1. Record Nr. UNINA9910456818603321 Autore Strahilevitz Lior Jacob Titolo Information and exclusion [[electronic resource] /] / Lior Jacob Strahilevitz New Haven, Conn., : Yale University Press, 2011 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-283-15059-X 9786613150592 0-300-17169-2 Descrizione fisica x, 255 p 305.56 Disciplina Soggetti Marginality, Social Marginality, Social - Government policy Information policy Cultural pluralism Electronic books. Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Bibliographic Level Mode of Issuance: Monograph Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di contenuto pt. 1. The mechanics of exclusion -- pt. 2. A theory of information and exclusion -- pt. 3. Diversity-promoting strategies for the twenty-first century. Nearly all communities are exclusive in some way. When race or wealth Sommario/riassunto is the basis of exclusion, the homogeneity of a neighborhood, workplace, or congregation is controversial. In other instances, as with an artist's colony or a French language book club, exclusivity is tolerable or even laudable. In this engaging book, Lior Strahilevitz introduces a new theory for understanding how exclusivity is created and maintained in residential, workplace, and social settings, one that emphasizes information's role in facilitating exclusion. The book provides many colorful examples to show how lawmakers frequently misunderstand the subtle mechanics of exclusion, leaving enormous loopholes in the law. Strahilevitz focuses particular attention on today's changing dynamics of exclusion and discusses how technology

presents new opportunities for governments to stamp out the most

offensive exclusionary behaviors.