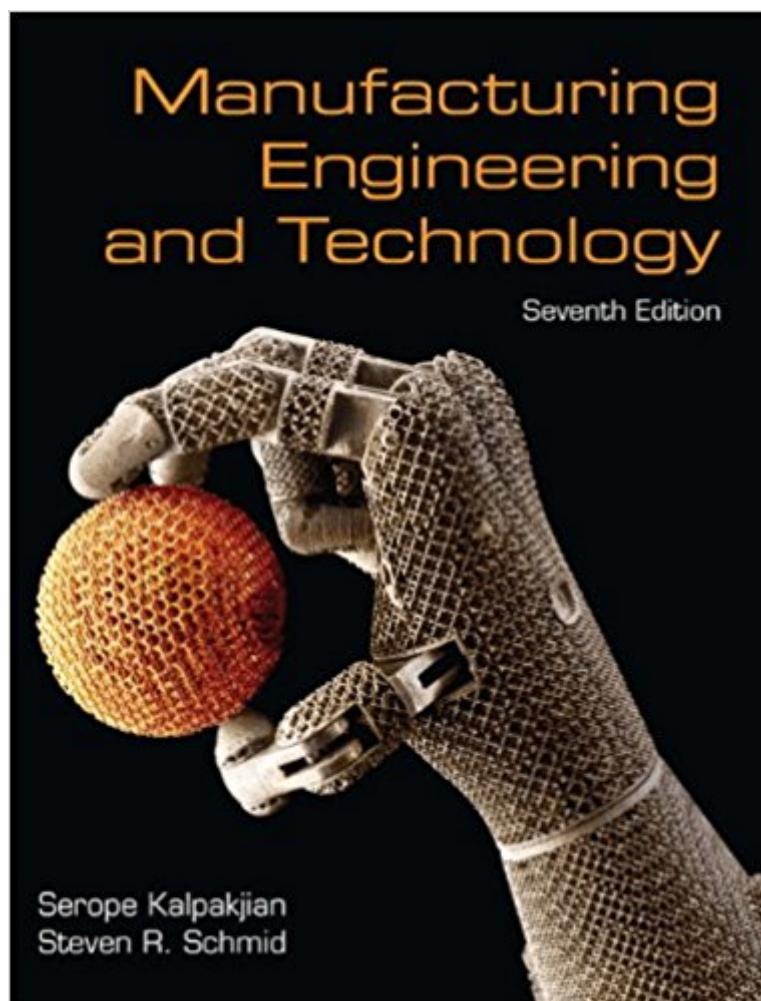


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Find something else to use for your Engineering course. Pearson should be ashamed to publish this.

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The book was easy to follow and not boring, at least in my opinion. I will most likely be using it in the future for recalling information.

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