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**Paolo Mancosu
provides an
original
investigation of
historical and
systematic
aspects of the
notions of**

abstraction and infinity and their interaction. A familiar way of introducing concepts in mathematics rests on so-called definitions by abstraction. An example of this is Hume's

Principle, which introduces the concept of number by stating that two concepts have the same number if and only if the objects falling under each one of them can be put in one-one

**correspondence.
This principle is
at the core of neo-
logicism. In the
first two chapters
of the book,
Mancosu
provides a
historical
analysis of the
mathematical
uses and**

**foundational
discussion of
definitions by
abstraction up to
Frege, Peano,
and Russell.
Chapter one
shows that
abstraction
principles were
quite widespread
in the**

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**mathematical
practice that
preceded Frege's
discussion of
them and the
second chapter
provides the first
contextual
analysis of
Frege's
discussion of
abstraction**

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**principles in
section 64 of the
Grundlagen. In
the second part
of the book,
Mancosu
discusses a
novel approach
to measuring the
size of infinite
sets known as
the theory of**

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**numerocities and
shows how this
new
development
leads to deep
mathematical,
historical, and
philosophical
problems. The
final chapter of
the book explore
how this theory**

**of numerosities
can be exploited
to provide
surprisingly
novel
perspectives on
neo-logicism.
Since its
publication, C.F.
Gauss's
Disquisitiones
Arithmeticae**

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**(1801) has
acquired an
almost mythical
reputation,
standing as an
ideal of
exposition in
notation,
problems and
methods; as a
model of
organisation and**

**theory building;
and as a source
of mathematical
inspiration.**

**Eighteen authors
- mathematicians,
historians,
philosophers -
have
collaborated in
this volume to
assess the**

**impact of the
Disquisitiones, in
the two centuries
since its
publication.
The innovative
contributions of
the Italian
Marginalists -
Pareto,
Pantaleoni, De
Viti de Marco and**

**Barone, to
economic theory
have previously
been overlooked.
This is the first
book to deal with
the history of the
theory of market
power and of its
relation with
competition,
focusing on the**

**distinct
intellectual
tradition that is
Italian
Marginalist
economic
thought.
Monopoly Power
and Competition
is a vital
resource for
historians of**

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**economic
thought, as it
explores a
relatively
untouched area
of
microeconomics
that sheds light
on the theories
surrounding
monopoly power
and barriers to**

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entry.

**Empirical laws
are rare in
economics. This
book describes
efforts to anchor
economic
knowledge to
invariant
empirical laws. It
links 17th and
18th century**

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Galilean

monetary

economists to

econophysics, a

field that

emerged in the

mid-1990s. This

virtual journey

from past to

present is

charted by

episodes on

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**aggregates and
empirical
primacy. It
includes the
virtually
unknown story of
19th century
scholars who, by
searching for a
stricter
mathematical
approach, paved**

**the way to an
'engineering'
view of
economics. Then
there are
celebrities like
Pareto and his
first empirical
law governing
the distribution
of wealth. Pareto
and Amoroso**

**sparked a debate
on the skewed
distribution that
spanned
decades, ranging
from finance to
market
transformations,
to econophysics,
with its concepts
and tools
inherited from**

**statistical
physics. The last
stage of the
journey goes
through
econophysics
and the recent
gradual
advances it has
made, which
show how its
position vis-à-vis**

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**economics has
been changing.**

**Corrado Segre's
Mastership and
Legacy**

Discrete Calculus

La Matematica

Elementare del

Feedback

The Secret

Formula

Juegos

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acompañados de

aventuras

intelectuales

Advanced

Educational

Technologies for

Mathematics and

Science

Bollettino Della

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Italiana

This book commemorates the 150th birthday of Corrado Segre, one of the founders of the Italian School of Algebraic Geometry and a crucial figure in the history of Algebraic Geometry. It is the outcome of a conference held in

Turin, Italy. One of the book's most unique features is the inclusion of a previously unpublished manuscript by Corrado Segre, together with a scientific commentary.

Representing a

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prelude to Segre's

seminal 1894

contribution on the

theory of algebraic

curves, this

manuscript and other

important archival

sources included in

the essays shed new

light on the eminent

role he played at the

international level.

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Including both survey articles and original research papers, the book is divided into three parts: section one focuses on the implications of Segre's work in a historic light, while section two presents new results in his

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field, namely

Algebraic Geometry.

The third part

features Segre's

unpublished

notebook: Sulla

Geometria Sugli Enti

Algebrici

Semplicemente

Infiniti (1890-1891).

This volume will

appeal to scholars in

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the History of
Mathematics, as well
as to researchers in
the current subfields
of Algebraic
Geometry.

This book explores
the unique
relationship between
two different
approaches to
understand the

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nature of knowledge,
reality, and
existence. It collects
essays that examine
the distinctive
historical
relationship between
mathematics and
philosophy. Readers
learn what key
philosophers
throughout the ages

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thought about
mathematics. This
includes both
thinkers who
recognized the
relevance of
mathematics to their
own work as well as
those who chose to
completely ignore its
many achievements.
The essays offer

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insight into the role
that mathematics
played in the
formation of each
included
philosopher's
doctrine as well as
the impact its
remarkable
expansion had on the
philosophical
systems each

erected. Conversely, the authors also highlight the ways that philosophy contributed to the growth and transformation of mathematics.

Throughout, significant historical examples help to illustrate these points

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in a vivid way.

Mathematics has often been a favored interlocutor of philosophers and a major source of inspiration. This book is the outcome of an international conference held in honor of Roshdi Rashed, a renowned

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historian of
mathematics. It
provides researchers,
students, and
interested readers
with remarkable
insights into the
history of an
important
relationship
throughout the ages.

Differential

Equations are very important tools in Mathematical Analysis. They are widely found in mathematics itself and in its applications to statistics, computing, electrical circuit analysis, dynamical systems, economics,

biology, and so on. Recently there has been an increasing interest in and widely-extended use of differential equations and systems of fractional order (that is, of arbitrary order) as better models of phenomena in

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various physics,
engineering,
automatization,
biology and
biomedicine,
chemistry, earth
science, economics,
nature, and so on.
Now, new unified
presentation and
extensive
development of

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special functions
associated with
fractional calculus
are necessary tools,
being related to the
theory of
differentiation and
integration of
arbitrary order (i.e.,
fractional calculus)
and to the fractional
order (or multi-

order) differential
and integral
equations. This book
provides learners
with the opportunity
to develop an
understanding of
advancements of
special functions and
the skills needed to
apply advanced
mathematical

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techniques to solve
complex differential
equations and Partial
Differential

Equations (PDEs).

Subject matters
should be strongly
related to special
functions involving
mathematical
analysis and its
numerous

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applications. The main objective of this book is to highlight the importance of fundamental results and techniques of the theory of complex analysis for differential equations and PDEs and emphasizes

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articles devoted to the mathematical treatment of questions arising in physics, chemistry, biology, and engineering, particularly those that stress analytical aspects and novel problems and their solutions. Specific

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topics include but

are not limited to

Partial differential

equations Least

squares on first-

order system

Sequence and series

in functional

analysis Special

functions related to

fractional (non-

integer) order

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control systems and

equations Various

special functions

related to

generalized

fractional calculus

Operational method

in fractional calculus

Functional analysis

and operator theory

Mathematical

physics Applications

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of numerical

analysis and applied

mathematics

Computational

mathematics

Mathematical

modeling This book

provides the recent

developments in

special functions and

differential

equations and

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publishes high-quality, peer-reviewed book chapters in the area of nonlinear analysis, ordinary differential equations, partial differential equations, and related applications. This book provides

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an introduction to
combinatorics, finite
calculus, formal
series, recurrences,
and approximations
of sums. Readers
will find not only
coverage of the basic
elements of the
subjects but also
deep insights into a
range of less

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common topics

rarely considered

within a single book,

such as counting

with occupancy

constraints, a clear

distinction between

algebraic and

analytical properties

of formal power

series, an

introduction to

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discrete dynamical systems with a thorough description of Sarkovskii's theorem, symbolic calculus, and a complete description of the Euler-Maclaurin formulas and their applications.

Although several

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books touch on one or more of these aspects, precious few cover all of them. The authors, both pure mathematicians, have attempted to develop methods that will allow the student to formulate a given problem in a

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precise mathematical framework. The aim is to equip readers with a sound strategy for classifying and solving problems by pursuing a mathematically rigorous yet user-friendly approach. This is particularly

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useful in

combinatorics, a field where, all too often, exercises are solved by means of ad hoc tricks. The book contains more than 400 examples and about 300 problems, and the reader will be able to find the proof of

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every result. To further assist students and teachers, important matters and comments are highlighted, and parts that can be omitted, at least during a first and perhaps second reading, are

identified.

Proceeding of the
International
Conference in
honour of Giuseppe
Peano on the 150th
anniversary of his
birth and the
centennial of the
Formulario
Mathematico Torino
(Italy) October 2-3,

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2008

Indiana University
Libraries,
Bloomington Serials
Holdings, 1985
National
Subcommissions of
ICMI and their Role
in the Reform of
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Education
The Mathematical

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Gazette

Bollettino della

Unione matematica

italiana

From the French

Revolution to the

New Millennium

La Matematica

elementare del

feedback

This book

focuses on

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***some of the
major
developments
in the history
of
contemporary
(19th and 20th
century)
mathematics
as seen in the
broader
context of the***

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***development
of science and
culture.***

***Avoiding
technicalities,
it displays the
breadth of
contrasting
images of
mathematics
favoured by
different***

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***countries,
schools and
historical
movements,
showing how
the conception
and practice of
mathematics
changed over
time
depending on
the cultural***

and national context. Thus it provides an original perspective for embracing the richness and variety inherent in the development of mathematics.

***Attention is
paid to the
interaction of
mathematics
with themes
whose proper
treatment
have been
neglected by
the traditional
historiography
of the***

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***discipline,
such as the
relationship
between
mathematics,
statistics and
medicine.***

***Mathematician
s in Bologna 1
861-1960Springer
Science &
Business***

***This book
seeks to
explore the
history of
descriptive
geometry in
relation to its
circulation in
the 19th
century, which
had been***

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***favoured by
the transfers
of the model of
the École
Polytechnique
to other
countries. The
book also
covers the
diffusion of its
teaching from
higher***

***instruction to
technical and
secondary
teaching. In
relation to
that, there is
analysis of the
role of the
institution -
similar but
definitely not
identical in***

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the different countries - in the field under consideration.

The book contains chapters focused on different countries, areas, and institutions,

**written by
specialists of
the history of
the field.
Insights on
descriptive
geometry are
provided in
the context of
the
mathematical
aspect, the**

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***aspect of
teaching in
particular to n
on-mathematic
ians, and the
institutions
themselves.
In the 1930s, a
Pareto vogue
emerged in
the English-
speaking***

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***world. In Italy,
however, the
Paretian
episode was
already well
established,
with many
Italian
economists
investigating
the
relationship***

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***between
economics and
sociology
based on
Pareto's
contributions.
This is a study
of the Paretian
school and its
'fiscal
sociology'.
Special***

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***Functions and
Analysis of
Differential
Equations
Abstraction
and Infinity
Mathematician
s in Bologna
1861-1960
Rivista di
matematica
della***

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**Università di
Parma**

**Locos por los
números**

iEl

***matemático se
divierte!***

***The basic
concepts of a
method for a
general
integral of***

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***the Field
Equations of
the Theory of
General
Relativity are
outlined. This
is a revised
and updated
version.
This book
contains the
papers***

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***developing out
the***

presentations

given at the

International

Conference

organized by

the Torino

Academy of

Sciences and

the Department

of Mathematics

***Giuseppe Peano
of the Torino
University to
celebrate the
150th
anniversary of
G. Peano's
birth - one of
the greatest
figures in
modern
mathematics***

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***and logic and
the most
important
mathematical
logician in
Italy - a
century after
the
publication of
Formulario
Mathematico, a
great attempt***

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*to systematise
Mathematics in
symbolic form.*

*Edouard Lucas
fue un*

excelente

matemático,

bien conocido

por sus

estudios en el

campo de la

teoría de

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***números, por
haber***

***descubierto el
mayor número
primo antes de
la invención
de los***

***ordenadores y
por haber***

***concebido la
Torre de***

Hanói, uno de

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Los juegos que aún hoy figura entre los más populares, y que los estudiantes de informática utilizan como ejercicio de programación. Peiretti te explica aquí

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**los trucos
para
entenderlo y
recupera otros
juegos
sencillos e
intrigantes
como el
dodecaedro de
Hamilton, el
testamento del
pachá y el**

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**vuelo de las
grullas. Locos
por los
números es una
verdadera mina
de oro, pues
el autor te
introduce la
biografía y
los problemas
matemáticos de
los máximos**

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**expertos en
materia del
siglo xx:**

Walter Rouse

Ball, Henry

Ernest

Dudeney, Piet

Hein, Martin

Gardner,

Richard

Phillips

Feynman, Roger

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**Penrose,
Solomon Wolf
Golomb y John
Horton Conway.
Una
extraordinaria
antología de
juegos de
sorprendentes
propiedades
matemáticas
que, junto con**

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***las historias
de sus
inventores, te
enganchará
durante mucho
tiempo.***

***Deep
comprehension
of applied
sciences
requires a
solid***

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***knowledge of
Mathematical
Analysis. For
most of high
level
scientific
research, the
good
understanding
of Functional
Analysis and
weak solutions***

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**to
differential
equations is
essential.
This book aims
to deal with
the main
topics that
are necessary
to achieve
such a
knowledge.**

Still, this is the goal of many other texts in advanced analysis; and then, what would be a good reason to read or to consult this book? In order

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to answer this question, let us introduce the three Authors.

Alberto Ferrero got his degree in Mathematics in 2000 and presently he is researcher

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in

***Mathematical
Analysis at
the Università
del Piemonte
Orientale.***

***Filippo
Gazzola got
his degree in
Mathematics in
1987 and he is
now full***

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***professor in
Mathematical
Analysis at
the
Politecnico di
Milano.***

***Maurizio
Zanotti got
his degree in
Mechanical
Engineering in
2004 and***

***presently he
is structural
and machine
designer and
lecturer
professor in
Mathematical
Analysis at
the
Politecnico di
Milano. The
three Authors,***

***for the
variety of
their skills,
decided to
join their
expertises to
write this
book. One of
the reasons
that should
encourage its
reading is***

***that the
presentation
turns out to
be a
reasonable
compromise
among the
essential
mathematical
rigor, the
importance of
the***

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***applications
and the
clearness,
which is
necessary to
make the
reference work
pleasant to
the readers,
even to the
inexperienced
ones. The***

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***range of
treated topics
is quite wide
and covers the
main basic
notions of the
scientific
research which
is based upon
mathematical
models. We
start from***

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***vector spaces
and Lebesgue
integral to
reach the
frontier of
theoretical
research such
as the study
of critical
exponents for
semilinear
elliptic***

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***equations and
recent
problems in
fluid
dynamics. This
long route
passes through
the theory of
Banach and
Hilbert
spaces,
Sobolev***

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***spaces,
differential
equations,
Fourier and
Laplace
transforms,
before which
we recall some
appropriate
tools of
Complex
Analysis. We***

***give all the
proofs that
have some
didactic or
applicative
interest,
while we omit
the ones which
are too
technical or
require too
high level***

knowledge.

***This book has
the ambitious
purpose to be
useful to a
broad variety
of readers.***

***The first
possible
beneficiaries
are of course
the second or***

***third year
students of a
scientific
course of
degree: in
what follows
they will find
the topics
that are
necessary to
approach more
advanced***

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***studies in
Mathematics
and in other
fields,
especially
Physics and
Engineering.
This text
could be also
useful to
graduate
students who***

**want to start
a Ph.D.
course: indeed
it contains
the matter of
a multidiscipl
inary Ph.D.
course given
by Filippo
Gazzola for
several years
at Politecnico**

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di Milano.

***Finally, this
book could be
addressed also
to the ones
who have
already left
education far-
back but
occasionally
need to use
mathematical***

***tools: we
refer both to
university
professors and
their
research, and
to
professionals
and designers
who want to
model a
certain***

***phenomenon,
but also to
the nostalgics
of the good
old days when
they were
students. It
is precisely
for this last
type of reader
that we have
also reported***

**some
elementary
topics, such
as the
properties of
numerical sets
and of the
integrals;
moreover,
every chapter
is provided
with examples**

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***and specific
exercises
aimed at the
involvement of
the reader.***

***Elements of
Advanced
Mathematical
Analysis for
Physics and
Engineering
Mathematical***

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Reviews

***The Legacy of
Gaspard Monge***

A Brief

***Account of the
History of***

***Mechanics of
Solids and***

Structures

The Paretian

School and

Italian Fiscal

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Sociology

3. ciclo,

Bressanone

(Bolzano) 30

giugno-9

luglio, 1963

Strength of

Materials and

Theory of

Elasticity in

19th Century

Italy

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Bertrand Russell
escribió: «Me
obligaron a
memorizar el
cuadrado de la
suma de dos
números reales es
igual a la suma de
sus cuadrados más
el doble de su
producto [...] y
cuando no podía
recordar estas

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palabras mi
instructor me tiraba
el libro a la cabeza,
lo que
evidentemente no
estimulaba mis
habilidades
intelectuales en lo
más mínimo». La
matemática no se
constituye
solamente de
cálculos y reglas

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incomprensibles,
puede llegar a ser
una actividad
recreativa y
emocionante. El
mismo John Horton
Conway, inventor
de los números
surreales y de El
juego de la vida
(1970), confesó que
había elaborado la
mayoría de sus

teorías mientras jugaba solo o con amigos. Tanto es así, que Peiretti ha confeccionado una propuesta lúdica a partir de juegos y enigmas que han marcado la historia de las matemáticas. Podrás entretenerte con el Papiro de Rhind y los

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problemas clásicos
del Antiguo Egipto,
volver al teorema
de Pitágoras, la caja
de Arquímedes, el
puzle de los pesos
de Bachet de
Méziriac, los
puentes de
Königsberg de
Euler, la cinta
mágica de Möbius
o el Juego del 15

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ideado por Sam
Loyd. ¡A pasarlo
bien!

In che modo un
abile giocoliere
riesce a mantenere
con estrema
destrezza un ' asta
di legno in
posizione verticale
sul palmo della
mano? Il
sorprendente

trucco si cela nella
teoria dei sistemi e
dei controlli
automatici e
nell ' immenso
fascino delle
equazioni
differenziali e del
feedback. Non e
necessario essere
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degni dei piu
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The legendary
Renaissance math
duel that ushered in
the modern age of
algebra The Secret
Formula tells the
story of two
Renaissance
mathematicians
whose jealousies,
intrigues, and

contentious debates led to the discovery of a formula for the solution of the cubic equation. Niccolò Tartaglia was a talented and ambitious teacher who possessed a secret formula—the key to unlocking a seemingly

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unsolvable, two-thousand-year-old mathematical problem. He wrote it down in the form of a poem to prevent other mathematicians from stealing it. Gerolamo Cardano was a physician, gifted scholar, and notorious gambler

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who would not
hesitate to use
flattery and even
trickery to learn
Tartaglia's secret.
Set against the
backdrop of
sixteenth-century
Italy, *The Secret
Formula* provides
new and
compelling insights
into the

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peculiarities of
Renaissance
mathematics while
bringing a
turbulent and
culturally vibrant
age to life. It was an
era when
mathematicians
challenged each
other in intellectual
duels held outdoors
before enthusiastic

crowds. Success not only enhanced the winner's reputation, but could result in prize money and professional acclaim. After hearing of Tartaglia's spectacular victory in one such contest in Venice, Cardano invited him to

Milan, determined to obtain his secret by whatever means necessary.

Cardano's intrigues paid off. In 1545, he was the first to publish a general solution of the cubic equation.

Tartaglia, eager to take his revenge by establishing his

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superiority as the most brilliant mathematician of the age, challenged Cardano to the ultimate mathematical duel. A lively and compelling account of genius, betrayal, and all-too-human failings, *The Secret Formula* reveals the

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epic rivalry behind
one of the
fundamental ideas
of modern algebra.
This book is the
outgrowth of a
NATO Advanced
Research
Workshop, held in
Milton Keynes
(United Kingdom)
in the summer of
1990. The workshop

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brought together about 30 world leaders in the use of advanced technologies in the teaching of mathematics and science. Many of these participants commented that the workshop was one of the more productive and

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exciting workshops that they had attended. It was not uncommon to see participants engaged in informal discussion far into the evenings and early mornings, long after formal sessions had ended. It is my hope that

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this book captures the substance and excitement of many of the ideas that were presented at the workshop.

Indeed, the process by which this book has come about has given every opportunity for the best thinking to get reflected here.

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Participants wrote papers prior to the workshop. After the workshop, participants revised the papers at least once. In a few instances, three versions of papers were written. Some participants could not resist the urge to incorporate

descriptions of some of the newer developments in their projects. The papers in this book demonstrate how technology is impacting our view of what should be taught, what can be taught, and how we should go about teaching in the

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various disciplines.
As such, they offer
great insight into
the central issues of
teaching and
learning in a wide
range of disciplines
and across many
grade levels
(ranging from
elementary school
through
undergraduate

college education).
Calculus Problems
Giuseppe Peano
between
Mathematics and
Logic
Graßmann
Bicentennial
Conference,
September 2009
Descriptive
Geometry, The
Spread of a

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Polytechnic Art

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han hecho historia

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Roshdi Rashed

Digital Games and
Mathematics

Learning

Digital games
offer enormous
potential for
learning and
engagement in

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mathematics

ideas and

processes. This

volume offers

multidisciplinary

perspectives—of

educators,

cognitive

scientists,

psychologists and

sociologists—on

how digital

games influence

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the social
activities and
mathematical
ideas of
learners/gamers.
Contributing
authors identify
opportunities for
broadening
current
understandings
of how
mathematical

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ideas are fostered
(and embedded)
within digital
game
environments. In
particular, the
volume advocates
for new and
different ways of
thinking about
mathematics in
our digital
age—proposing

that these mathematical ideas and numeracy practices are distinct from new literacies or multiliteracies.

The authors acknowledge that the promise of digital games has not always been

realised/fulfilled.

There is
emerging, and
considerable,
evidence to
suggest that
traditional
discipline
boundaries
restrict
opportunities for
mathematical
learning.

Throughout the book, what constitutes mathematics learnings and pedagogy is contested.

Multidisciplinary viewpoints are used to describe and understand the potential of digital games for

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learning

mathematics and
identify current
tensions within
the field.

Mathematics
learning is
defined as being
about problem
solving;
engagement in
mathematical
ideas and

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processes; and
social

engagement. The
artefact, which is
the game, shapes
the ways in which
the gamers
engage with the
social activity of
gaming. In
parallel, the book
(as a textual
artefact) will be

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Springer's online
platform—allowin
g for video and
digital
communication
(including links
to relevant
websites) to be
used as
supplementary
material and
establish a

dynamic
communication
space.

Over the last
twenty years,
Professor Franco
Giannessi, a
highly respected
researcher, has
been working on
an approach to
optimization
theory based on

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image space
analysis. His
theory has been
elaborated by
many other
researchers in a
wealth of papers.
Constrained
Optimization and
Image Space
Analysis unites
his results and
presents

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optimization
theory and
variational
inequalities in
their light. It
presents a new
approach to the
theory of
constrained
extremum
problems,
including
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Programming,
Calculus of
Variations and
Optimal Control
Problems. Such
an approach
unifies the
several branches:
Optimality
Conditions,
Duality,
Penalizations,
Vector Problems,

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Variational
Inequalities and
Complementarity
Problems. The
applications
benefit from a
unified theory.
In che modo un
abile giocoliere
riesce a
mantenere con
estrema
destrezza un'asta

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di legno in
posizione
verticale sul
palmo della
mano? Il
sorprendente
trucco si cela
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passione di chi lo
ha scritto e colga
in esso un
qualche
particolare che lo
proietti verso
orizzonti più
complessi.

This book offers a
pluralistic vision

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of the way
economists have
dealt with the
question of power
in society over
the last two
centuries.

Economists' ideas
about power are
examined from
political,
theoretical and
policy-making

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points of view,
with additional
discussion of the
active
participation of
economists in the
management of
power. The book
is organized into
four main
conceptions of
power relations:
i) Power as

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embedded in
political
institutions; ii)
Power as
emerging from
the asymmetric
relations caused
by the unequal
distribution of
income and
wealth; iii) Power
as associated to
the monopolistic

or oligopolistic position held by some firms in the market; and iv) Power as the management of economic policies by the state. Mosca brings together contributions from a range of scholars to

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analyse how
economists have
considered the
role of power,
putting the
discussion into a
much needed
historical context.

Introduzione
ragionata a idee
concetti e metodi
della teoria del
controllo dei

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sistemi dinamici

lineari

Potential,

Promises and

Pitfalls

Ulrich's

Periodicals

Directory

Monopoly Power

and Competition

The Paretian

Tradition During

the Interwar

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Period

20th Century

Physics

The Italian

Origins of

Econophysics

This book

examines the

theoretical

foundations

underpinning

the field of

strength of mat

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*erials/theory
of elasticity,
beginning from
the origins of
the modern
theory of
elasticity.*

*While the focus
is on the
advances made
within Italy
during the
nineteenth*

century, these achievements are framed within the overall European context. The vital contributions of Italian mathematicians, mathematical physicists and

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*engineers in
respect of the
theory of
elasticity,
continuum
mechanics,
structural
mechanics, the
principle of
least work and
graphical
methods in
engineering are*

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*carefully
explained and
discussed. The
book represents
a work of
historical
research that
primarily
comprises
original
contributions
and summaries
of work*

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*published in
journals. It is
directed at
those graduates
in engineering,
but also in
architecture,
who wish to
achieve a more
global and
critical view
of the
discipline and*

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*will also be
invaluable for
all scholars of
the history of
mechanics.*

*In this
important
volume, major
events and
personalities
of 20th century
physics are
portrayed*

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*through
recollections
and historiogra
phical works of
one of the most
prominent
figures of
European
science. A
former student
of Enrico
Fermi, and a
leading*

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*personality of
physical
research and
science policy
in postwar
Italy, Edoardo
Amaldi devoted
part of his
career to
documenting,
both as witness
and as
historian, some*

*significant
moments of 20th
century
science. The
focus of the
book is on the
European scene,
ranging from
nuclear
research in
Rome in the
1930s to
particle*

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physics at

CERN, and

includes

biographies of

physicists such

as Ettore

Majorana, Bruno

Touschek and

Fritz Houterman

s. Edoardo

Amaldi

(Carpaneto,

1908 - Roma,

1989) was one of the leading figures in twentieth century Italian science. He was conferred his degree in physics at Rome University in 1929 and played an active role (as a member of

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*the team of
young
physicists
known as ?the
boys of via
Panisperna?) in
the fundamental
research on
artificial
induced
radioactivity
and the
properties of*

neutrons, which won the group's leader Enrico Fermi the Nobel Prize for physics in 1938. Following Fermi's departure for the United States in 1938 and the disruption of

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*the original
group, Amaldi
took upon
himself the
task of
reorganising
the research in
physics in the
difficult
situation of
post-war Italy.
His own
research went*

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from nuclear physics to cosmic ray physics, elementary particles and, in later years, gravitational waves. Active research was for him always coupled to a direct

*involvement as
a statesman of
science and an
organiser: he
was the leading
figure in the
establishment
of INFN*

*(National
Institute for
Nuclear
Physics) and
has played a*

*major role, as
spokesman of
the Italian
scientific
community, in
the creation of
CERN, the large
European
laboratory for
high energy
physics. He
also actively
supported the*

formation of a similar trans-national joint venture in space science, which gave birth to the European Space Agency. In these and several other scientific organisations,

he was often entrusted with directive responsibilities. In his later years, he developed a keen interest in the history of his discipline. This gave rise to a rich

*production of
historiographic
material, of
which a
significant
sample is
collected in
this volume.
The scientific
personalities
of Luigi
Cremona,
Eugenio*

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Beltrami,

Salvatore

Pincherle,

Federigo

Enriques, Beppo

Levi, Giuseppe

Vitali,

Beniamino Segre

and of several

other

mathematicians

who worked in

Bologna in the

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century

1861-1960 are

examined by

different

authors, in

some cases

providing

different view

points. Most

contributions

in the volume

are historical;

they are

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*reproductions
of original
documents or
studies on an
original work
and its impact
on later
research. The
achievements of
other
mathematicians
are
investigated*

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*for their
present-day
importance.
This book,
intended as a
practical
working guide
for calculus
students,
includes 450
exercises. It
is designed for
undergraduate*

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*students in
Engineering,
Mathematics,
Physics, or any
other field
where rigorous
calculus is
needed, and
will greatly
benefit anyone
seeking a
problem-solving
approach to*

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calculus. Each chapter starts with a summary of the main definitions and results, which is followed by a selection of solved exercises accompanied by brief, illustrative

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*comments. A
selection of
problems with
indicated
solutions
rounds out each
chapter. A
final chapter
explores
problems that
are not
designed with a
single issue in*

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*mind but
instead call
for the
combination of
a variety of
techniques,
rounding out
the book's
coverage.
Though the
book's primary
focus is on
functions of*

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*one real
variable, basic
ordinary
differential
equations
(separation of
variables,
linear first
order and
constant
coefficients
ODEs) are also
discussed. The*

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*material is
taken from
actual written
tests that have
been delivered
at the
Engineering
School of the
University of
Genoa.*

*Literally
thousands of
students have*

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worked on these

problems,

ensuring their

real-world

applicability.

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a Selection of

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Mathematical

Duel Inflamed

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Renaissance

Italy and

Uncovered the

Cubic Equation

From Classical

to Modern

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in Mathematics

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Counting

From Past to

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Future:

*Graßmann's Work
in Context*

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trimestrale

pubblicata da

Università

degli studi di

Roma (Istituto

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Guido

Castelnuovo,

Istituto di

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matematica

applicata) e

Istituto

nazionale di

alta matematica

On the occasion

of the 200th

anniversary of

the birth of

Hermann

Graßmann

(1809–1877), an

interdisciplina

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ry conference
was held in
Potsdam,
Germany, and in
Graßmann's
hometown
Szczecin,
Poland. The
idea of the
conference was
to present a
multi-faceted
picture of

Graßmann, and
to uncover the
complexity of
the factors
that were
responsible for
his creativity.
The conference
demonstrated
not only the
very
influential
reception of

his work at the
turn of the
20th century,
but also the
unexpected
modernity of
his ideas, and
their
continuing
development in
the 21st
century. This
book contains

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37 papers
presented at
the conference.
They
investigate the
significance of
Graßmann's work
for
philosophical
as well as for
scientific and
methodological
questions, for

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comparative
philology in
general and for
Indology in
particular, for
psychology,
physiology,
religious
studies,
musicology,
didactics, and,
last but not
least,

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mathematics. In addition, the book contains numerous illustrations and English translations of original sources, which are published here for the first time. These include

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life histories
of Graßmann
(written by his
son Justus) and
of his brother
Robert (written
by Robert
himself), as
well as the
paper "On the
concept and
extent of pure
theory of

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number'' by

Justus Graßmann

(the father).

The years in-
between the two
World Wars were
a crucial
period for the
building of
economic
dynamics as an
autonomous
field.

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Different
competing
research
programs arose
at
international
level. Great
progress was
achieved by
studies on the
business cycle,
with the first
statistical

applications.
Outside the
theory of the
business cycle,
a significant
line of inquiry
was that
pursued at the
end of the
1930s by Hicks
and Samuelson.
This period
also saw the

formulation of
another
approach to
formal economic
dynamics which
in the 1930s
represented the
frontier of
research from
the analytical
point of view.
It was an
approach which

set the notion
of equilibrium
at the basis of
dynamics,
exactly as in
the case of
statics, thus
leading to the
definition of a
dynamic
equilibrium
approach. The
aim of this

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volume is to
take into
consideration
this original
research field
sparked from
Pareto's works
and initially
developed
during the
1920s in the
United States
by two American

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mathematicians,
G. Evans and C.
Ross. In the
1930s, the
concept of
dynamic
equilibrium
became the main
research field
of the Pareto
school which
gave its most
important

contributions
in this field.
The Paretian
economists as
Amoroso, de
Pietri Tonelli,
Sensini, and
the younger,
such as Bordin,
Palomba, La
Volpe, Fossati
and Zaccagnini,
for the most

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part students
of the former,
developed this
approach in
many
directions. The
theory of
dynamic
equilibrium
reached
remarkable
results from an
analytical

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viewpoint

through the

wide

application of

the functional

calculus, thus

anticipating a

perspective

which was taken

into

consideration

in the 1960s

with the theory

of optimal growth. Despite the Pareto school's relevance, it remained widely unknown, not only at international level, but also in Italy. Recently, it has been object

of renewed
interest. This
present work
aims at
reconstructing
the fundamental
contributions
offered by the
Pareto school
in forming the
economic
dynamics
theory.

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ICMI (or IMUK)
was founded in
1908 and
initiated the
establishment
of national
subcommissions
to launch
national
activities in
response to the
IMUK agenda and
to promote the

reform

proposals

within each

member

country. While

ICMI's

activities were

thoroughly

studied, the

activities of

the national

subcommissions

are studied

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only very marginally. In the meantime, their work has been of major importance - both because of their role in exploring and documenting the development of mathematics education at

the beginning
of the 20th
century, and
because of the
changes and new
ideas which
they brought to
their
countries.
Importantly,
even if some
results of
their

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activities were analyzed within their countries in the corresponding languages, almost nothing is known internationally. This book is planned to deepen our knowledge on at least some of

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