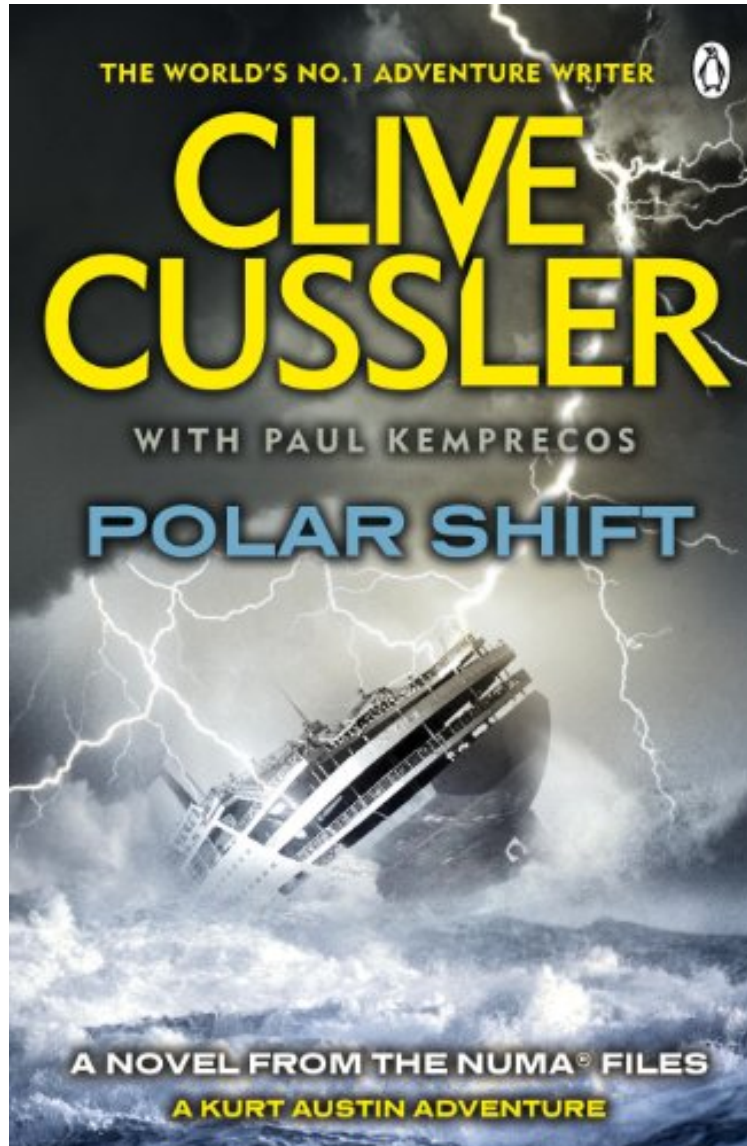


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Von Clive Cussler, Paul Kemprecos : Polar Shift: NUMA Files #6 (The NUMA Files) (English Edition) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Polar Shift: NUMA Files #6 (The NUMA Files) (English Edition):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen2 von 2 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Kirk is giving his father a run for his money!Von Ein KundeSome say Cussler writes for men, but I disagree. What red blooded American woman would not want to spend the night with Dirk Pitt? He is the original man's man. I have to

admit, I have not been as enthusiastic about the Kirk Austin series, but it started to grow on me and I think "Polar Shift" maybe as good as the best of the Pitt Series. I won't rehash the plot except to say the plot has to do with some bad guys figuring out a way to switch the magnetic poles causing real havoc for the planet (I guess this has really happened naturally in the past, which I did not know). Of course Kirk and his NUMA crew are the only ones who can stop the evil madman. I got caught up in real suspense here, there are some unexpected twists, and this time out success is not guaranteed—at least I did not think so. Most of you who read Cussler know what thrilling, adventure to expect, and you won't be disappointed here. Speaking of thriller/adventures, do check out "A Tourist in the Yucatan," features one mysterious hunk of a man that might give old Mr. Pitt a run for his money. 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Heart-Pounding Surprises Threaten Kurt Austin and the NUMA Special Assignments Team Von Donald Mitchell I strongly encourage you to listen to the unabridged CD narrated by Scott Brick instead of reading this book. Brick has a wonderful way with voices and accents that give the story depth and suspense you won't find on the printed page. The book opens in the closing days of the Second World War in East Prussia as a shadowy Austrian escorts a renowned Hungarian scientist away from the advancing Soviets. The Austrian turns out to be a member of the resistance who wants the scientist's knowledge to remain secret from governments that might use that knowledge to create super weapons. This part of the story is as vivid as any great World War II spy novel I've read. Moving to the present, an enormous container ship finds itself facing unprecedented large waves. How will it survive? You'll find yourself enjoying some of the strong emotions that A Perfect Storm provided. Kurt Austin is leading a kayak race when he's suddenly attacked by a killer whale. That shouldn't be happening. What's going on? Next, the Trouts are off taking some sea water samples when they find themselves unexpectedly drawn into a giant whirlpool. The rescue attempt is simply scintillating! From there, you'll learn a lot about geology and how the Earth creates electromagnetic waves. Kurt Austin soon perceives that there's a hidden key to the mysterious events and it all seems to be tied up to a beautiful young scientist who has a theory she's trying to prove about the extinction of woolly mammoths. Others get the same idea ahead of Austin. Can he arrive in time to save her? What other surprises await him? As an interlude, you'll also experience a most unusual Civil War reenactment. Starting the book with so many interesting incidents sets a high expectation for what's to come. Unfortunately, the book's ending offers a high octane threat to keep you interested . . . but the resolution doesn't satisfy the desire for one more great sequence to cap what is otherwise an extremely interesting thriller. The book has a very interesting theme about the potential to use resources for good or evil purposes. I encourage you to draw on that theme to think about resources that are almost always used in harmful ways. How could those resources be used instead for almost always helpful results? Enjoy this whale of a tale or two! 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Packend, Fesselnd, Cussler Von Panyong Ein wirklich gelungenes Buch und wahrer pageturner. Die Charaktere sind sehr gut dargestellt, die Handlung stets auf einem Niveau, das es einem schwer macht, Polar Shift beiseite zu legen und ich wurde immer wieder zum grinsen angeregt. Was dieses Buch für mich so interessant ist die Mischung aus wissenschaftlichen Fakten und Fiction, ich musste die eine oder andere Sache immer wieder googlen um zu erfahren, ob das beschriebene tatsächlich möglich ist. Da ich viele Kommentare gelesen haben, dass die deutschen Übersetzungen zum Teil dem Originalen nachstehen, habe ich mich entschlossen, die interessantesten Titel nur noch in Englisch zu lesen. Ich kann nur jedem empfehlen, dies auch zu tun, auch wenn man kein perfect english man ist, kann man meiner meinung nach das Buch flssig lesen! Und nebenbei sind die englischen Originalfassungen immer noch gnstiger (ca 6) als die deutschen Übersetzungen. Kaufen.

Kurzbeschreibung Polar Shift is the sixth NUMA Files novel by the inimitable Clive Cussler. Giant freak waves send an unsinkable cargo ship to the bottom of the Atlantic and a herd of killer whales attack a party of kayakers in the Pacific - random events, or evidence of polar shift? For Kurt Austin of NUMA these two seemingly unconnected incidents are harbingers of a global phenomenon that will mark the end of civilization! A secret organization aiming to bring down the world's elite powers have discovered the means to bring about polar shift - a catastrophic event that will cause earthquakes, lava eruptions, tsunamis, electrical disruption and giant whirlpools. Austin knows that he and NUMA cannot fail this time. The end of the world is coming unless he and the team can track down the conspirators or reverse the effects of the Earth's most destructive power: polar shift! Clive Cussler, author of the best-selling Dirk Pitt novels Arctic Drift and Valhalla Rising, and co-author Paul Kemprecos pit their hero Kurt Austin against a destructive environmental force in Polar Shift, the sixth novel of the action-packed NUMA Files series. Praise for Clive Cussler: 'Cussler is hard to beat' Daily Mail 'The guy I read' Tom Clancy From Booklist This is Cussler's and Kemprecos' sixth novel starring Kurt Austin and his NUMA Files National Underwater and Marine Agency (NUMA) Files Special Assignments Team. This one concerns a polar shift, a phenomenon that can trigger huge eruptions, earthquakes, and climate changes. Sixty years ago, a Hungarian scientist discovered how to artificially set off such a shift, and now an antiglobalization group plans to strike the world's industrialized countries. The water in the world's oceans and lakes will be jerked in a different direction, pounding the coastline, causing massive floods. All electrical devices will fail, and there will be hurricanes and tornadoes of unheard-of force. Radiation sickness from solar rays

penetrating the earth's magnetic field will kill millions. The earth's crust will break open, causing volcanic eruptions and lava flows. But fear not; Austin and his cohorts are coming to the rescue. The plot is inconceivable, but Cussler's loyal fans won't care. George Cohen Copyright American Library Association. All rights reserved Pressestimmen "Plenty of Action...Cussler fans will enjoy the impossible and humor...Great reading for a rainy day."