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*Materials for Civil and Construction Engineers*  
Random House Puzzles & Games

This book features the outcomes of the 9th International Conference on Soft Computing for Problem Solving, SocProS 2019, which brought together researchers, engineers and practitioners to discuss thought-provoking developments and challenges in order to identify potential future directions. The book presents the latest advances and innovations in the interdisciplinary areas of soft computing, including original research papers in areas such as algorithms (artificial immune systems, artificial neural networks, genetic algorithms, genetic programming, and particle swarm optimization) and applications (control systems, data mining and clustering, finance, weather forecasting, game theory, business and forecasting applications). It is a valuable resource for both young and experienced researchers dealing with complex and intricate real-world problems that cannot easily be solved using traditional methods.

**Materials Science and Engineering**  
MacMillan Publishing Company

This book is for geoscience students taking introductory or intermediate-level courses in igneous petrology, to help develop key skills (and confidence) in identifying igneous minerals, interpreting and allocating appropriate names to unknown rocks presented to them. The book thus serves, uniquely, both as a conventional course text and as a practical laboratory manual. Following an introduction reviewing igneous nomenclature, each chapter addresses a specific compositional category of magmatic rocks, covering definition, mineralogy, eruption/ emplacement processes, textures and crystallization processes, geotectonic distribution, geochemistry, and aspects of magma genesis. One chapter is

devoted to phase equilibrium experiments and magma evolution; another introduces pyroclastic volcanology. Each chapter concludes with exercises, with the answers being provided at the end of the book. Appendices provide a summary of techniques and optical data for microscope mineral identification, an introduction to petrographic calculations, a glossary of petrological terms, and a list of symbols and units. The book is richly illustrated with line drawings, monochrome pictures and colour plates. Additional resources for this book can be found at: <http://www.wiley.com/go/gill/igneous>.  
2007 IEEE Congress on Evolutionary Computation Cengage Learning  
The past 10 years have seen a remarkable change in the approach to cardiac arrhythmias, from a position of confidence and a feeling of well-being about pharmacological treatment to a situation in which there is now marked uncertainty and general apprehension about the role of antiarrhythmic drugs. Until relatively recently the prevailing concept in antiarrhythmic therapy was that arrhythmias could be controlled by drugs which slowed conduction or suppressed automaticity, goals well served by the sodium channel-blocking drugs and glycosides. Drug research was based largely on the development of agents mimicking those already available, but with greater efficacy, fewer side effects or a more favourable pharmacokinetic profile. The CAST trial stands out as a landmark in the evolution of arrhythmia management; rarely has a single trial had such a profound impact not only on clinical practice, but also on the whole approach of those involved in the research, development and regulation of antiarrhythmic drugs. The results of the CAST trial, designed to redress the shortcomings of earlier trials which had failed to demonstrate the anticipated improvement in mortality post-myocardial infarction with the use of class I agents, are well known. The CAST and CAST II showed an increase in mortality associated with the active agent (encainide, flecainide or moricizine) compared to placebo treatment. They firmly established the potential danger in the use of class I drugs.

Visual Dysfunction in Diabetes Phlogiston Press  
Extreme Space Weather not only allows readers to learn the basics of complex space weather phenomena and future directions for research in space physics and extreme space events. The book begins with a brief overview of space weather, including sunspot cycles, solar winds and geomagnetic fields. From there, the book moves on to extreme space weather phenomena, including mass coronal ejections, solar flares and magnetic storms. The book also includes a discussion of both observed and theoretical extreme events. This book is ideal for students and researchers in geophysics and space physics departments, as well as those in hazard and disaster preparedness. Focuses on extreme space weather and its impacts on Earth, the Moon and Mars Includes hazard maps showing data and impacts on Earth from extreme space weather events Presents research on both observed and theoretical extreme events

*EPA 904/9* John Wiley & Sons  
"Brings together the cognitive, the cultural, and the neurological in an elegant, compelling narrative. A revelatory work."--Oliver Sacks, M.D. The act of reading is so easily taken for granted that we forget what an astounding feat it is. How can a few black marks on white paper evoke an entire universe of meanings? It's even more amazing when we consider that we read using a primate brain that evolved to serve an entirely different purpose. In this riveting investigation, Stanislas Dehaene, author of *How We Learn*, explores every aspect of this human invention, from its origins to its neural underpinnings. A world authority on the subject, Dehaene reveals the hidden logic of spelling, describes pioneering research on how we process languages, and takes us into a new appreciation of the brain and its wondrous capacity to adapt.

*Materials Science and Engineering* Springer Science & Business Media  
This is an introductory textbook for graduate students and researchers from various fields of science who wish to learn about carbon nanotubes. The field is still at an early stage, and

progress continues at a rapid rate. This book focuses on the basic principles behind the physical properties and gives the background necessary to understand the recent developments. Some useful computational source codes which generate coordinates for carbon nanotubes are also included in the appendix.

Contents: Carbon Materials Tight Binding Calculation of Molecules and Solids Structure of a Single-Wall Carbon Nanotube Electronic Structure of Single-Wall Nanotubes Synthesis of Carbon Nanotubes Landau Energy Bands of Carbon Nanotubes Connecting Carbon Nanotubes Transport Properties of Carbon Nanotubes Phonon Modes of Carbon Nanotubes Raman Spectra of Carbon Nanotubes Elastic Properties of Carbon Nanotubes

Readership: Researchers and graduate students in condensed matter and solid state physics.

Keywords: Carbon Nanotube; Physics; Graphite; Structure; Electronic Properties; Raman; Phonon; Synthesis; Carbon; Chirality

Reviews: "The book is a well organized systematic treatise that should be enjoyed by any researcher in the field as well as by graduate students. Theories and experiments are truly organically linked in the text and this is its unique feature." Fullerene Science & Technology "Those involved in the research of carbon nanotubes will find this book useful for understanding the basic properties of carbon tube materials." IEEE Electrical Insulation Magazine

Regenerative Medicine Procedures for Aesthetic Physicians Springer Science & Business Media

A large part of ecological research depends on use of two approaches to synthesizing information about natural communities: classification of communities (or samples representing these) into groups,

and ordination (or arrangement) of samples in relation to environmental variables. A book published in 1973, 'Ordination and Classification of Communities,' sought to provide, through contributions by an international panel of authors, a coherent treatise on these methods. The book appeared then as Volume 5 of the Handbook of Vegetation Science, for which R. TuxEN is general editor. The desire to make this work more widely available in a less expensive form is one of the reasons for this second edition separating the articles on ordination and on classification into two volumes. The other reason is the rapid advancement of understanding in the area of indirect ordination-mathematical techniques that seek to use measurements of samples from natural communities to produce arrangements that reveal environmental relationships of these communities. Such is the rate of change in this area that the last chapter on ordination in the first edition is already, 4 or 5 years after it was written, out of date; and new techniques of indirect ordination that could only be mentioned as possibilities in the first edition are becoming prominent in the field. In preparing the second edition the chapter on evaluation of ordinations has been rewritten, a new chapter on recent developments in continuous multivariate techniques has been included, and references to recent work have been added to other chapters.

*Media Effects Research: A Basic Overview* Cambridge University Press

This book fills a gap between many of the basic solid state physics and materials science books that are currently available. It is written for a mixed audience of electrical engineering and applied physics students who have some knowledge of elementary undergraduate quantum mechanics and statistical mechanics. This book, based on a successful course taught at MIT, is divided pedagogically into three parts: (I) Electronic Structure, (II) Transport Properties, and (III) Optical Properties. Each topic is explained in the context of bulk materials and then extended to low-dimensional materials where applicable. Problem sets review the content of each chapter to help students to understand the material described in each of the

chapters more deeply and to prepare them to master the next chapters. *Real-World Natural Language Processing* Penguin MEDIA EFFECTS RESEARCH, FOURTH EDITION, provides an excellent introduction for students studying mass media' effects on society. Through an engaging narrative style, the author presents fascinating research findings on media' impact and related mass media theories. Students are provided with a clear perspective of the relationship between science, methods, and practical questions about the effects of mass media. Important Notice: Media content referenced within the product description or the product text may not be available in the ebook version.

**Industrial Ventilation** Springer Science & Business Media *Real-world Natural Language Processing* shows you how to build the practical NLP applications that are transforming the way humans and computers work together. In *Real-world Natural Language Processing* you will learn how to: Design, develop, and deploy useful NLP applications Create named entity taggers Build machine translation systems Construct language generation systems and chatbots Use advanced NLP concepts such as attention and transfer learning *Real-world Natural Language Processing* teaches you how to create practical NLP applications without getting bogged down in complex language theory and the mathematics of deep learning. In this engaging book, you'll explore the core tools and techniques required to build a huge range of powerful NLP apps, including chatbots, language detectors, and text classifiers. Purchase of the print book includes a free eBook in PDF, Kindle, and ePub formats from Manning Publications. About the technology Training computers to interpret and generate speech and text is a monumental challenge, and the payoff for reducing labor and improving human/computer interaction is huge! The field of Natural Language Processing (NLP) is advancing rapidly, with countless new tools and practices. This unique book

offers an innovative collection of NLP techniques with applications in machine translation, voice assistants, text generation, and more. About the book *Real-world Natural Language Processing* shows you how to build the practical NLP applications that are transforming the way humans and computers work together. Guided by clear explanations of each core NLP topic, you'll create many interesting applications including a sentiment analyzer and a chatbot. Along the way, you'll use Python and open source libraries like AllenNLP and HuggingFace Transformers to speed up your development process. What's inside *Design, develop, and deploy useful NLP applications* Create named entity taggers Build machine translation systems Construct language generation systems and chatbots About the reader For Python programmers. No prior machine learning knowledge assumed. About the author Masato Hagiwara received his computer science PhD from Nagoya University in 2009. He has interned at Google and Microsoft Research, and worked at Duolingo as a Senior Machine Learning Engineer. He now runs his own research and consulting company. Table of Contents PART 1 BASICS 1 Introduction to natural language processing 2 Your first NLP application 3 Word and document embeddings 4 Sentence classification 5 Sequential labeling and language modeling PART 2 ADVANCED MODELS 6 Sequence-to-sequence models 7 Convolutional neural networks 8 Attention and Transformer 9 Transfer learning with pretrained language models PART 3 PUTTING INTO PRODUCTION 10 Best practices in developing NLP applications 11 Deploying and serving NLP applications *Cherokee-English Dictionary* Springer Provides coverage of all of the important aspects of carbon nanotube research, including synthesis, properties and potential applications. Frontiers in Crystal Engineering John Wiley & Sons Crystal engineering - where the myriad of intermolecular

forces operating in the solid-state are employed to design new nano- and functional materials - is a key new technology with implications for catalysis, pharmaceuticals, synthesis and materials science. *Frontiers in Crystal Engineering* gathers personal perspectives, from international specialists working in molecular aspects of crystal engineering, on the practical and theoretical challenges of the discipline, and future prospects. These demonstrate the approaches that are being used to tackle the problems associated with the complexity, design and functionality of crystalline molecular solids. Topics include \* how intermolecular forces direct and sustain crystal structures \* functional engineering and design elements \* coordination polymers and network structures \* applications in green and pharmaceutical chemistry *Frontiers in Crystal Engineering* is a useful guide to this exciting new discipline for both entrants to the field as well as established practitioners, and for those working in crystallography, medicinal and pharmaceutical sciences, solid-state chemistry, and materials and nanotechnology. Ordination of Plant Communities World Scientific An exciting contribution to the field, *Visual Dysfunction in Diabetes: The Science of Patient Impairment and Improvement* is designed with two overriding objectives: to help readers understand the impact of vision impairment in people living daily with diabetes rather than considering diabetic retinopathy solely as a medical problem, and to explore what we know and don't know about the ways diabetes affect the eye. With the plethora of new information being generated, there are still a series of fundamental questions that must be addressed if effective treatments for diabetic retinopathy are to be found and

applied. Developed by a renowned group of authorities, *Visual Dysfunction in Diabetes: The Science of Patient Impairment and Improvement* offers responses and context for a range of questions, such as: do metabolic factors beyond glucose contribute to vision-threatening diabetic retinopathy? If so, how do these lead to vision impairment? Is diabetic retinopathy a response to systemic metabolic abnormalities or are there unique ocular problems related to insulin resistance? What is the relationship between the neural, vascular, and inflammatory abnormalities in diabetic retinopathy? Do they represent a pathological cascade induced sequentially or simultaneous responses to one or more metabolic perturbations? The authors note that if we do not address these types of questions, it is possible that the long process of developing new therapeutic s will target only one arm of the pathology and leave the retina open to damaging consequences of the others. State-of-the-art, comprehensive, and an invaluable addition the research and clinical literature, *Visual Dysfunction in Diabetes: The Science of Patient Impairment and Improvement* offers guidance and a significant step toward new scientific approaches that can lessen the devastating vision impairment associated with diabetes. Connections Springer Science & Business Media MASS MEDIA RESEARCH begins with an overview of mass communication research and ethics of research. It then explores each major approach to research, including qualitative research, content analysis, survey research, longitudinal research, and experimental research. The text continues with a section on data analysis and concludes with a forward-looking section on research applications, covering such topics as research in print and electronic media and on the Internet. **Antiarrhythmic Drugs** Elsevier This volume scopes several aspects of non-conventional yeast research prepared by the leading specialists in the field. An introduction on taxonomy and systematics enhances the reader's knowledge on yeasts beyond established ones such as *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*. Biotechnological approaches that involve fungal utilization of

unusual substrates, production of biofuels and useful chemicals as citric acid, glutathione or erythritol are discussed. Further, strategies for metabolic engineering based on knowledge on regulation of gene expression as well as sensing and signaling pathways are presented. The book targets researchers and advanced students working in Microbiology, Microbial Biotechnology and Biochemistry.

#### **Handbook of Diesel Engines**

Springer

This publication is aimed at students and teachers involved in teaching programmes in field of medical radiation physics, and it covers the basic medical physics knowledge required in the form of a syllabus for modern radiation oncology. The information will be useful to those preparing for professional certification exams in radiation oncology, medical physics, dosimetry or radiotherapy technology.

#### **Industrial Hygiene Aspects of Plant Operations: Process flows**

Springer Science & Business Media  
For courses in Civil Engineering Materials, Construction Materials, and Construction Methods and Materials offered in Civil, Environmental, or Construction engineering departments. This introduction gives students a basic understanding of the material selection process and the behavior of materials - a fundamental requirement for all civil and construction engineers performing design, construction, and maintenance. The authors cover the various materials used by civil and construction engineers in one useful reference, limiting the vast amount of information available to the introductory level, concentrating on current practices, and extracting information that is relevant to the general education of civil and construction engineers. A large number of experiments, figures, sample problems, test methods, and homework problems gives students opportunity for practice and review.

#### **Media Now: Understanding Media, Culture, and Technology**

Springer

This book presents the state-of-art in regenerative procedures currently applied by aesthetic physicians, plastic surgeons and dermatologists. It is divided into two parts, the

first of which provides a detailed introduction to aesthetic medicine and the aging process. The second part, in turn, addresses the current status of techniques and technologies with regard to autologous grafts, covering fat transfer, blood grafts, skin grafts and stem cells. The book examines the surgical applications of these grafts, as well as potential side effects and limitations. Therapy combinations and outcomes round out the coverage. Aesthetic physicians, plastic surgeons and dermatologists interested in performing regenerative procedures for aesthetic purposes will find this book to be a valuable guide.

#### **Soft Computing for Problem Solving 2019**

Cengage Learning

The latest edition of this bestselling textbook treats the important properties of three primary types of material--metals, ceramics, polymers--as well as composites. Describes the relationships that exist between the structural elements of these materials and their characteristics. Emphasizes mechanical behavior and failure along with techniques used to improve the mechanical and failure properties in terms of alteration of structural elements. Individual chapters discuss each of the corrosion, electrical, thermal, magnetic, and optical properties plus economic, environmental, and societal issues. Features a design component which includes design examples, case studies, and design type problems and questions.

#### **Science of Fullerenes and Carbon Nanotubes**

Springer  
Nature

"There are words that are so familiar they obscure rather than illuminate the thing they mean, and 'learning' is such a word. It seems so ordinary, everyone does it. Actually it's more of a black box, which Dehaene cracks open to reveal the awesome secrets within."--The New York Times Book Review  
An illuminating dive into the latest science on our brain's remarkable learning abilities and the potential of the machines we program to

imitate them The human brain is an extraordinary learning machine. Its ability to reprogram itself is unparalleled, and it remains the best source of inspiration for recent developments in artificial intelligence. But how do we learn? What innate biological foundations underlie our ability to acquire new information, and what principles modulate their efficiency? In *How We Learn*, Stanislas Dehaene finds the boundary of computer science, neurobiology, and cognitive psychology to explain how learning really works and how to make the best use of the brain's learning algorithms in our schools and universities, as well as in everyday life and at any age.