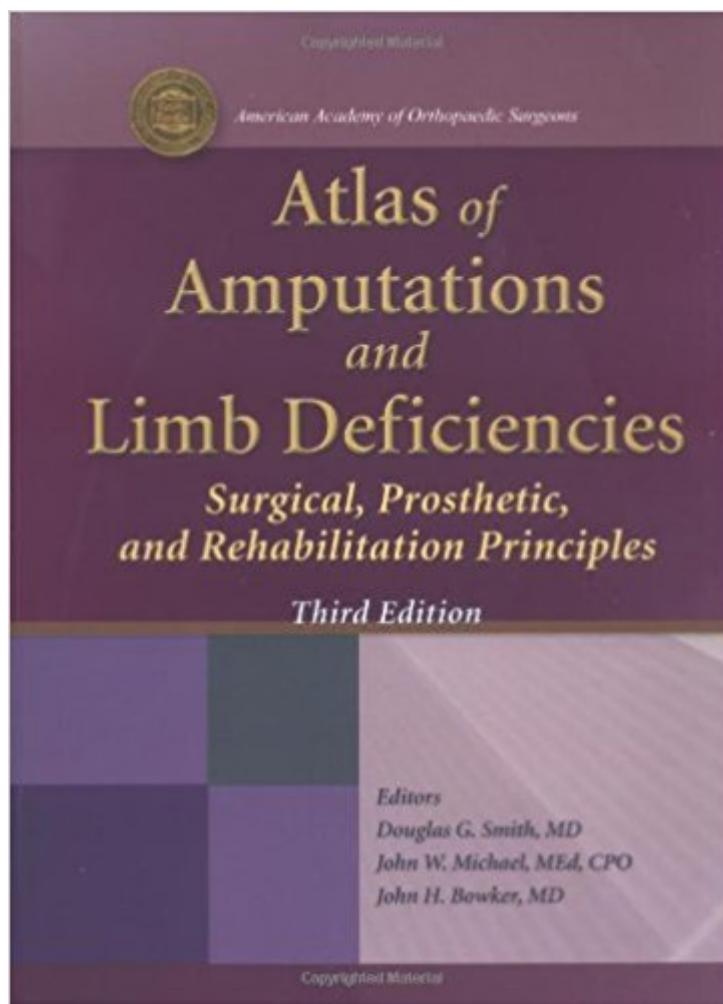


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# Atlas Of Amputations And Limb Deficiencies



## **Synopsis**

The *Atlas of Amputations*, Third Edition, remains the definitive and comprehensive reference on the surgical and prosthetic management of acquired and congenital limb loss. This expanded and updated edition is written by recognized experts in the fields of amputation surgery, rehabilitation and prosthetics, covering all aspects from history, to specific anatomic regions, to unique management concerns. It is well organized by anatomic structure with a special section on the pediatric population, which presents unique challenges. The most impressive aspect of this book is the extensive presentation of the various facets of this topic. The ease of navigating through the text and the up-to-date concepts make it a perfect reference text. For the generalist or occasional practitioner, this text would be a worthy reference in the medical library.

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## **Customer Reviews**

I think any prosthetist must have this book! I like this book.

The book is great if you're an orthotist & prosthetist or just very interested in prostheses, amputations and limb deficiencies. The shipping of the book was a bit dodgy though,

The best prices are on - and I always get what I'm expecting, usually the quality of the books exceeds my expectations!

I have been waiting for this textbook for a couple weeks, it said the estimate arrival date would be between December 28, 2012 - January 15, 2013. But the thing is, I still haven't received it yet!!! It doesn't even give me a tracking number to track my order! Very disappointed!

This book attempts and I think succeeds in providing a comprehensive review of the subject of amputations and prosthetics. It covers the subject from the academic, practical and theoretical viewpoints. The primary sections of the book cover an introductory and historical perspective followed by sections on the upper and lower limbs, and then finally pediatrics. The book does not claim to present all the information available on each subject but does offer excellent references for those who want to look further. The discussions on components are as up-to-date as possible given that this is an evolving area. The sections on gait and gait analysis provide a lot of excellent detail. I would have liked to have read more detail on the myoelectric systems and the methods of proportional control but again there are references. This book would benefit readers with a variety of backgrounds.

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