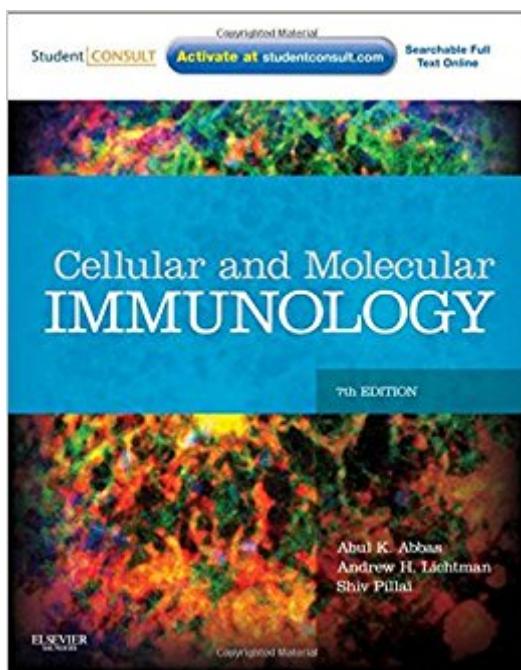


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This is a great book both visually and information wise. I am in an 800 immunology class and this is my first immunology class. My professor is hard to understand and I am way below the understanding level of 80% of the class. This book has saved my @55 on multiple occasions. The reading is some of the most comprehensive that I've seen in a biology book - and I've had a lot of those books. The enhanced learning website is great too. I don't normally use those, but my class is a whole different story so I have been. The quizzes are great. They are short 5-10 questions per chapter. But cover the really important stuff. And so far those questions have been on my exams. So for those of you that are like me and have trouble deciding what is important in between hundreds of pages of information - this is a great tool!

I am familiar with this textbook since the 3rd edition. I consider this textbook one of the leading (if not the best) for the field of molecular immunology. The organization and structure of chapters differs from those in, for example, Janeway's Immunobiology, but this falls into personal preference and needs. This book is good for undergraduates, graduates and professionals who want to learn immunology from more biological and less clinical perspective. I work in cancer research, however I use this book frequently - it is very useful to get info related to different aspects of cancer research: immunotherapy, immunobiology of tumors, tumor microenvironment, etc. In addition, this textbook is one of the most affordable books. After buying the book, one can use the book's website, where it is possible, for example, to download images, which is very practical for presentations.

Excellent book for immunology because it contains lots of illustrations. It was very helpful for studying and made it easy to comprehend class material. Absolutely would recommend this book to anyone looking forward to study biology or do research. Great seller and awesome purchase.

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This book was required for my medical school immunology course. Our professor assigned the book to read in about a week and a half, ridiculous! Few people read it. I used it as a reference source. To learn the material on a first pass, I recommend A Review of Medical Microbiology and Immunology, Tenth Edition (LANGE Basic Science) A and I'm sure the new edition would be even better. Even Lange will only get you started, as it leaves out a lot of detail and leaves some questions unanswered. In summary, use Lange to get a good USMLE high-yield baseline then either hope you have a good professor to teach the material (like I had) or dig through this book to answer

any burning questions.

This jumps around a lot, making it hard to combine all of the pieces for the big picture.

I have never touched immuno in my studies prior to this second year of medical school. This text is easy to read, answers all my questions, and effectively touches on all the concepts I could ask a text to address. The information is dense, but not to the extent that taking notes means re-writing the book. I have only read a couple chapters but find the book refreshingly simple for someone previously intimidated and overwhelmed by immunology.

The book jumps head first into some big immunological concepts without giving significant introduction or explanation. Some of the figures are also sub-par. Not a bad resource, but for first-timers to immunology and for a more thorough discussion of the subject, I would recommend "Janeway's Immunobiology, eighth edition" by Kenneth Murphy.

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