

Also, since the approach is more typical of the organic chemists, one wishes for the unifying concepts of the physical chemists or for carry-over of the new structural data on inorganic boron-oxygen compounds. To some extent, this is not the fault of the author, but rather it stems from the lack of appropriate data in the journal and patent literature.

In many cases, Dr. Steinberg has tried to make a distinction between what is speculation and what is proven in the literature and in general this reviewer agrees with his conclusions. The number of typographical and scientific errors is very small for a book of this size.

The book is one which should be available in chemical libraries, since its primary usefulness will be for reference purposes. Only a few chemists will need it for their personal collection of books.

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Additions and Corrections

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Page 7. In column 2, line 1 of the last paragraph, 0.5347 should read 1.5347.—G. W. WATT

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Fred E. Saalfeld and Harry J. Svec: The Mass Spectra of Volatile Hydrides. I. The Monoelemental Hydrides of the Group IVB and VB Elements.

Page 48. In Table III, the appearance potentials of PH_3^+ and PH_2^+ should be 10.5 and 13.4 e.v., respectively, not 11.5 and 14.4 e.v.

Page 49. In Table VI, the bond energy of PH^+-H should be 3.0 e.v., not 2.0 e.v.—HARRY J. SVEC

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Page 53. In Table IV, the heat of formation of P_2H_4 should be 6.9 kcal. mole⁻¹, not 9.9 kcal. mole⁻¹.—HARRY J. SVEC

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Page 688. In Fig. 1, spectra a and b are mislabeled; the a and b labels should be exchanged.—J. P. FACKLER, JR.