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Titolo	Made men [[electronic resource]] : mafia culture and the power of symbols, rituals, and myth // Antonio Nicaso and Marcel Danesi
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ISBN	0-8108-9632-X 1-4422-2227-1
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (183 p.)
Altri autori (Persone)	DanesiMarcel <1964->
Disciplina	364.106
Soggetti	Mafia Organized crime Electronic books.
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 and index.
Nota di contenuto	Contents; Acknowledgments; Introduction; 1 Origins and Organization; 2 Honor; 3 Rituals and Symbols; 4 Appearance; 5 Names; 6 Myth; 7 Conclusion; Notes; Bibliography; Index; About the Authors
Sommario/riassunto	Despite depictions to the contrary, the mafia is not a cadre of noble and righteous warriors, a class of citizens working in the shadows but upholding traditional values. Instead, the authors argue, it is a brutal, violent, and ignoble organization that ultimately violates the boundaries of acceptable behavior both within the family and without.

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Titolo	Flows of Non-Smooth Vector Fields and Degenerate Elliptic Equations : With Applications to the Vlasov-Poisson and Semigeostrophic Systems // by Maria Colombo
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ISBN	88-7642-607-8
Edizione	[1st ed. 2017.]
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (Approx. 250 p.)
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Disciplina	515.353
Soggetti	Differential equations, Partial Calculus of variations Geophysics Partial Differential Equations Calculus of Variations and Optimal Control; Optimization Geophysics and Environmental Physics
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references.
Nota di contenuto	An overview on flows of vector fields and on optimal transport -- Maximal regular flows for non-smooth vector fields -- Main properties of maximal regular flows and analysis of blow-up -- Lagrangian structure of transport equations -- The continuity equation with an integrable damping term -- Regularity results for very degenerate elliptic equations -- An excess-decay result for a class of degenerate elliptic equations -- The Vlasov-Poisson system -- The semigeostrophic system. .
Sommario/riassunto	The first part of the book is devoted to the transport equation for a given vector field, exploiting the lagrangian structure of solutions. It also treats the regularity of solutions of some degenerate elliptic equations, which appear in the eulerian counterpart of some transport models with congestion. The second part of the book deals with the lagrangian structure of solutions of the Vlasov-Poisson system, which describes the evolution of a system of particles under the self-induced gravitational/electrostatic field, and the existence of solutions of the

semigeostrophic system, used in meteorology to describe the motion of large-scale oceanic/atmospheric flows.
