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| 1. Record Nr. | UNINA9910787447403321 |
| Autore | Duke Cordia Sloan <1877-> |
| Titolo | 6,000 miles of fence : life on the XIT Ranch of Texas // Cordia Sloan Duke, Joe B. Frantz |
| Pubbl/distr/stampa | Austin : , : University of Texas Press, , [1961] ©1961 |
| ISBN | 0-292-74784-5 |
| Descrizione fisica | 1 online resource (xxii, 231 pages) : illustrations, portraits, maps |
| Collana | M.K. Brown range life series ; ; number 1 |
| Disciplina | 636.081 |
| Soggetti | Ranch life - Texas |
| Lingua di pubblicazione | Inglese |
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| Livello bibliografico | Monografia |
| Note generali | Includes index. |
| Nota di contenuto | ""Cover""; ""Contents""; ""Preface""; ""Cordia Sloan Duke""; ""Those Who Remembered-and Recorded""; ""List of Illustrations""; ""List of Maps""; ""1. THE RANCH""; ""2. WORK""; ""3. AND MORE WORK""; ""4. FIRE FIGHTING""; ""5. HERDING""; ""6. ROUNDUP""; ""7. STAMPEDES""; ""8. RUSTLING""; ""9. HORSES""; ""10. MONTANA""; ""11. WEATHER""; ""12. SOUR DOUGH AND SUPPLIES""; ""13. THE OTHER SIDE OF THE DRAW""; ""14. FROLICKING""; ""15. AFTERWARDS""; ""Appendix: Horses Remembered by XIT Men""; ""Index"" |
| Sommario/riassunto | The fabulous XIT Ranch has been celebrated in song, story, and serious history. This book of reminiscences of old XIT cowmen puts on record the everyday life of the individuals who made the ranch run. Their forthright, yet picturesque, discussion of ranching hardships and dangers dissipates Hollywood and TV glamorizing. They relate in honest cowboy language what actually happened inside the XIT's 6,000 miles of fence. Cordia Sloan Duke, wife of an XIT division manager, Robert L. Duke, many years ago realized that only those who had experienced ranch life could depict it with deep understanding. As the young wife of a rising young ranch hand, she kept in her apron pocket a notebook and pencil, recording all manner of interesting details as they caught her attention. This diary was the nucleus for the present book. Conceiving of an account of life on the XIT as presented by XIT cowboys, Mrs. Duke set about drawing from reticent, sometimes reluctant, ranch hands the impressions of the XIT (occasionally written |

down by their more literate wives or daughters) which they had retained through the years. Cordia Sloan Duke and Joe B. Frantz have organized the reminiscences around key aspects of ranch life, retaining the language of the cow hands.

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| 2. Record Nr. | UNINA9910299470103321 |
| Titolo | Simulation and modeling methodologies, technologies and applications : International Conference, SIMULTECH 2012 Rome, Italy, July 28-31, 2012 : revised selected papers / / Mohammad S. Obaidat [and three others], editors |
| Pubbl/distr/stampa | Cham, Switzerland : , : Springer, , 2014 |
| ISBN | 3-319-03581-9 |
| Edizione | [1st ed. 2014.] |
| Descrizione fisica | 1 online resource (xiii, 348 pages) : illustrations (some color) |
| Collana | Advances in Intelligent Systems and Computing, , 2194-5357 ; ; 256 |
| Disciplina | 006.3 006.33 |
| Soggetti | Computer simulation Mathematical models |
| Lingua di pubblicazione | Inglese |
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| Livello bibliografico | Monografia |
| Note generali | "ISSN: 2194-5357." |
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| Nota di contenuto | Kinetic Analysis of the Coke Calcination Processes in Rotary Kilns -- Behavior of Elastomeric Seismic Isolators Varying Rubber Material and Pad Thickness: A Numerical Insights -- Numerical Simulation of Coastal Flows in Open Multiply-connected Irregular Domains -- System Dynamics and Agent-based Simulation for Prospective Health Technology Assessments -- Simple and Efficient Algorithms to get a Finer Resolution in a Stochastic Discrete Time Agent-based Simulation -- Numerical Study of Turbulent Boundary-layer Flow Induced by a Sphere above a Flat Plate -- Airflow and Particle Deposition in a Dry Powder Inhaler: An Integrated CFD Approach. |
| Sommario/riassunto | This book includes extended and revised versions of a set of selected papers from the 2012 International Conference on Simulation and Modeling Methodologies, Technologies and Applications (SIMULTECH 2012) which was sponsored by the Institute for Systems and |

Technologies of Information, Control and Communication (INSTICC) and held in Rome, Italy. SIMULTECH 2012 was technically co-sponsored by the Society for Modeling & Simulation International (SCS), GDR I3, Lionphant Simulation, Simulation Team and IFIP and held in cooperation with AIS Special Interest Group of Modeling and Simulation (AIS SIGMAS) and the Movimento Italiano Modellazione e Simulazione (MIMOS).
