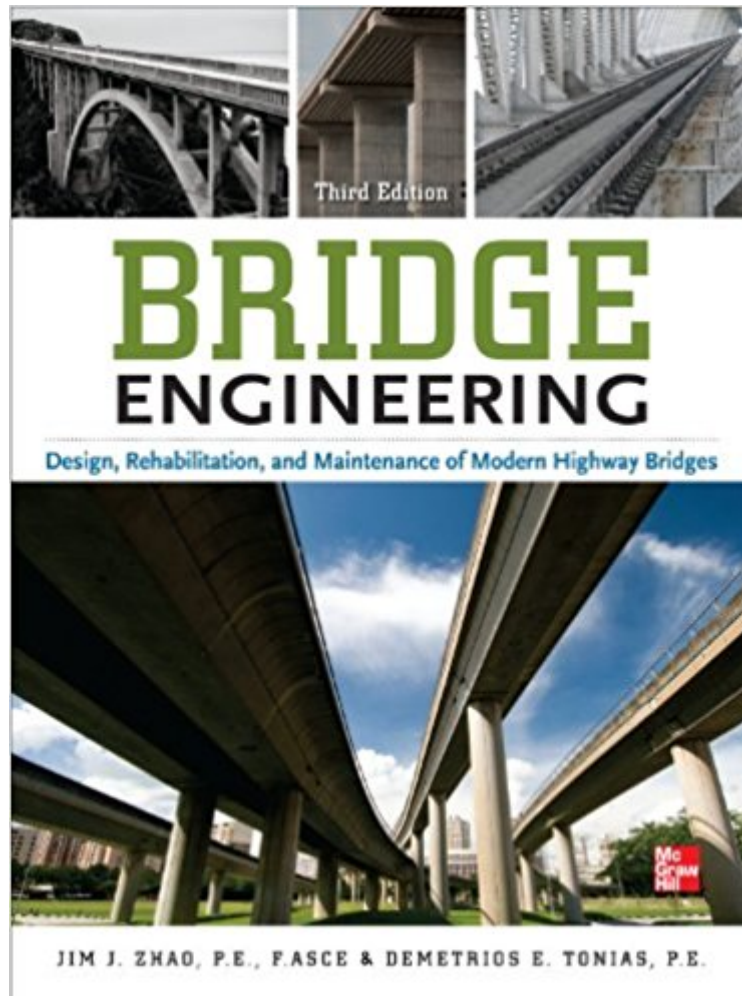




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Good book. Useful for very low experienced bridge engineer and very good material for any level of bridge professional inspector. Provide several issues from point of an experienced bridge engineer to the sight of reader to explain problems. Still some parts refer to the older version of AASHTO not the referred one in the book as the latest. Personally, I do not like their example presentation method, and also too many notes in the sidebars which just bold some part of the text in each page.

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Pretty Good.

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