Record Nr. UNISALENTO991003216559707536 Autore Mohamed, Abdel-Mohsen Onsy Titolo Geoenvironmental engineering [e-book] / Abdel M.O. Mohamed and Hogan E. Antia Amsterdam; New York: Elsevier, 1998 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 9780444898470 0444898476 Descrizione fisica xxi, 707 p.: ill.; 25 cm Collana Developments in geotechnical engineering; 82 Altri autori (Persone) Antia, Hogan E., 1957-Disciplina 628 Soggetti Environmental geotechnology Electronic books. Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Risorsa elettronica Livello bibliografico Monografia Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references (p. 653-691) and index Nota di contenuto <IT>Chapter Headings only.</IT> Preface. Geoenvironmental Engineering in a Global Environment. Sustainable Development. Sources, Characteristics and Management Wastes. Soil System. Soil-Water-Pollutant Interaction. Fate and Effects of Pollutants. Site Investigation. Geostatistics. Subsurface Pollutant Transport. Risk Assessment. Risk Management. Subsurface Control Systems -Groundwater Extraction -. Subsurface Control Systems - Alternatives to Groundwater Extraction -. Covering Systems. Lining Systems. Soil Vapour Extraction. Solvent Extraction Processes. Surfactant Extraction Processes. Electrochemical Remediation. Solidification/Stabilization Processes. Bioremediation. Case Study. Glossary. References and Suggested Reading. Index Sommario/riassunto The new social and economic era calls for integration of ecology and economy in a system of cause and effect. The central element in this shift is <IT>sustainable development.</IT> Fundamental to the achievement of sustainable development is the requirement for environmentally responsible waste management and restoration of the environment. Solutions to the complex problems confronted by waste management and environmental restoration industry are currently

handled by the <IT>geoenvironmental engineering</IT> profession that needs a good background in soil biology, chemistry, mechanics,

mineralogy, and physics. In recognition of this need, this book

summarizes relevant aspects of various soil physics, mineralogy, and chemistry as well as the chemistry of pollutants. This treatment will provide sufficient background to students and practicing engineers to enable them to think about how to approach waste management and environmental restoration problems