Record Nr. UNINA9910300155203321 Autore Edelsbrunner Herbert **Titolo** A Short Course in Computational Geometry and Topology / / by Herbert Edelsbrunner Pubbl/distr/stampa Cham:,: Springer International Publishing:,: Imprint: Springer,, 2014 **ISBN** 3-319-05957-2 Edizione [1st ed. 2014.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (105 p.) Collana SpringerBriefs in Mathematical Methods, , 2365-0834 516 Disciplina Soggetti Mathematics - Data processing Manifolds (Mathematics) Biomedical engineering **Biomathematics** Computational Science and Engineering Manifolds and Cell Complexes Biomedical Engineering and Bioengineering Mathematical and Computational Biology 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. Roots of Geometry and Topology -- Voronoi and Delaunay Diagrams --Nota di contenuto Weighted Diagrams -- Three Dimensions -- Alpha Complexes -- Holes -- Area Formulas -- Topological Spaces -- Homology Groups --Complex Construction -- Filtrations -- PL Functions -- Matrix Reduction -- Epilogue. Sommario/riassunto With the aim to bring the subject of Computational Geometry and Topology closer to the scientific audience, this book is written in thirteen ready-to-teach sections organized in four parts: TESSELLATIONS, COMPLEXES, HOMOLOGY, PERSISTENCE. To speak to the non-specialist, detailed formalisms are often avoided in favor of lively 2- and 3-dimensional illustrations. The book is warmly recommended to everybody who loves geometry and the fascinating world of shapes.