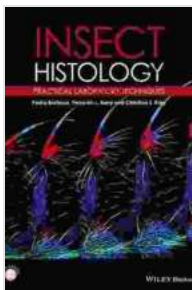


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Delving into Insect Anatomy

This comprehensive guide provides a solid foundation in insect anatomy. With detailed descriptions and stunning micrographs, you will gain insights into the various organ systems, including:

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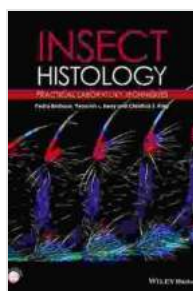
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