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Monthly Catalogue, United States Public Documents 1980

Discovering Real Business Requirements for Software Project Success Robin F. Goldsmith 2004 While a number of books on the market deal with software requirements, this is the first resource to offer you a methodology for discovering and testing the real business requirements that software products must meet in order to provide value. The book provides you with practical techniques that help prevent the main causes of requirements creep, which in turn enhances software development success and satisfaction among the organizations that apply these approaches. Complementing discovery methods, you also learn more than 21 ways to test business requirements from the perspectives of assessing suitability of form, identifying overlooked requirements, and evaluating substance and content. The powerful techniques and methods presented are applied to a real business case from a company recognized for world-class excellence. You are introduced to the innovative Problem Pyramid™ technique which helps you more reliably identify the real problem and requirements content. From an examination of key methods for gathering and understanding information about requirements, to seven guidelines for documenting and communicating requirements, while avoiding analysis paralysis, this book is a comprehensive, single source for uncovering the real business requirements for your software development projects.

Elements of Econometrics Jan Kmenta 1986 This classic text has proven its worth in university classrooms and as a tool kit in research--selling over 40,000 copies in the United States and abroad in its first edition alone. Users have included undergraduate and graduate students of economics and business, and students and researchers in political science, sociology, and other fields where regression models and their extensions are relevant. The book has also served as a handy reference in the "real world" for people who need a clear and accurate explanation of techniques that are used in empirical research. Throughout the book the emphasis is on simplification whenever possible, assuming the readers know college algebra and basic calculus. Jan Kmenta explains all methods within the simplest framework, and generalizations are presented as logical extensions of simple cases. And while a relatively high degree of rigor is preserved, every conflict between rigor and clarity is resolved in favor of the latter. Apart from its clear exposition, the book's strength lies in emphasizing the basic ideas rather than just presenting formulas to learn and rules to apply. The book consists of two parts, which could be considered jointly or separately. Part one covers the basic elements of the theory of statistics and provides readers with a good understanding of the process of scientific generalization from incomplete information. Part two contains a thorough exposition of all basic econometric methods and includes some of the more recent developments in several areas. As a textbook, Elements of Econometrics is intended for upper-level undergraduate and master's degree courses and may usefully serve as a supplement for traditional Ph.D. courses in econometrics. Researchers in the social sciences will find it an invaluable reference tool. A solutions manual is also available for teachers who adopt the text for coursework. Jan Kmenta is Professor Emeritus of Economics and Statistics, University of Michigan.

The Global Economy as You've Never Seen It Thomas Ramge 2018-10-23 An ingeniously conceived tour of the global economy and all its key components, illuminated one by one in 99 large-scale, full-color infographics The economy is a complex, world-spanning, layer-upon-layer-upon-layer behemoth: One could argue that almost every aspect of our lives is connected to the realms of business and finance. And yet few of us truly understand it—even the world's foremost economists can't seem to agree on how it runs. The Global Economy as You've Never Seen It presents 99 brilliant infographics that everyone can understand. From start-ups to monopolies, from trade agreements to theory, author Thomas Ramge and infographic specialist Jan Schwochow bring every facet of the economic web to life. Economics connects us all, from what we buy, to how we buy it, who made it, and where. See the economy differently—and the world.

Engineering Economics John Charles Lounsbury Fish 1923

Mathematical Principles of Economics Wilhelm Launhardt 1993 This is the first English translation of the author's

text on economic theory. The book contains original analysis of neoclassic economics. This title is part of the Classics in the History of Economics series, edited by Mark Blaug and is a translation from German of the author's book *Mathematische Begründung der Volkswirtschaftslehre*.

Power and the Professional Gordon W.F. Young 2020-09-26 No matter who you are or what you aim to achieve, power determines whether you succeed or fail. But while power dynamics permeate every interaction in the workplace, the concept is very poorly understood or managed in practice. Everyone has influence over some people and is under the influence of others, and must choose how to deal with these realities in daily interactions. This book offers a comprehensive and applied understanding of power in a professional scenario: where it comes from, how it moves and what that means in practice for how professionals work together. Drawing on numerous recent case studies, this book offers a toolbox that anyone can apply, including explanations of the different forms of power, the two ways power can move between parties, the perils of power, how to create accountability, the intersection of power and ethics, and tools for maintaining power relationships with both superiors and subordinates. It provides employers and employees alike the means to understand, manage, and exert the power necessary to control their own circumstances.

Die Vierte Industrielle Revolution Klaus Schwab 2016-06-27 Die größte Herausforderung unserer Zeit Ob selbstfahrende Autos, 3-D-Drucker oder Künstliche Intelligenz: Aktuelle technische Entwicklungen werden unsere Art zu leben und zu arbeiten grundlegend verändern. Die Vierte Industrielle Revolution hat bereits begonnen. Ihr Merkmal ist die ungeheuer schnelle und systematische Verschmelzung von Technologien, die die Grenzen zwischen der physischen, der digitalen und der biologischen Welt immer stärker durchbrechen. Wie kein anderer ist Klaus Schwab, der Vorsitzende des Weltwirtschaftsforums, in der Lage aufzuzeigen, welche politischen, wirtschaftlichen, sozialen und kulturellen Herausforderungen diese Revolution für uns alle mit sich bringt.

Senior Leadership Roundtable on Military and Defence Aspects of Border Security in South East Europe I.V. Lochard 2019-02-08 The region of South East Europe (SEE), which is home to both NATO and Partnership for Peace (PfP) countries, serves as an important corridor between Europe and the Middle East, North Africa, and the Caucasus. In recent years, however, SEE has also experienced high levels of cross-border, military and defense-related challenges in the form of migration, smuggling, terrorism, and cyber threats. Furthermore, the use of the new information environment (IE) to further extremism in SEE and elsewhere in NATO and PfP countries has had far-reaching command and control (C2) implications for the Alliance. A collaborative interdisciplinary, international and regional approach is clearly needed to adequately assess and address these hybrid threats. This book presents papers delivered at the NATO Science for Peace and Security (SPS) event: "Senior Leadership Roundtable on Military and Defense Aspects of Border Security in South East Europe", held in Berovo, the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia* from 23-30 September 2017. The aim of this special SPS grant was to maximize opportunities for extensive dialogue and collaboration between senior regional members, and the almost 70 distinguished academic and legal experts, as well as current or former senior-level practitioners from various governments, NATO bodies, and international organization that participated. It was the first SPS event of its kind in SEE as well as the first NATO SPS grant to be co-executed by the U.S. Department of Defense via the U.S. National Defense University. Other co-organizers were the C4I and Cyber Center of Excellence at George Mason University and PfP partner institution, the General Mihailo Apostolski Military Academy – Skopje, Associate Member of the University of Goce Delchev – Stip. The book is divided into five parts: global trends, defining the problem, policy and academic solutions, national and regional case studies, and technological solutions. It will prove an invaluable source of reference for all those with an interest in the SEE region as well as cross-border hybrid threats, in general. * Turkey recognizes the Republic of Macedonia with its constitutional name.

The New Airline Code Matt Andersson 2005

Facilities Operations and Engineering Reference Association for Facilities Engineering 1999-06-14 Practical, hands-on expertise and technical data, covering essential issues in design, construction, operations and maintenance...

The editors, a team of leaders in facilities and plant management, have selected key information with the most common applications in managing facilities operations. Coverage includes: Economics (budgeting/cost control, financial analysis, VE, etc.) Civil engineering and construction practices Maintenance (with detailed staffing guidance and job descriptions, CMMS, planning, scheduling, training, work orders, inventory, preventive/predictive maintenance) Energy efficiencies (optimizing energy use, including heating, cooling, lighting, and water) HVAC Mechanical engineering Instrumentation and controls Environmental, health and safety issues

Proceedings of International Conference on Computational Intelligence, Data Science and Cloud Computing Valentina Emilia Balas 2021 This book includes selected papers presented at International Conference on Computational Intelligence, Data Science and Cloud Computing (IEM-ICDC) 2020, organized by the Department of Information Technology, Institute of Engineering & Management, Kolkata, India, during 25-27 September 2020. It presents substantial new research findings about AI and robotics, image processing and NLP, cloud computing and big data analytics as well as in cyber security, blockchain and IoT, and various allied fields. The book serves as a reference resource for researchers and practitioners in academia and industry.

A Million First Dates Dan Slater 2014-01-28 ** Previously published in hardcover as *Love in the Time of Algorithms* ** Once considered the realm of the lonely and desperate, sites like eHarmony, Match, OkCupid, and Plenty of Fish

have been embraced by pretty much every demographic. Dating has been transformed from a daunting transaction based on scarcity to one in which the possibilities are almost endless. Now anyone can search for exactly what they want, connect with more people, and get more information about those people than ever before. As journalist Dan Slater shows, online dating is changing society in more profound ways than we imagine. He explores how these new technologies, by altering our perception of what's possible, are reconditioning our feelings about commitment and challenging the traditional paradigm of adult life. Slater takes readers behind the scenes of a fascinating business. Dating sites capitalize on our quest for love, but how do their creators' ideas about profits, morality, and the nature of desire shape the virtual worlds they've created for us?

Bekenntnisse eines economic hit man John Perkins 2007

Offsite Production and Manufacturing for Innovative Construction Jack S. Goulding 2019-07-11 The offsite and modular market is continuing to grow. This book builds on the success of a number of initiatives, including formative findings from literature, research and development and practice-based evidence (success stories). It presents new thinking and direction from leading experts in the fields of: design, process, construction, engineering, manufacturing, logistics, robotics, delivery platforms, business and transformational strategies, change management, legislation, organisational learning, software design, innovation and biomimetics. This book is particularly novel and timely, as it brings together a number of cogent subjects under one collective 'umbrella'. Each of these chapters contain original findings, all of which culminate in three 'Key Learning Points' which provide new insight into the cross-cutting themes, interrelationships and symbiotic forces that exist between each of these chapters. This approach also provides readers with new contextualised understanding of the wider issues affecting the offsite market, from the need to embrace societal challenges, through to the development of rich value-laden solutions required for creating sector resilience. Content includes a balance between case studies and practice-based work, through to technical topics, theoretical propositions, pioneering research and future offsite opportunities ready for exploitation. This work includes: stakeholder integration, skills acquisition, new business models and processes, circularity and sustainable business strategies, robotics and automation, innovation and change, lean production methodologies and new construction methods, Design for Manufacturing and Assembly, scaled portfolio platforms and customisability, new legal regulatory standards and conformance issues and offsite feasibility scenario development/integration.

Selected Water Resources Abstracts 1980

Early Developments in Mathematical Economics R?ginos D. Theochar?s 1983

Ökonometrie für Dummies Roberto Pedace 2015-10-09 Theorien verstehen und Techniken anwenden Was haben die Gehälter von Spitzensportlern und der Mindestlohn gemeinsam? Richtig, man kann sie mit Ökonometrie erforschen. Im Buch steht, wie es geht. Und nicht nur dafür, sondern für viele weitere Gebiete lohnt es sich, der zunächst etwas trocken und sperrig anmutenden Materie eine Chance zu geben. Lernen Sie von den Autoren, wie Sie spannende Fragen formulieren, passende Variablen festlegen, treffsichere Modelle entwerfen und Ihre Aussagen auf Herz und Nieren prüfen. Werden Sie sicher im Umgang mit Hypothesentests, Regressionsmodellen, Logit- & Probit-Modellen und allen weiteren gängigen Methoden der Ökonometrie. So begleitet Ökonometrie für Dummies Sie Schritt für Schritt und mit vielen Beispielen samt R Output durch dieses spannende Thema.

Bloomberg Markets 2010-07

Financial Mail 2005

Umweltökonomie und Umweltpolitik Eberhard Feess 2013-11-04 Umweltökonomie – neue Aspekte Die rasanten Entwicklungen in der Umweltpolitik in den vergangenen Jahren führten zu umfangreichen Anpassungen in diesem beliebten Lehrbuch, die insbesondere die anwendungsorientierten Abschnitte betreffen. Hier wurden vor allem die Kapitel über die Umweltinstrumente (Auflagen, Steuern, Zertifikate), die Kosten-Nutzen-Analyse sowie die internationalen Umweltaspekte (bspw. Klimakonferenzen) grundlegend aktualisiert. Darüber hinaus enthält das Kapitel zur Ressourcenökonomie nun ebenfalls eine anwendungsbezogene Diskussion. Umweltökonomie – die Schwerpunkte - Spieltheoretische Grundlagen - Theorie externer Effekte - Auflagen - Steuern und Abgaben - Zertifikate - Verhandlungslösungen - Umwelthaftung - Umwelttechnischer Fortschritt - Internationale Aspekte des Umweltproblems - Umweltpolitik bei asymmetrischer Informationsverteilung - Kosten-Nutzen-Analyse - Ressourcenökonomie Zielgruppe Studierende der Volks- und Betriebswirtschaftslehre an Universitäten und Hochschulen sowie interessierte Praktiker in Wirtschaft, Politik und Verwaltung Prof. Dr. Eberhard Feess ist seit 2008 Professor für Managerial Economics an der Frankfurt School of Finance and Management. Zuvor hatte er Lehrstühle an der EBS, der Johann Wolfgang Goethe Universität Frankfurt und der RWTH Aachen. Prof. Dr. Andreas Seeliger lehrt seit 2011 Volks- und Energiewirtschaftslehre an der Dualen Hochschule Baden-Württemberg Mosbach. Zuvor war er bei Frontier Economics, der Trianel European Energy Trading sowie dem Energiewirtschaftlichen Institut an der Universität zu Köln beschäftigt.

One Economics, Many Recipes Dani Rodrik 2007 In One Economics, Many Recipes, leading economist Dani Rodrik argues that neither globalizers nor antiglobalizers have got it right. While economic globalization can be a boon for countries that are trying to dig out of poverty, success usually requires following policies that are tailored to local economic and political realities rather than obeying the dictates of the international globalization establishment. A definitive statement of Rodrik's original and influential perspective on economic growth and globalization, One

Economics, Many Recipes shows how successful countries craft their own unique strategies--and what other countries can learn from them. To most proglobalizers, globalization is a source of economic salvation for developing nations, and to fully benefit from it nations must follow a universal set of rules designed by organizations such as the World Bank, the International Monetary Fund, and the World Trade Organization and enforced by international investors and capital markets. But to most antiglobalizers, such global rules spell nothing but trouble, and the more poor nations shield themselves from them, the better off they are. Rodrik rejects the simplifications of both sides, showing that poor countries get rich not by copying what Washington technocrats preach or what others have done, but by overcoming their own highly specific constraints. And, far from conflicting with economic science, this is exactly what good economics teaches.

The Economics of Financial Markets Hendrik S. Houthakker 1996 Providing a comprehensive introduction to the subject of financial markets, this study includes unique analyses of the pricing of options and futures, particularly futures in Eurodollars. The authors assume a basic understanding of economics.

The Economics of Data, Analytics, and Digital Transformation Bill Schmarzo 2020-11-30 Build a continuously learning and adapting organization that can extract increasing levels of business, customer and operational value from the amalgamation of data and advanced analytics such as AI and Machine Learning Key Features Master the Big Data Business Model Maturity Index methodology to transition to a value-driven organizational mindset Acquire implementable knowledge on digital transformation through 8 practical laws Explore the economics behind digital assets (data and analytics) that appreciate in value when constructed and deployed correctly Book Description In today's digital era, every organization has data, but just possessing enormous amounts of data is not a sufficient market discriminator. The Economics of Data, Analytics, and Digital Transformation aims to provide actionable insights into the real market discriminators, including an organization's data-fueled analytics products that inspire innovation, deliver insights, help make practical decisions, generate value, and produce mission success for the enterprise. The book begins by first building your mindset to be value-driven and introducing the Big Data Business Model Maturity Index, its maturity index phases, and how to navigate the index. You will explore value engineering, where you will learn how to identify key business initiatives, stakeholders, advanced analytics, data sources, and instrumentation strategies that are essential to data science success. The book will help you accelerate and optimize your company's operations through AI and machine learning. By the end of the book, you will have the tools and techniques to drive your organization's digital transformation. Here are a few words from Dr. Kirk Borne, Data Scientist and Executive Advisor at Booz Allen Hamilton, about the book: Data analytics should first and foremost be about action and value. Consequently, the great value of this book is that it seeks to be actionable. It offers a dynamic progression of purpose-driven ignition points that you can act upon. What you will learn Train your organization to transition from being data-driven to being value-driven Navigate and master the big data business model maturity index Learn a methodology for determining the economic value of your data and analytics Understand how AI and machine learning can create analytics assets that appreciate in value the more that they are used Become aware of digital transformation misconceptions and pitfalls Create empowered and dynamic teams that fuel your organization's digital transformation Who this book is for This book is designed to benefit everyone from students who aspire to study the economic fundamentals behind data and digital transformation to established business leaders and professionals who want to learn how to leverage data and analytics to accelerate their business careers.

Human-Computer Interaction – INTERACT 2021 Carmelo Ardito 2021-08-25 The five-volume set LNCS 12932-12936 constitutes the proceedings of the 18th IFIP TC 13 International Conference on Human-Computer Interaction, INTERACT 2021, held in Bari, Italy, in August/September 2021. The total of 105 full papers presented together with 72 short papers and 70 other papers in these books was carefully reviewed and selected from 680 submissions. The contributions are organized in topical sections named: Part I: affective computing; assistive technology for cognition and neurodevelopment disorders; assistive technology for mobility and rehabilitation; assistive technology for visually impaired; augmented reality; computer supported cooperative work. Part II: COVID-19 & HCI; crowdsourcing methods in HCI; design for automotive interfaces; design methods; designing for smart devices & IoT; designing for the elderly and accessibility; education and HCI; experiencing sound and music technologies; explainable AI. Part III: games and gamification; gesture interaction; human-centered AI; human-centered development of sustainable technology; human-robot interaction; information visualization; interactive design and cultural development. Part IV: interaction techniques; interaction with conversational agents; interaction with mobile devices; methods for user studies; personalization and recommender systems; social networks and social media; tangible interaction; usable security. Part V: user studies; virtual reality; courses; industrial experiences; interactive demos; panels; posters; workshops. The chapter 'Stress Out: Translating Real-World Stressors into Audio-Visual Stress Cues in VR for Police Training' is open access under a CC BY 4.0 license at link.springer.com. The chapter 'WhatsApp in Politics?! Collaborative Tools Shifting Boundaries' is open access under a CC BY 4.0 license at link.springer.com.

Patterns-Based Engineering Lee Ackerman 2010-06-29 Successfully delivering Solutions via Patterns In Patterns-Based Engineering , two leading experts bring together true best practices for developing and deploying successful software-intensive systems. Drawing on their extensive enterprise development experience, the authors clearly

show how to deliver on the promise of a patterns-based approach—and consistently create higher-quality solutions faster, with fewer resources. Lee Ackerman and Celso Gonzalez demonstrate how Patterns-Based Engineering (PBE) can help you systematically overcome common obstacles to success with patterns. By bringing discipline and clarity to patterns usage, their techniques enable you to replicate your success broadly and scale patterns to even the largest projects. The authors introduce powerful ways to discover, design, create, package, and consume patterns based on your organization's experience and best practices. They also present extensive coverage of the nontechnical aspects of making patterns work, including a full chapter of guidance on clearing up misconceptions that stand in your way. Coverage includes Using patterns to optimize the entire development lifecycle, including design, coding, testing, and deployment Systematically managing the risks and economic returns associated with patterns Effectively implementing PBE roles, tasks, work products, and tools Integrating PBE with existing development processes, including eXtreme Programming, Scrum, and OpenUP Using Domain Specific Languages (DSLs) with patterns Whether you're an architect, designer, developer, analyst, project manager, or process engineer, Patterns-Based Engineering will help you to consistently derive greater business value and agility from patterns.

Engineering the Financial Crisis Jeffrey Friedman 2011-09-01 The financial crisis has been blamed on reckless bankers, irrational exuberance, government support of mortgages for the poor, financial deregulation, and expansionary monetary policy. Specialists in banking, however, tell a story with less emotional resonance but a better correspondence to the evidence: the crisis was sparked by the international regulatory accords on bank capital levels, the Basel Accords. In one of the first studies critically to examine the Basel Accords, *Engineering the Financial Crisis* reveals the crucial role that bank capital requirements and other government regulations played in the recent financial crisis. Jeffrey Friedman and Wladimir Kraus argue that by encouraging banks to invest in highly rated mortgage-backed bonds, the Basel Accords created an overconcentration of risk in the banking industry. In addition, accounting regulations required banks to reduce lending if the temporary market value of these bonds declined, as they did in 2007 and 2008 during the panic over subprime mortgage defaults. The book begins by assessing leading theories about the crisis—deregulation, bank compensation practices, excessive leverage, "too big to fail," and Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac—and, through careful evidentiary scrutiny, debunks much of the conventional wisdom about what went wrong. It then discusses the Basel Accords and how they contributed to systemic risk. Finally, it presents an analysis of social-science expertise and the fallibility of economists and regulators. Engagingly written, theoretically inventive, yet empirically grounded, *Engineering the Financial Crisis* is a timely examination of the unintended—and sometimes disastrous—effects of regulation on complex economies.

Interactive Project Management Nancy Lyons 2012-04-12 As an industry, interactive is different. The work entails elements of software development, marketing, and advertising, yet it's neither purely technical nor traditional "agency" work. Delivery methods are different, and because the industry is relatively new, the gap in understanding between the clients buying the work and the teams building it is often wide. Enter the geek girls guide. Nancy Lyons and Meghan Wilker don't just tell you how to deliver digital work, they demonstrate how to think about it. *Interactive Project Management: Pixels, People, and Process* helps clients, agencies, and industry professionals better understand the critical role of interactive project management, and presents a collaborative, people-focused approach to delivering high-quality digital work. In this book, the authors: Define the unique characteristics of interactive projects Explain the importance of emotional intelligence in the workplace Discuss communication techniques that help teams work together more efficiently Outline a process and specific deliverables that clarify how to think about critical aspects of a project Provide questions, tasks, tips, and advice that effectively move teams from initiation to launch

Strategic Cost Analysis Robert C. Creese 2012 Coverage of all cost analysis strategies in easy-to-understand language. Planning & execution of projects lucidly explained with worked examples. Techniques for successful management of projects explained clearly. Before and After-tax cash flow analysis

Effective Knowledge Management Systems in Modern Society Jennex, Murray E. 2018-07-20 Within the past ten years, tremendous innovations have been brought forth in information technology and knowledge management. Some of the key technical innovations have included the introduction of social media, artificial intelligence, as well as improved network connectivity and capacity. *Effective Knowledge Management Systems in Modern Society* is a critical scholarly resource that presents an overview of how technical, social, and process changes are impacting the way knowledge systems are being designed. Featuring coverage on a broad range of topics such as knowledge engineering, cognitive ergonomics, and interorganizational knowledge, this book is geared toward consultants, practitioners, and researchers seeking current research on how new approaches in knowledge management impact information technology professionals.

Technische Mechanik - Engineering Mechanics Siegfried Kessel 2012-06-05 Dieses Buch hilft in einem der wichtigsten Grundlagenfächer in- und ausländischen Studierenden, sich möglichst früh an Fachbegriffe und Formulierungen in Deutsch und Englisch zu gewöhnen. Der ausführliche Formeltext, zahlreichen Abbildungen und erläuternden Beispiele bieten in Verbindung mit den deutsch und englisch parallel geführten Textspalten weit mehr als ein Fachlexikon. Es kann als zweisprachiges Repetitorium zur Prüfungsvorbereitung genutzt werden. Behandelt werden die wichtigsten Teilgebiete der Mechanik fester Körper, die zum Standardprogramm der

Grundlagenvorlesungen gehören. Ein zweisprachiges Stichwortverzeichnis mit ca. 600 Begriffen ergänzt die Bedeutungserklärungen im Kontext. Die aktuelle Auflage ist im größeren Buchformat, mit neu gezeichneten Abbildungen noch übersichtlicher gestaltet, enthält am Anfang der Kapitel motivierende erläuternde Texte.

Architecting Google Cloud Solutions Victor Dantas 2021-05-14 Achieve your business goals and build highly available, scalable, and secure cloud infrastructure by designing robust and cost-effective solutions as a Google Cloud Architect. Key Features Gain hands-on experience in designing and managing high-performance cloud solutions Leverage Google Cloud Platform to optimize technical and business processes using cutting-edge technologies and services Use Google Cloud Big Data, AI, and ML services to design scalable and intelligent data solutions

Book Description Google has been one of the top players in the public cloud domain thanks to its agility and performance capabilities. This book will help you design, develop, and manage robust, secure, and dynamic solutions to successfully meet your business needs. You'll learn how to plan and design network, compute, storage, and big data systems that incorporate security and compliance from the ground up. The chapters will cover simple to complex use cases for devising solutions to business problems, before focusing on how to leverage Google Cloud's Platform-as-a-Service (PaaS) and Software-as-a-Service (SaaS) capabilities for designing modern no-operations platforms. Throughout this book, you'll discover how to design for scalability, resiliency, and high availability. Later, you'll find out how to use Google Cloud to design modern applications using microservices architecture, automation, and Infrastructure-as-Code (IaC) practices. The concluding chapters then demonstrate how to apply machine learning and artificial intelligence (AI) to derive insights from your data. Finally, you will discover best practices for operating and monitoring your cloud solutions, as well as performing troubleshooting and quality assurance. By the end of this Google Cloud book, you'll be able to design robust enterprise-grade solutions using Google Cloud Platform. What you will learn Get to grips with compute, storage, networking, data analytics, and pricing Discover delivery models such as IaaS, PaaS, and SaaS Explore the underlying technologies and economics of cloud computing Design for scalability, business continuity, observability, and resiliency Secure Google Cloud solutions and ensure compliance Understand operational best practices and learn how to architect a monitoring solution Gain insights into modern application design with Google Cloud Leverage big data, machine learning, and AI with Google Cloud Who this book is for This book is for cloud architects who are responsible for designing and managing cloud solutions with GCP. You'll also find the book useful if you're a system engineer or enterprise architect looking to learn how to design solutions with Google Cloud. Moreover, cloud architects who already have experience with other cloud providers and are now beginning to work with Google Cloud will benefit from the book. Although an intermediate-level understanding of cloud computing and distributed apps is required, prior experience of working in the public and hybrid cloud domain is not mandatory.

Cryptocurrency Mining For Dummies Peter Kent 2019-12-05 Find out the essentials of cryptocurrency mining The cryptocurrency phenomenon has sparked a new opportunity mine for virtual gold, kind of like the prospectors of a couple centuries back. This time around, you need some tech know-how to get into the cryptocurrency mining game. This book shares the insight of two cryptocurrency insiders as they break down the necessary hardware, software, and strategies to mine Bitcoin, Ethereum, Monero, Litecoin, and Dash. They also provide insight on how to stay ahead of the curve to maximize your return on investment. Get the tech tools and know-how to start mining Pick the best cryptocurrency to return your investment Apply a sound strategy to stay ahead of the game Find cryptocurrency value at the source From the basics of cryptocurrency and blockchain to selecting the best currency to mine, this easy-to-access book makes it easy to get started today!

Industrial Engineering: Fe Review Manual Brightwood Engineering Education 2018-10 Brightwood Engineering Education's Industrial Engineering: FE Review Manual is the best exam preparation available for the Fundamentals of Engineering (FE) Industrial CBT exam. This volume contains a variety of practice problems and step-by-step solutions that provide you with a complete and thorough review of the test topics. Contents: - Mathematics - Engineering Science - Ethics and Business Practices - Engineering Economics - Probability and Statistics - Modeling and Computation - Industrial Management - Manufacturing, Production, and Service Systems - Facilities and Logistics - Human Factors, Ergonomics, and Safety - Work Design - Quality - Systems Engineering Features: - 100+ problems with step-by-step solutions - Contains conventional English and SI units

Tools for Project Management, Workshops and Consulting Nicolai Andler 2008-11-21 Typically today's management tasks include project management, running workshops and working with consultancies - all complex activities, which require a multitude of skills and competencies. This book gives you a reference or cookbook-style access to the most important skills in a user-friendly format. Nicolai Andler presents in his book about 100 of such tools arranged according to task complexes. To make personal use of the tools as easy as possible, they are grouped into task-specific categories entitled Define Situation, Gather Information, Creativity, Goal Setting, Organisational Analysis, Technical Analysis, Strategic Analysis, Decision Making, Project Management, Checklists and Questions as well as Scenarios. Elements of information this books covers: - Relevant and appropriate for your needs - Up to date and as timely as possible - Comprehensive and sufficiently wide in scope, combined with a practical level of detail without being too academic - Reliable information from numerous tested sources and real implemented cases - Accessible and easy-to-use due to many different search options and self-help guides This book is a unique reference work and guide for those wanting to learn about or who are active in the fields of

consulting, project management and problem solving in general. It presents cookbook-style access to most important skills, including a rating of each tool in terms of applicability, ease of use and effectiveness.

Routledge Handbook of Water Economics and Institutions Kimberly Burnett 2014-12-05 Growing scarcity of freshwater worldwide brings to light the need for sound water resource modeling and policy analysis. While a solid foundation has been established for many specific water management problems, combining those methods and principles in a unified framework remains an ongoing challenge. This Handbook aims to expand the scope of efficient water use to include allocation of sources and quantities across uses and time, as well as integrating demand-management with supply-side substitutes. Socially efficient water use does not generally coincide with private decisions in the real world, however. Examples of mechanisms designed to incentivize efficient behavior are drawn from agricultural water use, municipal water regulation, and externalities linked to water resources. Water management is further complicated when information is costly and/or imperfect. Standard optimization frameworks are extended to allow for coordination costs, games and cooperation, and risk allocation. When operating efficiently, water markets are often viewed as a desirable means of allocation because a market price incentivizes users to move resources from low to high value activities. However, early attempts at water trading have run into many obstacles. Case studies from the United States, Australia, Europe, and Canada highlight the successes and remaining challenges of establishing efficient water markets.

Principles of Petroleum Development Geology Robert C. Laudon 1996 Principles of Petroleum Development Geology examines concepts that are fundamental to the success of tomorrow's petroleum geologists whether they call themselves exploration, development or environmental geologists. Petroleum development geology contains strong aspects of structural geology, reservoir engineering, drilling engineering, petrophysics, reflection seismology, and petroleum land management. This textbook is designed to outline the most salient aspects of these disciplines as they apply to development geology. Written on an introductory level, the book places emphasis on principles. Field examples and practical problems with solutions are included.

What Happens in America! Arjun Panchal 2017-05-19 With each word the Visa officer wrote, my heart pounded harder and grew heavier with each beat. He looked up at me blankly. And my breath went shallow as I waited for him to say something... With that, I am referring to the thousands of aspired youngsters, who go to America, seeking a quality education and expanded opportunities. That is the story of Kartik, a small-town lad dreams to escape a stifling educational system and home life! He is drawn to the lifestyle he could never imagine. But nothing prepares him for what he is about to experience. From varying weather to the 'variety' of food, to astounding technology to the whirlpool of relationships, it's time to find out What 'actually' Happens in America!

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