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Titolo	African voices on slavery and the slave trade // edited by Alice Bellagamba, Sandra E. Greene, Martin A. Klein with the assistance of Carolyn Brown [[electronic resource]]
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ISBN	1-107-23279-1 1-107-33223-0 1-107-33535-3 1-107-33618-X 1-107-33286-9 1-107-33452-7 1-139-02255-5
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (xxii, 563 pages) : digital, PDF file(s)
Disciplina	306.362096
Soggetti	Slavery - Africa - History Slave trade - Africa - History Oral history - Africa
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Title from publisher's bibliographic system (viewed on 05 Oct 2015).
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and index.
Nota di contenuto	Pt. 1. Remembering slavery and the slave trade -- pt. 2. The verbal arts and everyday objects -- pt. 3. Documenting our own histories and cultural practices -- pt. 4. Slavery observed: European travelers' accounts -- pt. 5. Administrative records -- pt. 6. Legal records -- pt. 7. Recorded encounters with the enslaved: Christian workers in Africa -- pt. 8. Documents from Muslim Africa -- pt. 9. Living with the past.
Sommario/riassunto	Though the history of slavery is a central topic for African, Atlantic world and world history, most of the sources presenting research in this area are European in origin. To cast light on African perspectives, and on the point of view of enslaved men and women, this group of top Africanist scholars has examined both conventional historical sources (such as European travel accounts, colonial documents, court cases, and missionary records) and less-explored sources of information

(such as folklore, oral traditions, songs and proverbs, life histories collected by missionaries and colonial officials, correspondence in Arabic, and consular and admiralty interviews with runaway slaves). Each source has a short introduction highlighting its significance and orienting the reader. This first of two volumes provides students and scholars with a trove of African sources for studying African slavery and slave trade.

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Autore	Cotes J. E
Titolo	Lung function [[electronic resource]] : physiology, measurement and application in medicine // J.E. Cotes, D.J. Chinn, M.R. Miller
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Malden, Mass. ; ; Oxford, : Blackwell Pub., 2006
ISBN	1-282-11824-2 9786612118241 0-470-79023-7 1-4443-1282-0 1-4443-1283-9
Edizione	[6th ed.]
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (648 p.)
Altri autori (Persone)	ChinnD. J (David J.) MillerM. R <1949-> (Martin Raymond)
Disciplina	616.2/40754 616.240754
Soggetti	Pulmonary function tests Lungs - Physiology Respiration
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	Early developments and future prospects -- Getting started -- Development and functional anatomy of the respiratory system -- Body size and anthropometric measurements -- Numerical interpretation of physiological variables -- Basic terminology and gas laws -- Basic equipment and measurement techniques -- Respiratory surveys -- Thoracic cage and respiratory muscles -- Lung volumes -- Lung and

chest wall elasticity -- Forced ventilatory volumes and flows (ventilatory capacity) -- Determinants of maximal flows (flow limitation) -- Theory and measurement of respiratory resistance (including whole body plethysmography) -- Control of airway calibre and assessment of changes -- Distribution of ventilation -- Distribution and measurement of pulmonary blood flow -- Inter-relations between lung ventilation and perfusion -- Transfer of gases into blood in alveolar capillaries -- Transfer factor (diffusing capacity) for carbon monoxide and nitric oxide (TL_{CO} , TL_{NO} , D_m and V_c) -- The oxygenation of blood -- Gas exchange for carbon dioxide and acid-base balance -- Control of respiration -- Newborn babies, infants and young children (ages 0-6 years) -- Normal lung function from childhood to old age -- Reference values for lung function in white (caucasian) children and adults -- Genetic diversity : reference values in non-caucasians -- Physiology of exercise and changes resulting from lung disease -- Exercise testing and interpretation, including reference values -- Assessment of exercise limitation, disability and residual ability -- Exercise in children -- Investigation and physiology of breathing during sleep -- Assessment and treatment of sleep related breathing disorders -- Hypobaria : high altitude and aviation physiology and medicine -- Immersion in water, hyperbaria and hyperoxia including O_2 therapy -- Cold, heat and the lungs -- Airborne respiratory hazards : features, protective mechanisms and consequences -- Patterns of abnormal function in lung disease -- Strategies for assessment -- Lung function in asthman, COPD, emphysema and diffuse lung fibrosis -- How individual diseases affect lung function (compendium) -- Lung function in relation to general anaesthesia and artificial ventilation -- Lung function in relation to surgery -- Pulmonary rehabilitation.

Sommario/riassunto

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