Record Nr. UNINA9910349500203321 Autore Zhelnorovich Vladimir A Titolo Theory of Spinors and Its Application in Physics and Mechanics / / by Vladimir A. Zhelnorovich Pubbl/distr/stampa Cham:,: Springer International Publishing:,: Imprint: Springer,, 2019 **ISBN** 3-030-27836-0 Edizione [1st ed. 2019.] 1 online resource (402 pages) Descrizione fisica Disciplina 515.63 Soggetti **Physics** Particles (Nuclear physics) Quantum field theory Cosmology Mathematical physics Geometry, Algebraic Mathematical Methods in Physics Elementary Particles, Quantum Field Theory Mathematical Physics Algebraic Geometry Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Includes bibliographical references. Nota di bibliografia Nota di contenuto Spinors in Finite-Dimensional Euclidean Spaces -- Spinor Fields in a Riemannian Space -- Spinors in the Four-Dimensional Pseudo-Euclidean Space -- Spinors in Three-Dimensional Euclidean Spaces --Tensor Forms of Differential Spinor Equations -- Exact Solutions of the Nonlinear Spinor Equations -- A. Relativistic Models of Spin Fluids in Electromagnetic Field -- B. Proper Bases and Invariant Internal Energy in the Theory of Electromagnetic Field -- C. The Bilinear Identities Connecting the Dirac Matrices -- Bibliography. This book contains a systematic exposition of the theory of spinors in Sommario/riassunto finite-dimensional Euclidean and Riemannian spaces. The applications of spinors in field theory and relativistic mechanics of continuous

> media are considered. The main mathematical part is connected with the study of invariant algebraic and geometric relations between

spinors and tensors. The theory of spinors and the methods of the tensor representation of spinors and spinor equations are thoroughly expounded in four-dimensional and three-dimensional spaces. Very useful and important relations are derived that express the derivatives of the spinor fields in terms of the derivatives of various tensor fields. The problems associated with an invariant description of spinors as objects that do not depend on the choice of a coordinate system are addressed in detail. As an application, the author considers an invariant tensor formulation of certain classes of differential spinor equations containing, in particular, the most important spinor equations of field theory and quantum mechanics. Exact solutions of the Einstein-Dirac equations, nonlinear Heisenberg's spinor equations, and equations for relativistic spin fluids are given. The book presents a large body of factual material and is suited for use as a handbook. It is intended for specialists in theoretical physics, as well as for students and postgraduate students of physical and mathematical specialties.