Record Nr. UNINA9910811684403321 Autore Suto Taki Titolo Boethius on mind, grammar, and logic: a study of Boethius' Commentaries on Peri hermeneias / / by Taki Suto Leiden; ; Boston, : Brill, c2012 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-283-33478-X 9786613334787 90-04-21604-9 Edizione [1st ed.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (320 p.) Philosophia antiqua, , 0079-1687; ; v. 127 Collana 189 Disciplina Soggetti Language and languages - Philosophy Logic, Ancient Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Revised and expanded version of the author's thesis (Ph. D.--Saint Louis University, 2008), originally presented under the title: Boethius on language, mind, and reality. Includes bibliographical references (; [237]-267) and index. Nota di bibliografia Nota di contenuto Preliminary Material -- Introduction -- The Significatum of SpokenWords -- Words as 'Notae' -- Three Types of Speech -- Nouns, Verbs, and Conjunctions -- The Varieties of Speech -- The Verb 'To Be' -- General Conclusions -- Bibliography -- Index of Ancient and Medieval Texts -- Index of Names (Ancient and Medieval Authors) and Subjects -- Index of Modern Authors (Selective). Boethius (c.480-c.525/6), who is best known for his Consolation of Sommario/riassunto Philosophy, has been accused of misinterpreting Aristotle's logical works in his translations and commentaries thereof. Building on recent scholarship in the philosophy of late antiquity, this book challenges some of the past interpretations of Boethius and reveals significant features of his semantics and logic. With comparisons between his and contemporary arguments and attention to the terminology of late antiquity, this work is of use to those interested in semantics, logic and grammar from antiquity to the modern day. Furthermore, this book's new conclusions aim to reinvigorate interest in this much-maligned

and poorly understood philosopher.