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Conspicuous Consumption in Africa

2019-05-01

this modern guide provides detailed theoretical and empirical insights into key areas of research in food economics it takes a forward looking perspective on how different actors in the food system shape the sustainability of food production distribution and consumption as well as on major challenges to efficient and inclusive food systems

Consumption Patterns Of The Middle Class In Contemporary China

2018-03-13

the manual provides practical guidance to governments in asian countries on implementation of the sustainable consumption section of the un guidelines for consumer protection using a question and answer format the guide provides background knowledge on sustainable consumption for governments wishing to implement un guidelines

The Consumption and Representation of Lifestyle Sports

2014-06-11

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Asian Mobilities Consumption in a Changing Arctic

2021-10-21

now that consumption has become the defining phenomenon of human life and society this book addresses the effects of critical life events on consumption motives and the sociological and intergenerational influences on consumers

Energy Research Abstracts

1994

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Consumption on the Woolen and Worsted Systems

1970

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Consumption and Management

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Advancing Sustainable Consumption in Asia

2005

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1982

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1997

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Ethics and Morality in Consumption

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1871

U.S. Imports for Consumption and General Imports

1980

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1974

American Publishers' Circular and Literary Gazette

1870

Effects of Alcohol Consumption During Pregnancy

1982

Inside Consumption

2005

The Oxford Handbook of the History of Consumption

2012-03-22

Consumption and Spirituality

2013

Consumption and the Breath Rebreathed Being a Sequel to the Authors Treatise on Consumption

1872

The Psychology of Food Safety and Consumption

2022-01-10

Arthur's Home Magazine

1885

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Tourism and the Consumption of Wildlife

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2001

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