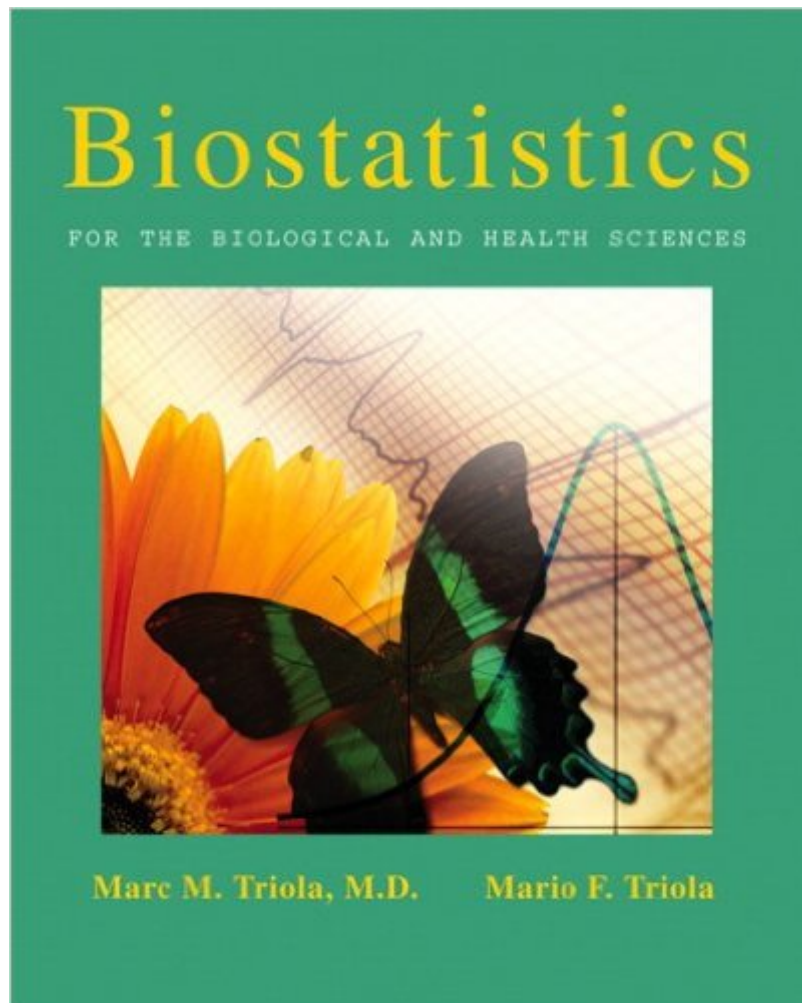


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Biostatistics for the Biological and Health Sciences is the result of collaboration between the author of the #1 statistics book in the country and an expert in the biological sciences field. The major objective of this book is to provide a thorough, yet engaging introduction to statistics for students and professors in the biological, life, and health sciences. This text reflects the important features of a modern introductory statistics course and includes an abundance of real data and biological applications, and a variety of pedagogical components to help students succeed in their study of biological statistics. MARKET: It is the ideal introduction to statistics for students and professors in the biological, life, and health sciences.

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and thus far can find no major criticism and plenty to praise.

The rented book arrived in bad condition. The cover was so dingy that when I wiped it with a wet wipe, the cloth had black grime on it! The binder was loose, which is probably to be expected but a little unnerving because you don't want the thing to fall apart on you. The worst part for me was that it had hair and other disgusting dried matter (food and what appeared to be boogers) attached throughout the pages. Needless to say, I returned it and will not choose an "acceptable" conditioned book again.

I'm sorry but this book is so poorly done, that even I, someone who never reviews anything, is writing a review. And I'm sure there's a number of people that will disagree with me, and that's great but, this book is not very friendly at all. Especially for those of us that aren't incredibly inclined to mathematics.. The steps are unclear about how to do problems. There aren't really step by step instructions... Granted, statistics is one of those awkward subjects that many people have trouble with. However, just because people are good at PERFORMING a skill, doesn't necessarily mean they ought to write a book and attempt to TEACH it. I can't imagine how difficult it is to develop a statistics book and this is the second one I've ever used but, between the two, the Triola's would lose my business =/

I teach an introductory level stats course with this book and it's perfect. It's straightforward, organized, accessible, well-written... great textbook! The TAs and students also really like it.

I was impressed with this package because it had all of the products content inside and that makes a difference when buying blind sided. I am well impressed and will continue using this seller in the future.

Is a very nice product that can help people in bio statistic class recommended and the quality is great very nice for everyone ok.

The book is okay, but nothing better than "Elementary Statistics" from Mario Triola. This rental promised to have the Statdisk software but it doesn't, and the tables were quite wear out.

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