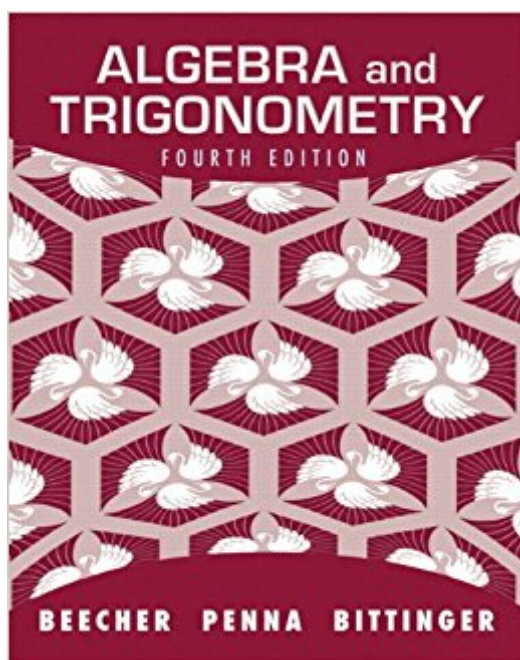The book was found

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This is a great textbook. The examples and reading are clear and straightforward. The practice problems are plentiful and have plenty of real-world application word problems, allowing a student to see how the math they are learning could apply to real life. The book is well organized as well, letting you easily find the section you need.

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Loved the layout of the book. There is also a website called Interactmath.com (where you can select

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Perfect for class!

Just what I need for precal 112

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It was in great condition. It looked new and I couldn't see any obvious signs of use.However, for the course I was taking, I also needed a website code(they can't be shared or reused) for the online website registration that went along with the textbook called mymathlab. So I should have just bought a new textbook(which includes a registration code) at the bookstore for about $145. The registration code alone was $90, which means I ended up paying over $200 for both. When I'm done with the course I intend to sell the textbook, so hopefully I'll get some money back.

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