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4 of 4 people found the following review helpful. For when you already know the stuff and just want to reviewBy I buy too much from One of the other reviews pointed out that this is a good book if you already have a foundation and I completely agree. This was the first time I purchased a High-Yield book and figured that I could use it the same way that I used my BRS books, which was to read ahead so I wouldn't be lost during lecture and then use them again to review before an exam. Since I started neuroanatomy/neurophysiology this semester I bought the book during winter break and began to read. Well even after I started classes this book still didn't make sense to me. However, before my first exam (but after I had a chance to review the material) I picked up this book again and looked at the sections that we covered and that's when things clicked. This book tells you that you "have to know" a particular topic, and once you have covered that topic in class you realize the author is absolutely right. So I think this book is more of a professor sitting by your side and reminding you or telling you what was important about a topic in case you forgot. This book gets right to the point and is sparse on words (hence the small number of pages), which is good if you want a really quick answer to a "what was that about" type question, but bad if you want to learn what's going on. So in summary, I think this is a great book if you want to have something to make your studying session solid and get quick

answers before an exam (or more importantly before USMLE step 1), but if you want to learn before class buy something else. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Okay, depending on how much info you want. Kindle edition isn't great. By KTI bought this as a review for my neuroanatomy class as a kindle edition. The kindle edition is a pain to work with. In the index, you can't even click to go to a certain section. And there's no hyperlinks to figure references. In addition, I also found it a little bit too basic for my needs. There's not enough substance for it to be a quick but detailed review. For example, the Adamkiewicz artery is not mentioned, but is clinically quite important. So once you've gone through your course materials in depth and you want to review later on (our medical school has 4 semesters of anatomy with a final exam that covers all material), it doesn't hit all the key points that will come up on your exam. It's great as a cursory overview, but it could have a bit more detail. Will try USMLE Road Map Neuroanatomy instead. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Good resource, needs more detail in some areas. By Trevor This is a good reference/refresher text, but I think it focuses too much on trying to be concise. It ends up leaving out some high yield board and clinically relevant material in an attempt to streamline your studies, which has come back to haunt me on occasion. If you rely too much on this book, you may be tempted to zero in your focus on only what is in this and leave out some important material. This is a great resource for studying the conditions that it covers, but it does leave some gaps. If you get this, be prepared to use it as an ancillary resource to help explain a difficult subject and not a crutch to lean on for your neuroanatomy board preparation.