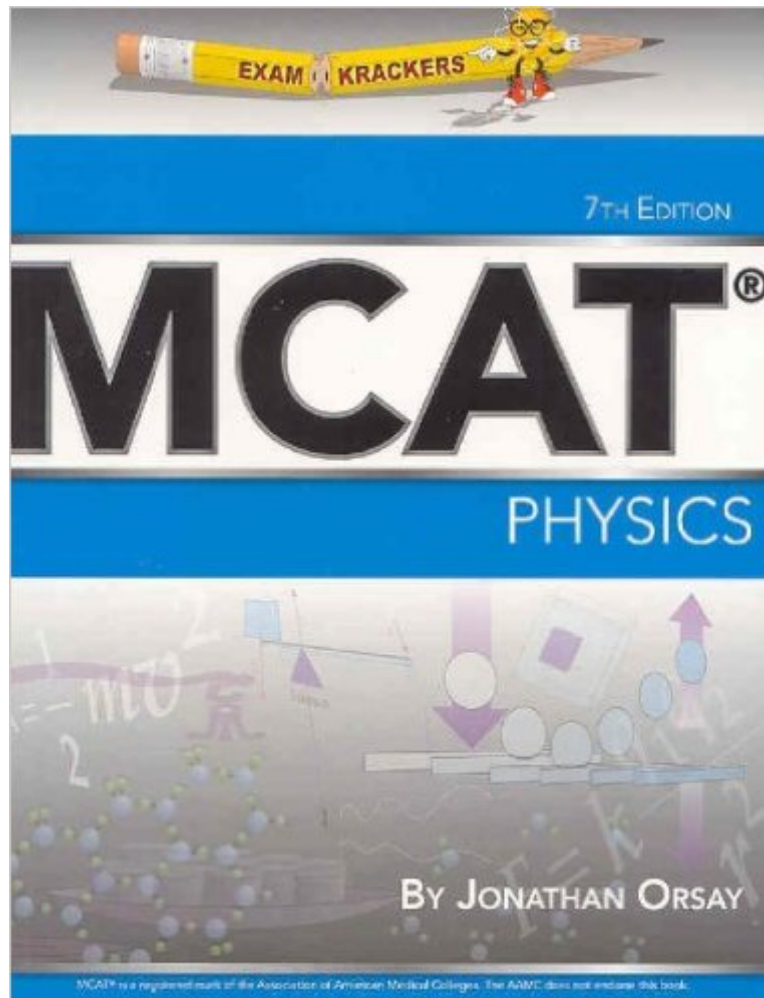


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As a Pre-Med student taking the MCAT, I did a lot of research through my network of friends to find out what the best way to prepare for the MCATs are. The consensus I got from many of them who have already went through the process was that Examcrackers is the best possible book to prepare with. Therefore I purchased this book. The book itself is very well written, very down to earth. Its written in simple english with nice pictures that make the concepts easy to understand. For someone who's reviewing the concepts that I studied two years ago, the book offered new insights especially in the electricity chapter with their mnemonics and analogies to help better understand the content. The quiz problems I felt are challenging yet not impossible. They cover the material in each section in a way that sometimes forces you to look back at material that you thought you understood. Overall: I give this book an A+. It is a must for any Pre-Med who is planning to take the MCAT!

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The examcracker series was the only way I was able to prepare for the mcats in a short amount of time while working full time. It doesnt make you relearn all the intricacies from 4 years of undergrad but rather focuses on preparing you for topics on the mcats as they appear on the mcats which is a problem i find in some of the bigger and well known study aides that have you memorize things that either dont appear on the mcats or are given in the passage (For example, a different study aide insisted I memorize all the enzymes and intermediates of glycolysis and the CAC).Having said that, I did supplement this book with the 1001 questions series from exam crackers which made me able to quickly recognize what to do on problems on the mcats and there are some mistakes but hopefully they were addressed in the updated version. This version was fine for the 2013 mcats. All in all, I would say its not perfect but the closest thing to it when it comes to studying for the mcats.

I truly cannot believe people are giving this book 5*. I would give this book 1* alone on the amount of errors it has. In the optics section, for example, it lists what lenses are equivalent to what mirrors. It then shows a diagram/picture that tells you the opposite. On the next page it's telling you something else about them. It just becomes very confusing.I also felt like this book was too concise, lacked too much reasoning behind things, etc.

The version I bought does have small mistakes in some late sections but they are easy to spot/intuitive if you had the basic foundation of physics. It is a great review and quickly brushes off the dust on your old physics equations and principles. It is a quick straight-forward review, from the electricity chapter to the gravity chapter it helped keep me in the 90+ percentile.

Book is great in terms of review - concise, and to the point, with great strategies and passages (too bad so few). I would recommend it highly to anyone who HAS taken at least one year in physics; if you only have high-school or the university equivalent, try Nova or Princeton

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