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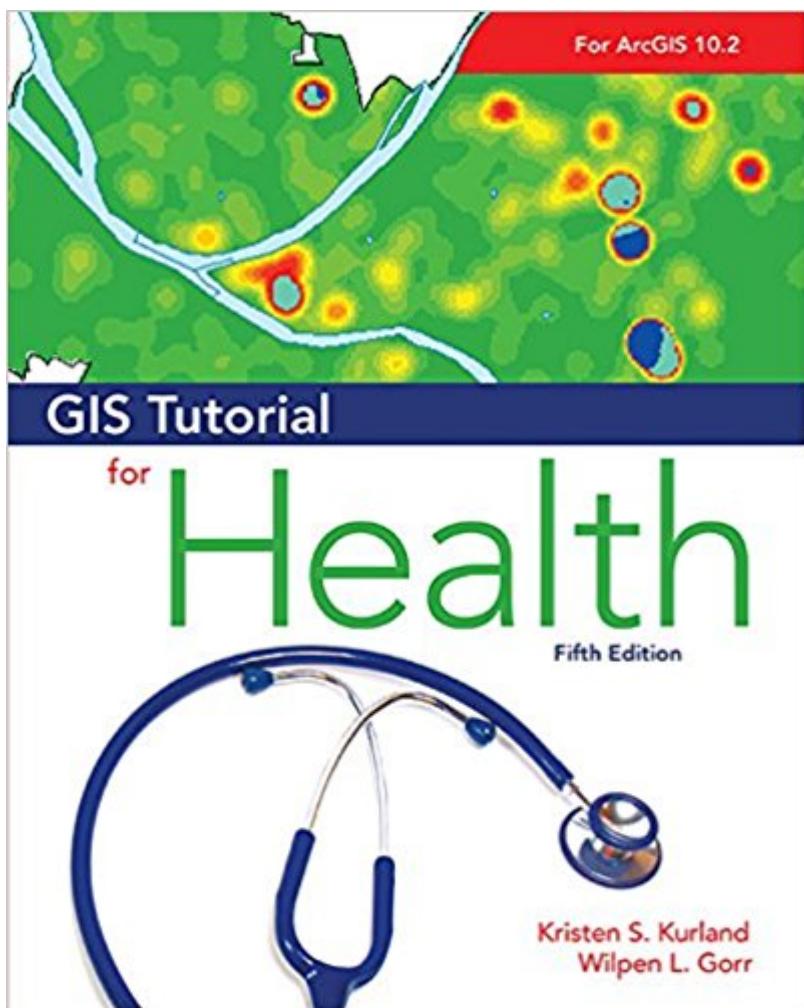
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For ArcGIS 10.2

GIS Tutorial for Health

Fifth Edition

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Synopsis

GIS Tutorial for Health, fifth edition, teaches GIS and analysis skills to health professionals and students. Using health care scenarios, the book demonstrates how to process and visualize health data to better manage services and support health care policy.This workbook features lessons and structured exercises that cover mapping basics, including creating map layers, editing features, and using spatial data. The fifth edition is compatible with ArcGIS 10.2 for Desktop. Exercise data is available for download. Instructor resources are available separately.

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Customer Reviews

Bought this book for a GIS class in a MPH/Epi program. Terribly disappointed. Can't even complete the tutorials for chapter one because the online material that it references and wants you to use to walk through the tutorial is no longer available online, which entirely defeats the purpose of the tutorial. Another tutorial wants you to use the online app, but when you attempt to sign in to the app, it kicks back an error message that this type of account is not supported by the app. Why publish a tutorial requiring app access in a book for students when the student accounts, which are assigned

by the professor using codes provided by ESRI, are not supported?

I'm told that this book is one of the first ever issued that connects GIS and public health, and therefore is probably due some slack.The issue I have is the lack of connection between the tutorials and assignments. The tutorials are written in a step-by-stepmanner and very easy to follow but the connection between them and the assignments is not clear. I'm often left needinghelp with the assignments despite following through and understanding the tutorials. Not sure how to make it better but I amnot the only one in class that is having this problem.

A fine book for learning how to use ArcGIS for new users. Some of the modules move a bit quicker than others. It is hard with some of them as the "Now Your Turn Feature" highlights things you MUST do and it is easy to skip these due to page design.

Was assigned this book for class. In short, it eliminated the need for my professor. The book walks you through step-by-step for using ArcMAP. Any questions the book does not answer can be easily found on the ESRI FAQs or Google.

what I needed

Good tutorial book. Can apply skills learned in this book to other areas.

The software key is not included.

This book helped me to learn the basics of GIS. I had zero experience but this book really helps walk you through the features of arcGIS.

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