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Titolo	Introduction to psychometric theory / / Tenko Raykov, George Marcoulides
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ISBN	1-136-90003-9 1-283-03716-5 9786613037169 0-203-84162-X
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (348 p.)
Altri autori (Persone)	MarcoulidesGeorge A
Disciplina	150.1/5195
Soggetti	Psychometrics Electronic books.
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Description based upon print version of record.
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and indexes.
Nota di contenuto	Book Cover; Title; Copyright; Contents; Preface; 1 Measurement, Measuring Instruments, and Psychometric Theory; 2 Basic Statistical Concepts and Relationships; 3 An Introduction to Factor Analysis; 4 Introduction to Latent Variable Modeling and Confirmatory Factor Analysis; 5 Classical Test Theory; 6 Reliability; 7 Procedures for Estimating Reliability; 8 Validity; 9 Generalizability Theory; 10 Introduction to Item Response Theory; 11 Fundamentals and Models of Item Response Theory; Appendix: A Brief Introduction to Some Graphical Applications of R in Item Response Modeling; Epilogue ReferencesName Index; Subject Index
Sommario/riassunto	This new text provides a state-of the-art introduction to educational and psychological testing and measurement theory that reflects many intellectual developments of the past two decades. The book introduces psychometric theory using a latent variable modeling (LVM) framework and emphasizes interval estimation throughout, so as to better prepare readers for studying more advanced topics later in their careers. Featuring numerous examples, it presents an applied approach to conducting testing and measurement in the behavioral, social, and educational sciences. Readers will find numerous tip

2. Record Nr.	UNINA9910790212303321
Autore	Aldrich Sam <1928->
Titolo	Dancing with the queen, marching with King [[electronic resource]] : the memoirs of Alexander "Sam" Aldrich // Sam Aldrich
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Albany, N.Y., : Excelsior Editions/State University of New York Press, c2011
ISBN	1-4384-3989-X
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (275 p.)
Collana	Excelsior Editions
Disciplina	974.7/043092 B
Soggetti	Lawyers - New York (State) New York (State) Politics and government 1951-
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Includes index.
Nota di contenuto	""Dancing with the Queen, Marching with King""; ""Dancing with the Queen, Marching with King""; ""Contents""; ""Foreword""; ""Acknowledgments""; ""1: Dancing with the Queen""; ""2: Who is SAM?""; ""3: I Have a Dream""; ""4: Marching with King""; ""5: Honored with Deep Roots""; ""6: Education""; ""7: Marriage and Milbank""; ""8: On the Beat""; ""9: Angela's Pal""; ""10: Was I Officer Krupke?""; ""11: From Minnow in the City to Big Fish in Albany""; ""12: Campaign Loss and Harlem Triumph""; ""13: Rioting 101: A Man and His Plan""; ""14: The Hudson River Valley Commission and Storm King"" ""15: Board Memberships""""16: Nineteen Years with Nelson""; ""17: Sing Sing""; ""18: Erastus and Me""; ""19: Aboard Strider""; ""20: A Full-time Teaching Career""; ""21: Phyllis""; ""22: A Farmer's Life for Me?""; ""23: Fatherly Farewell""; ""24: Parks Commissioner""; ""25: The King Funeral""; ""26: The Road to Meadowbrook""; ""Index""

3. Record Nr.	UNINA9910139646003321
Autore	Wolf Mark J.P
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ISBN	9786613159847 9780472900329 0472900323 9780472071494 0472071491 9781283159845 1283159848 9780472027491 0472027492
Edizione	[1st ed.]
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (134 pages) : digital file(s)
Collana	Landmark video games
Classificazione	GAM000000GAM013000SOC052000
Disciplina	793.93/2
Soggetti	Computer adventure games
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Bibliographic Level Mode of Issuance: Monograph
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references (p. 113-117) and index.
Nota di contenuto	Intro -- Contents -- Introduction -- The Myst Phenomenon -- Myst and the Adventure Game Genre -- Early Works of the Miller Brothers -- The World of Myst -- Myst Island -- The Stoneship Age -- The Channelwood Age -- The Mechanical Age -- The Selenitic Age -- Dunny (D'ni) -- The Rime Age -- Beyond the Game: The Other Myst Products -- From Myst to Riven: Subcreation and Expansion -- The World of Riven -- Temple Island (Dome Island) -- Jungle Island (Village Island) -- Tay (The Rebel Age) -- Book Assembly Island (Crater Island) -- Survey Island (Map or Garden Island) -- The 233rd Age (Gehn's Office and Bedroom) -- Prison Island -- Riven's Fortunes and the Rest of the Myst Series -- Myst's and Riven's Influence on the Adventure Game Genre -- Notes -- Glossary -- Index.
Sommario/riassunto	Video games have become a major cultural force, and within their history, Myst and its sequel Riven stand out as influential examples. Myst and Riven: The World of the D'ni is a close analysis of two of the

most popular and significant video games in the history of the genre, investigating in detail their design, their functionality, and the gameplay experience they provide players. While scholarly close analysis has been applied to films for some time now, it has only rarely been applied at this level to video games. Mark J. P. Wolf uses elements such as graphics and sound, the games' mood and atmosphere and how they are generated, the geography and design of the digital worlds, and the narrative structures of the games to examine their appeal to both critical and general audiences, their legacy, and what made them great. *Myst and Riven* is the inaugural book in the Landmark Video Games series, edited by Mark J. P. Wolf and Bernard Perron, which is the first series to examine individual video games of historical significance.
