Presentazione

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Abstract: In his book, *Beni comuni. Un Manifesto* (Bari: Laterza 2011), Ugo Mattei criticises orthodox doctrines of property rights in contemporary legal, political and economic discourse. The essays by Antonio Banfi, Nicoletta Rangone and Luigino Bruni collected in this issue of the journal are a collective commentary on this controversial and original work, as seen from different theoretical and disciplinary points of view. Follows a brief reply to the critics by the author.

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