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An introductory, yet comprehensive, database textbook intended for use in undergraduate and graduate information systems database courses. This text also provides practical content to current and aspiring information systems, business data analysis, and decision support industry professionals. Database Systems: Introduction to Databases and Data Warehouses covers both analytical and operations

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database as knowledge of both is integral to being successful in today's business environment. It also provides a solid theoretical foundation and hands-on practice using an integrated web-based data-modeling suite.

Uncovers the role technology plays in the growth and success of a firm for the non IT personnel. This book helps you learn how to evaluate the information technology and trends from a strategic, non technical standpoint. It also teaches you how to effectively communicate with IS professionals about specific implementations for strategic

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purposes.

Power Query for Power BI and Excel is a book for people who are tired of copying and pasting data into Excel worksheets.

Power Query, part of the Microsoft Power BI suite, is a tool that automates the process of getting data into Excel and will save you hours of dull, repetitive, and error-prone work! Power Query makes it easy to extract data from many different data sources, filter that data, aggregate it, clean it and perform calculations on it, finally loading that data into either your worksheet or directly into the new Excel 2013 Data

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Model used by Power Pivot. This concise, practical book provides a complete guide to Power Query and how to use it to solve all of your Excel data-loading problems. Power Query for Power BI and Excel goes well beyond the surface of what Power Query can do. The book goes deep into the underlying M language, showing you how to do amazing things that aren't going to be possible from just the GUI interface that is covered in most other books. You'll have full command of the GUI, and you'll be able to drop into the M language to go beyond what the GUI provides. The

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depth in this book makes it a must-have item for anyone who is pushing Power BI and Excel to their limits in the pursuit of business intelligence from data analysis. Teaches the basics of using Power Query to load data into Excel Helps you solve common, data-related problems with Power Query Shows how to write your own solutions in the powerful M language

Information Systems for Business
Managing the Digital Firm
With Cases, Edition 4. 0
Managing and Using Information Systems
Information Systems Project

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Management

Information Systems for

Managers in the Digital Age

Experts from across all industrial-organizational (IO) psychology describe how increasingly rapid technological change has affected the field. In each chapter, authors describe how this has altered the meaning of IO research within a particular subdomain and what steps must be taken to avoid IO research from becoming obsolete. This Handbook presents a forward-looking review of IO psychology's understanding of both workplace technology and how

technology is used in IO research methods. Using interdisciplinary perspectives to further this understanding and serving as a focal text from which this research will grow, it tackles three main questions facing the field. First, how has technology affected IO psychological theory and practice to date? Second, given the current trends in both research and practice, could IO psychological theories be rendered obsolete? Third, what are the highest priorities for both research and practice to ensure IO psychology remains appropriately

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moving forward?
Piccoli's Information Systems
for Managers offers an
engaging, non-academic style
and actionable frameworks to
help managers envision how to
develop value added IT-
dependent strategic
initiatives. The version with
cases offers an "all in one"
book to choose different
cases. Each case has extensive
notes prepared by the author
to help teach a meaningful
course. Part III on "The
Strategic use of IS" offers
unique and useful frameworks
that MBAs will be able to put
into practice. Two versions**

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provide flexibility and additional chapters on ERP and Business

Intelligence/Analytics ad value. The text is well-written with clear examples of the theories and frameworks it introduces as well as great business cases that can be used for discussion to better educate about a subject that is vital to successful managers in the future.

Written for students and managers, this text provides an overview of information systems technology (IT) management. It explains management of information services activities and

highlights the areas of potential application of the technology. This text comprises a collection of Harvard Business cases devoted to Information Technology.

**Critical Perspectives
Introduction to the
Mathematical Theory of
Control**

**An Experiential Approach,
Edition 4.0**

**Text and Cases, Edition 2.0
Edition 2. 0 (Full-Color
Version)**

**Conceptualization,
Construction, and
Management**

Driving IT Innovation

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This edition synthesizes recent work on ICT for managers, with themes that focus on the continuous transformation in business, the adoption of information intensive management practices, the improvement of information processing, & the alignment of business strategy & information technology strategy.

"This book provides a comprehensive understanding and coverage of the various theories, models and related research approaches used within IS research"--Provided by publisher. For undergraduate and graduate courses in IT/IS Project Management. Information Systems Project Management operates from

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the assumption that organizational project management is a complex team-based activity, and that various types of technologies are an inherent part of the project management process.

With Cases

Align in the Sand

Linux Server Best Practices

Adventures of an It Leader

Trust Management

Database Systems

Fundamentals of C# Programming
for Information Systems

This book explores the identified research gap and new field of study of organizational reliability. It develops a definition and theoretical internal structure of the notion of organizational reliability as well as a

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theoretical background describing the structure of its three pillars, and it showcases a set of organizational solutions dedicated for the enhancement of organizational reliability. The book explores the idea that there are new capabilities needed in every organization: reliability capabilities aiming at enhancing and sustaining the reliability of entire organizations and reliability of management, information technology and human resources. The reliability capabilities are understood as the abilities to anticipate and explore potential and occurring hazards, prevent and resolve disruptions, and learn from the problems in order to maintain a

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proper organizational performance in both normal and abnormal situations. Based on these three pillars, the book concerns the issue of various organizational solutions in order to indicate a set of them, which supports obtaining and maintaining organizational reliability. The book is recommended reading for researchers, academics and students in the fields of management, and entrepreneurs trying to boost the reliability of their organizations. 'Strategic Information Management' has been completely up-dated to reflect the rapid changes in IT and the business environment since the publication of the second edition.

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Half of the readings in the book have been replaced to address current issues and the latest thinking in Information Management. It goes without saying that Information technology has had a major impact on individuals, organizations and society over the past 50 years or so. There are few organizations that can afford to ignore IT and few individuals who would prefer to be without it. As managerial tasks become more complex, so the nature of the required information systems (IS) changes - from structured, routine support to ad hoc, unstructured, complex enquiries at the highest levels of management. As with the first and second

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editions, this third edition of 'Strategic Information Management: Challenges and strategies in managing information systems' aims to present the many complex and inter-related issues associated with the management of information systems. The book provides a rich source of material reflecting recent thinking on the key issues facing executives in information systems management. It draws from a wide range of contemporary articles written by leading experts from North America and Europe. 'Strategic Information Management' is designed as a course text for MBA, Master's level students and senior undergraduate students taking

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courses in information management. It provides a wealth of information and references for researchers in addition.

An engaging approach for anyone beginning a career in networking As the world leader of networking products and services, Cisco products are constantly growing in demand. Yet, few books are aimed at those who are beginning a career in IT--until now. Cisco Networking Essentials provides a solid foundation on the Cisco networking products and services with thorough coverage of fundamental networking concepts. Author Troy McMillan applies his years of classroom instruction to effectively present

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high-level topics in easy-to-understand terms for beginners. With this indispensable full-color resource, you'll quickly learn the concepts, processes, and skills that are essential to administer Cisco routers and switches. Begins with a clear breakdown of what you can expect to learn in each chapter, followed by a straightforward discussion of concepts on core topics Includes suggested labs and review questions at the conclusion of each chapter, which encourage you to reinforce and measure your understanding of the topics discussed Serves as an ideal starting point for learning Cisco networking products and services If you are

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interested in a career in IT but have little or no knowledge of networking and are new to Cisco networking products, then this book is for you.

A Process and Team Approach
Cisco Networking Essentials
Human Resources, Information
Technology and Management
Encyclopedia of Management
Theory

Information Technology for
Managers

Text & Cases

Strategic Information Technology
and Portfolio Management

***In discussing a management
topic, scholars,
educators, practitioners,
and the media often toss***

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out the name of a theorist (Taylor, Simon, Weber) or make a sideways reference to a particular theory (bureaucracy, total quality management, groupthink) and move on, as if assuming their audience possesses the necessary background to appreciate and integrate the reference. This is often far from the case. Individuals are frequently forced to seek out a hodgepodge of sources varying in quality and presentation to provide an overview of a particular idea. This work is

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designed to serve as a core reference for anyone interested in the essentials of contemporary management theory. Drawing together a team of international scholars, it examines the global landscape of the key theories and the theorists behind them, presenting them in the context needed to understand their strengths and weaknesses to thoughtfully apply them. In addition to interpretations of long-established theories, it also offers essays on cutting-edge research as

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one might find in a handbook. And, like an unabridged dictionary, it provides concise, to-the-point definitions of key concepts, ideas, schools, and figures. Features and Benefits: Two volumes containing over 280 signed entries provide users with the most authoritative and thorough reference resources available on management theory, both in terms of breadth and depth of coverage. Standardized presentation format, organized into categories based on validity and importance, structures

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entries so that readers can assess the fundamentals, evolution, and impact of theories. To ease navigation between and among related entries, a Reader's Guide groups entries thematically and each entry is followed by Cross-References. In the electronic version, the Reader's Guide combines with the Cross-References and a detailed Index to provide robust search-and-browse capabilities. An appendix with a Chronology of Management Theory allows readers to easily chart directions and

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trends in thought and theory from early times to the present. An appendix with Central Management Insights allows readers to easily understand, compare, and apply major theoretical messages of the field. Suggestions for Further Reading at the end of each entry guide readers to sources for more detailed research and discussion. Key themes include: Nature of Management Managing People, Personality, and Perception Managing Motivation Managing Interactions Managing

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*Groups Managing
Organizations Managing
Environments Strategic
Management Human Resources
Management International
Management and Diversity
Managerial Decision
Making, Ethics, and
Creativity Management
Education, Research, and
Consulting Management of
Operations, Quality, and
Information Systems
Management of
Entrepreneurship
Management of Learning and
Change Management of
Technology and Innovation
Management and Leadership
Management and Social /*

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*Environmental Issues PLUS:
Appendix of Chronology of
Management Theory PLUS:
Appendix of Central
Management Insights
Managing & Using
Information Systems: A
Strategic Approach
provides a solid
knowledgebase of basic
concepts to help readers
become informed, competent
participants in
Information Systems (IS)
decisions. Written for MBA
students and general
business managers alike,
the text explains the
fundamental principles and
practices required to use*

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and manage information, and illustrates how information systems can create, or obstruct, opportunities within various organizations. This revised and updated seventh edition discusses the business and design processes relevant to IS, and presents a basic framework to connect business strategy, IS strategy, and organizational strategy. Readers are guided through each essential aspect of information Systems, including information architecture and

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infrastructure, IT security, the business of Information Technology, IS sourcing, project management, business analytics, and relevant IS governance and ethical issues. Detailed chapters contain mini cases, full-length case studies, discussion topics, review questions, supplemental reading links, and a set of managerial concerns related to the topic. This book establishes and explores existing and emerging theories on Small and Medium-sized Enterprises (SMEs) and the

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adoption of IT/IS. It presents the latest empirical research findings in that area of IS research and explores new technologies and practices. The book is written for researchers and professionals working in the field of IS research or the research of SMEs. Moreover, the book will be a reference for researchers, professionals and students in management information systems science and related fields. Handbook of Research on Contemporary Theoretical

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*Models in Information
Systems*

*Management Information
Systems*

*Competing in the
Information Age*

*The Oxford Handbook of
Management Information
Systems*

*Handbook on Electronic
Commerce*

*Third International
Conference, ITrust 2005,
Paris, France, May 23-26,
2005, Proceedings
Critical Perspectives and
New Directions*

Presents research and thinking on agile information systems. This book brings together academic

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experts, researchers, and practitioners to discuss how companies can create and deploy agile information systems. This book presents cutting-edge research and thinking on agile information systems. The concept of agile information systems has gained strength over the last 3 years, coming into the MIS world from manufacturing, where agile manufacturing systems has been an important concept for several years now. The idea of agility is powerful: with competition so fierce today and the speed of business so fast, a company's ability to move with their customers and support constant changing business needs is more important than ever. Agile

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information systems: have the ability to add, remove, modify, or extend functionalities with minimal penalties in terms of time, cost, and effort have the ability to process information in a flexible manner have the ability to accommodate and adjust to the changing needs of the end-users. This is the first book to bring together academic experts, researchers, and practitioners to discuss how companies can create and deploy agile information systems. Contributors are well-regarded academics known to be on the cutting-edge of their fields

Becoming an effective IT manager presents a host of challenges--from anticipating emerging technology to managing relationships with

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vendors, employees, and other managers. A good IT manager must also be a strong business leader. This book invites you to accompany new CIO Jim Barton to better understand the role of IT in your organization. You'll see Jim struggle through a challenging first year, handling (and fumbling) situations that, although fictional, are based on true events. You can read this book from beginning to end, or treat it as a series of cases. You can also skip around to address your most pressing needs. For example, need to learn about crisis management and security? Read chapters 10-12. You can formulate your own responses to a CIO's obstacles by reading the

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authors' regular "Reflection" questions. You'll turn to this book many times as you face IT-related issues in your own career.

“If you're a developer trying to figure out why your application is not responding at 3 am, you need this book! This is now my go-to book when diagnosing production issues. It has saved me hours in troubleshooting complicated operations problems.” -Trotter Cashion, cofounder, Mashion DevOps can help developers, QAs, and admins work together to solve Linux server problems far more rapidly, significantly improving IT performance, availability, and efficiency. To gain these benefits, however, team members need

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common troubleshooting skills and practices. In *DevOps Troubleshooting: Linux Server Best Practices*, award-winning Linux expert Kyle Rankin brings together all the standardized, repeatable techniques your team needs to stop finger-pointing, collaborate effectively, and quickly solve virtually any Linux server problem. Rankin walks you through using DevOps techniques to troubleshoot everything from boot failures and corrupt disks to lost email and downed websites. You'll master indispensable skills for diagnosing high-load systems and network problems in production environments. Rankin shows how to Master DevOps' approach to

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troubleshooting and proven Linux server problem-solving principles
Diagnose slow servers and applications by identifying CPU, RAM, and Disk I/O bottlenecks
Understand healthy boots, so you can identify failure points and fix them
Solve full or corrupt disk issues that prevent disk writes
Track down the sources of network problems
Troubleshoot DNS, email, and other network services
Isolate and diagnose Apache and Nginx Web server failures and slowdowns
Solve problems with MySQL and Postgres database servers and queries
Identify hardware failures—even notoriously elusive intermittent failures
In an Age of Options

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Essentials of Information Systems
for Managers
Corporate Information Strategy and
Management
DevOps Troubleshooting
Agile Information Systems
A Roadmap for CIOs to Reinvent
the Future
Adopting Information Systems
Perspectives from Small
Organizations

Whilst Information Systems
has the potential to widen
our view of the world, it
often has the opposite
effect by limiting our
ability to interact,
facilitating managerial
and state surveillance or
instituting strict

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hierarchies and personal control. In this book, Bernd Stahl offers an alternative and critical perspective on the subject, arguing that the ongoing problems in this area could be caused by the misconceptualization of the nature and role of IS. Stahl discusses the question of how IS can be used to actually overcome oppression and promote emancipation, breaking the book into four sections. The first section covers the theory of critical research in IS, giving a central place for the

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subject of ethics. The second section discusses the philosophical underpinnings of this critical research. The third and largest section gives examples of the application of critical work in IS. The final section then reflects on the approach and suggests ways for further development.

Now today's managers can prepare to successfully oversee and understand information systems with Reynold's INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY FOR MANAGERS, 2E. This practical,

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insightful book prepares current and future managers to understand the critical business implications of information technology. A wealth of actual contemporary examples demonstrate how successful managers can apply information technology to improve their organizations. A new chapter on IT security, hands-on scenarios and practical cases give readers an opportunity to apply what they're learning. This edition's solid framework helps

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define the manager's important role in information technology and in working effectively with all members of the organization to achieve results. Important Notice: Media content referenced within the product description or the product text may not be available in the ebook version. The new digital economy has pronounced implications for corporate strategy, marketing, operations, information systems, customer service, global supply-chain management, and product

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Principles of Information
Systems Security
Information Systems for

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Small and Medium-sized
Enterprises

Without Cases, Edition 4.
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The Cambridge Handbook of
Technology and Employee
Behavior

Introduction to Databases
and Data Warehouses

State of Art of IS

Research in SMEs

No Cases

**This Handbook provides
critical, interdisciplinary
contributions from
leading international
academics on the theory
and methodology,
practical applications,**

and broader context of Management Information Systems, as well as offering potential avenues for future research

This book constitutes the refereed proceedings of the Third International Conference on Trust Management, iTrust 2005, held in Paris, France in May 2005. The 21 revised full papers and 4 revised short papers presented together with 2 keynote papers and 7 trust management tool and systems demonstration reports

were carefully reviewed and selected from 71 papers submitted.

Besides technical issues in distributed computing and open systems, topics from law, social sciences, business, and psychology are addressed in order to develop a deeper and more comprehensive understanding of current aspects and challenges in the area of trust management in dynamic open systems.

Management Information Systems provides comprehensive and

**integrative coverage of essential new technologies, information system applications, and their impact on business models and managerial decision-making in an exciting and interactive manner. The twelfth edition focuses on the major changes that have been made in information technology over the past two years, and includes new opening, closing, and Interactive Session cases. Information Systems for Managers
Power Query for Power BI**

and Excel
Systems Analysis and
Design
Texts and Cases
Organizational Reliability
Text and Cases
Strategic Information
Management

The two versions of Piccoli: a second edition of IS for Managers: Text and Cases and a first edition of a text only version, titled Essentials of IS for Managers offer an engaging, non-academic style and actionable frameworks to help readers develop value added IT-dependent strategic initiatives. The version with cases offers an "all in one" book for those who don't want to choose their own cases. Each case has extensive notes prepared by

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the author to help teach a meaningful course. Part III on "The Strategic use of IS" offers unique and useful frameworks that MBAs will be able to put into practice.

Why do organizations adopt information systems? Is it just because of financial reasons, of concerns for efficiency? Or is it due to external pressures, such as competitor pressure, that an organization adopts an information system? And, how does the adoption take place? Is it a linear process, or is the process one of conflicts? Does a specific person govern this process, or do we have multiple parties involved? What happens if these conflicts occur among those involved? How does the organization move on and achieve a successful information system adoption? By investigating two organizations, one international

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academic journal and one South American manufacturing company, this thesis aims to investigate the whys and hows of information system adoption, and aims to contribute to the discourse on information system adoptions in small organizations – an often underrepresented segment in information system adoption literature. By adopting different theoretical lenses throughout the five research papers included, this body of work suggests that even when seemingly simple, information system adoptions can become rather complex. The cases reveal that the role of information systems and issues related to information system adoptions are often not well thought-out in the early days of the organization. The actors' understandings of adoption and consequences mature and the

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information systems become more intertwined. Common use of stakeholder theory introduces general stakeholders and their interaction with the focal organization. The cases reveal that the adoption process involves multiple actors, even within what would initially appear as a stakeholder, and that those actors can be in conflict with each other. These conflicts often lead to negotiations, and the cases reveal that these negotiations are opportunities of learning; the actors engage with the information system and with each other, gaining new knowledge about the issues at hand. The dissertation argues that there are various social worlds in information system adoptions, and various factors – ranging from organizational structure to social norms – that often affect why and how the organization undergoes an adoption

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process. The multiple power relations and divergent interests of stakeholders in these adoption processes, and how information systems affect other parts of the organization, reinforce the need for a well thought-out, flexible and reflexive approach to information system adoptions.

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A Strategic Approach

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Information Systems

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(Prior edition was titled

**ESSENTIALS OF IS FOR
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application portfolios and
develop strategies that increase
financial performance"--Provided
by publisher.