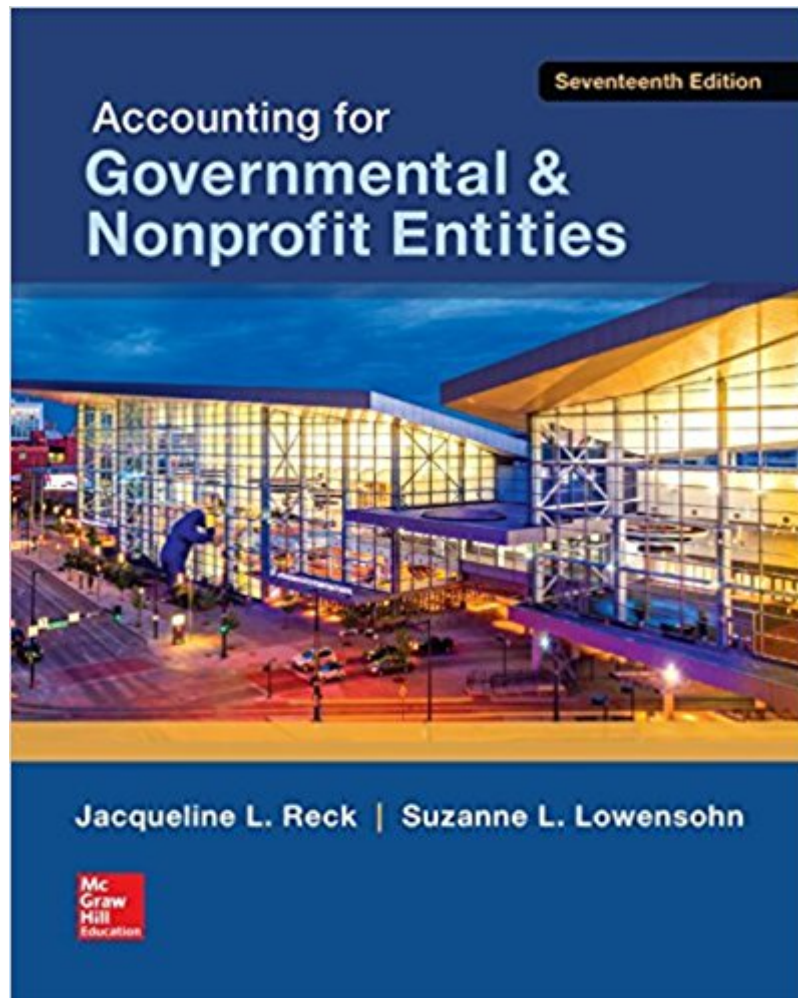


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For more than 60 years, Accounting for Governmental & Nonprofit Entities has been the leader in the market. It is a comprehensive governmental and not-for-profit accounting text written for students who will be auditing and working in public and notfor- profit sector entities. Originally published in 1951 and written by Professor R. M. Mikesell, this bookâ •and the many subsequent editions revised by Professors Leon Hay, Earl Wilson, Susan Kattelus, Jacqueline Reck, and Suzanne Lowensohnâ •have given generations of instructors and students a comprehensive knowledge of the specialized accounting and financial reporting practices of governmental and not-for-profit organizations, as well as an understanding of how those organizations can better meet the information needs of a diverse set of financial statement users and decision makers. The vision of these original authors continues to be reflected in this 17th edition, and their strategy of providing a large and innovative set of instructional support materials prepared and tested in the classroom by the authors continues to be a guiding principle today. The current author team brings to this edition their extensive experience teaching government and not-for-profit courses as well as insights gained from their professional experience, scholarly writing, and professional activities. The result is a relevant and accurate text that includes the most effective instructional tools.

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Assigned by a professor who had worked with the authors. The most recent version is better than

the one we started with (had to switch halfway through because professor decided to change after class started.) But this book is not clear in many things. Illustrations don't match what the text is saying so they are either misplaced or inappropriate. I would like to have seen a plain chart somewhere in the not-for-profit section that compared all 3 styles side by side, with changes in account names, specific names for forms required, limits on accounting methods, etc. Instead you have to wade through chapters of vague information to pull out the information. As a textbook is was bad. As a reference book - it would be worse than useless.

This book is unclear and tough to follow. The material is boring enough, but the format of this book makes it even worse. Sorry if you're required to buy it.

This book was terrible. Mistakes throughout and the practice questions either didn't make sense or the multiple choice answers were not clear. Not like it matters. If you have to get the book because a professor requires it, you have to get the book (even if it sucks).

I, of course, purchased this book for a course. It had some very good, clear content. However, it also had a lot of areas where the explanations weren't clear. Particularly, there are whole sections where it only provides example journal entries with very brief explanations. For someone who is a partly verbal learner, this bothered me a bit. Still, it's an okay book if you're forced to read it for a class.

This book is extremely difficult to follow. Examples are not explained and there are a few that are incorrect which makes the book even more confusing. It does not give clear explanations of things which makes it almost impossible to use for online education. I would not recommend any instructor using this book especially online instructors.

This book is the worst! It is very complicated, not clear, the terms and words are so not understandable. Examples are so irreverent and not helpful at all. Exercises are very complicated and it assumes you have all the fundamentals unlike the introduction of this book. I had to buy it from my school, and I am stuck with it, big mistake. DO NOT RECOMMEND THIS AT ALL BE AWARE!!!!

Exactly what I needed for my course at a great price!

This text book was required for my college course. While the material is complicated, the authors did a fairly well job of putting it together. Sometimes I get lost in the numerous details and lose sight of the big picture of each chapter. I appreciate the tables and charts in each chapter.

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