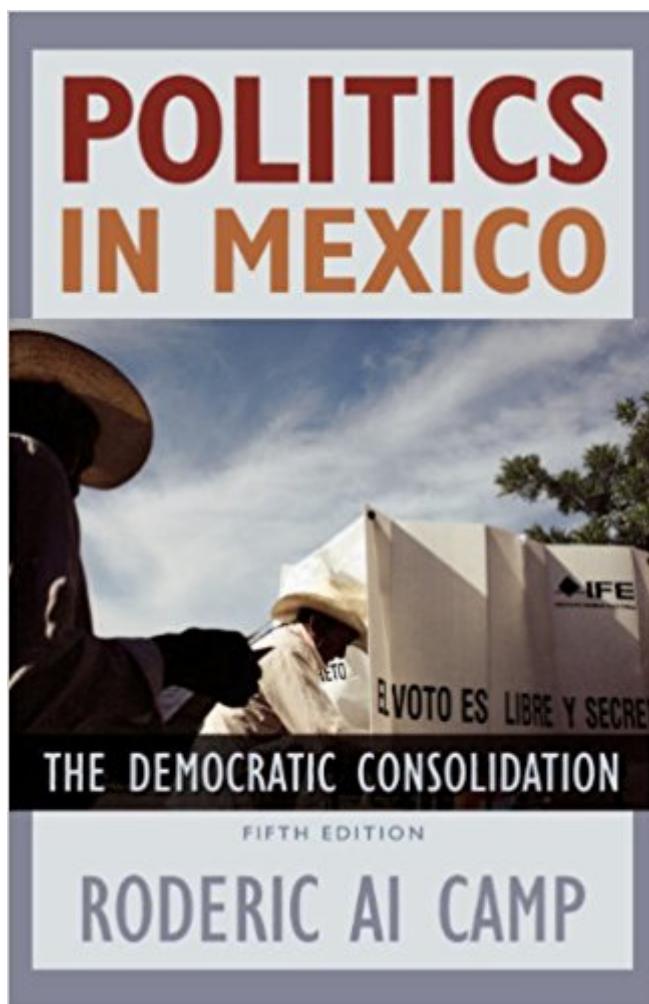


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Pretty dry, however I loved the third person view on the Mexican culture.

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