondadori 2002), Addio e grazie per tutto il pesce (Mondadori 2005), La lunga oscura pausa caffè dell'anima (Mondadori 2011), Ristorante al termine dell'universo (Mondadori 2012).

Guida galattica per gli autostoppisti. Trilogia più che completa in cinque parti-Niente panico. Ediz. speciale Edizioni Mondadori
In one complete volume, here are the five classic novels from Douglas Adams's beloved Hitchhiker series. Now celebrating the pivotal 42nd anniversary of The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy, soon to be a Hulu original series! The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy (Nominated as one of America's best-loved novels by PBS's The Great American Read) Seconds before the Earth is demolished for a galactic freeway, Arthur Dent is saved by Ford Prefect, a researcher for the revised Guide. Together they stick out their thumbs to the stars and begin a wild journey through time and space. The Restaurant at the End of the Universe The moment before annihilation at the hands of warmongers is a curious time to crave tea. It could only happen to the cosmically displaced Arthur Dent and his comrades as they hurtle across the galaxy in a desperate search for a place to eat. Life, the Universe and Everything The unhappy inhabitants of planet Krikkit are sick of looking at the night sky- so they plan to destroy it. The universe, that is. Now only five individuals can avert Armageddon: mild-mannered Arthur Dent and his stalwart crew. So Long, and Thanks for All the Fish Back on Earth, Arthur Dent is ready to believe that the past eight years were all just a figment of his stressed-out imagination. But a gift-wrapped fishbowl with a cryptic inscription thrusts him back to reality. So to speak. Mostly Harmless Just when Arthur Dent makes the terrible mistake of starting to enjoy life, all hell breaks loose. Can he save the Earth from total obliteration? Can he save the Guide from a hostile alien takeover? Can he save his daughter from herself? Includes the bonus story "Young Zaphod Plays It Safe" "With droll wit, a keen eye for detail and heavy doses of insight . . . Adams makes us laugh until we cry."—San Diego Union-Tribune "Lively, sharply satirical, brilliantly written . . . ranks with the best set pieces in Mark Twain."—The Atlantic

The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy Edizioni Mondadori

"One of the most visionary...and quietly influential writers currently working" (Boston Globe) returns with a sequel to The Peripheral that is heavily influenced by current events.

Matematica e cultura in Europa Del Rey

Now celebrating the 42nd anniversary of The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy, soon to be a Hulu original series! "Douglas Adams is a terrific satirist."—The Washington Post Book World Facing annihilation at the hands of the warlike Vogons? Time for a cup of tea! Join the cosmically displaced Arthur Dent and his uncommon comrades in arms in their desperate search for a place to eat, as they hurtle across space powered by pure improbability. Among Arthur's motley shipmates are Ford Prefect, a longtime friend and expert contributor to The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy; Zaphod Beeblebrox, the three-armed, two-headed ex-president of the galaxy; Tricia McMillan, a fellow Earth refugee who's gone native (her name is Trillian now); and Marvin, the moody android. Their destination? The ultimate hot spot for an evening of apocalyptic entertainment and fine dining, where the food speaks for itself (literally). Will they make it? The answer: hard to say. But bear in mind that The Hitchhiker's Guide deleted the term "Future Perfect" from its pages, since it was discovered not to be! "What's such fun is how amusing the galaxy looks through

Adams's sardonically silly eyes."—Detroit Free Press
Space Opera Simon and Schuster

"A fitting eulogy to the master of wacky words and even wackier tales . . . Salmon leaves no doubt as to Adams's lasting legacy."—Entertainment Weekly With an introduction to the introduction by Terry Jones Douglas Adams changed the face of science fiction with his cosmically comic novel The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy and its classic sequels. Sadly for his countless admirers, he hitched his own ride to the great beyond much too soon. Culled posthumously from Adams's fleet of beloved Macintosh computers, this selection of essays, articles, anecdotes, and stories offers a fascinating and intimate portrait of the multifaceted artist and absurdist wordsmith. Join Adams on an excursion to climb Kilimanjaro . . . dressed in a rhino costume; peek into the private life of Genghis Khan—warrior and world-class neurotic; root for the harried author's efforts to get a Hitchhiker movie off the ground in Hollywood; thrill to the further exploits of private eye Dirk Gently and two-headed alien Zaphod Beeblebrox. Though Douglas Adams is gone, he's left us something very special to remember him by. Without a doubt. "Worth reading and even cherishing, if only because it's the last we'll hear from the master of comic science fiction."—The Star-Ledger

Terra! Open Road Media

This all-new Target novelisation is based on the televised version of The Pirate Planet The hugely powerful Key to Time has been split into six segments, all of which have been disguised and hidden throughout time and space. Now the even more powerful White Guardian wants the Doctor to find the pieces. With the first segment successfully retrieved, the Doctor, Romana and K-9 trace the second segment of the Key to the planet Calufrax. But when they arrive at exactly the right point in space, they find themselves on exactly the wrong planet - Zanak. Ruled by the mysterious 'Captain', Zanak is a happy and prosperous planet. Mostly. If the mines run out of valuable minerals and gems then the Captain merely announces a New Golden Age and they fill up again. It's an economic miracle - so obviously something's very wrong... For a much expanded version based on Douglas Adams' first draft scripts, check out BBC Books' hardback edition of The Pirate Planet".

The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy: The Illustrated Edition Edizioni Mondadori

Le stravaganti vicende di Arthur Dent e Ford Prefect, surreali e irriverenti viaggiatori delle Galassie sempre alle prese con avventure che hanno per scenario l'intero universo.

L'ultima occasione Pickle Partners Publishing

2019 HUGO AWARD FINALIST, BEST NOVEL The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy meets the joy and glamour of Eurovision in bestselling author Catherynne M. Valente's science fiction spectacle, where sentient races compete for glory in a galactic musical contest...and the stakes are as high as the fate of planet Earth. A century ago, the Sentience Wars tore the galaxy apart and nearly ended the entire concept of intelligent space-faring life. In the aftermath, a curious tradition was invented—something to cheer up everyone who was left and bring the shattered worlds together in the spirit of peace, unity, and understanding. Once every cycle, the great galactic civilizations gather for the Metagalactic Grand Prix—part gladiatorial contest, part beauty pageant, part concert extravaganza, and part continuation of the wars of the past. Species far and wide compete in feats of song, dance and/or whatever facsimile of these can be performed by various creatures who may or may not possess, in the traditional sense, feet, mouths, larynxes, or faces. And if a new species should wish to be counted among the high and the mighty, if a new planet

has produced some savage group of animals, machines, or algae that claim to be, against all odds, sentient? Well, then they will have to compete. And if they fail? Sudden extermination for their entire species. This year, though, humankind has discovered the enormous universe. And while they expected to discover a grand drama of diplomacy, gunships, wormholes, and stoic councils of aliens, they have instead found glitter, lipstick, and electric guitars. Mankind will not get to fight for its destiny—they must sing. Decibel Jones and the Absolute Zeroes have been chosen to represent their planet on the greatest stage in the galaxy. And the fate of Earth lies in their ability to rock.

Guida galattica alla filosofia Del Rey

It was a lovable little creature, anxious to help solve the troubles of the world. Moreover, it had the answer! But what man ever takes free advice?

So Long, and Thanks for All the Fish Edizioni Mondadori

Now celebrating the 42nd anniversary of *The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy*, soon to be a Hulu original series! "A madcap adventure . . . Adams's writing teeters on the fringe of inspired lunacy."—United Press International Back on Earth with nothing more to show for his long, strange trip through time and space than a ratty towel and a plastic shopping bag, Arthur Dent is ready to believe that the past eight years were all just a figment of his stressed-out imagination. But a gift-wrapped fishbowl with a cryptic inscription, the mysterious disappearance of Earth's dolphins, and the discovery of his battered copy of *The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy* all conspire to give Arthur the sneaking suspicion that something otherworldly is indeed going on. God only knows what it all means. Fortunately, He left behind a Final Message of explanation. But since it's light-years away from Earth, on a star surrounded by souvenir booths, finding out what it is will mean hitching a ride to the far reaches of space aboard a UFO with a giant robot. What else is new? "The most ridiculously exaggerated situation comedy known to created beings . . . Adams is irresistible."—The Boston Globe

Praticamente innocuo Paw Prints

From the unique mind of Douglas Adams, legendary author of *The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy*, comes *Shada*, a story scripted for the television series *Doctor Who* but never produced—and now transformed into an original novel. A little knowledge is a dangerous thing. Imagine how dangerous a LOT of knowledge is... The Doctor's old friend and fellow Time Lord, Professor Chronotis, has retired to Cambridge University, where among the other doddering old professors nobody will notice if he lives for centuries. He took with him a few little souvenirs—harmless things really. But among them, carelessly, he took *The Worshipful and Ancient Law of Gallifrey*. Even more carelessly, he has loaned this immensely powerful book to clueless graduate student Chris Parsons, who intends to use it to impress girls. *The Worshipful and Ancient Law* is among the most dangerous artifacts in the universe; it cannot be allowed to fall into the wrong hands. The hands of the sinister Skagra are unquestionably the wrongest ones possible. Skagra is a sadist and an egomaniac bent on universal domination. Having misguessed the state of fashion on Earth, he also wears terrible platform shoes. He is on his way to Cambridge. He wants the book. And he wants the Doctor...

In sette lezioni Del Rey

Discover the new *Doctor Who* classics. The key to Earth's destruction lies buried in its past. Visiting Paris in 1979, the Doctor and Romana's hopes for a holiday are soon shattered by armed thugs, a suave and dangerous Count, a plot to steal the Mona Lisa and a world-threatening experiment with time. Teaming up with a British detective, the Time Lords discover that a ruthless alien plot hatched in Earth's pre-history has reached its

final stage. If Scaroth, last of the Jagaroth, cannot be stopped then the human race is history, along with all life on Earth...

Misbegotten Missionary Penguin

Crompton Divided was also published in the United Kingdom under the title *The Alchemical Marriage of Alistair Crompton*. Alistair Crompton, skilled nosologist at Psychosmell, Inc., sniffs out something he's been missing his whole life: his other selves. His disturbed psyche was divided into three parts and the other two were implanted in other bodies on other planets. His obsession to reunite himself leads to disturbing discoveries about the underpinnings of the society he lives in, personal conflicts, a vastly destructive war, and a shocking ultimate revelation. The master of SF madness operates at the top of his form. From the very beginning of his career, Robert Sheckley was recognized by fans, reviewers, and fellow authors as a master storyteller and the wittiest satirist working in the science fiction field. Open Road is proud to republish his acclaimed body of work, with nearly thirty volumes of full-length fiction and short story collections. Rediscover, or discover for the first time, a master of science fiction who, according to the *New York Times*, was "a precursor to Douglas Adams." "In case anyone has managed to miss this singular author's seminal influence on the world of imaginative literature, my best advice is to throw oneself in the way of *Crompton Divided* and give oneself up to wonderful madness." —Harlan Ellison

The Lost Adventures by Douglas Adams Random House

Addio, e grazie per tutto il pesce, quarto episodio dell'epopea Guida galattica per gli autostoppisti, ci riserva la sorpresa di un'inaspettata ricomparsa. Dopo otto anni di folle girovagare per lo spazio Arthur torna sulla Terra...

The Ultimate Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy Oscar draghi

Now celebrating the 42nd anniversary of *The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy*, soon to be a Hulu original series! "Hitchhiker fans rejoice! . . . [Here's] more of the same zany nonsensical mayhem."—The *New York Times* Book Review It's easy to get disheartened when your planet has been blown up and the woman you love has vanished due to a misunderstanding about space/time. However, instead of being disheartened, Arthur Dent makes the terrible mistake of starting to enjoy life a bit—and immediately all hell breaks loose. Hell takes a number of forms: there's the standard Ford Prefect version, in the shape of an all-new edition of *The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy*, and a totally unexpected manifestation in the form of a teenage girl who startles Arthur Dent by being his daughter when he didn't even know he had one. Can Arthur save the Earth from total multidimensional obliteration? Can he save the Guide from a hostile alien takeover? Can he save his daughter, Random, from herself? Of course not. He never works out exactly what is going on. Will you? "Douglas Adams is a terrific satirist. . . . He is anything but harmless."—The *Washington Post* Book World

Doctor Who and The Pirate Planet (target collection) Del Rey

Chronicles the journeys, notions, and acquaintances of reluctant galactic traveler Arthur Dent, accompanied by never-before-published material from the late author's archives as well as commentary by famous fans.

Douglas Adams & The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy Penguin

Era ferma intenzione di Douglas Adams scrivere un sesto episodio della sua trilogia della Guida galattica per gli autostoppisti, ma la morte prematura nel 2001 gliel'ha impedito. Eoin Colfer è stato incaricato di rimettere in moto l'esilarante e scombinata banda di viaggiatori dello spazio.

E un'altra cosa... Stockholm Text

Immaginiamo che dei marziani vogliono capirci qualcosa di quei

bipedi della Terra chiamati «filosofi». Ecco, questa Guida galattica prova a spiegare alle forme di vita intelligenti della galassia la storia di quegli esserini che, sul nostro pianeta, hanno preso la strana abitudine di porsi questioni di senso, ripercorrendo in modo piano e semplice i principali snodi della plurimillennaria storia della filosofia.

Life, the Universe and Everything Springer Science & Business Media

This beautifully illustrated edition of the New York Times bestselling classic celebrates the 42nd anniversary of the original publication—with all-new art by award-winning illustrator Chris Riddell. SOON TO BE A HULU SERIES • “An astonishing comic writer.”—Neil Gaiman Nominated as one of America’s best-loved novels by PBS’s *The Great American Read* It’s an ordinary Thursday morning for Arthur Dent . . . until his house gets demolished. The Earth follows shortly after to make way for a new hyperspace express route, and Arthur’s best friend has just announced that he’s an alien. After that, things get much, much worse. With just a towel, a small yellow fish, and a book, Arthur has to navigate through a very hostile universe in the company of a gang of unreliable aliens. Luckily the fish is quite good at

languages. And the book is *The Hitchhiker’s Guide to the Galaxy* . . . which helpfully has the words DON’T PANIC inscribed in large, friendly letters on its cover. Douglas Adams’s mega-selling pop-culture classic sends logic into orbit, plays havoc with both time and physics, offers up pithy commentary on such things as ballpoint pens, potted plants, and digital watches . . . and, most important, reveals the ultimate answer to life, the universe, and everything. Now, if you could only figure out the question. . . . *The Restaurant at the End of the Universe* Edizioni Mondadori From Douglas Adams, the legendary author of one of the most beloved science fiction novels of all time, *The Hitchhiker’s Guide to the Galaxy*, comes a wildly inventive novel—in trade paperback for the first time—of ghosts, time travel, and one detective’s mission to save humanity from extinction. DIRK GENTLY’S HOLISTIC DETECTIVE AGENCY We solve the whole crime We find the whole person Phone today for the whole solution to your problem (Missing cats and messy divorces a specialty) Douglas Adams, the “master of wacky words and even wackier tales” (*Entertainment Weekly*) once again boggles the mind with a completely unbelievable story of ghosts, time travel, eccentric computer geniuses, Samuel Taylor Coleridge, the end of the world, and—of course—missing cats.

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