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The catalogue Michelangelo Pistoletto. The Minus Objects. 1965-1966 is in itself an 'artistic' object realized in strict collaboration with the artist. It is divided in six sections. "Introduction" (p. 7-15), "Essay" (p. 81-111), "Conversations" (p. 129-159), "History" (p. 161-175) deepen from historical and critical perspectives Pistoletto's body of works entitled Oggetti in meno (Minus Objects), privileging the artist's point of view present both in the introduction and in the conversations with Carlos Basualdo and Germano Celant. While the sections "Works" (p. 17-79) and "Installation" (p. 113-127) consist in a very well detailed and unpublished photographic documentation of each single piece and of the whole body of works. This was possible thank to the re-installation of Oggetto in meno in occasion of the homonym exhibition curated by Luhring Augustine in 2013-2014. As it is explained in the catalogue, Oggetti in meno (Minus Objects) consists in a group of disparate objects with extremely different forms, media, means of production and materials. Due to the extraordinary novelty of this body of works, when Oggetti in meno first debuted in Turin in 1966 it was thought by spectators as a group exhibition. This is a demonstration of the fact that Oggetti in meno acted as a 'liberator' of (the idea of) art from preconceptions and expectations. In fact, after becoming a well-known artist for the production of mirror paintings, Michelangelo Pistoletto reacted to «the idea of making object to sell». Opposing to art-market his will was to go ahead with experimentation, following a new conception of art concerning «infinite creative possibilities». Oggetti in meno is also considered fundamental to the birth of Arte Povera and is a catalyst for the new relation with time. In particular, the work Globe (used for the outdoor performance Walking Sculpture, 1967) is also an anticipation of the artist's 'multidisciplinary turn'. Indeed, since 1968, a series of performance by Michelangelo Pistoletto and the theater group The Zoo witness the final opposition to the art system, inaugurating the dematerialization and conceptualization of art.