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My First Human Body Book Knopf Books for Young Readers

A detailed and up-to-date introduction to machine learning, presented through the unifying lens of probabilistic modeling and Bayesian decision theory. This book offers a detailed and up-to-date introduction to machine learning (including deep learning) through the unifying lens of probabilistic modeling and Bayesian decision theory. The book covers mathematical background (including linear algebra and optimization), basic supervised learning (including linear and logistic regression and deep neural networks), as well as more advanced topics (including transfer learning and unsupervised learning). End-of-chapter exercises allow students to apply what they have learned, and an appendix covers notation. Probabilistic Machine Learning grew out of the author's 2012 book, *Machine Learning: A Probabilistic Perspective*. More than just a simple update, this is a completely new book that reflects the dramatic developments in the field since 2012, most notably

deep learning. In addition, the new book is accompanied by online Python code, using libraries such as scikit-learn, JAX, PyTorch, and Tensorflow, which can be used to reproduce nearly all the figures; this code can be run inside a web browser using cloud-based notebooks, and provides a practical complement to the theoretical topics discussed in the book. This introductory text will be followed by a sequel that covers more advanced topics, taking the same probabilistic approach.

**Probabilistic Machine Learning** Houghton Mifflin Harcourt

New York Times Bestseller In the most ambitious one-volume American history in decades, award-winning historian and New Yorker writer Jill Lepore offers a magisterial account of the origins and rise of a divided nation, an urgently needed reckoning with the beauty and tragedy of American history. Written in elegiac prose, Lepore's groundbreaking investigation places truth itself—a devotion to facts, proof, and evidence—at the center of the nation's history. The American experiment rests on three ideas—"these truths," Jefferson called them—political equality, natural rights, and the sovereignty of the people. And it rests, too, on a fearless dedication to inquiry, Lepore argues, because self-government depends on it. But has the nation, and democracy itself,

delivered on that promise? *These Truths* tells this uniquely American story, beginning in 1492, asking whether the course of events over more than five centuries has proven the nation's truths, or belied them. To answer that question, Lepore traces the intertwined histories of American politics, law, journalism, and technology, from the colonial town meeting to the nineteenth-century party machine, from talk radio to twenty-first-century Internet polls, from Magna Carta to the Patriot Act, from the printing press to Facebook News. Along the way, Lepore's sovereign chronicle is filled with arresting sketches of both well-known and lesser-known Americans, from a parade of presidents and a rogues' gallery of political mischief makers to the intrepid leaders of protest movements, including Frederick Douglass, the famed abolitionist orator; William Jennings Bryan, the three-time presidential candidate and ultimately tragic populist; Pauli Murray, the visionary civil rights strategist; and Phyllis Schlafly, the uncredited architect of modern conservatism. Americans are descended from slaves and slave owners, from conquerors and the conquered, from immigrants and from people who have fought to end immigration. "A nation born in contradiction will fight forever over the meaning of its history," Lepore writes, but engaging in that struggle by

studying the past is part of the work of citizenship. "The past is an inheritance, a gift and a burden," These Truths observes. "It can't be shirked. There's nothing for it but to get to know it." *My Amazing Body Machine* Grove/Atlantic, Inc. In this landmark book of popular science, Daniel E. Lieberman—chair of the department of human evolutionary biology at Harvard University and a leader in the field—gives us a lucid and engaging account of how the human body evolved over millions of years, even as it shows how the increasing disparity between the jumble of adaptations in our Stone Age bodies and advancements in the modern world is occasioning this paradox: greater longevity but increased chronic disease. The Story of the Human Body brilliantly illuminates as never before the major transformations that contributed key adaptations to the body: the rise of bipedalism; the shift to a non-fruit-based diet; the advent of hunting and gathering, leading to our superlative endurance athleticism; the development of a very large brain; and the incipience of cultural proficiencies. Lieberman also elucidates how cultural evolution differs from biological evolution, and how our bodies were further transformed during the Agricultural and Industrial Revolutions. While these ongoing changes have brought about many benefits, they have also created conditions to which our bodies are not entirely adapted, Lieberman argues, resulting in the growing incidence of obesity and new but avoidable diseases, such as type 2 diabetes. Lieberman proposes that many of these chronic illnesses persist and in some cases are intensifying because of “dysevolution,” a pernicious dynamic whereby only the symptoms rather than the causes of these maladies are treated. And finally—provocatively—he advocates the use of evolutionary information to help nudge, push, and sometimes even compel us to create a more salubrious environment. (With charts and line drawings throughout.)

#### **My First Body Book** Penguin

Explains how the human body works and what it needs to be healthy. Provides activities to help children make healthy food and exercise choices to keep their bodies strong.

#### **The Amazing Adventures of Cavalier & Clay (with bonus content)** Igloo Books

Pop up discovery.

#### **Stephen Biesty's Incredible Body Cross-Sections** Penguin

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER • Bill Bryson, bestselling author of *A Short History of Nearly Everything*, takes us on a head-to-toe tour of the marvel that is the human body—with a new afterword for this edition. Bill Bryson once again proves himself to be an incomparable companion as he guides us through the human body—how it functions, its remarkable ability to heal itself, and (unfortunately) the ways it can fail. Full of extraordinary facts (your body made a million red blood cells since you started reading this) and irresistible Brysonesque anecdotes, *The Body* will lead you to a deeper understanding of the miracle that is life in general and you in particular. As Bill Bryson writes, “We pass our existence within this wobble of flesh and yet take it almost entirely for granted.” *The Body* will cure that indifference with generous doses of wondrous, compulsively readable facts and information. As addictive as it is comprehensive, this is Bryson at his very best, a must-read owner's manual for every body.

#### **The Phantom Tollbooth** Studio Fun International

*The Fantastic Body* is the ultimate kids' reference guide to the human body! Jam-packed with fun facts, cool diagrams, and gross stories, and written by a successful, practicing pediatrician, this go-to guide will captivate curious readers for hours on end. Kids will take their learning beyond reading the book with DIY projects that demonstrate different bodily functions and tips for making their regular checkups less scary. Through humor, science, and engaging illustrations, this fun and comprehensive reference book is perfect for kids who want to know more about the mysterious

stuff going on inside their bodies.

#### [Your Amazing Body](#) Dorling Kindersley Ltd

*My Amazing Body Machine* takes kids on a unique and exciting journey through all the working parts of human anatomy. From our intricately wired brain to our squeezing, squelching guts and relentlessly pumping heart, renowned scientist Robert Winston explores each part of this living machine through incredible, original papercraft artworks by Owen Gildersleeve. With clear text and fascinating bite-size facts about the human body, *My Amazing Body Machine* is a body book that makes learning about biology fun. Up-close photography shows how your body works in an immediate and ingenious way. *My Amazing Body Machine* by Robert Winston is a fabulous, colourful book and makes understanding the most complex machine on Earth both simple and enjoyable: the human body.

#### **These Truths: A History of the United States** Anchor

How does the brain control the rest of the body? How does it enable the senses, regulate speech, affect balance, and influence sleep and dreams? These 30 full-page illustrations to color help explain every aspect of the brain's big job, from communicating with the central nervous system to retaining memories.

#### [The Healthy Body Book](#) Random House

Take a tour of the human body in this fact-filled book that includes six body system acetate cards: muscular, cardiovascular, respiratory, nervous, digestive, and skeletal. Have you ever stopped to think about how amazing your body is? Thousands of parts all operate together like a living machine—more complex than any machine on Earth. Inside this book, kids will learn about many of the systems that make up the body—skin, skeletal, nervous, cardiovascular, respiratory, digestive, and muscular. Body-shaped acetate cards printed with six different body systems help kids see how the systems work together to create a multifaceted learning approach to anatomy.

#### [The Brain Book](#) Knopf Books for Young Readers

What exactly can your body do? A beloved bestseller that helps children understand anatomy, from their eyes to their toes, is back! Now refreshed with new art from Ed Miller. What is under your skin? Why do you have bones? What do your muscles do? Where does the food that you eat go? *Me and My Amazing Body* can show you! From your head to your toes and everything in between, this playful introduction to anatomy explains all the important parts of your body. Easy to read and easy to understand, *Me and My Amazing Body* helps children appreciate everything their bodies can do.

#### *The Story Machine* Penguin

Introducing *Little Explorers*—a new, interactive nonfiction series for curious youngsters. With more than 60 flaps to lift, *MY AMAZING BODY* provides little ones with hands-on fun. *MY AMAZING BODY* is a lively introduction to the human body, where children can lift the flaps to find out what goes on under their skin. Young readers will be amazed as they find out how the brain works, what happens to a mouthful of food, how fast our fingernails grow, how we breathe, and much, much more. This book features over 60 sturdy flaps to lift, along with charming, kid-friendly artwork that introduces new concepts and vocabulary in a simple and accessible way.

#### *The Amazing Human Machine* DK First Reference

Here's the most entertaining way for children to get a good look at the human body and learn how bodies work: 28 fun and instructive, ready-to-color illustrations. Coordinating text explores the muscular, skeletal, nervous, digestive, respiratory, and immune systems, and answers such questions as What is a hiccup? and Where is my DNA?

#### **The Body Book** Capstone

Discover the amazing human body, system by system and layer by layer, and the incredible things it is capable of with *Inside Out Human Body*. Comes with a real, 3-D model to help you learn faster! What do you think is the most amazing machine in the universe? A superconductor? The modern computer? A rocket ship? Think again: It's the human body! Astonishingly intricate and complex, your body grows, heals itself, and performs a mind-boggling number of complex functions all at the same time! *Inside Out: Human Body* takes you on an incredible journey through the powerful muscular system, the "bone zone," the long and windy road of the digestive system, the blood-pumping circulatory system, the forty-seven-mile long nervous system, and beyond! A unique layered model of the human body serves as the center point of each section, revealing key body parts and functions, while entertaining and informative text explains how the body works. Each section is fully illustrated with colorful diagrams and includes fun, interactive lessons for you to try yourself. You can learn how to take your own pulse, how to make your arms float, and even what the color of your urine means! Sometimes the most incredible wonders are right under our noses.

#### *Little Explorers: My Amazing Body* Scholastic Inc.

Lift the flaps to see inside the incredible Human Body, from your brain to your bones. Lift the flaps to discover the hidden world inside your body, from your hair to your toenails. Find out what really goes on underneath your skin, with unbelievable facts and amazing drawings that show you how your body works.

#### *The Fantastic Body* Abrams

Scientist Charles Neumann loses a leg in an industrial accident. It's not a tragedy. It's an opportunity. Charlie always thought his body could be better. He begins to explore a few ideas. To build parts. Better parts. Prosthetist Lola Shanks loves a good artificial limb. In Charlie, she sees a man on his way to becoming artificial everything. But others see a madman. Or a product. Or a weapon. A story for the age of pervasive technology, *Machine Man* is a gruesomely funny unraveling of one man's quest for ultimate self-improvement.

#### *Utterly Amazing Science* DK Children

Provides examples showing how screws are simple machines that make joining things together and moving, easier.

#### **Twist, Dig, and Drill** Simon and Schuster

Why does my tummy rumble? What happens to the food I eat? What does my brain look like? The answer to these and many other intriguing questions can be found in this fun and instructive book for young children. Packed with fascinating facts and stimulating games, *My First Body Book* is the perfect introduction to the incredible things that bodies can do. In *My First Body Book*, each body system is introduced by a paragraph that explains its basic functions. Interactive games and activities then give a practical demonstration of how the different body parts work. You can help children to make their own discoveries by encouraging them to relate the information in this book to their own bodies. The see-through pages have been designed so that children can look right inside a body and see where each part belongs. The labels will help children to identify and learn the names of different body parts.

#### [1,000 Amazing Human Body Facts](#) W. W. Norton & Company

With step-by-step directions, lessons, projects, cooperative learning activities and more, here are reproducible cut-and-paste patterns for assembling and understanding the systems and organs of the human body.

#### [The Busy Body Book](#) Penguin

Discusses what wedges are and how they are used.