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# Principles Of Managerial Finance, Brief (7th Edition)- Standalone Book (Pearson Series In Finance)



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## Customer Reviews

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Most courses that use this text will require you to have access to Pearson's "My Finance Lab". To be clear, this text does not include that access. It has to be purchased separately (available here on ) for more than the cost of the text. Be sure to place loose leaf text into a large binder before removing plastic wrap!

So I have zero experience in finance whatsoever, my undergrad was in communication. I picked up this book for my MBA class and felt like they did a really good job of explaining the material, even for someone in my situation. The book does a good job of relating real world work situations as well as situations that a person would face in their personal investments and finances. It does offer online tutorials that we didn't use, I would assume that this would also help with understanding the material.

Poorly written. It would seem a lot of the writings and editing is done by someone who isn't very literate. They also use terms and math that is unnecessary or more complicated than needed for the subject. I have connections with people who have a career in finance who have said this is not at all how they do it. I only got this book because it was required for a college course, google has honestly taught me more about the subject than this book has.

This is easily the worst textbook I've ever had to work with in my college career, and I already have one bachelor's degree. I've stumbled across mislabeled headers, misspelled words, and a number of other childish errors that should not be found within a book to aid learning. This book is sloppy and confusing. Many of the chapters alternate between concepts and then how to complete formulas on a financial calculator or in excel. In one chapter, I spent hours trying to figure out why my homework did not look right before I realized it was because the "how-to do in excel" portion of the chapter had their formula wrong... SERIOUSLY?? What worse, is students are often tested on how to complete the formulas in order to confirm their knowledge of the concepts. But this book is very ineffective in walking a beginner through the formulas. Sure, they provide the formula, and they provide sample problems, but never do they step-by-step apply the numbers from the word problem to the formula to really show how to get from the beginning to the end. For a little reference, I am an accounting major who has been very successful with other numerically-based business courses, and am very good with math and formulas, but this book is no help in your learning and being that I am enrolled in an online class, I am drowning. Please save your students the headache (and money) and do not use this book. Awful, awful, awful.

I found the book to be interesting but some of the material was hard to grasp and unless you have some additional and supplemental material from your instructor this would only make it more difficult to understand. Another problem is the fact that there is no student solutions manual available to purchase with this book and there are only a few answers provided at the end of the book for end of chapter problems. I found the book almost as demanding as a calculus book so a solutions manual would be appropriate. I have a understanding of finance and accounting and yet I found the material somewhat hard to grasp so I can imagine how difficult it would be for a novice. The material needs to be presented in a better fashion and more examples need to be given for different scenarios.

Just wrapped up this class. This book is great, I would seriously recommend it for people in general

to learn about the basics of finance. The seller of this item was also wonderful. Got the book in 2 days, no wear and tear at all.

It's a great book for someone who's wants to learn the basics and more. Very detailed and informative.

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