

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9910790422303321
Autore	Even-Simkin Elena
Titolo	The regularity of the "irregular" verbs and nouns in English // Elena Even-Simkin, Yishai Tobin
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Amsterdam : , : John Benjamins Publishing Company, , [2013] ©2013
ISBN	90-272-7176-3
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (291 p.)
Collana	Studies in functional and structural linguistics (SFSL), , 0165-7712 ; ; volume 66
Altri autori (Persone)	TobinY
Disciplina	425/.92
Soggetti	Grammar, Comparative and general - Verb Grammar, Comparative and general - Noun English language - Usage
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 indexes.
Nota di contenuto	part one. Introduction -- part two. Background -- part three. The non-irregularity hypotheses -- part four. Phonological non-irregularity hypothesis -- part five. Semantic non-irregularity : the common semantic denominator (CSD) hypothesis -- part six. Further evidence for both hypotheses -- part seven. Discussion and conclusions.
Sommario/riassunto	This volume presents an in-depth study of the so-called irregular Past Tense (sing/sang) and Noun Plural (foot/feet) forms with Internal Vowel Alternation (IVA) in English demonstrating that they possess both a fixed phonological and semantic regularity. The innovative sign-oriented analysis and inductive methodology employed in this study are further supported by additional first language acquisition data, experimental studies and historical evidence. The data culled from multiple linguistic anthologies, dictionaries and thesauri have shown that although the IVA process comprise