

Books Received

Beginning with this issue, *Pharmaceutical Research* will feature a section on books received. Shortly thereafter, we will carry reviews for selected books. Books will be selected on the basis of relevance and importance of the subject matter to the readership of *Pharmaceutical Research*. We welcome any suggestions and comments regarding this section.

BIOMATERIALS AND BIOENGINEERING

Encyclopedic Handbook of Biomaterials and Bioengineering. Part A: Materials, Volume I. Donald L. Wise, Debra J. Trantolo, David E. Altobelli, Michael J. Yaszemski, Joseph D. Gresser, and Edith R. Schwartz, Eds. Marcel Dekker, Inc., New York, 1995. xv, 974 pp., illustrations.

Encyclopedic Handbook of Biomaterials and Bioengineering. Part A: Materials, Volume II. Donald L. Wise, Debra J. Trantolo, David E. Altobelli, Michael J. Yaszemski, Joseph D. Gresser, and Edith R. Schwartz, Eds. Marcel Dekker, Inc., New York, 1995. xv, 901 pp., illustrations.

Encyclopedic Handbook of Biomaterials and Bioengineering. Part B: Applications, Volume I. Donald L. Wise, Debra J. Trantolo, David E. Altobelli, Michael J. Yaszemski, Joseph D. Gresser, and Edith R. Schwartz, Eds. Marcel Dekker, Inc., New York, 1995. vx, 851 pp., illustrations.

Encyclopedic Handbook of Biomaterials and Bioengineering. Part B: Applications, Volume II. Donald L. Wise, Debra J. Trantolo, David E. Altobelli, Michael J. Yaszemski, Joseph D. Gresser, and Edith R. Schwartz, Eds. Marcel Dekker, Inc., New York, 1995. xv, 940 pp., illustrations.

Biomolecular Materials by Design. Mark Alper, Hagan Bayley, David Kaplan, and Manuel Navia, Eds. Materials Research Society, Pittsburgh, 1994. xi, 343 pp., illustrations. (Materials Research Society Symposium Proceedings, Volume 330)

Polymers in Medicine and Pharmacy. Antonios G. Mikos, Kam W. Leong, Michael J. Yaszemski, Janet A. Tamada, and Michael L. Radomsky, Eds. Materials Research Society, Pittsburgh, 1995. xi, 208 pp., illustrations. (Materials Research Society Symposium Proceedings, Volume 394)

Polymer Biomaterials in Solution, as Interfaces and as Solids. S.L. Cooper, C.H. Bamford, and T. Tsuruta, Eds. VSP, Utrecht, The Netherlands, 1995. xxxii, 1134 pp.

Hydrogels and Biodegradable Polymers for Bioapplications. Raphael M. Ottenbrite, Samuel J. Huang, and Kinam Park, Eds. American Chemical Society, Washington, DC, 1996. x, 268 pp., illustrations.

DRUG DELIVERY

Trends and Future Perspectives in Peptide and Protein Drug Delivery. Vincent H. L. Lee, Mitsuru Hashida, and Yutaka Mizushima, Eds. Harwood Academic Publishers GmbH, Switzerland, 1995. xiv, 378 pp., illustrations.

Interfacial Phenomena in Drug Delivery and Targeting. G. Buckton. Harwood Academic Publishers GmbH, Switzerland, 1995. xxii, 289 pp., illustrations.

Physical Methods to Characterize Pharmaceutical Proteins. James N. Herron, Wim Jiskoot, and Daan J.A. Crommelin, Eds. Plenum Press, New York, 1995. xvii, 362 pp., illustrations.

Biomaterials for Drug and Cell Delivery. Antonios G. Mikos, Regina M. Murphy, Howard Bernstein, and Nicholas A. Peppas, Eds. Materials Research Society, Pittsburgh, 1994. ix, 290 pp., illustrations. (Materials Research Society Symposium Proceedings, Volume 331)

Diffusion in Polymers. P. Neogi, Ed. Marcel Dekker, Inc., New York, 1996. vii, 309 pp., illustrations.

DRUG INFORMATION

The Year's Drug News: Therapeutic Targets, 1995 Edition. Joseph R. Prous. J.R. Prous Science Publishers, Philadelphia, 1995. xxv, 743 pp., illustrations, CD-ROM version available.

Drug Facts and Comparisons. 50th Edition. Facts and Comparisons, St. Louis, 1996. xv, 3541 pp., color locator.

USP DI, 16th Edition, Volume I: Drug Information for the Health Care Professional. United States Pharmacopeial Convention, Rockville, MD, 1996. xxix, 3358 pp., illustrations.

USP DI, 16th Edition, Volume II: Advice for the Patient, Drug Information in Lay Language. United States Pharmacopeial Convention, Rockville, MD, 1996. vi, 1798 pp., illustrations.

USP DI, 16th Edition, Volume III: Approved Drug Products and Legal Requirements. United States Pharmacopeial Convention, Rockville, MD, 1996. xviii, 1394 pp., illustrations.

The Spirit of Voluntarism a Legacy of Commitment and Contribution: Proceedings of the United States Pharmacopeial Convention, March 9-12, 1995, Washington, D.C. United States Pharmacopeial Convention, Rockville, MD, 1995. xvii, 542 pp., illustrations. Paper.

PHARMACEUTICS

Remington: The Science and Practice of Pharmacy, Nineteenth Edition, Vol I. Alfonso R. Gennaro, Grafton D. Chase, Ara Der Marderosian, Glen R. Hanson, Daniel A. Hussar, Thomas Medwick, Edward G. Rippie, Joseph B. Schwartz, H. Steve White, and Gilbert L. Zink, Eds. Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and Science, Philadelphia, 1995. xvi, 885 pp., illustrations + CD-ROM. Paper.

Remington: The Science and Practice of Pharmacy, Nineteenth Edition, Vol II. Alfonso R. Gennaro, Grafton D. Chase, Ara Der Marderosian, Glen R. Hanson, Daniel A. Hussar, Thomas Medwick, Edward G. Rippie, Joseph B. Schwartz, H. Steve White, and Gilbert L. Zink, Eds. Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and Science, Philadelphia, 1995. viii, 1136 pp., illustrations + CD-ROM. Paper.

Trissel's Stability of Compounded Formulations. Lawrence A. Trissel. American Pharmaceutical Association, Washington, D.C., 1996. xii, 296 pp.

Advanced Methods of Pharmacokinetic and Pharmacodynamic Systems Analysis, Volume 2. David Z. D'Argenio, Ed. Plenum Press, New York, 1995. x, 217 pp., illustrations.

THERAPEUTICS AND PHARMACOLOGY

Goodman & Gilman's The Pharmacological Basis of Therapeutics, Ninth Edition, Joel G. Hardman, Lee E. Limbird, Perry B. Molinoff, Raymond W. Ruddon, and Alfred Goodman Gilman, Eds. McGraw-Hill, New York, 1996. xxi, 1905 pp., illustrations, CD-ROM available.

Biochemical, Pharmacological, and Clinical Aspects of Nitric Oxide. Ben Avi Weissman, Nahum Allon, and Shlomo Shapira, Eds. Plenum Press, New York, 1995. xi, 248 pp., illustrations.

Brain Imaging of Nicotine and Tobacco Smoking. Edward F. Domino, Ed. NPP Books, Ann Arbor, MI, 1995. xii, 340 pp., illustrations.

PHYTOCHEMISTRY

Phytochemistry of Medicinal Plants. Recent Advances in Phytochemistry Vol. 29: John T. Arnason, Rachel Mata, and John T. Romeo, Eds. Plenum Press, New York, 1995. viii, 364 pp., illustrations.

VACCINES

Novel Strategies in the Design and Production of Vaccines. Sara Cohen and Avigdor Shafferman Eds. Plenum Press, New York, 1996. xv, 197 pp., illustrations.

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