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### **Atlases/Maps**

Atlas De Timor-Leste / Porto Editora  
Porto, Portugal: Porto Editora, 2012  
40p.  
9789720096364  
\$ 18.00 / PB  
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### **History**

Tinan 500 Anos Year: Portugal – Timor = 500 Years Portugal – Timor / Paulo Jorge de Sousa Pinto (English Translator) Maria Amalia Reis, Paulo Jorge Sousa Pinto & Victor Ramos  
Dili, East Timor: Arquivo & Museu da Resistencia Timorenses, 2015  
160p.  
Includes Bibliography  
In Portuguese  
\$ 90.00 / PB  
910gm.  
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History of Timor-Leste / Frederic B. Durand  
Chiang Mai, Thailand: Silkworm Books, 2016  
vi, 190p.  
Includes Bibliography  
9786162151248  
\$ 29.50/ PB  
278gm.

The Democratic Republic of Timor-Leste, a former Portuguese colony occupied by Indonesia from 1975 to 1999, became in 2002 the first new sovereign state of the twenty-first century. Its modern nationhood belies its ancient history. Archaeological data found on the island can be traced back at least 42,000 years, beyond most ancient European artifacts. The book provides a readable overview of the history of the country from the first traces of human habitation through Timor-Leste's hard-won independence in May 2002.

Structured chronologically, the account begins with the earliest legends and moves quickly and concisely through the defining events that created and shaped the modern nation of Timor-Leste. The text is richly illustrated with over two hundred maps, engravings, and photographs. A detailed historical time line follows the text.

### **Highlights**

- Presents the political, economic, and social evolution of the island of Timor
- Covers the important periods and events in East Timorese history from ancient times up to the independence in 2002
- Examines one of the major human rights struggles of the twentieth century
- Provides an excellent introduction to the next country to join ASEAN

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### **Literature**

Knananuk husi Akamutu/ Zelia X Vital  
Dili, East Timor: Timor Aid, 2013  
48p.  
9789898571311  
In Tetum  
\$ 15.00 / PB  
72gm.

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