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Titolo	Soviet Economic Structure and Performance : Third Edition / Paul R. Gregory, Robert C. Stuart.
Pubbl/distr/stampa	New York : Harper & Row, 1986
ISBN	0-06-042507-5
Descrizione fisica	XIII, 447 p. ; 23 cm
Disciplina	E/5 F/1.7
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Collocazione	S F/17 GRE
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
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Livello bibliografico	Monografia
2. Record Nr.	UNINA9910155555403321
Autore	Chartier Daniel <1968->
Titolo	The End of Iceland's Innocence : The Image of Iceland in the Foreign Media during the Financial Crisis / / Daniel Chartier
Pubbl/distr/stampa	[Ottawa] : , : University of Ottawa Press, , [2011] Baltimore, Md. : , : Project MUSE, , 2012 ©[2011]
ISBN	1-280-69079-8 9786613667731 0-7766-1944-6
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (240 p.)
Disciplina	330.9/4912
Soggetti	Electronic books. Iceland In mass media Iceland Foreign public opinion Iceland Economic conditions 21st century Iceland Economic policy
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Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Co-published by: Presses de l'Universite du Quebec. Translation of: La spectaculaire deroute de l'Islande.
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references (p. 227-239).
Nota di contenuto	Introduction : a media crisis. Excessiveness ; The research ; The role of the media : dramatisation of the Crisis -- Assets in Jeopardy. An egalitarian, progressive and peaceful country : an independent utopia ; The impact of the crisis abroad : a general dislike of Iceland ; A casualty of the Global Crisis : the first domino to fall ; Communication problems : an atmosphere of mistrust ; Ethics : in great disarray ; Free-thinking artists : Bjork and Olafur Eliasson ; Humour : "ctrl-alt-del : welcome to Iceland 2.0" -- Bankruptcy. Numerous warnings : a foreseeable collapse ; Bankruptcy : Iceland became synonymous with Crisis ; Social and economic incest : a closely-knit economy ; David Oddsson and the Central Bank of Iceland : political intervention in economics ; Arrogance : excessive confidence ; Iceland's very loyal friend : Richard Portes ; The new Vikings : yesterday's heroes, today's villains ; Gender issues : women : the antidote to the Crisis -- The rest of the world. Scandinavia : our Nordic friends ; Russia : our new friend ; The conflict with the United Kingdom : one of us, not one of them ; Europe : seeking protective shelter ; A very small country : big is not always beautiful -- Conclusion : the humiliated country. Violence : Icelanders' anger ; Returning to traditions : fishing, morality and anti-consumerism ; Irresponsibility : who should pay the price? ; Humiliation : the wounded tiger.
Sommario/riassunto	A portrait of Iceland through the eyes of the international media before and after their total economic collapse.

3. Record Nr.	UNINA9910299973303321
Autore	Brown Jonathon D
Titolo	Linear Models in Matrix Form : A Hands-On Approach for the Behavioral Sciences / / by Jonathon D. Brown
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Cham : , : Springer International Publishing : , : Imprint : Springer, , 2014
ISBN	3-319-11734-3
Edizione	[1st ed. 2014.]
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (XIX, 536 p. 77 illus., 28 illus. in color.)
Disciplina	150.1519535
Soggetti	Social sciences - Statistical methods Psychometrics Statistics Statistics in Social Sciences, Humanities, Law, Education, Behavioral Sciences, Public Policy Statistical Theory and Methods
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 and index.
Nota di contenuto	Matrix Properties and Operations -- Simple Linear Regression -- Maximum Likelihood Estimation -- Multiple Regression -- Matrix Decompositions -- Problematic Observations -- Errors and Residuals -- Linearizing Transformations and Nonparametric Smoothers -- Cross-Product Terms and Interactions -- Polynomial Regression -- Categorical Predictors -- Factorial Designs -- Analysis of Covariance -- Moderation -- Mediation.
Sommario/riassunto	This textbook is an approachable introduction to statistical analysis using matrix algebra. Prior knowledge of matrix algebra is not necessary. Advanced topics are easy to follow through analyses that were performed on an open-source spreadsheet using a few built-in functions. These topics include ordinary linear regression, as well as maximum likelihood estimation, matrix decompositions, nonparametric smoothers and penalized cubic splines. Each data set (1) contains a limited number of observations to encourage readers to do the calculations themselves, and (2) tells a coherent story based on statistical significance and confidence intervals. In this way, students will learn how the numbers were generated and how they can be used

to make cogent arguments about everyday matters. This textbook is designed for use in upper level undergraduate courses or first year graduate courses. The first chapter introduces students to linear equations, then covers matrix algebra, focusing on three essential operations: sum of squares, the determinant, and the inverse. These operations are explained in everyday language, and their calculations are demonstrated using concrete examples. The remaining chapters build on these operations, progressing from simple linear regression to mediational models with bootstrapped standard errors.
