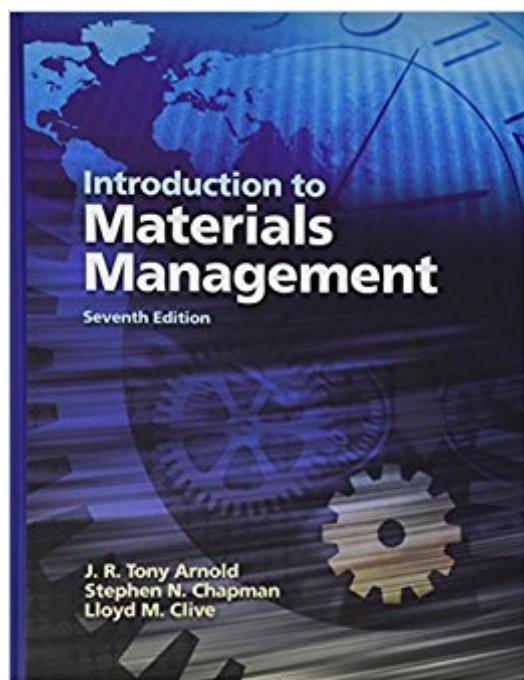


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So far I'm very impressed with this book. Have been meaning to purchase it for a while, but just wasn't sure of the price tag. If I were in University classes I'd have to make the purchase, but I'm studying on my own for the CPIM. That made me a little bit on the side of if I don't have time to read it then it's a big waste of money. So far it's a very informative read. My experience is in logistics and supply chain and have worked in other countries besides the US, so having a plain English book

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The book is hard to follow at times but there are good details and great case studies at the end of each chapter to help practice the tools and concepts that are taught. It's been instrumental in my learning about materials management.

The book was really informative and a good read. Some of the questions and answers weren't correct but my teacher guided me in the right direction.

I had the use this book in school, it seems to be full of information but it also could have been made easier to understand, I found it to be confusing to me. Not sure if they have a more updated version of this book it would be important to have if they did.

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This book is a constant reference. In writing custom inventory programs its great to be able to refer to this to find the formula for EOQ and add the formula. Allows the end user to get there quickly and to show if their inventory is set correctly. A lot of information for figuring out how do I apply the text to the current customer.

A dry textbook that I needed to read to take the first APICS exam for my CPIM. I found this just like

any other boring textbook you read in college

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