

BOOK REVIEWS

users of high-intensity optical radiation sources, especially lasers, and can be of value as an introduction to laser technology and biological effects. The remarkably concise and well-illustrated text is a pleasure to read, since some rather complex topics are clearly explained. Until I read this text, I didn't understand excimer or teal or YAG lasers. The explanation of Q-switches, optically

pumped lasers, and cw compared with pulsed and Q-pulsed lasers was most enlightening.

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BOOKS RECEIVED

Nuclear Magnetic Resonance Imaging—Basic Principles. S.W. Young. New York, Raven Press, 1984, 163 pp, \$19.00

Radiation Oncology Annual 1983. T.L. Phillips, D.A. Pistenmaa, Eds. New York, Raven Press, 1984, 287 pp, \$39.00

Thoracic Oncology. N.C. Choi, H. Grillo, Eds. New York, Raven Press, 1984, 384 pp, \$39.50

Principles of Real-Time Sonography in Modern Obstetrics: A Handbook for the Practicing Physician. New York, Raven Press, 1983, 173 pp, \$34.00

Technetium in Chemistry and Nuclear Medicine. E. Deutsch, M. Nicolini, H.N. Wagner, Jr. New York, (Cortina International) Raven Press, 1983, 293 pp

Compartmental Models and Their Application. K. Godfrey. New York, Academic Press, 1983, 293 pp, \$50.00

Radiation-Induced Chromosome Damage in Man. T. Ishihara, M.S. Sasaki. New York, Alan R. Liss, Inc., 1984, 650 pp, \$98.00