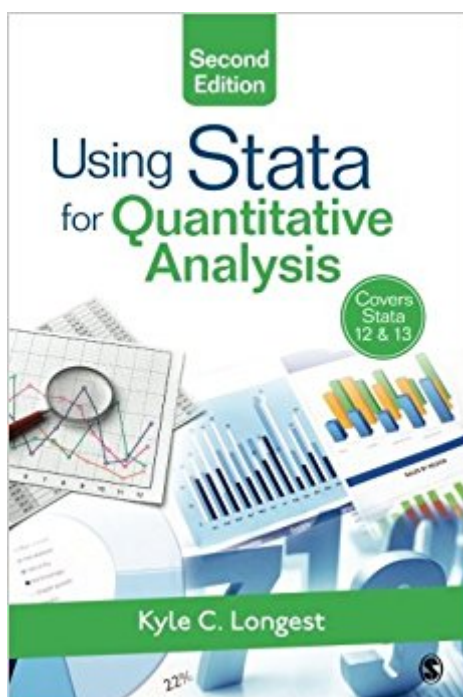


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Using Stata for Quantitative Analysis, Second Edition offers a brief, but thorough introduction to analyzing data with Stata software. It can be used as a reference for any statistics or methods course across the social, behavioral, and health sciences since these fields share a relatively similar approach to quantitative analysis. In this book, author Kyle Longest teaches the language of Stata from an intuitive perspective, furthering students' overall retention and allowing a student with no experience in statistical software to work with data in a very short amount of time. The self-teaching style of this book enables novice Stata users to complete a basic quantitative research project from start to finish. The Second Edition covers the use of Stata 13 and can be used on its own or as a supplement to a research methods or statistics textbook.

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Just received the book a couple of hours ago and have read several chapters. It is NOT a cookbook-style tutorial written for readers who have limited experience with Stata or other similar software platforms. As far as I have read, materials are not well organized and beginners will be confused for sure: some details and "if you" scenarios are introduced too early and readers might be distracted. Not reader-friendly and steps of software operation are deeply buried in lengthy narratives. So be patient when reading. For software users, as far as I recall, the cookbook-style has been mainstream since the 1990s. But this book seems an exception. It is OK for readers who have already had some work experience with Stata. But for beginners, avoid it.

My mentor recommended this book to me because my department recently switched the stats package we all use in our classes. This is a great way to learn the software -and- data analysis at the same time. This book spells things out in terms that non-statisticians can grasp. Totally worth the money!

This is a really clear and straightforward explanation of how to use STATA. One of the best I have seen for beginner to early intermediate level.

I have been using this book a lot, and recommend it to anyone who is learning STATA.

Pretty good.

Great book for starting stata users. Perhaps lacks of deepening in statistical analysis, although the author is very clear in stating that this is not the main purpose of the book.

Really helped me learn stata for my class

Was a huge lifesaver for my graduate STATA course.

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