

## Fa2021 updated

Textbook for the course: Unit=01, Sub.=750, Course=109, Sect.=01, index=03629

Title=ASTRONOMY&COSMOLOGY: SOLAR SYSTEM

Text: ASTRONOMY TODAY V.1:SOLAR SYSTEM 9th edition by Chaisson & McMillan Pearson  
[ISBN: 9780134566221]

## Where to obtain the textbook.

1.) Semester rental of paperback version at Rutgers bookstore.

I personally prefer to leaf through a book but \$81.00 seems high to me.

<https://rutgers.bncollege.com/course-material/course-finder>

The screenshot shows the Rutgers Bookstore website. At the top, there's a navigation bar with links like 'COURSE MATERIALS & TEXTBOOKS', 'APPAREL & SPIRIT SHOP', 'SUPPLIES & TECHNOLOGY', and 'STUDENT ESSENTIALS'. Below this, a section titled 'Your FALL 2021 Course Materials' states that there is 1 item for 1 course available for immediate reservation. A 'QUICK SELECT' section offers 'Lowest Cost' and 'Lowest Print Cost' options. The main section, 'BARNES & NOBLE AT RUTGERS UNIVERSITY', lists 'FALL 2021 750 109 01 (1 required)' by Professor CROFT. The item shown is 'Astronomy Today Volume 1: Solar System' by Chaisson, Eric / McMillan, Steve, 9th Edition, published by RENT PEARLS. The rental price is \$80.99, and it includes a 'PRICE MATCH GUARANTEE' badge. A 'FACULTY NOTE' at the bottom states that the item is only available as a Print Rental and/or eBook, and cannot be purchased.

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2.) Buy (\$45) or rent (\$25) eTextbook electronic version of the text (includes material for both the 109 and 110) from Amazon at link [https://www.amazon.com/Astronomy-Today-Eric-Chaisson-ebook-dp-B01N6ZJ36X/dp/B01N6ZJ36X/ref=mt\\_other?encoding=UTF8&me=&qid=](https://www.amazon.com/Astronomy-Today-Eric-Chaisson-ebook-dp-B01N6ZJ36X/dp/B01N6ZJ36X/ref=mt_other?encoding=UTF8&me=&qid=)

Note that I bought the Kindle app for PC version of this and it works fine.

3) Pearson e-text version of the book.

<https://www.vitalsource.com/products/astronomy-today-eric-chaisson-v9780134583686?term=9780134583686>

I found this e-text version somewhat difficult to use.

4) I have seen cheaper (or free) sources on the net, but I cannot discuss/recommend.

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