There is little in the nature of derivation or proof; much logic, many diagrams, much rather simple algebra, and less arithmetic than in most such treatments are found. A few exercises are presented. References are few and are treated as incidental.

Small-sample procedure is kept in the background. The author draws some inspiration from J. Arthur Harris, but fails to present his greatest contribution, intraclass correlation, which was a steppingstone to progress. Analysis of variance rates only a few lines. This will seem to many a glaring omission, since this

process is an outstanding development of the last quarter century, which has opened many experimental doors. Many recent advances in mathematical statistics are not treated at all.

The book will be of limited interest and help to elementary students. It orients the reader toward the classic work of Karl Pearson. It will not satisfy either the student of mathematical statistics or the applied statistician with deep experimental interest.

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