



The Wraparound Universe

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A K Peters/CRC Press, 2008. Book Condition: New. Brand New, Unread Copy in Perfect Condition. A+ Customer Service! Summary: " beautiful book on the possibility that our universe is a huge optical illusion will change the way you look at the sky . Sophisticated and beautifully written, the book is a thorough and enjoyable introduction to cosmic topology, the study of the global structure of space." -New Scientist magazine, February 2008 "One consequence of a wraparound universe ' he personally favors a spherical dodecahedron ' is that the whole shebang may be a lot smaller than it looks." -BOOK NEWS Inc., June 2008 Luminet has done his best to explain everything in a simple but never simplistic way. . [T]he book is well within the reach of the general public but still offers valuable insights to more expert people. It raises a number of questions and tries to provide a few answers in one of the most fascinating subjects of modern reserach. -Diego Casadei, New York Univeristy and Cern, Cern Courier, September 2008 "These are indeed exciting times for those interested in the interface between physics and geometry. The author is to be thanked for providing a timely update of...



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