Record Nr. UNINA9910254170903321 Autore Lodwick Weldon A Titolo Flexible and Generalized Uncertainty Optimization: Theory and Methods / / by Weldon A. Lodwick, Phantipa Thipwiwatpotjana Pubbl/distr/stampa Cham:,: Springer International Publishing:,: Imprint: Springer,, 2017 **ISBN** 3-319-51107-6 Edizione [1st ed. 2017.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (X, 190 p. 32 illus., 16 illus. in color.) Collana Studies in Computational Intelligence, , 1860-949X;; 696 Disciplina 519.3 Soggetti Computational intelligence Operations research Management science **Probabilities** Computational Intelligence Operations Research, Management Science Probability Theory and Stochastic Processes Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Nota di contenuto 1 An Introduction to Generalized Uncertainty Optimization -- 2 Generalized Uncertainty Theory: A Language for Information Deficiency -- 3 The Construction of Flexible and Generalized Uncertainty Optimization Input Data -- 4 An Overview of Flexible and Generalized Uncertainty Optimization -- 5 Flexible Optimization -- 6 Generalized Uncertainty Optimization -- References. . This book presents the theory and methods of flexible and generalized Sommario/riassunto uncertainty optimization. Particularly, it describes the theory of generalized uncertainty in the context of optimization modeling. The book starts with an overview of flexible and generalized uncertainty optimization. It covers uncertainties that are both associated with lack of information and that more general than stochastic theory, where well-defined distributions are assumed. Starting from families of distributions that are enclosed by upper and lower functions, the book presents construction methods for obtaining flexible and generalized uncertainty input data that can be used in a flexible and generalized

uncertainty optimization model. It then describes the development of such a model in detail. All in all, the book provides the readers with the necessary background to understand flexible and generalized uncertainty optimization and develop their own optimization model. .