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Early Modern Philosophy: Essential Readings with Commentary. A. P. Martinich, Fritz Allhoff & Anand Jayprakash Vaidya (eds.) Wiley-Blackwell (2007). Part of the Blackwell Readings in the History of Philosophy series, this survey of early modern philosophy focuses on the key texts and philosophers of the period whose beliefs changed the course of western thought. Keywords. Philosophy, Modern. 1. Ancient Philosophy: Essential Readings with Commentary Edited by Nicholas Smith with Fritz Allhoff and Anand Jayprakash Vaidya 2. Medieval Philosophy: Essential Readings with Commentary Edited by Gyula Klima with Fritz Allhoff and Anand Jayprakash Vaidya 3. Early Modern Philosophy: Essential Readings with Commentary Edited by A. P. Martinich with Fritz Allhoff and Anand Jayprakash Vaidya 4. Late Modern Philosophy: Essential Readings with. In the modern mind, the adjective medieval has often been associated with ideas of darkness, dogmatism, oppression, and barbarity. Being the descendant of early twentieth-century logical positivism, analytic Early Modern Philosophy focuses on the rationalist tradition in Western Philosophy from Descartes through Leibniz. Its overall structure, selections, and introductory materials testify to Martinich's skills as a teacher and as a student of the period. From the Inside Flap. Early Modern Philosophy is a complete introduction to the most significant and influential philosophers of the first part of the modern era. This book presents writings of the major philosophical, scientific, and political thinkers of the time, focusing on the development and growth of rationalism which stressed reason, logic, and experimentation in the pursuit of truth, rejecting the scholastic philosophies of the Middle Ages.