Record Nr. UNINA9910350278503321 Autore Lin Yu-Leng **Titolo** Substantive Bias and Natural Classes [[electronic resource]]: An Empirical Approach / / by Yu-Leng Lin Singapore:,: Springer Singapore:,: Imprint: Springer,, 2019 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 981-13-3534-6 Edizione [1st ed. 2019.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (130 pages) Collana Frontiers in Chinese Linguistics, , 2522-5308; ; 8 Disciplina 414 Soggetti **Psycholinguistics** Phonology Phonology and Phonetics **Theoretical Linguistics** Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Nota di contenuto Chapter 1 Introduction -- Chapter 2 An introduction to Vowelconsonant nasal harmony -- Chapter 3 Introduction to artificial goals and challenges -- Chapter 4 Experiment 1 -- Chapter 5 Experiment 2: sonority effects -- Chapter 6 Conclusions -- References -- Appendix I -- Appendix II. Sommario/riassunto This book offers a laboratory phonological analysis of the sonority hierarchy and natural classes in nasal harmony using an artificial grammar-learning paradigm. It is aimed at postgraduate students and linguists in general whose research interests lie in phonology, phonetics, and/or psycholinguistics. It is useful for linguists who are struggling to figure out how to effectively design an artificial phonological grammar and those who have not designed experiments on their own but would like to do so as an additional means to testing linguistic theories. This book is also a valuable resource for anyone

building crosslinguistic artificial grammar paradigm resources.