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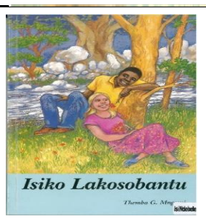
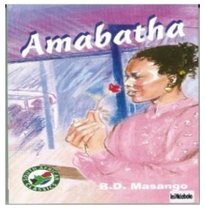
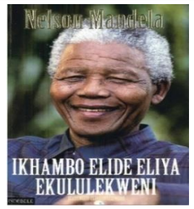
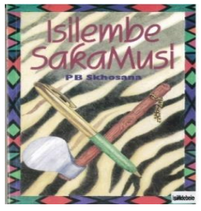
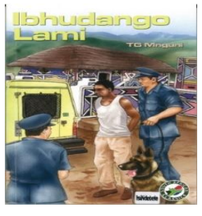
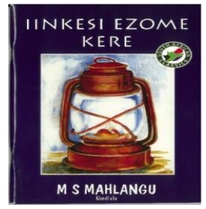
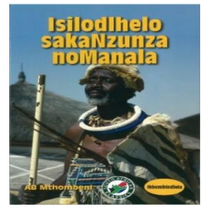
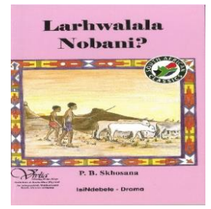
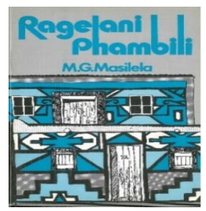
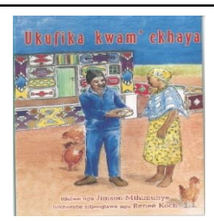
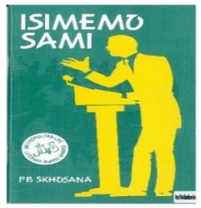
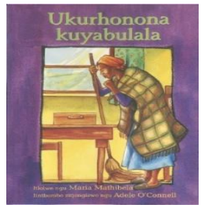
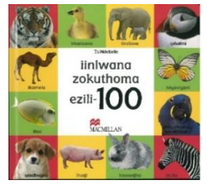
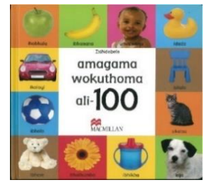
9780702170621	Isiko Lakosobantu	IsiNdebele	SEN	Themba G. Mnguni	Juta Gariep	The novel highlights the abuse of farm workers and those who live on farms.	
9781868530564	Amabatha	IsiNdebele	SEN	B.D. Masango	Heinemann	Fish can fly. Birds can swim. What can you do? Charming characters in this book will help readers to follow a simple text. Sentence development; question and answer format; additional verbs and pronouns.	
9781869251260	Ikhambo elide eliya ekululekweni	IsiNdebele	SEN	Nelson Mandela	Macmillan Academic Southern Africa	This book is Nelson Mandela's personal contribution to developing and strengthening a culture both of learning and reading in South Africa. It is a shortened version of the biography, "Long Walk to Freedom", and has been written so that everyone can share his experiences. But it is not just his story. It is the story of all of us and our struggle to be free.	
9780868171487	Isilembe Sakamusi	IsiNdebele	SEN	P.B. Skhosana	Acacia Books	Isilembe SakaMusi is a language manual which is intended for college students, teachers, and anyone else who is interested in Southern Ndebele. It presents a detailed history of this language, its linguistic features and grammatical structure. It has been designed to provide a sensible and practical instructional support system for pupils and teachers.	
9781415411285	Ibhudango Lami	IsiNdebele	SEN	T.G. Mnguni	Nasou / Via Afrika	This book is about a farmer named Mbulawa Tjhili who is injured while working on the farm. This causes his son to drop out of school and work on the farm. Due to bad treatment on the farm, he ends up crossing the border into another country.	

9780799412703	Isigiyani	IsiNdebele	SEN	P.B. Skhosana	Nasou / Via Afrika	This book is a collection of short animal stories, rhymes, and activities that teachers can make use of in class.	
0798643633	Iinkesi Ezome Kere	IsiNdebele	SEN	M.S. Mahlangu	Maskew Miller Longman	Jacopo is a new learner who establishes an SRC at Mbalenhle High School at Vlaklaagte. Through the support he gets for his ideas, all the students join the strike that culminates in the expulsion of the principal and the arrest of student leaders of the strike.	
9780333591260	Isilodlhelo sakaNzunza noManala	IsiNdebele	SEN	A.B. Mthombeni	Macmillan	This novel relate to the royal victory between the sons of Makoro, Nzunza and Manala, and the unity of the new nation. It is a poetry book that talks about native poems, which are essential to the history of the land.	
9781874868224	Larhwalala Nobani?	IsiNdebele	SEN	P.B. Skhosana	Vivlia Publishers	Larwhalala Nobani focuses on the issues of what in life made a difference to the people of the South. Strongly opinionated, it nevertheless encourages individuality of opinions.	
0799411612	Ragelani Phambili	IsiNdebele	SEN	M.G. Masilela	Nasou / Via Afrika	*Ragelani Phambili* (Strive after) is a collection of poems in IsiNdebele.	
9781868404032	Ukufika Kwam' ekhaya	IsiNdebele	ABET	Jimson Mthimunye	New Readers Publishers	Vimbela is happy. He has worked a long time and has received his money. When he goes home, however, many things go wrong.	

9780627020445	Isimemo Sami	IsiNdebele	SEN	P.B. Skhosana	J.L. van Schaik	*Isimemo sami* is a collection of isiNdebele short stories. The title means *My Invitation* .	
9781868404018	Ukurhonona Kuyabulala	IsiNdebele	ABET	Maria Mathibela	New Readers Publishers	Sibanyoni employs Thabani and wants to give her a better job, but Sibanyoni's wife does not trust her. They chose to test her loyalty.	
9780981400488	Ivakatjho lesitolo sezinto zokudlala	IsiNdebele	FOU	Lorato Trok and Gavin Fouche	Room to Read	*A visit to the toy store* is a story about a grade four class's very first visit to the biggest toy store in their township. Their excitement about having to choose their own toys is evident in their faces. Inside the store, a little girl called Zoleka's eyes are fixed on a one-eyed doll that seemed to be bypassed by everyone. Zoleka learns that the doll has been on the shelf for a long time. The children excitedly rush back to the bus with their toys on tow. The teacher realizes that Zoleka is left behind in the store and goes back to find her. Zoleka wants the one-eyed doll as her toy but the teacher discourages her. What toy will she eventually choose?	
9780853205357	Iinlwana zokuthoma ezili-100 (Board Book)	IsiNdebele	ECD	Roger Priddy	Macmillan	Your little one will love to discover the amazing animals inside this bright board book. There are 100 animal photographs to look at and talk about, and 100 animal names to read and learn, too.	
9780853205234	Amagama wokuthoma ali-100 (Board Book)	IsiNdebele	ECD	Roger Priddy	Macmillan	Ideal for ages 2 and up., *Big Board First 100 Words* features 100 everyday words for children to learn and help build their vocabulary. Its simple design is sturdy enough to stand up to your child's loving and features colored pictures to capture their attention and imagination.	

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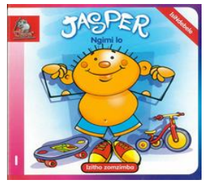
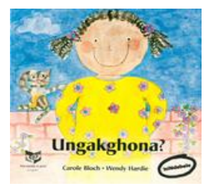
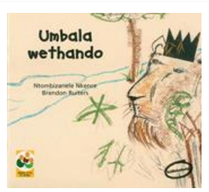
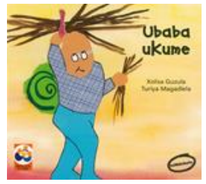
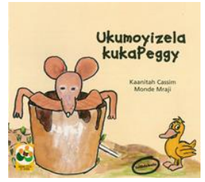
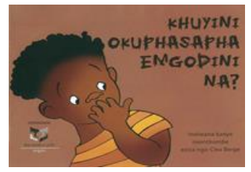
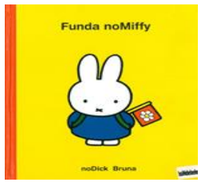
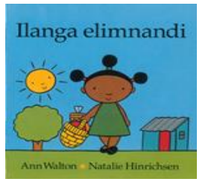
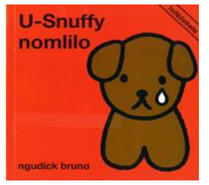
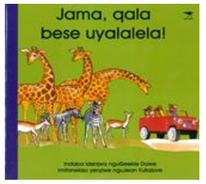
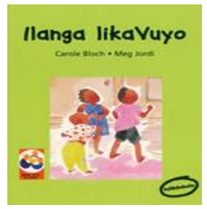
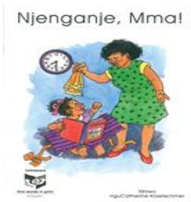
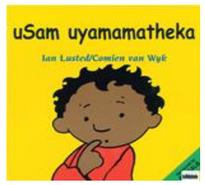
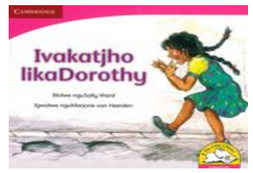
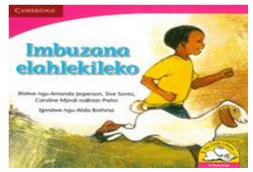
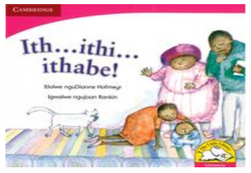
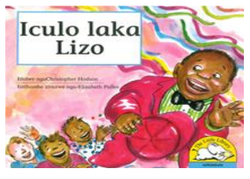
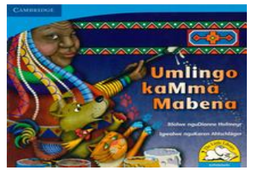
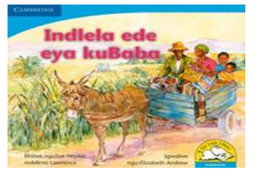
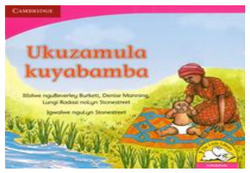
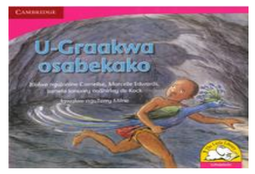
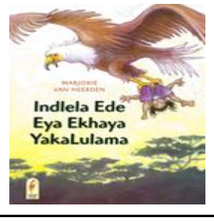
9781868978762	Jasper: Bala nami	IsiNdebele	ECD	Linda Weber	Clever Books	Count the fruit with Jasper.	
9781868978748	Jasper: Ngimi lo	IsiNdebele	ECD	Linda Weber	Clever Books	Meet Jasper and learn the names of body parts	
9781868978755	Jasper: Ngingagwala isithombe	IsiNdebele	ECD	Linda Weber	Clever Books	Jasper draws a picture. Discover colours and shapes with him.	
9781868978793	Jasper: Ubumnandi ephageni	IsiNdebele	ECD	Linda Weber	Clever Books	Learn about opposites with Jasper and Bibi as they play in the park.	
9781869284336	Ungakghona?	IsiNdebele	ECD	Carole Bloch	First words in print	Can you? is a brightly illustrated, playful and joyful little book that will make readers of all ages smile. Its clever use of repetition and humour as well as it's focus on the familiar will get young children moving and reading!	
9781869280635	Umbala wethando	IsiNdebele	FOU	Ntombizanele Nkence	New Africa Books	Life in the bush can be very lonely, Even for Leon, the proud young lion king, but he quickly learns that goodness and kidness can earn you a friend for life.	

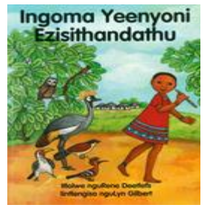
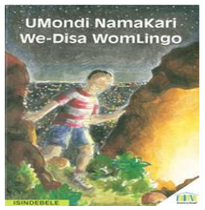
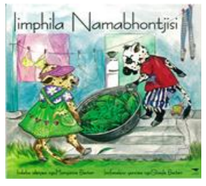
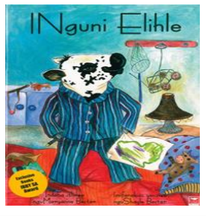
9781869280741	Ukatswana onesibindi	IsiNdebele	FOU	Mzamo Maqeba	New Africa Books	Ra-Cat so much wanted to go to school. He knew he would make lots of friends there. But Mom had been drinking from those bottles again. Would that stop Ra-Cat from making new friends?	
9781869280857	Ubaba ukume	IsiNdebele	FOU	Xolisa Guzula	New Africa Books	Rabbit and Father Snail are alone at home. What will the two of them get up to before Mama Sele returns from work?	
9781869280963	Ukumoyizela kukaPeggy	IsiNdebele	FOU	Kaanitah Cassim	New Africa Books	Peggy so much wants to be special and different to all the other mice in the playground, and it takes her a while to realise how special she really is.	
9780796100269	Khuyini okuphasapha emgodini na?	IsiNdebele	FOU		Centre for the book	This delightful and simple picture book plays on every child's curiosity and fear of the unknown. It is a beautifully produced book with delightful illustrations. With the simplest of outline artwork, we follow Siphiwe who hears a "terrible sound" coming out of a hole in the ground. Neither he nor his growing number of friends can decide what it is. Taking courage in numbers, they jump into the hole, and Siphiwe finds a tiny green cricket that says, "You just thought I sounded terrible because you grew more and more afraid every day" (no pag.). Fear conquered, they climb out and go home. Perhaps jumping into strange holes should not be encouraged for young children, but this is the world of make-believe!	
9780796100405	ULindi noGogo	IsiNdebele	ECD	Thembi Mwelase	First words in print	In this adorable picture book, little Lindi does every mischievous deed one could think of before her grandmother gets home. When she does finally come home, Lindi takes her grandmother's glasses away so she can't see all the things Lindi has done!	

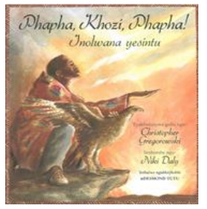
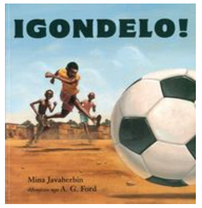
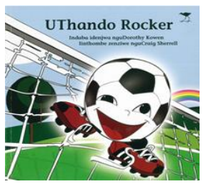
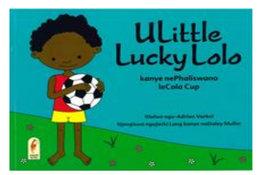
9789056472603	Funda noMiffy	IsiNdebele	ECD	Dick Bruna	Mercis Publishing	The little white rabbit takes a look at various common objects such as houses, school, foods, wild animals and sea creatures, the desert, a playground, a game reserve and the Arctic. No story, just cheerful picture and word recognition.	
9780624044956	Ilanga elimnandi	IsiNdebele	ECD	Ann Walton	Tafelberg Publishers	A very nice day - wordless book	
1868572846	U-Snuffy nomlilo	IsiNdebele	ECD	Dick Bruna	Garamond Publishers	Snuffie is a little brown puppy who smells smoke and summons the fire brigade. A happy story with very simple text alongside clear pictures on a single colour background.	
9781770094703	Jama, qala bese uyalalela!	IsiNdebele	ECD	Geekie Dawe	Jacana	Road safety rules portrayed by different African animals in a game park. Clear, entertaining pictures	
9781770094208	Sekusikhathi!	IsiNdebele	ECD	Carole Bloch	Jacana	Time can be a difficult concept for small children. Here the text follows through the activities of a normal day with an eye on the clock.	
9781869285975	Ukukhumbula Umma	IsiNdebele	FOU	Carole Bloch	First words in print	Sithembile and Themba's mother has died and they miss her very much. But although they are sad, they come to realise that they are cared for and are not alone. Their father, their grandmother and their teacher all take care of them through each day. And often, they find that there are many special ways to remember Mommy.	

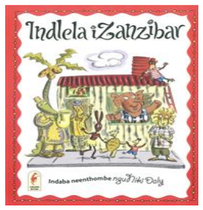
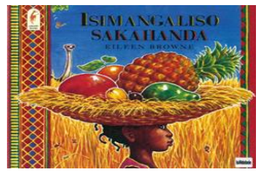
9781869280345	Ilanga likaVuyo	IsiNdebele	ECD	Carole Bloch	New Africa Books	Vuyo is a little South African boy who loves to play! Young children everywhere will enjoy the simple text and delightfully detailed illustrations, which describe the things he enjoys playing with - and how he loves playing with other children most of all!	
9780796100207	Njenganje, Mma!	IsiNdebele	ECD	Catherine Kraetschmer	Centre for the book	A little girl who wants to her mom to read to her but mom is always very busy with her daily routine of shopping, cooking, cleaning, etc. Eventually after begging and shouting, “Now, Mama!”, the little girl gets her story read to her while sitting on her mom’s lap.	
1868572064	uSam uyamamatheka	IsiNdebele	ECD	Ian Lusted	Garamond Publishers	Sam is an African boy who has lost his smile. Ice cream, toys, clothes, even TV fail to cheer him up. So his parents give him a big hug. And Sam smiles! Such a simple story. Ideal for very small children. Ian Lusted’s clear, bold illustrations are similar to the style of Dick Bruna: simple outline on single colour backgrounds. A clear message that love is more important than belongings.	
1868571866	Vuka!	IsiNdebele	ECD	Ian Lusted	Garamond Publishers	Bold pictures on plain colour pages show two children getting up, dressing, having breakfast, playing, listening to a story and heading back to bed. Very simple.	
9781869281298	Yini engiyibonako ephaphako?	IsiNdebele	FOU	Reviva Schermbrucker	New Africa Books	What do I hear? What do I smell? What do I taste? What do I love to touch? This book provides a fun-filled and entertaining look at the world around us. Young readers will enjoy its humour.	
9781869284657	Ulindiwe iqhawe lethu!	IsiNdebele	FOU	Michelle Schwartz	New Africa Books	Tomas and Anneke came to stay at Makhulu's Bed and Breakfast. Everything was fine until Tomas lost his wallet. Lindiwe wanted to help find it, but everyome told her she was too young. They searched and couldn't find it. Lindiwe also searched… till she found the wallet.	

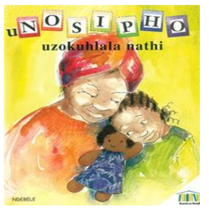
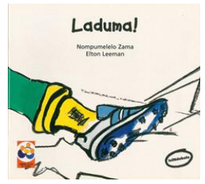
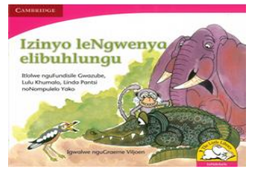
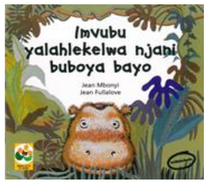
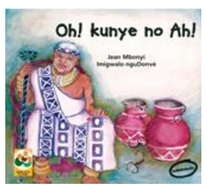
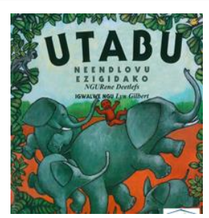
9780521724289	Ivakatjho likaDorothy	IsiNdebele	FOU	Sally Ward	Cambridge University Press	Farida prepares for a visit from Dorothy, though she imagines Dorothy will be an elephant who will eat everything and flatten a lot. When Dorothy arrives, she is a little girl “just like me!” Happiness well expressed in lively pictures.	
9780521722681	Izigi ezisabekako	IsiNdebele	FOU	Lindi Mahlangu	Cambridge University Press	Patterns of rhyme and rhythm accompany the fear of footsteps in the forest. But we need never be too frightened when Joan Rankin is in charge of the illustrations.	
9780521724487	Imbuzana elahlekileko	IsiNdebele	FOU	Amanda Jesperson	Cambridge University Press	A goat is not the best animal to have in the house. Xolani tries to find a home for what appears to be a lost goat. Plenty of amusing disturbance before the right home is found. Clear, cheerful artwork	
9780521724036	Iqhinga elihlakaniphileko leNwabu	IsiNdebele	FOU	Monika Hollemann	Cambridge University Press	Colour changes by Chameleon introduce colour words, which prove amusing to Mouse, with one more trick which saves Mouse from a cat. Clever, amusing artwork.	
9780521724388	Ith…ithi…ithabe!	IsiNdebele	FOU	Dianne Hofmeyr	Cambridge University Press	Baby has hiccups. All sorts of remedies are tried (shown in suitably enjoyable pictures) without anything being successful until Papa makes Baby laugh by whirling him round in the air. Baby stops his hiccups: but then Papa starts!	
9780521702829	Iculo laka Lizo	IsiNdebele	FOU	Christopher Hodson	Cambridge University Press	The setting is the annual Minstrels Carnival. Lizo loves to sing – “I love to sing – nearly everything!” Sometimes he is praised, sometimes chased away. Then he joins one of the bands and (naturally) wins a prize. Happy bouncing colour pictures of Cape Town’s great fun day.	
9780521702911	Ingabe ubabakho uyarhona?	IsiNdebele	FOU	Kathy Luckett	Cambridge University Press	An African family is happy together until father starts to snore. Then no one can sleep. One night his children carry their father outside the house, a spider falls into his mouth and he is not best pleased. We see him chasing the children round the house! But in future, he sleeps with his mouth shut. This story has proved highly popular with children!	

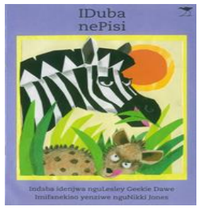
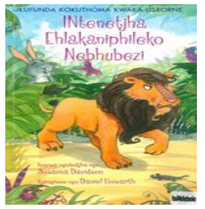
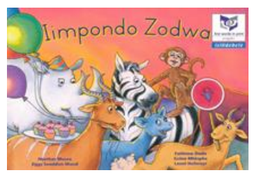
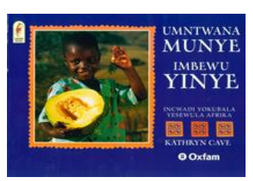
9780521722940	Itjhizi! Itjhizi emnandi!	IsiNdebele	FOU	Sue Hepker	Cambridge University Press	Mice quarrel over delicious cheese – but they are not the only ones interested. The story involves dividing, counting and the passage of time. Together with a fun story and lively pictures.	
9780521723046	Umlingo kaMma Mabena	IsiNdebele	FOU	Dianne Hofmeyr	Cambridge University Press	A picture-book based on mixing primary colours to make green, purple and orange, but transformed into Ndebele-style house-painting and the magic of art itself. Glorious colours and geometric shapes frame a story of helpfulness. The glowing pictures do full justice to the visual story.	
9780521722780	Indlela ede eya kuBaba	IsiNdebele	FOU	Sue Hepker	Cambridge University Press	A journey on donkey cart, taxi and train towards Johannesburg offers comparison of slow and fast on the different forms of transport (as well as a differing number of wheels!). A pleasant family tale illustrated with detailed skill.	
9780521724623	Ukuzamula kuyabamba	IsiNdebele	FOU	Beverley Burkett	Cambridge University Press	A large frog swallows Baby Busi when her mother is working in the fields. Then frog is swallowed by a snake which is swallowed by a tall bird which is swallowed by a crocodile which then meets a hippo which yawns. The habit is catching. All the others yawn too and Baby Busi is safely back on her blanket	
9780521724722	U-Graakwa osabekako	IsiNdebele	FOU	Janine Corneilse	Cambridge University Press	Simphiwe is a boy who summons the magical help of other animals to rescue the Bird of Peace. The ugly monster is not so terrible after all when bravery is there to solve the situation!	
9780521727396	Ubusuku bunye obunzima, nzima	IsiNdebele	FOU	Lesley Beake	Cambridge University Press	A typical rural family with a grandmother, mother, daughter, baby, dog, cat, chickens and a donkey called Nuisance. Lots of sound words to make reading aloud even more fun. Then … noises in the night. And a happy, laughing solution. Friendly, cheering pictures.	
9781920162177	Indlela ede eya ekhaya yakaLulama	IsiNdebele	FOU	Marjorie van Heerden	Pan Macmillan SA	Lulama is an African girl scooped up by a short-sighted eagle. When she kicks and screams, he lets go and she falls on to a giraffe, meets some baboons, escapes from a python, frightens a lion – so much that he takes her safely home. Large, colourful, lively pictures.	

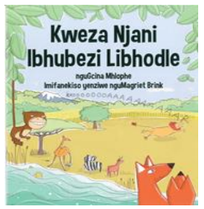
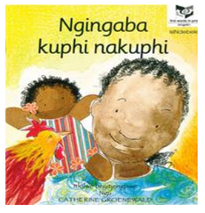
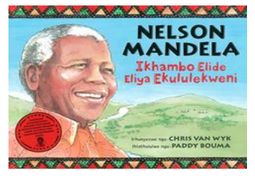
1868572382	Ingoma yeenyoni ezisithandathu	IsiNdebele	INT	Rene Deetlefs	Garamond Publishers	Wishing to make beautiful music with the flute that was given to her by her mother, young Lindiwe captures the songs of six different birds in her flute and shares the irresistible tune with the people of her African village.	
0620116455/ Ndebele	Umondi namakari we-disa womlingo	IsiNdebele	INT	Karen Press	Room to Read	One day there was a little boy named Mondi, who lived in Nyanga, at the foot of the majestic Table Mountain. One night he met the custodian of the Mountain Secrets who gave him three magic disa leaves. With that he has three wishes. He has to choose how to use it. He can bring sadness into his life by using them foolishly, or he can use them wisely and plant the seeds of goodness and wisdom. What is he going to choose?	
9781431410606	Urefilwe	IsiNdebele	FOU	Zukiswa Wanner	Jacana	Zukiswa Wanner brings young readers a retelling of the classic fairy tale, Rapunzel, with a uniquely South African twist. Refilwe is the story of the dreadlocked beauty who is stuck in a cave on top of a mountain awaiting her prince, Tumi. This take on the classic tale will have the children chanting, “Refilwe, Refilwe let down your locks . . . So I can climb the scraggy rocks!”	
9781770096110	Iimphila namabhontjisi	IsiNdebele	FOU	Maryanne Bester	Jacana	A cattle-peopled picture book showing mealies and beans being grown and made into delicious soup. A quiet lesson in cooperation and how things grow. Lightly enjoyable, with a recipe at the end. Lively illustrations.	
9781770096592	Inguni elihle	IsiNdebele	FOU	Maryanne Bester	Jacana	The first of several picture books featuring Nguni cattle. This has simple text which is about variations of colours and patterns on cattle rather than a story. Fascinating, all the same with plenty of detail to explore in the large colour pictures. Star cattle. Or, as you might say, real cool cattle!	
9780636054431	Isipho sikaThandeka	IsiNdebele	ECD	Fathima Dada	Maskew Miller Longman	Thandeka and her granny set off on a long journey from the countryside near Umtata to the busy streets of Cape Town. Thandeka is taking a gift for a very special person. This story without words includes vocabulary and pictures in the margins.	

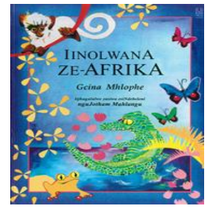
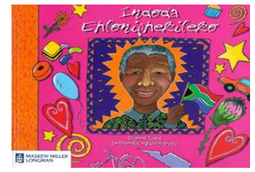
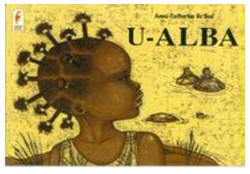
9781770092860	Abangani abathathu neteksi	IsiNdebele	FOU	Maryanne Bester	Jacana	A large-paged, picture-book about three animals in bright modern clothes catching a taxi to town. A bumpy journey past plenty of African scenery. They pay different fares and that is why these animals have different attitudes towards taxis. Or so the story tells!	
9780624055273	Phapha, Khozi, Phapha!	IsiNdebele	INT	Christopher Gregorowski	Tafelberg Publishers	Fly, Eagle, Fly! is a stirring tale of hope, written by by Christopher Gregorowski for his dying child. The basic parable tells of an African farmer who finds an abandoned eagle chick and takes it back to his farm. As the young eagle grows up among the chickens, it imagines that it is a chicken. A friend of the farmer notices the now grown eagle and tries to persuade the bird to fly, but fails twice. For third attempt, the friend persuades the farmer to carry the bird to the top of a mountain in the darkness of night. As th dawn rises, the eagle spreads its great wings, launches itself forward, and flies ...	
9781920271312	Igondelo!	IsiNdebele	INT	Mina Javaherbin	Pan Macmillan SA	A generously-sized picture book story whose author and artist are well aware of the excitement of football, the bleak desolation of the Cape Flats, ever-present danger in such a life and the exuberance of being young. A note by the author reminds us: “They play to stay children. They play to stay human. But mostly, they play to play.” This is an impressive and rewarding publication, true to South Africa. It’s exciting writing and evocative artwork.	
9781431402151	UThando Rocker	IsiNdebele	INT	Dorothy Kowen	Jacana	A story with verse text about a soccer ball. Thando’s ball is eventually chosen to be the match ball at Cape Town Stadium. Lilt and jingle in the wording, but not much of a story.	
9781920016937	ULittle Lucky Lolo kanye nePhaliswano leCola Cup	IsiNdebele	FOU	Adrian Varkel	Pan Macmillan SA	Little Lucky Lolo was the smallest boy at school. He loved to read, listen to music, and to dance. But most of all Little Lucky Lolo loved playing sport, and especially soccer. Little Lucky Lolo dreamed that one day he would play for his school team in the big Cola Cup Competition. Finally, Little Lucky Lolo got his chance. But can the smallest boy in school help win the township's biggest competition?	

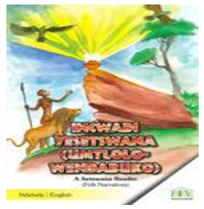
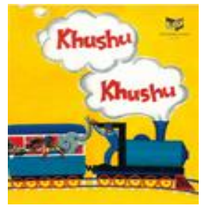
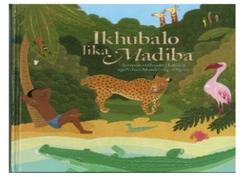
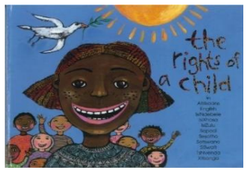
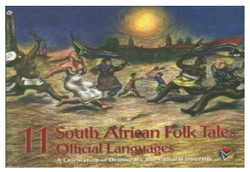
9781920016678	Indlela iZanzibar	IsiNdebele	FOU	Niki Daly	Pan Macmillan	Animal characters live in a town on Zanzibar Road where Mama Jumbo builds herself a house. But she needs friends and is joined by Little Chico, a chicken. One day Little Chico gets lost but mother-love sorts out the problem – as well as scary shadows and the fun of a party. Lots of warmth and happiness here. Quite a bit of text.	
9781920016487	Ifihlo ka-Ouma Ruby	IsiNdebele	FOU	Chris van Wyk	Pan Macmillan SA	A picture book story brimming over with South Africa. It comes from Chris van Wyk's much longer book Shirley, Goodness and Mercy and it concerns that time of his boyhood when his Ouma Ruby took him to a bookshop in Johannesburg. Read the book to reveal the secret – and rejoice at the accurate detail and sympathetic characterisation in the illustrations.	
9781920016029	Isimangaliso sakaHanda	IsiNdebele	FOU	Eileen Browne	Pan Macmillan SA	Handa puts seven delicious fruits in a basket to take to her friend, Akeyo. But as she walks, carrying the basket on her head, various creatures steal her fruits. Handa walks on, wondering which of the fruits her friend will like best, oblivious to the fact that her basket is now empty. But then, behind her, a goat charges into a tangerine tree and fills Handa's basket with the fruit. "Hello, Akeyo," she greets her friend. "I've brought you a surprise." But when she lifts off her basket, it's Handa who gets the biggest surprise. Akeyo, meanwhile, is delighted, because tangerines are her favourite fruit!	
9781920016258	ILanga lakaBongani	IsiNdebele	INT	Gisèle Wulfsohn	Pan Macmillan	Colour photos of a day in the life of Bongani, a seven-year-old boy who lives in Westdene, Johannesburg. Home, school, friends, food. This is modern reality. Africa now!	
9781431423507	Iindatjana ezicocwako zeKgalagadi	IsiNdebele	INT	Hanneke du Preez	Jacana	Kgalagadi (Pronounced Ga'laga'di) is the Tswana name for the wilderness, which falls within the borders of South Africa, Botswana, and Namibia. It is the hunting ground of the nomadic Bushmen and the home of the several Tswana tribes who call themselves Bakgalagadi (people of the wilderness). The author collected the stories during her years as a safari guide in Botswana. In retelling these stories of the Bushmen the author has retained, as far as possible, the essence of the original.	

9780620379823	uNosipho uzokuhlala nathi	IsiNdebele	FOU	Sarah Oosthuizen	Room to Read	A girl whose parents have died from AIDS goes to live with her grandmother. Kindness and genuine memories as the creation of a doll restores some normality. Perceptive illustrations of collage, washed colour and crisp line show a genuine modern Africa.	
9781869281076	Laduma!	IsiNdebele	FOU	Nompumelelo Zama	New Africa Books	Peter dreamed of becoming a soccer star. But how could he if he didn't even have soccer boots? So Peter made a deal with his father. Would Peter be able to earn his boots?	
9780521724180	Izinyo leNgwenya elibuhlungu	IsiNdebele	FOU	Fundisile Gwazube	Cambridge University Press	A delightful animal story with striking pictures of Crocodile's pain and all the sympathetic animals. Bird acts as a dentist, though he is nearly swallowed in the process. Watch out, though: Crocodile is now hungry!	
9781869280529	Imvubu yalahlekelwa njani buboya bayo	IsiNdebele	FOU	Jean Mbonyi	New Africa Books	Long, long ago, when Hippopotamus and Fire were friends, they would often play together. One day, Fire visited Hippopotamus at his home and Hippopotamus learnt a very valuable lesson about playing with fire.	
9781869280468	Oh! Kunye no Ah!	IsiNdebele	FOU	Jean Mbonyi	New Africa Books	Once, a very old king needed a successor to his throne, so he set his people a puzzling task - to bring him an "oh!" and an "ah!". A clever young fellow settled in the kingdom, and he knew just where to find an "oh!" and an "ah!".	
1868572781	UTabu neendlovu ezigidako	IsiNdebele	INT	Rene Deetlefs	Garamond Publishers	A folktale of a happy family in traditional Africa. Tabu is a child who is taken away to watch the elephants dance, though his father goes wild with worry. Of course, a happy ending for a most pleasantly illustrated story	

9781869280406	Iinkwekwezi eendundumeni	IsiNdebele	INT	Reviva Schermbrucker	New Africa Books	Gazing at the starry sky starts a fanciful tale of quarrelsome stars which fall to earth. Years later they grow up as colourful vygie flowers. Imaginative but not a very strong story	
9781770307711	UThabo usindisa umdlali ophambili webholo erarhwako	IsiNdebele	INT	N. Turkington	Macmillan	A brightly coloured picture-book story about a boy supporter of Moroka Swallows (known as “The Birds”). He gets a message through to their star player which saves him from a gang of crooks. Clear text, suitable for primary readers, especially those mad keen on soccer!	
9781770094802	IDuba nePisi	IsiNdebele	INT	Lesley Geekie Dawe	Jacana	An African animal fable telling how the hungry Hyena is tricked out of having Zebra for dinner. A picture book story strikingly illustrated using a paper collage technique.	
9781415014899	INtenetjha ehlakaniphileko nephubezi	IsiNdebele	FOU	Susanna Davidson	Usborne House	An African folktale presented in Disney style. Lion frightens everyone until outwitted by Rabbit who has him roaring at his own reflection. Delightful pictures. Some word and picture puzzles at the end.	
9780636054387	Iimpondo Zodwa	IsiNdebele	FOU	Heather Moore	Maskew Miller Longman	An animal fantasy about a party planned for only those animals with horns. Zebra and Monkey want to join in the fun so they make themselves horns out of twigs and leaves. All goes well until the horns fall off. But by then, the other animals wonder why their party should be so exclusive. Most enjoyable pictures.	
9781920016142	Umntwana munye imbewu yinye	IsiNdebele	FOU	Kathryn Cave	Pan Macmillan	A South African counting book. The text comes in three levels: a simple statement beneath a suitable colour photo; two of three simple sentences turning a statement into the story of Nothando with her pumpkin seed; factual information (and more photos) of Nothando’s family life and work in Nkandla, KwaZulu-Natal. A book to be treasured and returned to.	

9781431410637	Ngiyakwazi lokho!	IsiNdebele	FOU	Maryanne Bester	Jacana	Continuing the Bester sisters' beloved Cool Nguni series, I Know That follows Gaps, the Nguni calf, as he introduces his friend, the youngest Cattle Egret, to the library. The little Cattle Egret is anxious for Gaps to think of him as smart, and every chance he gets he claims to know almost everything about everything! But when Gaps shows him the exciting world of reading and books, the Egret discovers that there is so much more to get from learning than just shouting "I know that!" A book that truly celebrates and encourages a love of reading – this book should be in every library.	
9781920607913	Kweza Njani ibhubezi libhodle	IsiNdebele	INT	Gcina Mhlophe	Puo Publishing	King Lion used to have a very soft voice. He didn't sound like a powerful king of the beasts at all. The other animals had no warning of danger when he was out hunting. A big meeting was called to try and solve this problem. The animals made various suggestions but none were acceptable. Then Nogwaja, the crafty Hare, came up with a clever idea. And this is how it came about that today Lion has the mighty roar that befits the king of the beasts!	
9780981425467	Ngingaba kuphi nakuphi	IsiNdebele	FOU	Catherine Groenewald	First words in print	This book is part of the "Nosipho" series. A girl whose parents have died from AIDS goes to live with her grandmother. Kindness and genuine memories as the creation of a doll restores some normality. Perceptive illustrations of collage, washed colour and crisp line show a genuine modern Africa.	
9781920271190	Nelson Mandela ikhambo elide eliya ekululekweni	IsiNdebele	INT	Chris van Wyk	Macmillan Children's Books	Nelson Mandela (1918-2013) is a true hero of our times, loved and admired across the globe. This children's book tells the story of his life, from his carefree days as an ordinary village boy to his unflinching leadership of the ANC, the long years in prison under the apartheid regime and his eventual freedom, ending with his extraordinary elevation to President of South Africa in 1994. The book is full of facts and information, which children aged 7 to 12 will find interesting.	
1868572625	Kunekakaramba eengazini zaka-Brenda	IsiNdebele	ALL	Hijltje Vink	Garamond Publishers	This a story about Brenda, a three year old ordinary girl with HIV. It is a true story that is written down by her foster mother. There is one thing that is not so ordinary about Brenda, there is a little dragon in her blood. The dragon is called HIV and has to remain sleeping.	

9781770099791	Ukuphapha kwekhayithi	IsiNdebele	FOU	William Gumede	Jacana	This richly illustrated book tells the story of how Andile and his father make a beautiful kite. While flying the kite, its string breaks releasing the kite and taking readers on an epic journey across Africa. From the thundering Victoria Falls and the snow tops of Kilimanjaro, to the Sahara deserts and ancient Egyptian Pyramids, follow the kite's flight over some of the great landmarks of Africa!	
9781869142964	Iinolwana ze-Afrika	IsiNdebele	INT	Gcina Mhlophe	University of KwaZulu-Natal Press	This folklore story collection offers a feast of enjoyment for young South African readers. Ten enchanting tales, steeped in the imaginative richness of African storytelling: Where did the first stories in the world come from? How did little Tortoise win the respect of all the other animals? Who was Nanana Bo Sele Sele and what happened when she built her house in the middle of the animals' road? Why was young Crocodile so determined to get hold of Monkey's heart? ...	
9780636085336	Indoda ehloniphekileko	IsiNdebele	INT	Dianne Case	Maskew Miller Longman	This delightful story is told by a young child of her grandmother's love and admiration for Nelson Mandela. It is a colourful celebration of Mr Mandela's life, telling of his qualities that make him such a special and beloved person to young and old alike. While the book has a very patriotic flavour, it will appeal universally to all who share the grandmother's opinion of Mr Mandela.	
9780978015822	Abanye bethu ziingwenya, abanye bethu zimabhubezi	IsiNdebele	INT	Mike Kantey	The Watermark Press	*Some of us are leopards, some of us are lions* - The first book to portray (in 1987) black South African children in a school setting with honour and integrity. The young hero feels inadequate since he comes from a farm and knows nothing about the city. Eventually, his ability to cope with a large spider in the classroom earns him the respect he needs – and deserves.	
9781920016548	U-Alba	IsiNdebele	INT	Anne-Catherine de Boel	Pan Macmillan SA	An expressive, though muted picture book illustrated in brown, black and yellowish cream – some realistic, others brighter and more expressive. Alba is a five-year-old African girl who goes looking for her father in the forest and over the plains. The animals help her, assuring her that her father was with them, riding the zebra, climbing the neck of the giraffe, until he climbed "so very high into the sky that he must have sprouted wings …" and has now gone "too far away to come back again". The word "death" is never mentioned, but it is here to be contemplated and discussed.	

9780981411019	Incwadi yesetswana	IsiNdebele/English	INT	D. Jones	Room to Read	Variaty of folktales	
9781869034863	Khushu Khushu	Multilingual	FOU		Juta Gariep	Khushu Khushu is a collection of rhymes for all the children of Southern Africa.	
9780624042402	Ikhubalo likaMadiba (Siswati, isiZulu, Ndebele)	Multilingual	INT	Linda Rode (Editor)	Tafelberg Publishing	Eleven of the stories have been translated into isiZulu, eleven into isiXhosa, five into isiNdebele and five into siSwati. The idea behind this is to break down artificial barriers between these four related languages.	
9780795701627	Rights of a Child, The	Multilingual	All	Tyrone Appolis et al.	Kwela Books	Based on the Universal Declaration of the Rights of the Child, this beautiful volume presents the 10 rights of children worldwide. Exploring the basic needs of children—including affection, protection, shelter, food, and education—this summary illustrates the rights in all 11 official languages of South Africa.	
9780620345460	11 South African Folk Tales Official Languages	Multilingual	INT	Aré Van Schalkwyk, Reuben Matemane	Zytek Publishing (Pty) Ltd	11 newly-written South African folk tales, each representing the vernacular of one of our 11 official languages and accompanied by an English translation, celebrate our 11 years of democracy and cultural diversity as a nation.	
9781485628910	Isidlo esimnandi kunazo zoke!	isiNdebele	FOU	Sindiwe Magona	David Philip Publishers	Mama is away, and big-sis Siziwe has been left in charge of her little brothers and sisters - and Sango-the-dog. But as night falls over Gugulethu, the children are hungry and there is nothing to eat. Siziwe knows it's her responsibility to make a plan, but what can she do with no money, no food and no adult to help? This touching story shares a message of faith during adversity and the creative power of hope.	