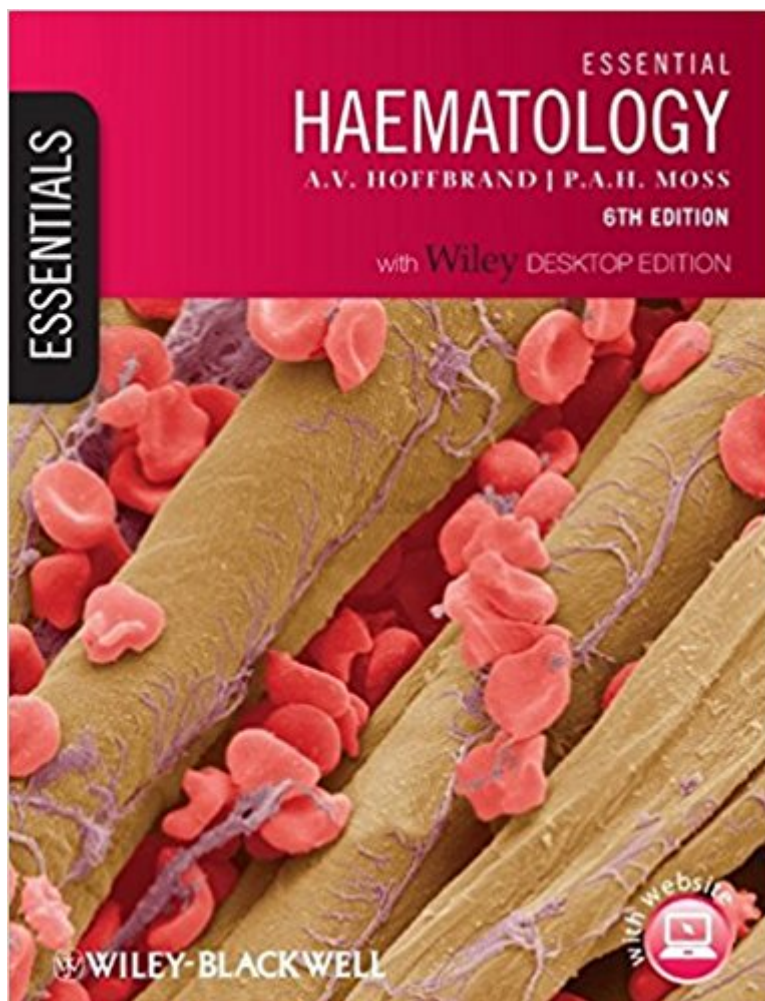


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# Essential Haematology, Includes Desktop Edition



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Great Hematology book! Would recommend to others.

Doing haematology in a hospital and this book provides me with foundational knowledge of the subject. Love the online access as well!

I purchased this for a medical student. He said that Essential Haematology by Victor Hoffbrand makes studying haematology easy and straight-forward.

Excellent

good

I was taking my first hematology/oncology class as part of my medical school curriculum when I bought this book. I have a decent background in cancer as I've taken a "Tumor Biology" course previously and also worked in a cancer research lab for a year, but I have zero background in hematology. I found this book to be way too choppy and really lacking in the sort of detail I needed to understand the material. I could see how this could potentially be useful for someone who has already studied everything in depth previously (although I think there are likely better options), but this book is no good for someone just learning a new subject. I preferred the Robbins book (Basic Pathology, although "big Robbins" is good too) instead of this. Robbins is just written better and more thoughtfully presented.

This is fine for an introductory for perhaps research students or undergrads, not for medical students. It doesn't go into enough detail, and it takes up a lot of words to explain simple concepts.

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