

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9910825092003321
Titolo	Lexical bootstrapping : the role of lexis and semantics in child language development // [edited] by Dagmar Bittner, Nadja Ruhlig
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Berlin, : De Gruyter Mouton, is a Division of Walter de Gruyter GmbH & Co, KG, 2013
ISBN	3-11-030869-X
Edizione	[1st ed.]
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (276 p.)
Collana	Cognitive Linguistics Research [CLR] ; ; 50 Cognitive linguistics research, , 1861-4132 ; ; 50
Altri autori (Persone)	BittnerDagmar RuhligNadja
Disciplina	401/.4
Soggetti	Language awareness in children Children - Language Lexicology Semantics Verbal ability in children
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 index.
Nota di contenuto	Frontmatter -- Contents -- Introduction: Emergence and applications of the Lexical Bootstrapping Hypothesis / Ruhlig, Nadja / Bittner, Dagmar -- Pre-language cognition, motion event semantics, and the transition from single words to first sentences / McCune, Lorraine / Herr-Israel, Ellen -- Bootstrapping and the acquisition of Mandarin Chinese: A natural semantic metalanguage perspective / Tien, Adrian -- The Lexical Bootstrapping Hypothesis and conventionality: a crosslinguistic study on verb acquisition by Chinese Mandarin- and Brazilian Portuguese-speaking children / Parente, Maria-Alice / Villavicencio, Aline / Siqueira, Maity / Chen, Ping / Tonietto, Lauren -- Lexical acquisition through acquisition order / Sassoon, Galit Weidman -- Lexicon-grammar continuity in Turkish children's language growth / Altnkam Turkey, Feyza N. -- The interrelation between lexical and grammatical abilities in early language acquisition / Kauschke, Christina -- Continuity of lexical, grammatical, phonetic and phonological development in German late talkers - A longitudinal study

/ Schlesiger, Claudia -- Function words and the bootstrapping of grammar in normally developing and impaired L1-acquisition of German / Bittner, Dagmar / Siegmüller, Julia -- The role of the lexicon in the development of the language processor / Kidd, Evan / Bavin, Edith L. / Brandt, Silke -- Grammar from the lexicon: Evidence from neural network simulations of language acquisition / Howell, Steve R. / Becker, Suzanna -- List of contributors -- Index

Sommario/riassunto

The internal bootstraps for establishing the grammatical system of a human language build an essential topic in language acquisition research. The discussion of the last 20 years came up with the Lexical Bootstrapping Hypothesis which assigns lexical development the role of the central bootstrapping process. The volume presents work from different theoretical perspectives evaluating the strength and weaknesses of this hypothesis.
