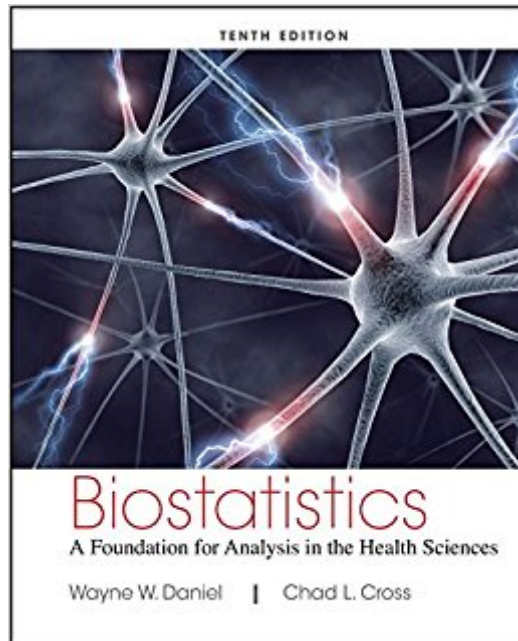The book was found

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Synopsis

This 10th edition ofÃ Â Biostatistics: A Foundation for Analysis in the Health Sciences, 10th EditionÃ Â should appeal to the same audience for which the first nine editions were written: advanced undergraduate students, beginning graduate students, and health professionals in need of a reference book on statistical methodology. Like its predecessors, this edition requires few mathematical prerequisites. Only reasonable proficiency in algebra is required for an understanding of the concepts and methods underlying the calculations. The emphasis continues to be on an intuitive understanding of principles rather than an understanding based on mathematical sophistication. For most of the statistical techniques covered in this edition, we discuss the capabilities of one or more software packages (MINITAB, SAS, SPSS, and NCSS) that may be used to perform the calculations needed for their application. Resulting screen displays are also shown.

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Biostatistics A Foundation for Analysis in the Health Sciences TENTH EDITION

I find this book hard to understand. I took basic statistics approximately 10 years ago, and thus my knowledge on the subject is highly limited. This book assumes you know quite a bit about statistics already. The explnations and examples use assumptions that I am not able to follow. There are no headlines within the chapters for important information/formulas, so these are difficult to decipher. Also, my professor is continually saying how the book is just wrong on certain topics. It does not use

SPSS, it uses minitab. I would not recommend this book to a beginning stats user. There are better texts out there for this class. I gave it an extra star for having good examples that use real life situations.

the bookÃƒÂ¢Ã â ¬Ã â doesn't give you visuals on how to do the problem. Had to grab my daughters book from 4 years ago which is the 3rd edition and helped me more than this book. Will not recommend in eval for school.

Excellent, thorough, comprehensive guide to the basics of statistics. Especially useful in clinical epidemiology. Only problem is that the answers to the questions are provided only for odd numbers. Fail. Excel spreadsheets available and very useful. I use STATA so that was missing in the book. In any event, in spite of these shortcomings, Daniel has changed my way of approaching and understanding statistics applied in medicine and healthcare.

It was a bit confusing at first comparing it with Biostatistics: a Foundation for Analysis in the Health Sciences. But it is basically the same book with different chapter tittles, so it works out great.

Helped me understand how to apply various statistical tests in a methodical manner. Only thing I didn't like was that it was loose-leaf, which I was not expecting

Wonderful product and great transaction. Thank you very much!

maybe its the level I am that doesn't require such comprehensive knowledge; but even if that was the case I think its still a hard read. Its not really simplistic enough or visually appealing.

Well written with many examples - makes a difficult subject understandable - for those who are math phobic - like me

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