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Nota di contenuto	1. Introduction: The Ocean's Many Cloth Pathways -- I. Regions of Production -- 2. Textiles and Silver: The Indian Ocean in a Global Frame -- 3. Cloth and Commerce: Understanding Indian Economic History -- 4. Handkerchiefs, Scarves, Sarees and Cotton Printed Fabrics: Japanese Traders and Producers and the Challenges of Global Markets -- 5. Kanga Made in Japan: The Flow from the Eastern to the Western End of the Indian Ocean World -- 6. A Worn Insecurity: Textiles, Industrialization and Colonial Rule in Eritrea during the Long Twentieth Century -- II. Trade, Exchange and Networks of Distribution -- 7. Distributive Networks, Sub-Regional Tastes, and Ethnicity: The Trade in Chinese Textiles in Southeast Asia from the Tenth to Fourteenth Centuries CE -- 8. Textile Reorientations: The Manufacture and Trade of

Cottons in Java c. 1600-1850 -- 9. "The Dearest Thing on the East African Coast": The Forgotten Nineteenth Century Trade in "Muscat Cloth" -- 10. Converging Trades and New Technologies: The Emergence of Kanga Textiles on the Swahili Coast in the Late Nineteenth Century -- III. Cultures of Consumption -- 11. Warp and Weft: Producing, Trading and Consuming Indian Textiles across the Seas (First-Thirteenth Century CE) -- 12. The Decline of the Malagasy Textile Industry, c. 1800-1895 -- 13. Contemporary Geographies of Zanzibari Fashion: Indian Ocean Trade Journeys in the Run-Up to Ramadhan Festivities -- 14. Coda: The Fabric of the Indian Ocean World - Reflections on the Life Cycle of Cloth.

Sommario/riassunto

This collection examines cloth as a material and consumer object from early periods to the twenty-first century, across multiple oceanic sites—from Zanzibar, Muscat and Kampala to Ajanta, Srivijaya and Osaka. It moves beyond usual focuses on a single fibre (such as cotton) or place (such as India) to provide a fresh, expansive perspective of the ocean as an "interaction-based arena," with an internal dynamism and historical coherence forged by material exchange and human relationships. Contributors map shifting social, cultural and commercial circuits to chart the many histories of cloth across the region. They also trace these histories up to the present with discussions of contemporary trade in Dubai, Zanzibar, and Eritrea. Richly illustrated, this collection brings together new and diverse strands in the long story of textiles in the Indian Ocean, past and present.

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Titolo	Seismic signals from mining operations and the Comprehensive Test Ban Treaty : comments on a draft report by a Department of Energy working group // Committee on Seismic Signals from Mining Activities, Board on Earth Sciences and Resources, Commission on Geosciences, Environment, and Resources, National Research Council
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Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (68 p.)
Collana	The compass series
Disciplina	327.1/747
Soggetti	Blasting Rock bursts Induced seismicity Underground nuclear explosions - Detection Nuclear weapons - Testing - Detection
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Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references.
Nota di contenuto	Seismic Signals from Mining Operations and the Comprehensive Test Ban Treaty -- Copyright -- Preface -- Contents -- Executive Summary -- 1 Introduction -- CTBT GOALS -- CTBT MONITORING METHODS -- MINING ACTIVITIES THAT GENERATE SEISMIC SIGNALS -- AMBIGUITY AND ON-SITE INSPECTIONS -- GOALS OF DOE WORKING GROUP REPORT -- 2 General Comments on the Draft Report of the DOE Working Group -- 3 Restatement of the Problem -- 4 An Alternative Approach -- BACKGROUND -- COOPERATIVE MEASURES -- Passive Cooperation -- Active Cooperation -- HOW COOPERATION COULD

WORK -- ADDITIONAL BENEFITS -- 5 Communications -- TRADE ASSOCIATIONS -- PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES -- GOVERNMENT AGENCIES -- 6 Additional Research -- SYMPATHETIC DETONATIONS -- PROGRAMMABLE DETONATORS -- GROUND FAILURES -- INSTRUMENTATION AND ANALYSIS OF GROUND MOTION WAVEFORM CHARACTERISTICS -- DISCRIMINATION OF SEISMIC SIGNALS -- 7 Conclusions -- Appendix A Specific Comments on the Draft Report of the DOE Working Group -- BLASTING -- Problem Statement -- Representativeness of the Study Site -- Blasting Recommendations -- Reduction of Charge Weights -- Amount of Explosive per Delay -- Smaller Borehole Diameters and Smaller Bench Heights -- Decoupled and Decked Charges -- More Stemming and Less Subgrade Drilling -- Delay Period -- Use of Programmable Detonators -- Close-in Seismic Warning Stations -- GROUND FAILURES -- CALIBRATION OF MINING SIGNALS -- PRESENTATION OF DATA -- Appendix B Executive Summary -- Appendix C Committee on Seismic Signals from Mining Activities.

3. Record Nr.	UNINA9910974934403321
Titolo	Review of the EPA's economic analysis of final water quality standards for nutrients for lakes and flowing waters in Florida // Committee to Review EPA's Economic Analysis of Final Water Quality Standards for Nutrients for Lakes and Flowing Waters in Florida, Water Science and Technology Board, Division on Earth and Life Studies, National Research Council of the National Academies
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Nota di contenuto	<p>""Front Matter""; ""Acknowledgment of Reviewers""; ""Contents""; ""Summary""; ""1 Introduction""; ""2 Assessment and Commentary on EPA's Analysis""; ""3 A Framework for Incremental Cost Analysis of a Rule Change""; ""Acronyms""; ""Appendix A: Narrative, Numeric, and Proposed Florida Nutrient Criteria Processes Illustrated""; ""Appendix B: Biographical Sketches of Committee Members and Staff""</p>
Sommario/riassunto	<p>The Environmental Protection Agency's estimate of the costs associated with implementing numeric nutrient criteria in Florida's waterways was significantly lower than many stakeholders expected. This discrepancy was due, in part, to the fact that the Environmental Protection Agency's analysis considered only the incremental cost of reducing nutrients in waters it considered "newly impaired" as a result of the new criteria-not the total cost of improving water quality in Florida. The incremental approach is appropriate for this type of assessment, but the Environmental Protection Agency's cost analysis would have been more accurate if it better described the differences between the new numeric criteria rule and the narrative rule it would replace, and how the differences affect the costs of implementing nutrient reductions over time, instead of at a fixed time point. Such an analysis would have more accurately described which pollutant sources, for example municipal wastewater treatment plants or agricultural operations, would bear the costs over time under the different rules and would have better illuminated the uncertainties in making such cost estimates.</p>