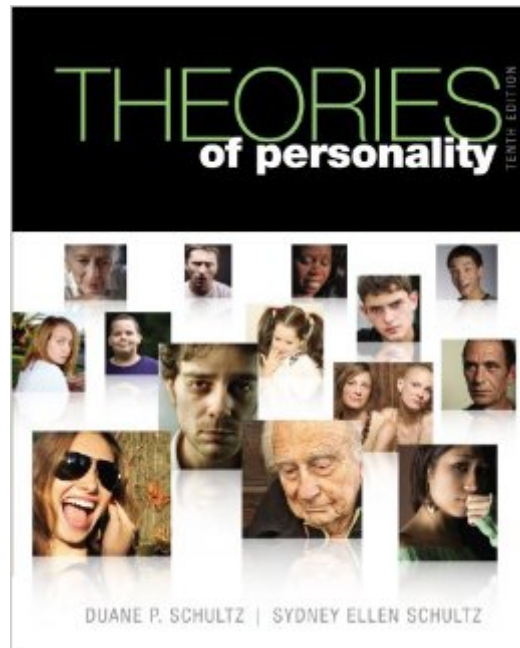


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Very well organized information as far as theorists go. It's hard to improve on content though when you have little interest in it. It is a book I'll keep though as it is easy to use as a reference because of its organization.

Great textbook. The material is easy to read and gives a good amount of information for each theory. I bought the book used with the status being "very good." The pages were kept in great condition with little creases or bending of the pages (especially the corners). However, I was disappointed with the highlighting. There was a significant amount which normally wouldn't bother me but the previous user used an orange highlighter so it was hard to ignore. They also proceeded to highlight full paragraphs. It was distracting and obnoxious but I saved a lot of money.

This book is very informative and is written so that anyone can understand how the thoughts of the field of psychology developed to the state that they are practiced today in current times. This makes an excellent preliminary resource to be followed up with "An Introduction to the History of Psychology." Together, these books would give a student a very comprehensive understanding of the field of psychology.

This book is filled with great information and a very easy read. It is also interesting enough to keep you focused and allow you to complete your assigned readings without taking a million and one breaks. Having pictures here and there doesn't hurt either.

This book was great for what I needed it. It was for my Theories of Personality class in College and for the price I paid, it was perfect (being a college student with a shorter budget). This edition was just as good as the next newer one, and the professor let us use it since there wasn't such a big change in the printing. It was in great condition and held up great.

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