Record Nr. UNINA9910787993503321 Autore Alexander, of Aphrodisias Titolo Alexander of Aphrodisias on Aristotle, Prior analytics 1.1-7 / translated by Jonathan Barnes ... [and others] London,: Duckworth, 1991 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-4725-5160-5 1-78093-454-8 Edizione [1st ed.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (257 p.) Collana Ancient commentators on Aristotle Altri autori (Persone) Aristotle Disciplina 160.92 Soggetti Logic Modality (Logic) Contingency (Philosophy) Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Translation of: Commentaria in Analytica priora Aristotelis Note generali Includes translation of Aristotle's text Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references (pages 224-229) and indexes Nota di contenuto Preface -- Introduction -- Textual Emendations -- TRANSLATION --Notes -- Bibliography English-Greek -- Glossary Greek-English Index -- Index of Passages Cited -- Subject -- Index Sommario/riassunto Alexander of Aphrodisias, who flourished c. 200AD, was the leading Peripatetic philosopher of his age. Most of his philosophical energies were spent in commenting upon Aristotle; his commentary on the Prior Analytics remains one of the most thorough and helpful guides to this difficult work; in addition, the commentary preserves invaluable information about various aspects of Stoic logic, and it also presents a picture of categorical syllogistic at a turning point in its historical development. This volume contains a translation of the first third of the commentary - the part dealing with non-modal syllogistic. The translation is preceded by a substantial introduction which discusses Alexander's place in the commentatorial tradition and his use of logical terminology. The book is completed by a translation of the pertinent part of the Prior Analytics, a summary account of categorical syllogistic,

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