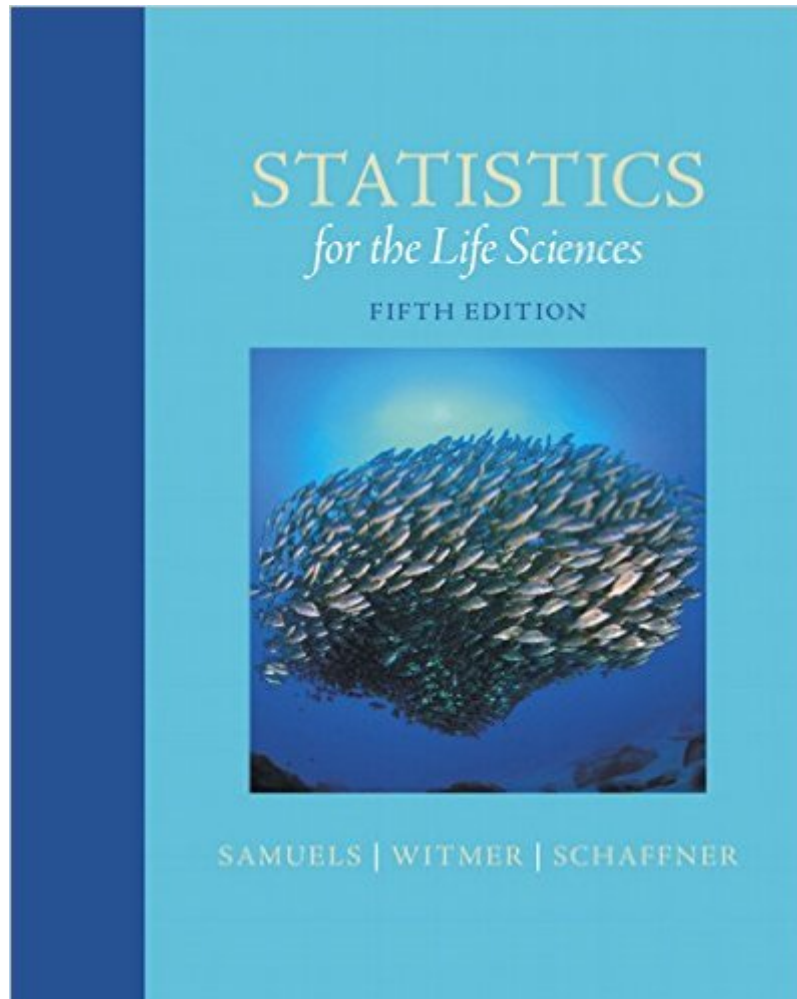


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My professor said there are many mistakes in this book that were not in the earlier editions; if I had the choice, I would've gone with the 3rd edition because it was cheaper and basically the same as the 4th edition. All in all though, a good statistics intro textbook.

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This statistics book is great for understanding statistical concepts without the assistance of a professor. The text is backed up by relevant tables and charts and clearly explains each statistical concept before going on to the next. The examples and problems are very realistic to statistically based problems that pertain to Life Science or Natural Resource fields.

Concise and easy to understand, can easily cover all the chapters in 10 weeks and it even tells you what is optional! For first timers this may be a bit challenging to understand but not too tough. This book makes learning biostatistics a bit easier.

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Came exactly as described. It's a text book so it fulfills its purpose. Has answers to a few questions in the back of the book as most math books do. Just a side note for those taking Stats - its not really a math class. More so a data analysis class. I recommend getting a TI30

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