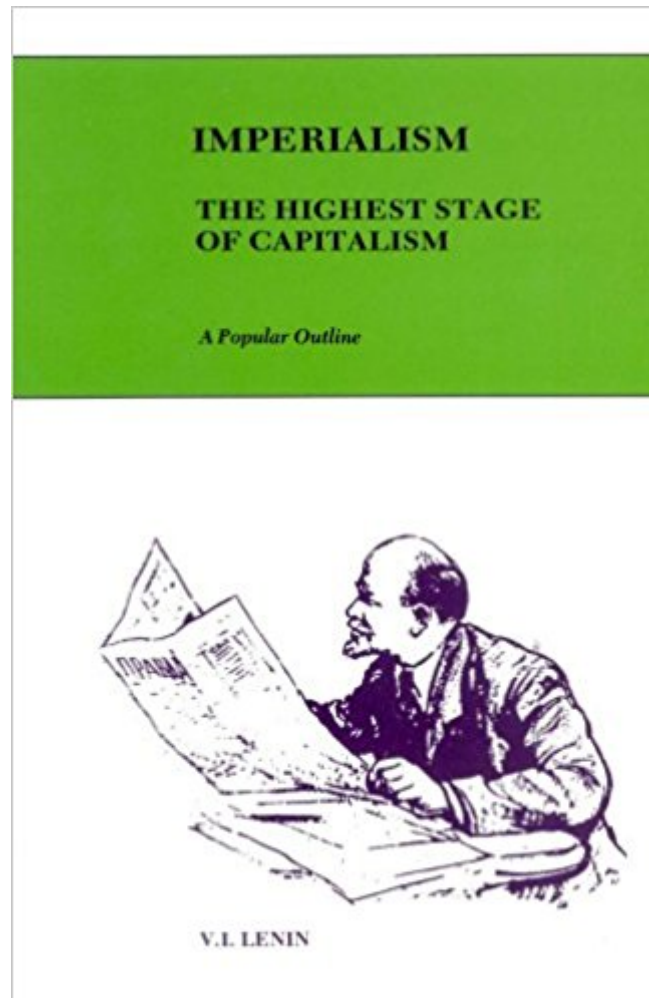




The book was found

Imperialism, The Highest Stage Of Capitalism: A Popular Outline



Synopsis

This pamphlet was written with an eye to the tsarist censorship. Hence, I was not only forced to confine myself strictly to an exclusively theoretical, specifically economic analysis of facts, but to formulate the few necessary observations on politics with extreme caution, by hints, in an allegorical languageâin that accursed Aesopian languageâto which tsarism compelled all revolutionaries to have recourse whenever they took up the pen to write a âœlegalâwork. It is painful, in these days of liberty, to re-read the passages of the pamphlet which have been distorted, cramped, compressed in an iron vice on account of the censor. That the period of imperialism is the eve of the socialist revolution; that social-chauvinism (socialism in words, chauvinism in deeds) is the utter betrayal of socialism, complete desertion to the side of the bourgeoisie; that this split in the working-class movement is bound up with the objective conditions of imperialism, etc.âon these matters I had to speak in a âœslavishâtongue, and I must refer the reader who is interested in the subject to the articles I wrote abroad in 1914-17, a new edition of which is soon to appear. In order to show the reader, in a guise acceptable to the censors, how shamelessly untruthful the capitalists and the social-chauvinists who have deserted to their side (and whom Kautsky opposes so inconsistently) are on the question of annexations; in order to show how shamelessly they screen the annexations of their capitalists, I was forced to quote as an exampleâJapan! The careful reader will easily substitute Russia for Japan, and Finland, Poland, Courland, the Ukraine, Khiva, Bokhara, Estonia or other regions peopled by non-Great Russians, for Korea. I trust that this pamphlet will help the reader to understand the fundamental economic question, that of the economic essence of imperialism, for unless this is studied, it will be impossible to understand and appraise modern war and modern politics. V.I. Lenin --This text refers to an alternate Paperback edition.

Book Information

Paperback: 128 pages

Publisher: International Publishers (June 1969)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 0717800989

ISBN-13: 978-0717800988

Product Dimensions: 0.5 x 5.5 x 8 inches

Shipping Weight: 7.2 ounces (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 4.5 out of 5 stars 36 customer reviews

Best Sellers Rank: #130,483 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #56 inÂ Books > Textbooks >

Business & Finance > Economics > Economic Theory #254 inÂ Books > Business & Money > Economics > Theory #293 inÂ Books > Textbooks > Social Sciences > Political Science > Political History

Customer Reviews

Rudolf Rocker (1873-1958) was a leading figure in the international anarchist movement. Politically active in Britain, Germany and the United States for more than half a century, Rocker helped found several influential anarchist groups. His prolific lectures and writings made him one of the best-known proponents of liberty and freedom. *Anarcho-Syndicalism*, the most accessible of his works, was first published in 1938 and is now regarded as a classic survey of anarchism at a critical point in world politics. --This text refers to an alternate Paperback edition.

A standard century-old pamphlet that still inspires those who wish to understand imperialism.

Very illuminating. No problems with the format.

Lenin poignantly defines the various economic/ political systems in the etymology of Capitalism and to me offers some objective critiques of Communism. He writes as an approachable scholar.

Great book really recommend it

Fairly tough read the first 150 pages goes well. Then it bogs down I keep hoping it will become more interesting. However, the first 150 pages are enough to warrant purchasing this for next to nothing on kindle. Lenin saw the economic Imperialism that exist today where big banks such as the IMF, and Germany telling other countries how to run their own government. What they have to cut and what they have to sell to the Germans. America is the worse case scenario when you read the book it will open your eyes to what is going on today even though the book was written almost 100 years ago.

This book gives a clear overview of Lenin position on monopolistic capitalism and imperialism. This book had a marked influence on socialist ideology. Lenin made imperialism replace capitalism as the main enemy. Lenin succeeded to divide the working class against itself. Those members of the working class which are located inside the more industrialized communities are now considered the

bad guys.

read it with The Economic Consequences of the Peace from Keynes to get the full picture about our economy and results coming from it. So far we scored two world wars. Hope we do not score another one soon

This book, even though it was written over 100 years ago, have just about convinced that I live in an empire. There is an oligarchy and sooner or later, we will under corporate monopolist capitalism with only one place we can go to buy all of our retail goods. At the same, I believe there will always be competition in our present economic system.

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

Imperialism, the Highest Stage of Capitalism: A Popular Outline Imperialism the Highest Stage of Capitalism The Ascent of Denali: A Narrative of the First Complete Ascent of the Highest Peak in North America (Mount Mckinley : a Narrative of the First Complete Ascent of the Highest Peak in North America) Neo-Colonialism : The Last Stage of Imperialism Schaum's Outline of Mathematics of Finance (Schaum's Outline Series) Schaum's Outline of Probability, Random Variables, and Random Processes, Second Edition (Schaum's Outline Series) REMEDIES: Outline & Definitions (How 2 Study Law.com Outline & Definitions Series) Schaum's Outline of Thermodynamics With Chemical Applications (Schaum's Outline Series) Schaum's Outline of Linear Algebra Fourth Edition (Schaum's Outline Series) Schaum's Outline of Electromagnetics, Third Edition (Schaum's Outline Series) The Nonfiction Outline Book: How to write a book includes 12 Nonfiction Book Outline Templates Stage and Screen Hairstyles: A Practical Reference for Actors, Models, Makeup Artists, Photographers, Stage Managers, and Directors Stage and Screen Makeup: A Practical Reference for Actors, Models, Makeup Artists, Photographers, Stage Managers, and Directors Raising a Healthy, Happy Eater: A Parent's Handbook: A Stage-by-Stage Guide to Setting Your Child on the Path to Adventurous Eating Italian: Stage 1 and Stage 2 (Collins Easy Learning Audio Course) The Back Stage Guide to Stage Management, 3rd Edition: Traditional and New Methods for Running a Show from First Rehearsal to Last Performance A Survival Guide for Stage Managers: A Practical Step-By-Step Handbook to Stage Management Stage Fright and Performance Anxiety: An Essential Guide to Staying Calm and Focused Under Pressure - (How to Overcome Stage Fright and Performance Anxiety) Small Stage Sets on Tour: A Practical Guide to Portable Stage Sets Handel on the Stage (Composers on the Stage)

Contact Us

DMCA

Privacy

FAQ & Help