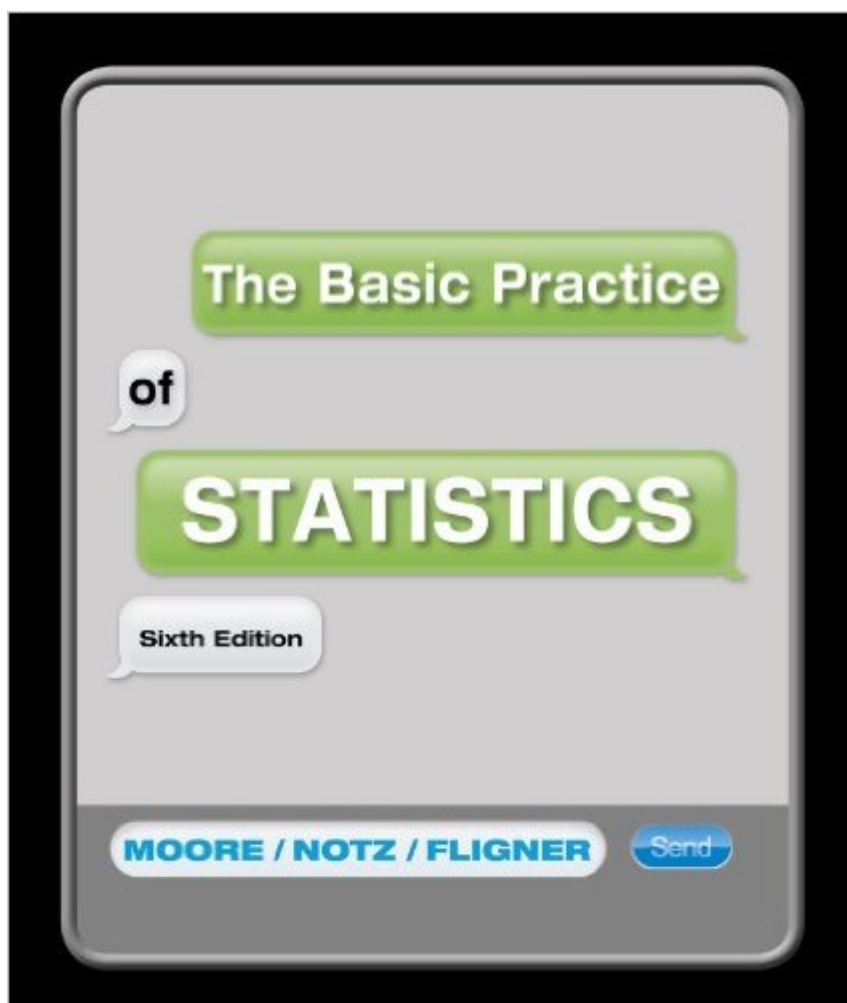


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if you want to learn statistics, this book is not your answer. i honestly believe that the writers of this book wrote it with the intention of making the general public incapable of ever understanding the basics of Statistics. You're better off just using wikipedia or youtube.my class is forced into using this book, and there have been numerous times where the equations provided in the book aren't explain, and the professor simply searched on wikipedia and taught the chapter off of that information. it is very clear that the authors could not find a simple way to iterate their knowlege.don't buy this book if you can avoid it.

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Horrible book - the explanations of the concepts are as clear as mud, examples in the chapter have very little to do with the problems in the book, solutions in the back of the book are sometimes

incorrect, and the problems are often worded in a way to make them as difficult as possible to understand what is wanted. My teacher only tried to work odd problems with us in the hope that this would help us do the even problems on our own, but the problems were often so unrelated that this usually didn't work. I like math, but would rather dig ditches in the hot sun rather than attempt problems from this book. I took statistics at another college a few years back, and the text was clear, with lots of examples using bell curves. This book has few diagrams, and the diagrams they do have are poorly connected to the text. Be prepared to learn on youtube if you are forced to use this text. The only excuse for the incomprehensible language used in this book to present concepts is that the authors are either English as a second language learners or are so brilliant in math that they have absolutely no writing skills. Shame on W.H. Freeman and Co. for producing six editions of this inexcusable excuse for a statistics textbook - I wish I could give it zero stars.

This book is awful. I had to get it for my STATS class and it doesn't help in the least. I haven't even been in class a month and already am lost. I get straight A's. If your teacher uses this book, get out while you can.

The book was exactly what it was advertised to be, and in the precise condition described in the information about the product. The price was fantastic, and the delivery was within the window given to me when I ordered. I couldn't be more pleased.

The Basic Practice of Statistics provides a thorough overview of basic statistical concepts. It includes plenty of realistic examples and re-loops to earlier sections of the book. It is meant to accompany an online portal or CD and often prompts you to engage with the technology to complete a problem.

This book is awful. Not only does it make grammatical errors, but it also uses didn't equations than higher level classes. It took my tutor and I hours to figure out some of these homework assignments as they are just difficult to follow.

Book came in a very good used condition. Did not see any markings on the pages. The corners of the book are showing a little wear, but overall the book is in great condition. I found the practice problems at the back of each chapter to be extremely helpful when preparing for an exam.

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