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the manuscripts in this volume were contributed by the speakers invited to the acromegaly centennial symposium held in san francisco california in july 1986 the meeting was organized to commemorate the description of acromegaly by the french physician pierre marie in 1886 the members of the scientific committee spent many hours assisting us in ensuring an outstanding meeting the support of serono symposia usa in all phases of the planning and execution of the meeting was sincerely appreciated and was highly professional special recognition roust be extended to professor roger guillemin of the salk institute whosp interest in medical history led him to devote a great deal of time and personal expense in obtaining information about the life of pierre marie dr guiliemin s presentation on the life and times of marie was an extraordinary overview of the cultural social and scientific backgrounds in which marie came to describe the disease acromegaly dr guillemin s findings which were presented at the main banquet in a splendid audiovisual presentation were clearly the highlight of the meeting and will long be remembered by the attendees we were also honored by the presence of dr martine pierre marie granier the great granddaughter of pierre harie in her address at the banquet dr granier provided several delightful and intimate vignettes concerning pierre marie using old family records and photographs the scientific committee wishes to extend its gratitude to dr granier for adding immeasurably to the historical atmosphere of the meeting

when the world of azeroth was young the god like titans brought order to it by reshaping its lands and seas throughout their great work they followed a magnificent design for what they envisioned azeroth would become although the titans departed azeroth long ago that design endures to this day it is known as the emerald dream a lush and savagely primal version of the world of warcraft many are the mysteries surrounding the emerald dream and its reclusive guardians the green dragonflight in times past druids have entered the dream to monitor the ebb and flow of life on azeroth in their never ending quest to maintain the delicate balance of nature however not all dreams are pleasant ones recently the emerald nightmare an area of corruption within the emerald dream began growing in size transforming the dream into a realm of unimaginable horror green dragons have been unexpectedly caught up in the nightmare emerging from it with shattered minds and twisted bodies druids who have entered the darkening dream lately have found it difficult sometimes even impossible to escape nor are these the nightmare s only victims more and more people are being affected even malfurion stormrage first and foremost of the druids on azeroth may have fallen victim to this growing threat as uncontrollable nightmares spread across the

world a desperate quest begins to find and free the archdruid soon nature's enemies will learn the true meaning of the name stormrage

timed to the twentieth anniversary of the blockbuster warcraft franchise the art of world of warcraft celebrates the groundbreaking art of the complete series to date in the ten years since its inception world of warcraft has revolutionized the role playing genre creating the immense world of azeroth and filling it with iconic characters and legendary weapons and environments featuring interviews with key developers and telling the complete story of the game's evolution this fully illustrated book vibrantly displays the renowned artwork at the heart of the franchise including never before seen art from the latest world of warcraft expansion warlords of draenor the art of world of warcraft will contain hundreds of drawings and concept art forming the ultimate tribute to the epic gaming franchise

this this book is open access under a cc by 4.0 license this book offers a comprehensive guide covering every important aspect of computational thinking education it provides an in depth discussion of computational thinking including the notion of perceiving computational thinking practices as ways of mapping models from the abstraction of data and process structures to natural phenomena further it explores how computational thinking education is implemented in different regions and how computational thinking is being integrated into subject learning in k-12 education in closing it discusses computational thinking from the perspective of stem education the use of video games to teach computational thinking and how computational thinking is helping to transform the quality of the workforce in the textile and apparel industry

this is the first textbook dedicated to explaining how artificial intelligence ai techniques can be used in and for games after introductory chapters that explain the background and key techniques in ai and games the authors explain how to use ai to play games to generate content for games and to model players the book will be suitable for undergraduate and graduate courses in games artificial intelligence design human computer interaction and computational intelligence and also for self study by industrial game developers and practitioners the authors have developed a website gameaibook.org that complements the material covered in the book with up to date exercises lecture slides and reading

the burning legion has come led by the mighty archimonde scores of demonic soldiers now march across the lands of kalimdor leaving a trail of death and devastation in their wake at the heart of the fiery invasion stands the mystic well of eternity once the source of the night elves arcane power but now the well's energies have been defiled and twisted for queen azshara and her highborne will stop at nothing to commune with their newfound god the fiery lord of the burning legion sargeras the night elf defenders led by the young druid malfurion stormrage and the wizard krasus fight a desperate battle to hold back the legion's terrible onslaught though only embers of hope remain an ancient power has risen to aid the world in its darkest hour the dragons led by the powerful aspect neltharion have forged a weapon of incalculable power the dragon soul an artifact capable of driving the legion from

the world forever but its use may cost far more than any could have foreseen the second novel in an original trilogy of magic warfare and heroism based on the bestselling award winning electronic game series from blizzard entertainment

the global food crisis is a stark reminder of the fragility of the global food system the global food crisis governance challenges and opportunities captures the debate about how to go forward and examines the implications of the crisis for food security in the world's poorest countries both for the global environment and for the global rules and institutions that govern food and agriculture in this volume policy makers and scholars assess the causes and consequences of the most recent food price volatility and examine the associated governance challenges and opportunities including short term emergency responses the ecological dimensions of the crisis and the longer term goal of building sustainable global food systems the recommendations include vastly increasing public investment in small farm agriculture reforming global food aid and food research institutions establishing fairer international agricultural trade rules promoting sustainable agricultural methods placing agriculture higher on the post kyoto climate change agenda revamping biofuel policies and enhancing international agricultural policy making co published with the centre for international governance innovation

an avid gamer and sharp media critic explains meritocracy's negative contribution to video game culture and what can be done about it video games have brought entertainment education and innovation to millions but gaming also has its dark sides from the deep bred misogyny epitomized by gamergate to the endemic malice of abusive player communities gamer culture has had serious real world repercussions ranging from death threats to sexist industry practices and racist condemnations in the toxic meritocracy of video games new media critic and longtime gamer christopher a paul explains how video games focus on meritocracy empowers this negative culture paul first shows why meritocracy is integral to video game design narratives and values games typically valorize skill and technique and common video game practices such as leveling build meritocratic thinking into the most basic premises video games are often assumed to have an even playing field but they facilitate skill transfer from game to game allowing certain players a built in advantage the toxic meritocracy of video games identifies deep seated challenges in the culture of video games but all is not lost as paul argues similarly meritocratic institutions like professional sports and higher education have found powerful remedies to alleviate their own toxic cultures including active recruiting and strategies that promote values such as contingency luck and serendipity these can be brought to the gamer universe paul contends ultimately fostering a more diverse accepting and self reflective culture that is not only good for gamers but good for video games as well

only once did david foster wallace give a public talk on his views on life during a commencement address given in 2005 at kenyon college the speech is reprinted for the first time in book form in this is water how does one keep from going through their comfortable

prosperous adult life unconsciously how do we get ourselves out of the foreground of our thoughts and achieve compassion the speech captures wallace s electric intellect as well as his grace in attention to others after his death it became a treasured piece of writing reprinted in the wall street journal and the london times commented on endlessly in blogs and emailed from friend to friend writing with his one of a kind blend of causal humor exacting intellect and practical philosophy david foster wallace probes the challenges of daily living and offers advice that renews us with every reading

digicat publishing presents to you this special edition of the homesteader a novel by oscar micheaux digicat publishing considers every written word to be a legacy of humankind every digicat book has been carefully reproduced for republishing in a new modern format the books are available in print as well as ebooks digicat hopes you will treat this work with the acknowledgment and passion it deserves as a classic of world literature

a sequel to the author s trailblazer china s elite politics political transition and power balancing published by world scientific in 2007 this book tackles the issue of governance in china it provides up to date information on china s political elites and evaluates their ability to deal with crises through four case studies snowstorm in the south the tibet issue the sichuan earthquake and the beijing 2008 olympic games along with china s elite politics political transition and power balancing this book provides rich empirical information on and insightful theoretical understanding of national level politics in china and serves as a good reference source for students of chinese politics

virtual heritage has been explained as virtual reality applied to cultural heritage but this definition only scratches the surface of the fascinating applications tools and challenges of this fast changing interdisciplinary field this book provides an accessible but concise edited coverage of the main topics tools and issues in virtual heritage leading international scholars have provided chapters to explain current issues in accuracy and precision challenges in adopting advanced animation techniques shows how archaeological learning can be developed in minecraft they propose mixed reality is conceptual rather than just technical they explore how useful linked open data can be for art history explain how accessible photogrammetry can be but also ethical and practical issues for applying at scale provide insight into how to provide interaction in museums involving the wider public and describe issues in evaluating virtual heritage projects not often addressed even in scholarly papers the book will be of particular interest to students and scholars in museum studies digital archaeology heritage studies architectural history and modelling virtual environments

my comfort read the best diaries ever written adam kay guardian every child in the country should receive a copy on their thirteenth birthday caitlin moran one of literature s most endearing figures mole is an excellent guide for all of us observer in 2022 sue townsend was awarded the legacy achievement award by the comedy women in print prize as seen in the times friday january 2nd i felt rotten today it s my mother s fault for singing my way at two o clock in the morning at the top of the stairs just my luck to have a mother like her

there is a chance my parents could be alcoholics next year i could be in a children s home meet adrian mole a hapless teenager providing an unabashed glimpse into adolescent life as he writes candidly about the dog his parents marital troubles and life as a tortured poet and misunderstood intellectual forty years after it first appeared sue townsend s comic masterpiece continues to be rediscovered by new generations of readers the uk s bestselling fiction book of the eighties and one of the great comic creations of the past half century impeccable comic timing evergreen comic writing i had more pure reading pleasure than from any other book i read this year john self the times reading the secret diary of adrian mole when i was 14 felt quite like an awakening greg davies sunday times townsend has held a mirror up to the nation and made us happy to laugh at what we see sunday telegraph one of britain s most celebrated comic writers guardian

introduces readers to snow and discusses topics such as different types of snowstorms regions where snow falls and how to prepare when a snowstorm approaches

a casebook that discusses all the mega mergers and acquisitions in terms of value that have happened in different industry sectors such as pharmacy technology telecommunications media and entertainment electrical and electronics energy finance consumer goods metals and automobile and airlines

the giver the 1994 newbery medal winner has become one of the most influential novels of our time the haunting story centers on twelve year old jonas who lives in a seemingly ideal if colorless world of conformity and contentment not until he is given his life assignment as the receiver of memory does he begin to understand the dark complex secrets behind his fragile community this movie tie in edition features cover art from the movie and exclusive q a with members of the cast including taylor swift brenton thwaites and cameron monaghan

the aim of this book is to publicise and bring to a wider audience the concept that the cause of two neurological diseases namely multiple sclerosis ms and mad cow disease also known as bovine spongiform encephalopathy are related through exposure to a common microbe acinetobacter which is found in human sinuses on skin and in the soil an infection is the cause of a neurological disease in man and in animals elevated levels of antibodies to acinetobacter have been found in multiple sclerosis patients as well as in ruminants who have been described as suffering from mad cow disease following exposure to contaminated feed supplements the overall objective and scope of this book is to inform the audience the reader that multiple sclerosis may be linked to a microbe acinetobacter which carries molecular structures resembling myelin the outer sheath covering of neurons

a simple ride home for the holidays turns into a nightmare for strangers katie brandt and alex walker when light snow rages into a full scale blizzard the two college students find themselves stranded and a vacant cabin becomes haven from the storm under different circumstances time alone with alex would be the ultimate holiday gift but katie knows alex

is engaged and she must hide her growing attraction however alex harbors a secret that just might change this holiday from the worst christmas ever to the best back cover

diagnosing and changing organizational culture provides a framework a sense making tool a set of systematic steps and a methodology for helping managers and their organizations carefully analyze and alter their fundamental culture authors cameron and quinn focus on the methods and mechanisms that are available to help managers and change agents transform the most fundamental elements of their organizations the authors also provide instruments to help individuals guide the change process at the most basic level culture diagnosing and changing organizational culture offers a systematic strategy for internal or external change agents to facilitate foundational change that in turn makes it possible to support and supplement other kinds of change initiatives

new york times bestselling author prepare a feast fit for a warchief with this official cookbook inspired by blizzard entertainment s hit online game presenting delicacies favored by the horde and the alliance alike this authorized cookbook teaches apprentice chefs how to conjure up a menu of food and drink from across the realm of azeroth featuring food pairings for each dish ideas for creating your own azerothian feasts and tips on adapting meals to specific diets this otherworldly culinary guide offers something for everyone the aromatic spiced blossom soup is perfect for plant loving druids and orcs will go berserk for the fall off the bone beer basted boar ribs with alternatives to the more obscure ingredients just in case you don t have chimaerok chops lying around this comprehensive cookbook will ensure that you have no trouble staying well fed each chapter features dishes at a variety of skill levels for a total of more than one hundred easy to follow recipes for food and brews including ancient pandaren spices fel eggs and ham mulgore spice bread dragonbreath chili graccu s homemade meat pie bloodberry tart greatfather s winter ale whether you re cooking for two or revitalizing your raid group for a late night dungeon run world of warcraft the official cookbook brings the flavors of azeroth to life the cookbook instilled in me not only a love for the craft of cooking but a newfound love for the game pc gamer

technology and increasing levels of education have exposed people to more information than ever before these societal gains however have also helped fuel a surge in narcissistic and misguided intellectual egalitarianism that has crippled informed debates on any number of issues today everyone knows everything with only a quick trip through webmd or wikipedia average citizens believe themselves to be on an equal intellectual footing with doctors and diplomats all voices even the most ridiculous demand to be taken with equal seriousness and any claim to the contrary is dismissed as undemocratic elitism tom nichols the death of expertise shows how this rejection of experts has occurred the openness of the internet the emergence of a customer satisfaction model in higher education and the transformation of the news industry into a 24 hour entertainment machine among other reasons paradoxically the increasingly democratic dissemination of information rather than producing an educated public has instead created an army of ill informed and angry citizens who denounce

intellectual achievement when ordinary citizens believe that no one knows more than anyone else democratic institutions themselves are in danger of falling either to populism or to technocracy or in the worst case a combination of both an update to the 2017 breakout hit the paperback edition of the death of expertise provides a new foreword to cover the alarming exacerbation of these trends in the aftermath of donald trump s election judging from events on the ground since it first published the death of expertise issues a warning about the stability and survival of modern democracy in the information age that is even more important today

this text is specifically designed to help nonnative graduate students improve their academic writing in english it consists of eight linked units plus three appendixes the units start with writing at the paragraph level and conclude with the construction of a research paper the genre based approach allows detailed attention to the purposes structures and styles of particular kinds of texts in addition the approach is strategic it assumes that graduate students need to write in ways that enhance their credibility in the eyes of their instructors academic writing for graduate students does not neglect areas of academic grammar and vocabulary found to be troublesome for nonnative speakers of english these are handled through language focus sections so placed in the text that they tie in with the wider rhetorical objectives the commentary includes explanations of and discussions about the activities in each unit of the textbook model or sample answers are provided when appropriate book jacket

design and build cutting edge video games with help from video game expert scott rogers if you want to design and build cutting edge video games but aren t sure where to start then this is the book for you written by leading video game expert scott rogers who has designed the hits pac man world maxim vs army of zin and spongebob squarepants this book is full of rogers s wit and imaginative style that demonstrates everything you need to know about designing great video games features an approachable writing style that considers game designers from all levels of expertise and experience covers the entire video game creation process including developing marketable ideas understanding what gamers want working with player actions and more offers techniques for creating non human characters and using the camera as a character shares helpful insight on the business of design and how to create design documents so put your game face on and start creating memorable creative and unique video games with this book

by his early thirties paul allen was a world famous billionaire and that was just the beginning in 2007 and 2008 time named paul allen the cofounder of microsoft one of the hundred most influential people in the world since he made his fortune his impact has been felt in science technology business medicine sports music and philanthropy his passion curiosity and intellectual rigour combined with the resources to launch and support new initiatives have literally changed the world the book features previously untold stories about everything from the true origins of microsoft to allen s role in the dawn of private space travel with

spaceship one and in discoveries at the frontiers of brain science with honesty humor and insight allen tells the story of a life of ideas made real

an important intervention in the conversation around social and ecological sustainability that draws on both micromarketing and macromarketing scholarship to help the reader understand the challenges with illustrations from insightful cases both from emerging and developed economies this compilation should be essential reading for the discerning student of sustainable consumption and production professor pierre mcdonagh associate editor journal of macromarketing usa professor of critical marketing society university of bath uk experts in the field of economics management science and particularly in the marketing domain have always been interested in and acknowledged the importance of sustaining profitable businesses while incorporating societal and environmental concerns however the level of existing literature and availability of teaching cases reflect a dearth of real case studies especially those focused on marketing for social good this book of actual case studies will address that need in addition this book is important and timely in providing a case book for instructors those in both industry and academia to help them in teaching and training the next generation of leaders through corporate training and universities currently marketing for social good is increasingly becoming a part of most curriculums under the umbrella of different titles such as social marketing green marketing and sustainability marketing the relevance of these studies is increasing across the globe this book is composed of long and short real cases with varying complexity in different sectors this case book will also cover some review articles for an overview of the recent developments in the study area with these case studies collections of questions teaching materials and real life marketing scenarios this book offers a unique source of knowledge to marketing professionals students and educators across the world the main objective of this case book is to understand the applicability of marketing science marketing for social good context such as social marketing and sustainability marketing in internet marketing related to e buying behavior and e wom in addition it illustrates the various types of existing marketing practices that are relevant from both theoretical and practical points of view in this electronic era as well as discussing other non electronic marketing practices and focusing on consumer buying behavior as a result marketing managers can treat their customers according to their desired value this book particularly explores the possibilities and advantages created by social marketing and sustainability marketing through the presentation of thorough review articles and case studies this case book helps corporate training centers and universities with compact teaching reference materials in their relevant courses

the first and only comprehensive guide to best practices in winter road operations winter maintenance operations are essential to ensure the safety mobility and productivity of transportation systems especially in cold weather climates and responsible agencies are continually challenged to provide a high level of service in a fiscally and environmentally responsible manner sustainable winter road operations bridges the knowledge gaps providing the first up to date authoritative single source overview and guide to best practices in winter

road operations that considers the triple bottom line of sustainability with contributions from experts in the field from around the world this book takes a holistic approach to the subject the authors address the many negative impacts on regional economies and the environment of poorly planned and inadequate winter road operations and they make a strong case for the myriad benefits of environmentally sustainable concepts and practices best practice applications of materials processes equipment and associated technologies and how they can improve the effectiveness and efficiency of winter operations optimize materials usage and minimize cost corrosion and environmental impacts are all covered in depth provides the first up to date authoritative and comprehensive overview of best practices in sustainable winter road operations currently in use around the world covers materials processes equipment and associated technologies for sustainable winter road operations brings together contributions by an international all star team of experts with extensive experience in designing implementing and managing sustainable winter road operations designed to bring professionals involved in transportation and highway maintenance and control up to speed with current best practice sustainable winter road operations is essential reading for maintenance professionals dealing with snow and ice control operations on highways motorways and local roads it is a valuable source of information and guidance for decision makers researchers and engineers in transportation engineering involved in transportation and highway maintenance and it is an ideal textbook for advanced level courses in transportation engineering

mawson turned down an invitation to join robert falcon scott s terra nova expedition in 1910 australian geologist griffith taylor went instead dawson chose to lead his own expedition the australian antarctic expedition to king george v land and adelie land the sector of the antarctic continent immediately south of australia which at the time was almost entirely unexplored the objectives were to carry out geographical exploration and scientific studies including visiting the south magnetic pole

this book offers a media ethnography of the digital culture conventions and urban spaces associated with fandoms arguing that fandom is an area of productive creative and subversive value

riziko pádů v ošetrovatelské praxi je aktuálním bodem managementu nežádoucích rizik ve zdravotnictví kniha zahrnuje informace o rizikových skupinách nemocných uvádí typy pádů a jejich mechanismy zabývá se konkrétními intervencemi k prevenci pádu nemocných ve zdravotnických zařízeních

after getting married and settling at wild plum creek david s and caroline s lives are turned upside down when disaster strikes and david must go east to find work for the winter

making the geologic now announces shifts in cultural sensibilities and practices it offers early sightings of an increasingly widespread turn toward the geologic as source of explanation motivation and inspiration for creative responses to conditions of the present moment in the

spirit of a broadside this edited collection circulates images and short essays from over 40 artists designers architects scholars and journalists who are actively exploring and creatively responding to the geologic depth of now contributors ideas and works are drawn from architecture design contemporary philosophy and art they are offered as test sites for what might become thinkable or possible if humans were to collectively take up the geologic as our instructive co designer as a partner in designing thoughts objects systems and experiences a new cultural sensibility is emerging as we struggle to understand and meet new material realities of earth and life on earth it becomes increasingly obvious that the geologic is not just about rocks we now cohabit with the geologic in unprecedented ways in teeming assemblages of exchange and interaction among geologic materials and forces and the bio cosmo socio political legal economic strategic and imaginary as a reading and viewing experience making the geologic now is designed to move through culture sounding an alert from the unfolding edge of the geologic turn that is now propagating through contemporary ideas and practices contributors include matt baker jarrod beck stephen becker brooke belisle jane bennett david benque canary project susannah sayler edward morris center for land use interpretation brian davis seth denizen anthony easton elizabeth ellsworth valeria federighi william l fox david gersten bill gilbert oliver goodhall john gordon ilana halperin lisa hirmer rob holmes katie holten jane hutton julia kagan wade kavanaugh oliver kellhammer elizabeth kolbert janike kampevold larsen jamie kruse william lamson tim maly geoff managh don mckay rachel mcrae brett milligan christian milneil laura moriarity stephen nguyen erika osborne trevor paglen anne reeve chris rose victoria sambunaris paul lloyd sargent antonio stoppani rachel sussman shimpei takeda chris taylor ryan thompson etienne turpin nicola twilley bryan m wilson

childhood obesity has reached epidemic proportions in the united states and continues to increase in prevalence in almost all countries in which it has been studied including developed and developing countries around the globe the causes of obesity are complex and multi factorial childhood obesity becomes a life long problem in most cases and is associated with long term chronic disease risk for a variety of diseases including type 2 diabetes cardiovascular disease non alcoholic fatty liver disease as well as psychosocial as issues and obesity seems to affect almost every organ system in the body in recent years there has been tremendous progress in the understanding of this problem and in strategies for prevention and treatment in the pediatric years childhood obesity causes consequences and intervention approaches presents current reviews on the complex problem of obesity from the multi level causes throughout early life before adulthood and the implications for this for long term disease risk it reviews numerous types of strategies that have been used to address this issue from conventional clinical management to global policy strategies attempting to modify the global landscape of food nutrition and physical activity each chapter is written by a global authority in his or her respective field with a focus on reviewing the current status and recent developments the book features information on contributing factors to obesity including developmental origins social family birth cohort studies influence of ethnicity and global perspectives it takes a life course approach to the

subject matter and includes exhaustive treatment of contributing factors to childhood obesity such as assessment environmental factors nutrition and dietary factors host factors interventions and treatment consequences and further action for future prevention this broad range of topics relevant to the rapidly changing field of childhood obesity is suitable for students health care professionals physicians and researchers

in today s increasingly complex cyberspace we see a variety of actors struggling to gain or maintain their position the ubiquitous use of information and communication technologies has had a profound influence on how these actors pursue their goals and interests the 8th international conference on cyber conflict cycon 2016 will focus on cyber power as one of the core elements of relations between different stakeholders and will discuss how the traditional concept of power applies to cyberspace both hard and soft power are being employed to achieve strategic and political goals through technical legal and economic means but how can we assess such power how can we ensure that such power remains in the right hands how can we ensure or enforce cyber power without risking conflict escalation how can we respond to exercises of this power with the right tools and measures is there a way to maintain a balance of power in cyberspace

a comprehensive look inside the art of the diablo series featuring never before seen concept art the art of diablo features more than twenty years worth of stunning concept art from diablo diablo ii and diablo iii plus never before seen concept development and environmental art explore new and familiar nightmares discover monsters and demons and descend into the hellish depths of the best selling action role playing game series

this open access book follows the idea that security policy must be based on strategic analysis defence policy and the role of the armed forces can subsequently be determined on the grounds of said analysis more than ever internal and external security and developments both in the netherlands and abroad are interconnected the world order is shifting the cooperation within nato and the eu is under pressure and the dutch armed forces are gasping for breath what is the task of dutch security and the defence policy there have been growing calls in the last few years to end the devastating cuts in the defence budget and to invest more in security the acute threats and conflicts in which the netherlands are involved have served as a wake up call the shooting down of flight mh17 over ukraine the streams of refugees from syria and other countries the conflict with da esh in syria and iraq and terrorist threats reveal how events in many of the world s flash points have a direct or indirect impact on the netherlands conflicts in other countries have a spill over effect in the netherlands this is illustrated by tensions between population groups and the clashes over the gülen schools after the failed putsch in turkey on 15 july 2016 and over the constitutional referendum in that country how do we ensure that any additional funds are not divided amongst the branches of the armed forces without any sense of strategic direction what should a future proof security policy that plots the course of defence policy entail what strategic analyses should lie behind the political choices that are made this book answers

these questions and offers a comprehensive framework addressing among other things human security national security and flow security this work was published by saint philip street press pursuant to a creative commons license permitting commercial use all rights not granted by the work s license are retained by the author or authors

this open access book explores the use of visual methods in migration studies through a combination of theoretical analyses and empirical studies the first section looks at how various visual methods including photography film and mental maps may be used to analyse the spatial presence of migrants the second section addresses the processual building of narratives around migration thereby using formats such as film and visual essay and reflecting upon the ways they become carriers and mediators of both story and theory within the subject of migration section three focuses on vulnerable communities and discusses how visual methods can empower these communities thereby also focusing on the theoretical and ethical implications of migration the fourth section addresses the issue of migrant representation in visual discourses the fifth and concluding section comprises of a single methodological chapter which systematizes the use of visual methods in migration studies across disciplines with regard to their empirical theoretical and ethical implications multidisciplinary in character this book is an interesting read for students and migration scholars who engage with visual methods as well as practitioners journalists filmmakers photographers curators of exhibitions who engage with a topic of migration visually

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Unlocking the Secrets of Measurement: From Centimeters to Feet

Have you ever found yourself staring at a blueprint, a DIY project instruction manual, or even a simple recipe, only to be confronted with a measurement system you don't fully understand? Perhaps you're comfortable with centimeters, but the instructions call for feet. This common scenario highlights the importance of understanding different units of measurement and the ability to seamlessly convert between them. This article will delve into the fascinating world of metric and imperial units, focusing specifically on the conversion of 300 centimeters (cm) to feet (ft). We'll explore the process, understand the underlying principles, and discover how this knowledge can be applied in various real-life situations.

Understanding the Metric and Imperial Systems

Before diving into the conversion, let's briefly revisit the two primary systems of measurement: the metric system and the imperial system. The metric system, also known as the International System of Units (SI), is based on the decimal system, using powers of 10 for its units. This makes conversions within the system remarkably simple. Common units include meters (m) for length, grams (g) for mass, and liters (l) for volume. The imperial system, predominantly used in the United States, is a more complex system with varied and less intuitive relationships between its units. Units like feet, inches, yards, and miles are used for length, while pounds and ounces are used for weight. This system's historical origins contribute to its less systematic nature.

The Conversion Factor: The Bridge Between Systems

The key to converting between the metric and imperial systems lies in understanding the conversion factor. This factor is a constant number that allows you to transform a measurement from one unit to another. For length, the fundamental relationship is: 1 inch (in) = 2.54 centimeters (cm). This means that one inch is approximately equal to 2.54 centimeters. This approximation is used in everyday conversions, although a more precise value exists.

Converting 300 Centimeters to Feet: A Step-by-Step Guide

Now, let's tackle the conversion of 300 centimeters to feet. Since we know the relationship between inches and centimeters, we can use a multi-step process:

1. Convert centimeters to inches: We have 300 cm. Using the conversion factor, we divide the number of centimeters by 2.54 cm/in: $300 \text{ cm} / 2.54 \text{ cm/in} \approx 118.11 \text{ inches}$
2. Convert inches to feet: There are 12 inches in one foot. Therefore, we divide the number of inches by 12 in/ft: $118.11 \text{ inches} / 12 \text{ in/ft} \approx 9.84 \text{ feet}$

Therefore, 300 centimeters is approximately equal to 9.84 feet.

Real-Life Applications of the Conversion

Understanding this conversion is crucial in many real-life scenarios:

- Construction and Engineering:** Blueprints often use feet and inches, while materials may be measured in centimeters. Accurate conversions ensure the project is built to the correct specifications.
- Interior Design and Decoration:** Choosing furniture, curtains, or carpets often involves working with both metric and imperial measurements. Correct conversion ensures a perfect fit.
- Travel and Navigation:** Maps and GPS systems may use different measurement units. Knowing how to convert ensures you accurately understand distances.
- Sports and Athletics:** Some sporting events might use different measurement units for distances, scores, or other relevant metrics.
- Cooking and Baking:** While recipes might primarily use one system, understanding the conversion is crucial for substitutions or adjustments.

Reflective Summary

This article explored the conversion of 300 centimeters to feet, illustrating the importance of understanding different measurement systems and their conversion factors. We emphasized the fundamental relationship between inches and centimeters (1 in \approx 2.54 cm) and showcased the step-by-step process for accurate conversion. The application of this knowledge across various fields, from construction to cooking, highlights its practical significance in our daily lives. Mastering unit conversions empowers individuals to confidently navigate various measurement systems and solve real-world problems.

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

1. Is the conversion of 1 inch to 2.54 cm exact? While commonly used as an approximation, 1 inch is defined as exactly 2.54 centimeters.
2. Can I use online converters? Yes, many online converters readily perform metric-to-imperial conversions, offering a quick and convenient alternative to manual calculations.
3. What about converting larger distances, like

kilometers to miles? Similar conversion factors exist for larger units. You'll need to determine the appropriate conversion factor for your specific needs. 4. Are there any potential errors in conversions? Rounding errors can occur during manual calculations. Using online converters or more precise values minimizes these errors. 5. Why are there two different measurement systems? The metric and imperial systems developed historically in different parts of the world. While the metric system is increasingly dominant globally, the imperial system remains common in some countries.

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