## **Corrections to An Introduction to Thermal Physics** (7<sup>th</sup> printing)

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Here is a list of known errors in the book. If you find an error that is not listed here, please e-mail me at dschroeder@weber.edu

- Page viii. In line 13, "accomodate" should be spelled with two m's. (Posted 1/23/06.)
- Page 59. In Figure 2.5, in the line in the table for  $q_A = 59$ , the entry for Omega<sub>total</sub> should be 6.7 x  $10^{114}$ , not 6.8 x  $10^{114}$ . (Posted 6/24/03.)
- Page 86. In Table 3.1, in the line for  $q_A = 60$ , the entry for  $S_B/k$  should be 105.3, not 105.5. (Thanks to M. Park; posted 2/25/02.)
- Page 86. Also in Table 3.1, in the line for  $q_A = 59$ , the entry for Omega<sub>total</sub> should be 6.7 x  $10^{114}$ , not 6.8 x  $10^{114}$ . (Posted 6/24/03.)
- Page 86. Some copies of the 7th printing of the book contain a very serious printer's error: Where page 86 should appear, a copy of page 286 has been substituted (although the page number still says 86). If you are in possession of a copy of the 7th printing, please turn to page 86 and check the running headline. If it says "Chapter 7 Quantum Statistics," your copy unfortunately is faulty. If it says "Chapter 3 Interactions and Implications," your copy does not suffer from this error. If you're not sure which printing you have, check the bottom line of the copyright page: The first visible number is the number of the printing. Addison-Wesley has agreed to provide free replacements for all copies of the book that contain this error; the best way to get a replacement copy is through your local sales representative. While you're waiting for the replacement, you can use this pdf file of the actual page 86. (Thanks to J. Pribram; posted 6/24/03.)
- Page 241. At the end of the fourth line of part (c), the word "smallest" should actually be "largest". (Thanks to S. Jackson; posted 8/25/05.)
- Pages 285-286. In the course of correcting the earlier errors on these pages, a printing error caused dozens of mathematical symbols to disappear in the fifth and sixth printings. Here is a <u>pdf file of these two pages</u> (216k) showing the corrections. (Posted 2/16/03.)

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