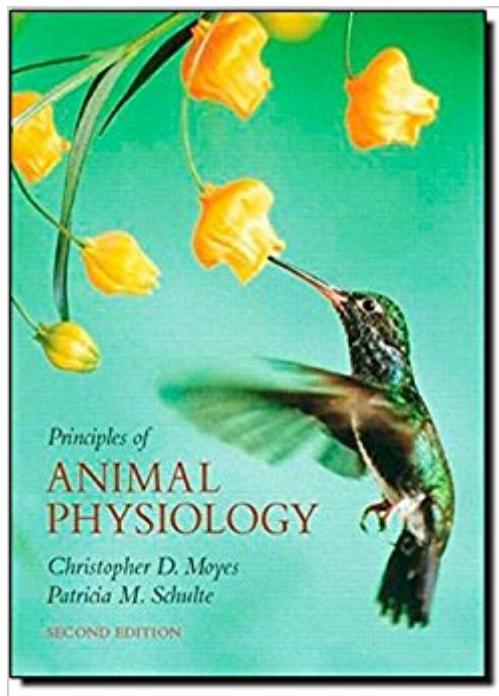


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Not written in an especially clear manner, it's difficult to get through chapters without constantly reexamining what you've just read. I wish my professor would have picked a better book. It's VERY lacking on the graphics side too.

I used this textbook for an intro level animal physiology class. Overall the book is very well written and approachable. Concepts are laid out simply and in an easy to follow format. If you are looking for a detailed look at underlying mechanisms than this book is not for you --but this isn't the focus of physiology as a discipline. Physiology is concerned with the larger relationship between biological structure and function. For instance, why cardiac cells are different from skeletal muscle. In this regard, the book is quite excellent.

The book was exactly as described and in perfect condition. It's very nice inside and out, and would strongly recommend to anyone interested in animal physiology.

Fair quality physiology textbook. Not the most engaging read.

Well written; just a biology textbook in disguise. You really have to force yourself to sit down and stare at the paragraphs, but it gets the message across eventually. Very informative, plenty of pictures.

It is a very interesting textbook. It is worth reading if your passion revolves around animal.

This book is required for my upper undergraduate class. However, the contents and texts are written for freshmen level.

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