Record Nr. UNINA9910457109803321 Autore Marcum Catherine Davis <1980-> Titolo Adolescent online victimization [[electronic resource]]: a test of routine activities theory / / Catherine Davis Marcum El Paso, : LFB Scholarly Pub., 2009 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-59332-540-1 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (283 p.) Collana Criminal justice: recent scholarship 364.16/80835 Disciplina Soggetti Internet and teenagers Internet - Safety measures Internet - Social aspects Teenagers - Crimes against Technology - Social aspects 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 Introduction -- Adolescents and the age of the Internet -- The prevalence of routine activities theory -- Investigating adolescent online victimization and formation of relationships with online contacts -- Univariate and bivariate results -- Uncovering potential factors of online victimization -- Applying the findings to the future. Sommario/riassunto Marcum investigates Internet usage among college freshmen, their experiences with online victimization, and their relationships with online contacts. She finds that participating in online behaviors and activities that increased exposure to motivated offenders and target suitability also increased the likelihood of victimization, as well as formation of relationships with online contacts. Communicating with people met online and providing personal information over the Internet are significant predictors of the dependent variables for the entire

sample, as well as for males and females when exa