This book is one of the very few publications to document the 1977 war between Ethiopia and Somalia, which makes it a truly captivating book. It gives a well detailed account and analysis about the rise and victory achieved by the Somali forces within a short period of time. The book also provides insight on the defeat of the Somali forces and what went ultimately led to their withdrawal from the liberated territories. The alliance of former Soviet Army with the new communist Regime in Ethiopia which came to power in 1974, played a pivotal role to the defeat of the Somali forces. The Author sheds light on the hard learned lessons and consequences of the proxy war and the competition of the NATO and Warsaw blocks during the cold war period. The aftermath of the war and new geopolitics in the region was ultimately what caused the downfall of the Somali government and the current civil war in Somalia. This book is certainly a well detailed analysis of the 1977 war and provides insight to the current geopolitics between Somalia and Ethiopia.

Author: Dr. Saadiq Eenow
ISBN 978-9185-945214
Published by Scansom in 2018
Price Sek 249:-
This Mathematic aid book began developing in 2016 as a response to the growing needs of the students around the world. Our primary target audience are high school students, teachers and parents who are eager to support their students with their math needs. This book grew out of the need and demand from parents and teachers concerned about the low performance in math for their high school students. This book is intended to be a tool to aid Somali speaking students in the Diaspora in better understanding math concept and ultimately improving their grades. The book simplifies the process of understanding math through the use of easy to read formulas, models and illustrations. Our goal is that this book will be a valuable tool to help high school students in achieving solid understanding of mathematics for both academic and daily use.

Author: Alisaid Ahmed Hersi
ISBN 978-9185-945955
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Author: Suldaan Nayruus
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**Author:** Suldan Nayruus

**Published by:** Scansom in 2018

**Price:** Sek 179
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- 60,000 words
- 500 Pictures
- many more collocations, synonyms as well scientific terms
- rich, comprehensive and practical Dictionary

Author: Cabdulcasis Cumar Xareed
ISBN 978-9185945955
Published by Scansom in 2018
Price Sek 399:-
Maalmihii Noloshayda (Days in My life- a Memoir). This is a new book just released written by the former Somali Minister of Education and Fishery (from 1975-1989). He is one the longest served ministers in the 70’s and 80’s. He is also one of the early teachers in 60’s. The Author witnessed a great deal of Somali politics (its ups and downs). His personal experience sheds light to the Somali contemporary History and politics for the past 50+ years.

ISBN 978-1-912411-05-4
Printed in 2018-Just Released
Price: Sek 199
Name of the book: QAAMUUSKA AF SOOMAALIGA
IYO NAXWAHA AF SOOMAALIGA OO KOOBAN
Authors: Annarita Puglielli & Cabdalla Cumar Mansuur
ISBN 978-1-912411-01-6
Subject: Somali-Somali Dictionary book which contains over 970 pages. This is one of the very few Somali-Somali Dictionary Publications published in the Diaspora for the past two decades. The job has been compiled in Somalia before the country collapsed in 1991. The Authors are well known linguists from The Italin University (Università degli Studi Roma Tre). The Dictionary has some chapters of the Somali grammar.
Published as a second Edition in 2017
Price: Sek 499:-
Name of the book: Taxanaha Garasho iyo Gudasho Masraxiyaddii Aqoon iyo Af-garad Musdambeed Taariikheed

Subject (Play): This is an educational play conducted at early 1970’s in Mogadishu. The play highlights the impact of the colonial era in Somalia and the cultural shock faced by many Somali Graduates from the former colonies when they went back to their home country. They were brainwashed and were delusional about the facts back home. Many of the graduates had fake titles such professor, Doctor which has no benefits for the local people. It is was a very entertaining as well as educational concert at early stage. Many new singers were emerged from this play which became very popular for past thirty years. Many popular and famous songs emerged too from this play.

ISBN 978-0-9934313-4-0
Author: Saciid Saalax Axmed
Published as a book in 2017
Price: Sek 199:-
Name of the book: **Silsiladda Xulka Suugaanta Soomaaliyeed Part 1**

Author: Axmed Faarax Cali (Idaajaa)

**Subject (Literature):** The book highlights the richness of the Somali oral literature and its vast different classifications such as poetry, songs, Proverbs, riddles and rhymes. The book is about a compilation of the cultural programs aired by various Somali Radio Mogadishu as well Voice of America and BBC over the past 3 decades. It is highly recommended for the young generation to read this book so they can learn more about the Somali arts and literature. The book contains significant footnotes and their meaning in order to make the difficult phrases easier for the young generation with limited Somali language skills.

The book is published in 2017 and contains over 276 pages. The Author is well known cultural historian and a writer with many publications.

ISBN: 978-1-912411-00-9

Published in 2017

Price: Sek 257:-
Name of the book: Sahankii Richard Burton ee Bariga Africa/The First Footsteps in East Africa
Published in 2017 and contains over 248 pages
Subject: History/Autobiography: Richard Burton was one of the first English travellers in East Africa over 100 years ago. He wrote an Autobiography book called the First Footsteps in East Africa. He Extensively travelled in the Somali Nomadic people and wrote about their customs, culture, belief and their way of life. The book is recently 2017 translated into Somali. One could draw a comparison between now and then over 100 years ago.
Author: Richard Burton
Translated by: Boodhari Warsame
ISBN: 978-0993431364
Price: Sek 259
Name of the book: TAARIIKHDA AFKA IYO BULSHADA SOOMAALIYEED: DARAAASAAD AF IYO DHAQAN

Subject: The history of the Somali language and its people. It is a well detailed book that sheds light to the origins of the Somali language, its different dialects and the group it belongs to as well as its people over the centuries. The book mentions the commercial relations between the Somalis and the far East nations over thousands of years ago. It gives a good picture as well the relationship between the Somali and the Islam at its early stage. Islam reached in Somalia before it reached most of Arabia in the first year. The Author is currently one of the few leading Somali linguist. He contributed many Publications about the Somali language. He was a professor in Somali language both in Somalia and in Italy for several decades.

Author: Cabdalla Cumar Mansuur
ISBN: 978-0-9934313-2-6 |
Published in 2016 and the book contains 382 pages
Price: Sek 345
Name of the book: Wadajir baa awood leh

Subject: (Children Folktale) In "Wadajir baa awood leh" is part of the reading series ARDAA. A beautifully illustrated full-colour book for young readers. The story tells of a universal story, that we are stronger together and Somalis have a number of proverbs to signify this, loosely translated it is said that: One finger does not wash a face. Another proverb says; Two hands are needed to harvest. In the Horn of the African savannah begins this tale of three bulls and a lion. A story of friendship and long standing enemies. Will the bulls fall into the lion's trap or will they wizen to his plot. Read on and find out if they outwit their nemesis or whether divided their fate is sealed. The story "Wadajir baa awood leh" is retold by

Author: Cabdiraxmaan Maxamed Abtidoon
Published in 2017.

ISBN 978-0957026964 |
Price Sek: 169
Name of the book: Guri Waa Haween

Subject (Gender): This book highlights the ability and the Contribution of the Somali women. They are the center and the bedrock of the family. Recently they became bread winners as well. Their huge contribution is visible in every sector of the community. The book contains as well the significant contribution of their oral literature. Women dominate most of the Somali songs, folklore dances, children lullaby. They conduct as well their own poetry (Buraambur) which is very popular in the rich Somali oral literature.

Author: Maxmad Baashe Baashe Xasan
Published as 2nd edition in 2017 and consists of 254 pages. The book was originally Published in 2006
Price: Sek 235:-
Name of the book: AL-FAARUUQ is an autobiography as well as History book about the 2nd Caliphate of the Islam Omar Bin Khatab (May Allah Bless) him. The book gives details of the early stage in his life before he embraced Islam. Amir Omar Bin Khattab had made a substantial contribution in Islam. He was the 2nd Caliph who laid a solid foundation for the early Muslims after the Prophet and Abubakar.

Author: Muxamamd Yusuf
ISBN: 780995753310
Published in 2017 and consists of 208 pages
Price : Sek 189:-
Name of the book: Gaax (is Fiction Novel) . Ali is an Oromo ethnic poor man from Ethiopia. He lives in Hargeisa and fell in love with Hodan a Somali Girl who lives as well in Hargeisa. unfortunately he was deported back to Ethiopia and was never given a chance to present his love to Hodan. He decided not to give up. The story is full of love, adventure and setbacks. The book contains as well two more stories with a similar destiny affected to two other characters.

Author: Ismaaciil C. Ubax
The book is published in 2017 and contains 268 pages.
ISBN: 978-0993431388 |
Price: Sek 189:-
Name of the book: Mar la Arag
Subject (Short Stories): The Author of this book has compiled short stories based mostly on the daily life experiences written in an advanced artistic style. Very entertaining which deserves to be read over and over again…
Author: Faarax Maxamed Xusen
Published in 2017 and consists of 86 pages
ISBN: 978-0993431371
Price Sek: 167
Name of the book: Hanqadh (Thunder- Fiction Novel book)
This is story is about the calamity and the painful experience faced by a young boy called Haybe who got lost from his Nomadic Family when an internal conflict erupted from his family. The unfortunate boy fell into the hands of another enemies (Another tribe which were rivals to his family). He lived in captivity for eight more years to come. It is a story full of trials and tribulations and sad experience. Indeed it is story deserves to be read over and over again.
Author: Maxamad Muxumed Cabdi
Published in 2017 and consists of 208 pages
ISBN: 978-0993431333
Price Sek 199
Name of the book: Boosaaso Dhalankii Hore Iyo Bilnaanta Magaalooyiinka Soomaaliyeed
This book is about the deep history of the coastal city of Boosaaso located in the northeastern part of Somalia. The city has had vital commercial ties with Arabia and India over the past centuries. This book was published by Scansom Publishers in the summer of 2016 and is written in Arabic.
Author: Abdifatah Nur Ashkir
Published in Dubai in 2016
Subject: History
Price: Sek 175:-
ISBN: 2-96-85945-91-978
Tubta Horumarinta Buntlaand (Development Strategies For Puntland)

This book is about the recommendations on how to guide the regional government of Puntland and Somalia in general with respects to development. Throughout the book the author lays out concrete examples of how to pursue developmental goals contextualized in the realities facing the region. This book was published by Scansom in 2016

Author: Sh. Axmed Xaaji Abuubakar

Price: Sek 179