

Publications received

Books received by the journal in 1999 but not reviewed are listed. The list is intended to serve as both a notice of the books and an acknowledgement of receipt. Some reviews may appear later.

- AAAS – Science & Technology Policy Yearbook:** A. H. Teich *et al.* (eds). American Association for the Advancement of Science, 1200, New York Avenue, NW, Washington DC 20005, USA. 1999. 328 pages. US \$ 24.95.
- Abortion and the Developing World:** Axel I. Mundigo and Cynthia Indriso (eds). Sage Publications India Pvt Ltd, M 32 Market, Greater Kailash I, New Delhi 110 048. 498 pages. Rs 595.
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- Almost Everyone's Guide to Science:** John Gribbin. Universities Press India Ltd, 3-5-819, Hyderguda, Hyderabad 500 029. 1999. 232 pages. Rs 190.
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- Annual Review of Medicine, Selected Topics in the Clinical Sciences:** Cecil H. Coggins *et al.* (eds). Annual Reviews Inc, 4139, El Camino Way, P.O. Box 10139, Palo Alto, California 94303-0139, USA. 1999. Vol. 50. 581 pages. US \$ 65 (Individual), US \$ 130 (Institutional).
- Annual Review of Neuroscience:** W. Maxwell Cowan *et al.* (eds). Annual Reviews Inc, 4139, El Camino Way, P.O. Box 10139, Palo Alto, California 94303-0139, USA. 1999. Vol. 22. 652 pages. US \$ 65 (Individual), US \$ 130 (Institutional).
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- Beyond Data – Science & Technology Communication:** Mohan Sundara Rajan. The Director, Publications Division, Ministry of I & B, Government of India, Patiala House, New Delhi 110 001. 1999. 213 pages. Rs 60.
- Biodiversity at BARC Trombay:** V. Abraham. Government of India, BARC, Trombay, Mumbai 400 085. 1998. 162 pages. Price not mentioned.
- Biogeochemistry of Rivers in Tropical South and South East Asia:** V. Ittekkot *et al.* (eds). 1999. 297 pages. Price not mentioned.
- Bioregion Common Property Resource Management Studies:** Tvisha M. Pandya and Gunavant M. Oza. International Society of Naturalists, Oza Building, Salatwada, Vadodara 390 001. 1998. 197 pages. Price not mentioned.
- Biotechnological Methods of Pollution Control:** S. A. Abbasi and E. Ramasami. Universities Press India Ltd, 3-5-819, Hyderguda, Hyderabad 500 029. 1999. 168 pages. Rs 150.
- Chemistry of Atmosphere:** P. S. Sandhu. New Age International (P) Ltd, 4835/24, Ansari Road, Daryaganj, New Delhi 110 002. 1998. 315 pages. Rs 595.
- Chemistry of Natural Products – A Unified Approach:** N. R. Krishnaswamy. Universities Press India Ltd, 3-5-819, Hyderguda, Hyderabad 500 029. 1999. 224 pages. Rs 225.
- Computational Physics – An Introduction:** R. C. Verma *et al.* New Age International (P) Ltd, 4835/24, Ansari Road, Daryaganj, New Delhi 110 002. 1999. 377 pages. Rs 250.
- The Computer Revolution:** S. Venkatachalam. Pitambar Publishing Co (P) Ltd, 888, East Park Road, Karol Bagh, New Delhi 110 005. 1999. 315 pages. Rs 140.
- Condensed Matter Physics:** Bal Krishna Agrawal and Hari Prakash (eds). Narosa Publishing House, 6, Community Centre, Panchsheel Park, New Delhi 110 017. 1999. 309 pages. Price not mentioned.
- Coulomb Screening by Mobile Charges – Applications to Material Science, Chemistry and Biology:** Jean-Noel Chazalviel. Birkhauser Verlag AG, P.O. Box 133, CH-4010, Basel, Switzerland. 1998. 368 pages (hard cover). DM 148/sFr 128.
- Cytokines in Severe Sepsis and Septic Shock:** H. Redl and G. Schlag (eds). Birkhauser Verlag AG, P.O. Box 133, CH-4010, Basel, Switzerland. 1999. 392 pages (hard cover). DM 268/sFr 228.
- Deccan Volcanic Province:** K. V. Subba Rao (ed.). Geological Society of India, P.B. 1922, Gavipuram P.O., Bangalore 560 019. 1999. Mem. 43 (2). 947 pages. Rs 750/ US \$ 50.
- Discovering Mathematics with Maple – An Interactive Exploration for Mathematicians, Engineers and Econometricians:** R. J. Stroeker and J. F. Kaashoek. Birkhauser Verlag AG, P.O. Box 133, CH-4010, Basel, Switzerland. 1999. 248 pages (soft cover + CD). DM 68/sFr 58.
- Disinvesting in Health – The World Bank's Prescriptions for Health:** Mohan Rao (ed.). Sage Publications India Pvt Ltd, M-32 Market, Greater Kailash Part I, New Delhi 110 048. 1999. 238 pages. Rs 225.
- DNA Profiling and DNA Fingerprinting:** Jorg T. Epplen and Thomas Lubjuhn (eds). Birkhauser Verlag AG, P.O. Box 133, CH-4010, Basel, Switzerland. 1999. 264 pages. DM 148/sFr 128.
- Doubt and Certainty:** T. Rothman and G. Sudarshan. Perseus Books, Jacob Way, Reading, Massachusetts 01867, USA. 1998. 320 pages. US \$ 25.
- Einstein and Religion:** Max Jammer. Princeton University Press, 41, William Street, Princeton, New Jersey 08540, USA. 1999. 279 pages. US \$ 22.95.
- Electrical Engineering Drawing:** S. K. Bhattacharya. New Age International (P) Ltd, 4835/24, Ansari Road, Daryaganj, New Delhi 110 002. 1998. 244 pages. Rs 125.
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- Genetics and Biotechnology in Crop Improvement:** P. K. Gupta *et al.* (eds). Rastogi Publications, 'Gangotri' Shivaji Road, Meerut 250 002. 1998. 414 pages. Rs 550.
- Genetics and the Extinction of Species:** L. F. Landweber and A. P. Dobson (eds). Princeton University Press, 41, William Street, Princeton, New Jersey 08540, USA. 1999. 189 pages. US \$ 19.95/L 12.50 (paper).
- Genetics – Principles, Concepts and Implications:** H. K. Jain. Oxford & IBH Publishing Co Pvt Ltd, 66, Janpath, New Delhi 110 001. 1999. 438 pages. Rs 240.
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Sewn Boats of Lakshadweep: Lotika Varadarajan. National Institute of Oceanography, Dona Paula, Goa 403 004. 95 pages. Rs 1500/US \$ 100.

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