1. Record Nr. UNINA9910795163103321 Autore Beylage Peter Titolo Middle Egyptian / / Peter Beylage Pubbl/distr/stampa University Park, PA:,: Eisenbrauns,, [2018] ©2018 **ISBN** 1-64602-202-5 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (860 pages) Collana Languages of the Ancient near East Disciplina 493.15 Soggetti Egyptian language - Grammar Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references. Frontmatter -- CONTENTS -- Abbreviations -- Preface -- Introduction Nota di contenuto -- PART I WRITING SYSTEM AND WORD CLASSES -- PART II OVERVIEW OF THE DIFFERENT SENTENCE PATTERNS AND NON-VERBAL SENTENCE PATTERNS -- PART III PSEUDO-VERBAL AND VERBAL CLAUSES -- PART IV EMBEDDED CLAUSES -- PART V SPECIAL SENTENCE PATTERNS --**APPENDICES** Sommario/riassunto This grammar provides a comprehensive overview of Middle Egyptian and illustrates its grammatical features with extensive examples from various sources. Exercises at the end of each chapter, along with a sign list and a hieroglyphic word list, provide the reader with the means to apply and practice the content, enabling this book to be used as both a grammar reference and a textbook. The book's structure and detailed outline facilitate its use as a reference, making it easy to find information on any particular grammatical feature. At the same time, the extensive content of the forty chapters provides a suitable basis for self-guided study and enables the student to read and understand Egyptian inscriptions and literary texts in hieroglyphic transliteration. Recent developments in the understanding of Egyptian are exemplified

in numerous "ations from Egyptian texts, and exercises at the end of

grammatical phenomena discussed in the chapter, allowing for both practice and review. For reasons of convenience, the vocabulary

necessary for the exercises, along with the words used in the examples.

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are arranged into a word list at the end of the book. Similar and alternative grammatical constructions are compared, and in addition to the "classical" language of the Middle Kingdom, the book considers both Old Egyptian and Late Egyptian influences. As a hybrid reference and textbook, this volume introduces the reader to the grammatical features of Middle Egyptian and illustrates the means of expression used in ancient Egyptian.