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National 5 Biology - James Torrance 2013-10-25

Help your students become better biologists with the only book that provides dedicated additional practice for the central focus of the new syllabus and is endorsed by SQA. This book provides a wealth of further questions and practice material corresponding with each chapter of the core text, allowing students to practise applying their knowledge and skills. - Makes planning easier and saves time with material that is ideal for use either in classroom or as homework - Gives students simple ways to improve and practice specific topics with questions clearly matched to each section of the accompanying Student's Book - Develops skills effectively with tried and trusted material developed by a vastly experienced author team

Homeopathic Guide for Travelers - Ravi Roy 2013-01-08

Ravi Roy and Carola Lage-Roy present a wealth of strategies for using homeopathic medicine to stay happy and healthy while traveling. A bestseller in its original German edition, *The Homeopathic Guide for Travelers* is equally useful for backpackers, business travelers, and even luxury vacationers. It provides all the preparation needed for a journey, whether a short outing, far-off holiday, or challenging trek. The homeopathic remedies profiled here—many of them effective even when taken last-minute—address everything from exhaustion to altitude change, from jet lag to climate shifts to the side effects of unfamiliar foods. Drawing from the latest research, the book describes which homeopathic medicines work best against infectious diseases, such as malaria, hepatitis, and Lyme disease, and details remedies for injuries sustained while backpacking, climbing, or diving. Roy and Lage-Roy also

explain how to treat stings and bites from poisonous animals and reactions from plants like poison ivy. An introductory chapter features a basic traveler's first-aid kit.

Jobs - Henry Lee 2018-08-19

It has been reported in various business websites, news stations, newspapers and social media that the US unemployment rate went down to 5.5% as of February 2015. Is this good news? Yes, because that means 94.5% of the working population is employed. The bad news is you might be, or might know someone, who is still a part of the remaining 5.5%. Now, with the competition that includes knowledge, experience, personality and determination as the main criteria for judging, you have to prove yourself worthy of a position in that 94.5%. It does not matter if you have been laid off, you resigned or a fresh graduate; what is important is that you want the bosses to know what you are capable of. If you have been looking around and trying for quite some time now but is still not getting that offer, you might want to revamp your plans. This book aims to help you find and get that job you have always dreamed of. It will guide you through the whole process of job-hunting: from the searching, to preparing your documents, the interview and whatever comes next. These are proven effective ways on how to get a job in 30 days without sacrificing your passion or talent.

Textbook of Human Histology with Colour Atlas - Inderbir Singh
2005-01-01

Printed throughout in full colour. Short descriptions of each figure in the colour Atlas now appear alongside it. Atlas figures have been repeated in the text chapters wherever necessary. Matters of detail are now clearly demarcated from the main text.

Judaism, Liberalism, and Political Theology - Randi Rashkover 2014

This title provides a broad encounter between modern Jewish thought and recent developments in political theology. In opposition to impetuous associations of Judaism and liberalism and charges that Judaism cannot engender a universal political order, the essays in this volume propose a new and richly detailed engagement between Judaism and the political.

Warman's Farm Toys Field Guide - Karen O'Brien 2006-10-11

Whether it's John Deere, International Harvester or AGCO, Warman's Farm Toys Field Guide satisfies collectors' need to reliable details, in a portable format. This brilliantly illustrated guide delivers more than 500 color photos of powerful machines in small-scale splendor. Inside this toy show companion collectors will discover: & break;& break;Collector values for farm toys made in the early 1900s through the 1990s which make buying and selling in the 5,000+ active online auctions easier & break;& break;Detailed and concise listings provide quick and accurate identification & break;& break;Reliable expert information based on the successful big book, Standard Catalog of Farm Toys, 2nd Edition, with nearly \$100,000 in sales & break;& break;This book is a smart investment for fans of farm toys and experienced collectors and an affordable gift display along with your favorite farm toys.

Every Time a Bell Rings - Barbara Ankrum 2019-11-18

Once upon a time, he was everything to her, except for one thing: her future Christmas sparkles from every bough and window at the cozy Four Winds Ski Resort, where single mother Eden Kendall and her eight-year-old son are spending the holiday. A surprise marriage proposal from her boss's son wasn't on her Christmas list, but it's the perfect excuse to get away and weigh her options. She never imagined her son's ski instructor/Santa impersonator would be the gorgeous, charismatic dreamer she left behind years ago, the one who still owns a piece of her heart. Cole Hagan has never stopped loving Eden and he's spent the last eight years proving her wrong on every count about his potential. While he fights to save the resort that he helped to build by organizing a holiday concert, he decides it's about time that Eden puts aside her list-making pragmatism so that she and her skeptical son can experience the true magic of Christmas. Can a not-so-perfect angel help this unlikely pair get a second chance at happily ever after?

School-age Child Care - Michelle Seligson 1993

In this new edition of a pioneering work, Seligson and Allenson explore the challenges which child care providers will encounter as the 21st century approaches. The manual guides the reader through the process of designing, implementing, and managing caring programs for children

aged 5 to 12. Supported by work done at the School-Age Child Care Project of the Wellesley College Center for Research on Women, the present volume focuses on the needs of children, and provides examples of model programs as well as appropriate responses and recommendations for child care situations. By balancing this practical business operations text with an investigation into the meaning of social obligation, the authors have produced a fascinating blend of how-to and philosophy. This is an authoritative and indispensable resource.

Harrisons Manual of Medicine, 18th Edition - Dan Longo 2012-09-21
The authority of Harrison's in a concise, carry-anywhere text Drawn from the eighteenth edition of Harrison's Principles of Internal Medicine, this handy reference covers key aspects of the diagnosis, clinical manifestations, and treatment of the major diseases that are likely to be encountered in medical practice. Presented in full color and completely updated to reflect all the major advances and clinical developments, Harrison's Manual of Medicine, 18e offers high-yield coverage of: Etiology and Epidemiology Clinically Relevant Pathophysiology Signs & Symptoms Differential Diagnosis Physical and Laboratory Findings Therapeutics Practice Guidelines Utilizing an effective mix of succinct text, bullet points, algorithms, and tables, Harrison's Manual of Medicine, 18e covers every area of clinical medicine - as only Harrison's can.

Risk Analysis in Stochastic Supply Chains - Tsan-Ming Choi
2012-06-05

Risk analysis is crucial in stochastic supply chain models. Over the past few years, the pace has quickened for research attempting to explore risk analysis issues in supply chain management problems, while the majority of recent papers focus on conceptual framework or computational numerical analysis. Pioneered by Nobel laureate Markowitz in the 1950s, the mean-risk (MR) formulation became a fundamental theory for risk management in finance. Despite the significance and popularity of MR-related approaches in finance, their applications in studying multi-echelon supply chain management problems have only been seriously explored in recent years. While the

MR approach has already been shown to be useful in conducting risk analysis in stochastic supply chain models, there is no comprehensive reference source that provides the state-of-the-art findings on this important model for supply chain management. Thus it is significant to have a book that reviews and extends the MR related works for supply chain risk analysis. This book is organized into five chapters. Chapter 1 introduces the topic, offers a timely review of various related areas, and explains why the MR approach is important for conducting supply chain risk analysis. Chapter 2 examines the single period inventory model with the mean-variance and mean-semi-deviation approaches. Extensive discussions on the efficient frontiers are also reported. Chapter 3 explores the infinite horizon multi-period inventory model with a mean-variance approach. Chapter 4 investigates the supply chain coordination problem with a versatile target sales rebate contract and a risk averse retailer possessing the mean-variance optimization objective. Chapter 5 concludes the book and discusses various promising future research directions and extensions. Every chapter can be taken as a self-contained article, and the notation within each chapter is consistently employed.

SQL Server 2005 DBA Street Smarts - Joseph L. Jordan 2006-10-30
Develop the skill you need in the real world. Hit the ground running with the street-smart training you'll find in this practical book. Using a "Year in the life" approach, it gives you an inside look at SQL Server 2005 database administration, with key information organized around the actual day-to-day tasks, scenarios, and challenges you'll face in the field. This valuable training tool is loaded with hands-on, step-by-step exercises covering all phases of SQL Server 2005 administration, including: * Installing and configuring SQL Server * High availability and disaster recovery * Maintenance and automation * Monitoring and troubleshooting An Invaluable study tool This no-nonsense book also maps to the common tasks and objectives for Microsoft's MCTS SQL Server (TM) 2005 Implementation and Maintenance exam (70-431). So whether you're preparing for certification or seeking practical skills to break into the field, you'll find the instruction you need, including: * Upgrading from a previous version of SQL Server * Configuring an

operating mode * Restoring a database * Creating a Transact-SQL user-defined type * Using Windows(r) System Monitor to Monitor performance THE STREET SMARTS SERIES is designed to help current or sparing IT professionals put their certification to work for them. Full of practical, real world scenarios, each book features actual tasks from the field and then offers step-by-step exercises that teach the skills necessary to complete those tasks. And because the exercises are based upon exam objectives from leading technology certifications, each Street Smarts book can be used as a lab manual for certification prep.

How to Bag a Jabberwock - Jack Union 2012

In remote and hidden places, strange and deadly creatures lurk. High in the heavens deadly Kraken patrol the skies and deep underground the mysterious Shide lie slumbering, ready to stalk our dreams. Scorpion-tailed Manticores prey upon our soldiers in the Persian hills and in the snowy mountains of Tibet the legendary Yeti waits in ambush.

Immunology of the Gut : Proceedings - Symposium on Immunology of the Gut (1976 : London) 1977

Higher Scores on Reading Standardized Tests, Grade 6 - Steck-Vaughn 2000-05

Wjec A2 Geography Student Guide: G4 Sustainability - David Burtenshaw 2012-05-01

Endorsed by WJEC and written by experienced examiners David Burtenshaw and Sue Warn, this WJEC A2 Geography Student Unit Guide is the essential study companion for Unit G4: Sustainability. This full-colour book includes all you need to know to prepare for your unit exam: - clear guidance on the content of the unit, with topic summaries, knowledge check questions and a quick-reference index - exam advice throughout, so you will know what to expect in the exam and will be able to demonstrate the skills required - exam-style questions, with graded student responses, so you can see clearly what is required to get a better grade

For Better or For Worse? Collaborative Couples in the Sciences - Annette

Lykknes 2012-06-05

In this volume, a distinguished set of international scholars examine the nature of collaboration between life partners in the sciences, with particular attention to the ways in which personal and professional dynamics can foster or inhibit scientific practice. Breaking from traditional gender analyses which focus on divisions of labor and the assignment of credit, the studies scrutinize collaboration as a variable process between partners living in the nineteenth and twentieth centuries who were married and divorced, heterosexual and homosexual, aristocratic and working-class and politically right and left. The contributors analyze cases shaped by their particular geographical locations, ranging from retreat settings like the English countryside and Woods Hole, Massachusetts, to university laboratories and urban centers in Berlin, Stockholm, Geneva and London. The volume demonstrates how the terms and meanings of collaboration, variably shaped by disciplinary imperatives, cultural mores, and the agency of the collaborators themselves, illuminate critical intellectual and institutional developments in the modern sciences.

Whisper Writing - Melissa M. Jones 2004

Three teenage girls share their stories about life as students, as young women with disabilities, and as minorities in a male-dominated special education school culture.

Flight Mechanics Modeling and Analysis - Jitendra R. Raol 2008-08-20

The design, development, analysis, and evaluation of new aircraft technologies such as fly by wire, unmanned aerial vehicles, and micro air vehicles, necessitate a better understanding of flight mechanics on the part of the aircraft-systems analyst. A text that provides unified coverage of aircraft flight mechanics and systems concept will go a long way.

How To Immigrate To USA From India - HowExpert 2011-03-10

If you want to learn different techniques on how to immigrate to the US easily and quickly then, check out this " How To Immigrate To US From India" guide. In this step-by-step guide, you will discover US laws and regulations that has to be followed in migrating to US. - Learn the

different types of visa so you'll be able to choose which one is most appropriate for you. - Learn basic information about visa applications. - Get useful tips on how to avoid errors in filling up immigration forms. - Learn how immigration process your forms. - Plus an additional information about USCIS - Learn how to pass the immigration interview. - Be able to understand the US immigration law. - Learn how to get US citizenship. - Learn how to provide Certificate of Citizenship. - Learn how to apply for a green card. - And much more. HowExpert publishes quick 'how to' guides on all topics from A to Z by everyday experts.

Segmental and Prosodic Issues in Romance Phonology - Pilar Prieto
2007-01-01

This volume is a collection of cutting-edge research papers written by well-known researchers in the field of Romance phonetics and phonology. An important goal of this book is to bridge the gap between traditional Romance linguistics with its long and rich tradition in data collection, cross-language comparison, and phonetic variation and laboratory phonology work. The book is organized around three main themes: segmental processes, prosody, and the acquisition of segments and prosody. The various articles provide new empirical data on production, perception, sound change, first and second language learning, rhythm and intonation, presenting a state-of-the-art overview of research in laboratory phonology centred on Romance languages. The Romance data are used to test the predictions of a number of theoretical frameworks such as gestural phonology, exemplar models, generative phonology and optimality theory. The book will constitute a useful companion volume for phoneticians, phonologists and researchers investigating sound structure in Romance languages, and will serve to generate further interest in laboratory phonology.

[Introduction to Computing and Programming in Python Plus My Programming Lab -- Access Card Package](#) - Mark J. Guzdial 2013-10-28

Introduction to Computing and Programming in Python, 3e, uses multimedia applications to motivate introductory computer science majors or non-majors. The book's hands-on approach shows how programs can be used to build multimedia computer science applications

that include sound, graphics, music, pictures, and movies. The students learn a key set of computer science tools and topics, as well as programming skills; such as how to design and use algorithms, and practical software engineering methods. The book also includes optional coverage of HCI, as well as rudimentary data structures and databases using the user-friendly Python language for implementation. Authors Guzdial and Ericson also demonstrate how to communicate compatibly through networks and do concurrent programming. 0133591522 / 9780133591521 Introduction to Computing and Programming in Python & MyProgrammingLab with eText Package Package consists of 0132923513 / 9780132923514 Introduction to Computing and Programming in Python 0133590747 / 9780133590746 MyProgrammingLab with eText -- Access Code Card -- for Introduction to Computing and Programming in Python

Critical Care Transport - American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons (AAOS), 2009-11-13

Welcome to the new gold standard in critical care transport training. Published in conjunction with the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons (AAOS) and the American College of Emergency Physicians (ACEP), Critical Care Transport offers cutting edge content relevant to any healthcare provider training in critical care transport. Like no other textbook in this market, Critical Care Transport thoroughly prepares medical professionals to function as competent members of a critical care team by covering the material that everyone—paramedics, nurses, physicians, and specialty crew—needs to know to operate effectively in the prehospital critical care environment. This book meets the curricula of major critical care training programs, including University of Maryland, Baltimore County (UMBC). It covers both ground and flight transport, and meets the objectives of critical care transport certification exams such as the Certified Flight Paramedic (FP-C) exam administered by the Board for Critical Care Transport Paramedic Certification. Content includes information specific to prehospital critical care transport, such as flight physiology, lab analysis, hemodynamic monitoring, and specialized devices such as the intra-aortic balloon

pump. Standard topics such as airway management, trauma, and pharmacology are covered in the context of critical care. Chapters have been authored by leading critical care professionals across the country and represent the most current, state-of-the-art information on management of critical care patients.

Developing Intelligent Agent Systems - Lin Padgham 2005-06-24

Build your own intelligent agent system... Intelligent agent technology is a tool of modern computer science that can be used to engineer complex computer programmes that behave rationally in dynamic and changing environments. Applications range from small programmes that intelligently search the Web buying and selling goods via electronic commerce, to autonomous space probes. This powerful technology is not widely used, however, as developing intelligent agent software requires high levels of training and skill. The authors of this book have developed and tested a methodology and tools for developing intelligent agent systems. With this methodology (Prometheus) developers can start agent-oriented designs and implementations easily from scratch saving valuable time and resources. Developing Intelligent Agent Systems not only answers the questions "what are agents?" and "why are they useful?" but also the crucial question: "how do I design and build intelligent agent systems?" The book covers everything a practitioner needs to know to begin to effectively use this technology - including an introduction to the notion of agents, a description of the concepts involved, and a software engineering methodology. Read on for: a practical step-by-step introduction to designing and building intelligent agent systems. a full life-cycle methodology for developing intelligent agent systems covering specification, analysis, design and implementation of agents. PDT: Prometheus Design Tool - software support for the Prometheus design process. the example of an electronic bookstore to illustrate the design process throughout the book. Electronic resources including the Prometheus Design Tool (PDT), can be found at: <http://www.cs.rmit.edu.au/agents/prometheus> This book is aimed at industrial software developers, software engineers and at advanced undergraduate students. It assumes knowledge of basic

software engineering but does not require knowledge of Artificial Intelligence or of mathematics. Familiarity with Java will help in reading the examples in chapter 10.

More Than a Mistress - Ann Lethbridge 2011-05-24

"Charles Mountford, Marquis of Tonbridge, has long felt the weight of responsibility. He knows he must do his duty and take a wife. But when he's left snowbound with the unconventional Miss Honor Meredith Draycott, he finds that his inner rogue wants to come out to play. Merry doesn't need a man--no matter how handsome he is. Sadly, society takes a different view. Charlie is more than happy to make her socially acceptable, but only if she acts publicly as his betrothed and privately as his mistress"--P. [4] of cover.

Psychopathology - Graham C. Davey 2014-08-08

Psychopathology has been designed to provide students with a comprehensive coverage of both psychopathology and clinical practice, including extensive treatment techniques for a range of mental health issues. The text is designed to be accessible to students at a range of different learning levels, from first year undergraduates to post-graduate researchers and those undergoing clinical training. Psychopathology is primarily evidence and research based, with coverage of relevant research from as recently as 2013, making it useful to researchers as well as clinicians. The emphasis in the book is on providing students with a real insight into the nature and experience of mental health problems, both through the written coverage and by providing a range of video material covering personal accounts of mental health problems. The text is integrated with a wide variety of teaching and learning features that will enable facilitators to teach more effectively, and students to learn more comprehensively. Many of these features have been updated for the new edition and new material has been included to reflect the changes in DSM-5. Features include Focus Points that discuss contentious or topical issues in detail, Research Methods boxes showing how clinical psychologists do research on psychopathology, and Case Histories detailing a range of mental health problems. Online resources An all new student website is available at

www.wiley-psychopathology.com. The website houses a huge variety of new digital material including more than 50 instructional and supplementary videos covering descriptions of symptoms and aetiologies, examples of diagnosis and diagnostic interviews, recounted personal experiences of people with mental health problems, and discussions and examples of treatment. The site also contains hundreds of new student quizzes, as well as revision flashcards, student learning activities, discussion topics, lists of relevant journal articles (many of which provide free links to relevant articles published in Wiley Blackwell journals), and topics for discussion related to clinical research and clinical practice. A fully updated lecturer test bank has also been developed including over 1,000 questions, as well as suggested essay questions and these can be accessed by instructors on our lecturer book companion site.

Purchasing and Financial Management of Information Technology

- Frank Bannister 2012-06-25

Purchasing and Financial Management of Information Technology aims to significantly reduce the amount of money wasted on IT by providing readers with a comprehensive guide to all aspects of planning, managing and controlling IT purchasing and finance. Starting from a recognition that IT purchasing and the financial management often needs to be treated differently from other types of expenditure, the author draws on over 25 years of experience in the field to provide readers with useful mixture of good procedures and common sense rules that have been tried, tested and found to work. Many of these are illustrated by case histories, each with a moral or a lesson. Purchasing and Financial Management of Information Technology provides useful guidelines and advice on whole range of topics including: * IT acquisitions policy * Dealing with suppliers * Budgeting and cost control * IT cost and risk management * Specification, selection and evaluation of systems * IT value for money

Windows 98 Programming Bible - Richard C. Leinecker 1998

Here is 100% of what you need to develop killer Windows applications that fully exploit the hot new features of the Internet-savvy Windows 98 operating system. The CD-ROM includes all sample code and

applications, as well as third-party tools.

More Equal Than Others - Godfrey Hodgson 2009-01-10

During the past quarter century, free-market capitalism was recognized not merely as a successful system of wealth creation, but as the key determinant of the health of political and cultural democracy. Now, renowned British journalist and historian Godfrey Hodgson takes aim at this popular view in a book that promises to become one of the most important political histories of our time. *More Equal Than Others* looks back on twenty-five years of what Hodgson calls "the conservative ascendancy" in America, demonstrating how it has come to dominate American politics. Hodgson disputes the notion that the rise of conservatism has spread affluence and equality to the American people. Quite the contrary, he writes, the most distinctive feature of American society in the closing years of the twentieth century was its great and growing inequality. He argues that the combination of conservative ideology and corporate power and dominance by mass media obsessed with lifestyle and celebrity have caused America to abandon much of what was best in its past. In fact, he writes, income and wealth inequality have become so extreme that America now resembles the class-stratified societies of early twentieth-century Europe. *More Equal Than Others* addresses a broad range of issues, with chapters on politics, the new economy, immigration, technology, women, race, and foreign policy, among others. A fitting sequel to the author's critically acclaimed *America In Our Time*, *More Equal Than Others* is not only an outstanding synthesis of history, but a trenchant commentary on the state of the American Dream.

Dermatology in Emergency Care - Libby Edwards 1997

This guide to diagnosing and treating skin conditions commonly encountered by the non-specialist, incorporates colour photographs, concise descriptions, best treatment options and patient handout pages detailing the aetiology and treatment of the skin conditions described in the text.

Radiology Case Review Series: Spine - Allison Michele Grayev 2015-05-01

More than 150 spinal radiology cases deliver the best board review possible Part of McGraw-Hill Education's Radiology Case Review Series, this unique resource challenges you to look at a group of images, determine the diagnosis, answer related questions, and gauge your knowledge by reviewing the answer. It all adds up to the best case-based review of spinal imaging available--one that's ideal for certification or recertification, or as an incomparable clinical refresher. Distinguished by a cohesive 2-page design, each volume in this series is filled with cases, annotated images, questions & answers, pearls, and relevant literature references that will efficiently prepare you for virtually any exam topic. The more than 150 cases cover clinically relevant disorders such as neck and back pain, leg numbness, fibrous dysplasia, Sprengel's deformity, neck mass, spina bifida, and lumbar fusion. Radiology Case Review Series Features More than 150 cases for each volume, which consist of: Precise, state-of-the-art images accompanied by questions and answers, descriptions of the entities, insightful clinical pearls, and reference lists Intensive coverage of fundamental radiology principles, the latest diagnostic imaging techniques, radiology equipment, new technologies, and more Unique 2-page design for each case, which features: Images with 5 questions on the right-hand page Magnifications, annotations, and detailed answers on the verso page--a benefit that you'll only find in this exceptional series! Informative, bulleted comments box that provides important additional context for each case Cases organized and coded by difficulty level allowing you to evaluate your proficiency before progressing to the next level. If you're looking for the most complete, well-organized, and efficient case-based review of radiology available--designed to help you ace the boards and optimize patient outcomes--the Radiology Case Review Series belongs on your reference shelf.

WJEC A2 Geography Student Unit Guide New Edition: Unit G4

Sustainability - Sue Warn 2012-07-13

Endorsed by WJEC and written by experienced examiners David Burtenshaw and Sue Warn, this WJEC A2 Geography Student Unit Guide is the essential study companion for Unit G4: Sustainability. This full-colour book includes all you need to know to prepare for your unit exam:

clear guidance on the content of the unit, with topic summaries, knowledge check questions and a quick-reference index exam advice throughout, so you will know what to expect in the exam and will be able to demonstrate the skills required exam-style questions, with graded student responses, so you can see clearly what is required to get a better grade

Psychoanalysis and Black Novels - Claudia Tate 1998-02-12

Although psychoanalytic theory is one of the most potent and influential tools in contemporary literary criticism, to date it has had very little impact on the study of African American literature. Critical methods from the disciplines of history, sociology, and cultural studies have dominated work in the field. Now, in this exciting new book by the author of *Domestic Allegories: The Black Heroine's Text at the Turn of the Century*, Claudia Tate demonstrates that psychoanalytic paradigms can produce rich and compelling readings of African American textuality. With clear and accessible summaries of key concepts in Freud, Lacan, and Klein, as well as deft reference to the work of contemporary psychoanalytic critics of literature, Tate explores African-American desire, alienation, and subjectivity in neglected novels by Emma Kelley, W.E.B. Du Bois, Richard Wright, Zora Neale Hurston, and Nella Larsen. Her pioneering approach highlights African American textual realms within and beyond those inscribing racial oppression and modes of black resistance. A superb introduction to psychoanalytic theory and its applications for African American literature and culture, this book creates a sophisticated critical model of black subjectivity and desire for use in the study of African American texts.

The Manual - W. Anton 2010-12-23

Describes what women seek in a man and the steps a man needs to take to win women over.

Scala Data Analysis Cookbook - Arun Manivannan 2015-10-30

Navigate the world of data analysis, visualization, and machine learning with over 100 hands-on Scala recipes About This Book Implement Scala in your data analysis using features from Spark, Breeze, and Zeppelin Scale up your data analytics infrastructure with practical recipes for Scala

machine learning Recipes for every stage of the data analysis process, from reading and collecting data to distributed analytics Who This Book Is For This book shows data scientists and analysts how to leverage their existing knowledge of Scala for quality and scalable data analysis. What You Will Learn Familiarize and set up the Breeze and Spark libraries and use data structures Import data from a host of possible sources and create dataframes from CSV Clean, validate and transform data using Scala to pre-process numerical and string data Integrate quintessential machine learning algorithms using Scala stack Bundle and scale up Spark jobs by deploying them into a variety of cluster managers Run streaming and graph analytics in Spark to visualize data, enabling exploratory analysis In Detail This book will introduce you to the most popular Scala tools, libraries, and frameworks through practical recipes around loading, manipulating, and preparing your data. It will also help you explore and make sense of your data using stunning and insightful visualizations, and machine learning toolkits. Starting with introductory recipes on utilizing the Breeze and Spark libraries, get to grips with how to import data from a host of possible sources and how to pre-process numerical, string, and date data. Next, you'll get an understanding of concepts that will help you visualize data using the Apache Zeppelin and Bokeh bindings in Scala, enabling exploratory data analysis. Discover how to program quintessential machine learning algorithms using Spark ML library. Work through steps to scale your machine learning models and deploy them into a standalone cluster, EC2, YARN, and Mesos. Finally dip into the powerful options presented by Spark Streaming, and machine learning for streaming data, as well as utilizing Spark GraphX. Style and approach This book contains a rich set of recipes that covers the full spectrum of interesting data analysis tasks and will help you revolutionize your data analysis skills using Scala and Spark.

I Will Remember You - Kimberly B. Schuler 2011-03-01

A child's guide through grief that is formed by the truths of our Catholic faith and by what bereavement professionals have found helpful. This book helps children ages 7 to 12 understand death, funeral rituals, the

grieving process, and what to expect during the first year after the loss of a loved one. Schuler gives reassuring voice to a child's feelings of loss, and provides a safe space where hopes can be expressed and memories can be treasured.

Essays in Phenomenology - Maurice Natanson 2013-12-19

Fifteen years ago, Dorion Cairns concluded an article on phenomenology with a cautious appraisal of its influence in America. "Thus far," he wrote, "it continues to be an exotic." The situation today has changed: translations of the writings of Husserl, Heidegger, Marcel, Sartre, and Merleau-Ponty have appeared, and commentaries on these and related thinkers are not uncommon. Moreover, discussion of phenomenological problems is increasingly becoming part of the American (if not the British) philosophical scene. Phenomenology is in danger of domestication! Signs of its accommodation include a willingness to pay tribute to Husserl's Logical Investigations by those who find relatively little to interest them in his later work, a location of what are taken to be common themes and underlying convergences of emphasis in Continental phenomenology and Anglo-American philosophy of the more nearly Wittgensteinian and Austinian varieties, and a growing impatience (shared by some phenomenologists) with expositions, explications, and interpretations of Husserl's work at the expense of original applications of phenomenology. Most bluntly put, the attitude is: Don't talk about it; do it! It would seem that we have arrived at a point where introductions to phenomenology are of doubtful value, if not superfluous. The present collection of essays is based on different assumptions and points to an alternative conception of the role of both methodology and originality in phenomenological work

The Condensed Guide to the Best Man's Toast - Abram Shalom Himelstein 2012-11-30

Here are complete toasts for the best man -- frequently updated with new speeches. From traditional to unusual to pleasantly quirky, the speeches come with simple tips, explaining structure and tone. This is a short, to-the-point tool designed to unstick the brain and get ideas flowing.

Why - Samantha Kleinberg 2015-11-16

Can drinking coffee help people live longer? What makes a stock's price go up? Why did you get the flu? Causal questions like these arise on a regular basis, but most people likely have not thought deeply about how to answer them. This book helps you think about causality in a structured way: What is a cause, what are causes good for, and what is compelling evidence of causality? Author Samantha Kleinberg shows you how to develop a set of tools for thinking more critically about causes. You'll learn how to question claims, identify causes, make decisions based on causal information, and verify causes through further tests. Whether it's figuring out what data you need, or understanding that the way you collect and prepare data affects the conclusions you can draw from it, Why will help you sharpen your causal inference skills.

Serous Cavity Fluid and Cerebrospinal Fluid Cytopathology - Syed Z. Ali 2012-03-08

Cytologic diagnosis by examination of exfoliated cells in serous cavity fluids is one of the most challenging areas in clinical cytopathology. Almost 20% of the effusions examined are directly or indirectly related to the presence of malignant disease, with carcinoma of the lung as the most common underlying culprit. This volume published in the Essentials in Cytopathology book series will fulfill the need for an easy-to-use and authoritative synopsis of site specific topics in cytopathology. These guide books fit into the lab coat pocket, ideal for portability and quick reference. Each volume is heavily illustrated with a full color art

program, while the text follows a user-friendly outline format.

Introduction to Laser Technology - C. Breck Hitz 2012-04-10

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