1. Record Nr. UNINA9910814695903321 Autore Lawn Chris Titolo Wittgenstein and Gadamer: Towards a Post-Analytic Philosophy of Language London,: Bloomsbury Publishing, 2007 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-4411-9910-1 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (180 p.) Collana Continuum Studies in British Philosophy 121.680922 Disciplina Soggetti Gadamer, Hans-Georg, 1900-2002 Language and languages -- Philosophy Wittgenstein, Ludwig, 1889-1951 Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Description based upon print version of record. Note generali Nota di contenuto Cover; Contents; Preface; Abbreviations; Introduction; 1 The Nature of Language: Two Philosophical Traditions; 2 Gadamer and Wittgenstein: Contrasts and Commonalities: 3 Gadamer"s Philosophical Hermeneutics and the Ontology of Language; 4 Wittgenstein and the Logics of Language; 5 " What has history to do with me?": Language and / as Historicality; 6 A Competition of Interpretations: Wittgenstein and Gadamer Read Augustine; 7 Ordinary and Extraordinary Language: the Hermeneutics of the Poetic Word: Conclusion: Bibliography: Index; A: B: C; D; E; F; G; H; I; K; L; M; N; O; P; R; S; T The book focuses on how Wittgenstein and Gadamer treat language in Sommario/riassunto their accounts of language as game and their major writings on the subject - Philosophical Investigations and Truth and Method. respectively. Chris Lawn goes on to offer a critique of Wittgenstein's account of linguistic rules, drawing upon Gadamer"s philosophical hermeneutics, particularly his emphasis upon tradition, temporality. historicality and novelty. The text demonstrates how paying attention to such elements - excluded by Wittgenstein's conception of rules - in

fact strengthens Wittgenstein"s position from a her