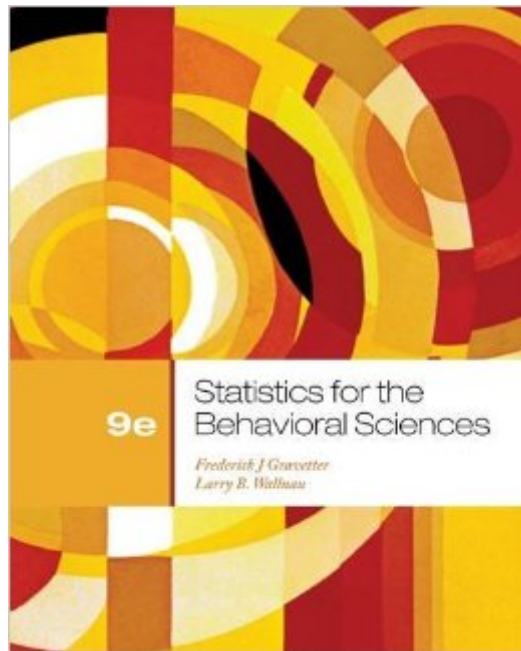# Statistics For The Behavioral Sciences, 9th Edition

Synopsis

The best-selling introduction to statistics for students in the behavioral and social sciences, this text continues to offer straightforward instruction, accuracy, built-in learning aids, and real-world examples. The goal of STATISTICS FOR THE BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES, 9th Edition is to not only teach the methods of statistics, but also to convey the basic principles of objectivity and logic that are essential for science and valuable in everyday life. Authors Frederick Gravetter and Larry Wallnau help students understand statistical procedures through a conceptual context that explains why the procedures were developed and when they should be used. Students have numerous opportunities to practice statistical techniques through learning checks, examples, step-by-step demonstrations, and problems.

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I have generally struggled with math classes, especially statistics, but this book was fairly easy to read.The reason I rated two stars? There are some horrible typos and editing errors that completely change the formulas and make some of the problems unsolvable. The worst were in Chapter 14. I'll list them below for anyone else that has to use this book:On page 497, in the formulas given for the A x B interaction for SS, the formula given is incorrect. The correct formula is on page 481.The formula given on page 497 is: SSaxb = SSbetween treatments - SSa x SSbThe formula given on page 481 is: SSaxb = SSbetween treatments - SSa - SSbFor the problems of Chapter 14, Problem 10 on page 500 is completely unsolvable. Both N and G are wrong (Should be 30 and 210 instead

of 40 and 120, respectively) but BESIDES that there must be some other error since after correcting those the problem was still unsolvable.All of those errors were confirmed by my instructor.

This is a great text book for statistics. We had to use this test book for the statistics class for my doctoral program. This was my 4th stats class and this was by far better than any of the other books I used for past classes.

This book is necessary for any high level statistics class. The explanations are clear and concise with details as well as formulated answer guides. Although my school provided the eBook a physical text is always needed for any kind of math especially at this level.

This international edition is SIGNIFICANTLY cheaper than the vastly overpriced US version. Best I can tell, the content is exactly the same, except for three minor differences between the two versions:1) the international is black and white instead of color;2) the international edition is offered in paperback only; and3) most importantly, the ordering of the end-of-chapter questions are different, so if your professors requires you to complete these from the book, this could be difficult for you.Let's face it, you're probably not buying this unless your class requires you to. I want to reassure the worried that, thus far, I have found that this book offers a very gentle and accessible introduction to statistics. So, depending on your background, you'll be happy your professor selected this instead of a more dense and technical textbook. If you're already familiar with statistics, though, you will find this book to be too simplistic.

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This was a great book to use for my stats class. I used it with another book, but this was the main text for the students. The book describes the information in simplistic terms, and the students expressed satisfaction with it.

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