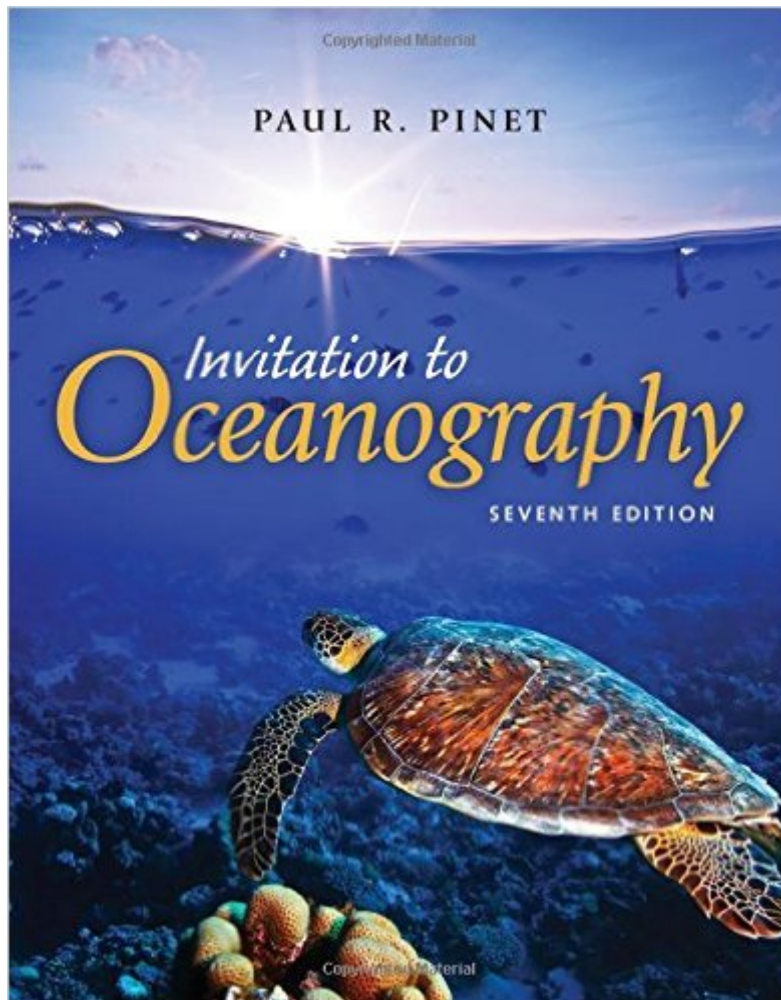


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My daughter is using this book to prepare for Science Olympiad. It has been extremely helpful to her. It is probably a college text, and she is a high school freshman but it has about 80% of the

material she needs to prepare and she can understand most of it.

This text requires absolute focus; it is full of charts, diagrams, etc to explain concepts. Although I have lived next to the ocean in Alaska for more than 40 years, and have been a commercial fisherwoman for 25, this book gave detailed explanations for our Earth; that should be called "Water".

I think it's a pretty good book, but there are a few misses on the biological oceanography chapters!! For example, cyanobacteria are NOT archea, they are bacteria, forams are NOT animals and diatoms are NOT plants. Of course, it isn't a biology text per se, but even the smallest misses can hurt the overall credibility of the book, in fact they have me second guessing anything biology-related that I didn't previously know ... Aside from those little hiccups I think it's a good book; good diagrams/figures, it gets to the point, very informative and easy to understand.

I rented this book for my class, it served its purpose. Some of the text is harder to understand but the book is overall useful.

The book is very good!

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