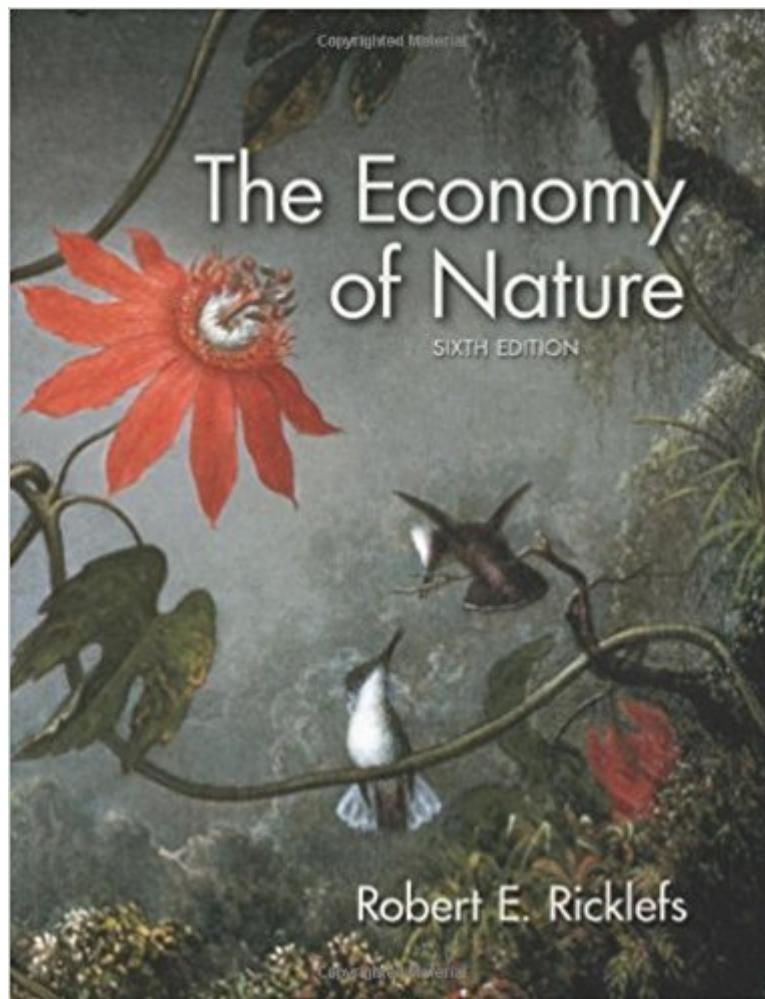


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# The Economy Of Nature



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This classic introductory text is best known for its vivid examples from natural history, comprehensive coverage of evolution, and quantitative approach. The Sixth Edition builds on the book's hallmark features: its strong evolutionary focus, its breadth and diverse set of examples, its extensive coverage of behavioral ecology, and a thorough presentation of population ecology.

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Examples are used well to illustrate topics and points, as are diagrams and tables showing data trends, which are effective in connecting the material to actual research and fieldwork. Ricklefs sometimes draws too heavily on these supplementary materials though, and often were the instances in which I realized that what he had spent several pages on could be accurately surmised in half that. This wasn't a major problem for me, but it still runs the risk of getting the reader bogged down in details that are not really the main points, and any lecturer using the book for an ecology should be mindful of presenting figures or tables in class without properly explaining them. Still, an overall clear style of writing and presentation makes this a useful and mostly good textbook.

Textbook came quickly and in good shape. The Economy of Nature is very readable and the figures make the learning easy for visual learners. The summaries at the ends of every chapter are also very helpful.

Good

The book was in great condition

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Its a relatively cheap used textbook, so I can't complain too much. Pages kept falling off, however, and it made studying certain chapters difficult.

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