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The following core library list represents an attempt to provide a basic list of handbooks, encyclopedias, unilingual English dictionaries, and some basic textbooks for translators in the sciences and technology. The list might also be useful for university translation schools.

The approximate total cost of a collection of translation reference works and two- (or multi-) language dictionaries used by specialized translators can easily amount to \$5 000, with annual additions (and journals) costing around \$1 000.

Individual translators can use this list as a guide to select those materials most useful to their particular situation, depending on financial restrictions and emphasis on particular aspects of their work.

Note : All prices are given in Canadian currency. Prices quoted between brackets are approximate. The following abbreviations have been used.

McG-H. : McGraw-Hill, in Canada : McGraw-Hill Ryerson Ltd.,
330 Progress Avenue,
Scarborough, Ont. M1P 2Z5
U.S.A. : McGraw-Hill International Book Company,
1221 Avenue of the Americas,
New York, N.Y., 10020

VNR : Van Nostrand
Reinhold Ltd., in Canada : Van Nostrand Reinhold Ltd.,
1410 Birchmount Road,
Scarborough, Ont. M1P 2E7
U.S.A. : Van Nostrand Reinhold Company,
450 West 33rd Street,
New York, N.Y., 10001

W. : Wiley, in Canada : John Wiley and Sons Canada Ltd.,
22 Worcester Road,
Rexdale, Ont. M9W 1L1
U.S.A. : Wiley-Interscience,
605 Third Avenue,
New York, N.Y., 10016

Architecture

- BONNEY, J.B., and J.P. FREIN, *Handbook of Construction Management and Organization*, 688 p., 266 illus. [\$43.25], VNR.
Covering every facet of construction management from site investigation to contract completion and settlement, this book is a veritable « tool kit » of sound business techniques used in the world of contracting.
- DUMOUCI, J., *Dictionary of Development Terminology*, 1975, 288 p. [\$18.50], McG-H.
This dictionary provides ready access to standard definitions of over 2 000 of the most frequently used terms in housing and community development.
- HARRIS, C., *Dictionary of Architecture and Construction*, 1975, 512 p., [\$45], McG-H.
Prepared by a staff of fifty-two experts, this authoritative and comprehensive dictionary provides definitions of terms encountered in the everyday practice of architecture and construction.
- SAYLOR, H.H., *Dictionary of Architecture*, 1963, 221 p. [\$8], W.
- WHITTICK, A., *Encyclopedia of Urban Planning*, 1974, 1 204 p., 592 illus. [\$50], McG-H.
This one-volume encyclopedia covers all aspects of urban and regional planning. It offers what is needed in comprehensive surveys before planning. Economic and social questions are considered.

Astronomy, cf. Physics

Business

- ALLEN, L., *The Management Profession*, 1964, 388 p., [\$19], McG-H. . .
This analysis of basic management principles and techniques covers the entire range of management practice. Topics discussed include a precisely defined vocabulary of professional management.
- BARTON, R., *Handbook of Advertising Management*, 1970, 1 090 p. [\$40], McG-H.
This book considers every aspect of modern advertising management including organization, planning, media, use of copy in media, research, legal matters, etc. A Glossary of Advertising defines hundreds of terms used in the industry.
- CLIFTON, H.D., and T. LUCEY, *Accounting and Computer Systems*, 192 p. [\$18.75], VNR.
Accounting and information systems. Systems investigation. Computer hardware and computer software. Design of data processing systems. Implementation of data processing systems. Application of computers.
- COLBERT, D.A., *Computers and Management for Business*, 416 p. [\$17.50], VNR.
This book concentrates on computers and their impact on business, management, business people, and to a lesser extent, society and social implications. Glossary, bibliography, index.
- DAVIDSON, S., and R. WEIL, *Handbook of Modern Accounting*, 2nd Ed., 1977, 1 536 p. [\$40], McG-H.
Thoroughly revised, this new edition provides the latest information on developments in accounting procedures for earning forecasts, and compound interest applications; statistical concepts in auditing; inflation accounting; foreign exchange; and human resource accounting.
- DILLON, J., *Handbook of International Direct Marketing*, 1977, 420 p. [\$33], McG-H.
This book covers all the major aspects of international direct marketing. The topics are : direct marketing and marketing mix, creative design, international mailing lists, testing, using computers, statistical evaluation, public relations, translations, multilingual printing letter shops.
- DREYFUSS, H., *Symbol Sourcebook : An Authoritative Guide to International Graphic Symbols*, 1972, 320 p. [\$40], McG-H.
This handbook is the first single reference to graphic symbols used internationally in business, industry, the sciences, and all walks of life.

- FERBER, R., *Handbook of Marketing Research*, 1974, 1 344 p. [\$50], McG-H.
From testing a new product in the market place and measuring the impact of advertising, to model building in marketing and today's most effective decision information systems, this handbook constitutes a highly comprehensive reference on marketing research methods.
- HEYEL, C., *Encyclopedia of Management*, 2nd Ed., 1 182 p., 135 illus. [\$43.25], VNR.
Tested ideas and techniques in every important management area, from job enrichment programs to process analysis and process engineering.
- MAYNARD, H., *Handbook of Business Administration*, 1967, 2 048 p. [\$50], McG-H.
The foremost experts in the field have contributed to this monumental reference work which gives authoritative information on all aspects of management practice. It discusses in depth such areas as organization, activity area management, office management, systems and data processing, and international business.
- MODER, J.J., and S.E. ELMAGHRABY, *Handbook of Operations Research : Foundation and Fundamentals*, vol. I [\$40.75], *Models and Applications*, vol. II [\$40.75], 605 p. plus index, VNR.
This handbook provides an authoritative, concise and comprehensive treatment of theory and applications of operations research. Vol. I is a definite reference source on fundamental concepts and methodologies. Vol. II provides comprehensive presentation of specific applications.

Chemistry

- BENNETT, H., *Concise Chemical and Technical Dictionary*, 3rd Ed., 1974, 1 175 p. [\$45], Chemical Publishing.
This unique dictionary contains 75 000 definitions, which cover a wide range of terms from chemistry and related areas. In addition, there are short sections on the nomenclature of organic chemistry, names and formulas of radicals occurring in organic compounds, references for fuller and additional definitions, and technical tables.
- BRITT, K.W., *Handbook of Pulp and Paper Technology*, 2nd Ed., 724 p. [\$41.95], VNR.
A comprehensive survey of technological achievements in the pulp and paper industry, this book covers every aspect from sources of raw material to uses of paper.
- CAHN, R.S., *An Introduction to Chemical Nomenclature*, 4th Ed., 1974, 128 p. [\$8.50], Halsted/Wiley.
- CONSIDINE, D., *Chemical and Process Technology Encyclopedia*, 1974, 1 184 p. [\$48], McG-H.
In covering the gamut of chemistry, chemical engineering, and process engineering, this one-volume encyclopedia serves the needs of translators and others who cannot afford a multi-volume reference set in their private library.
- DAVIES, C.W., and A.M. JAMES, *Dictionary of Electrochemistry*, 1976, 246 p. [\$24], W.
This handy reference book provides sketches of important concepts in electrochemistry.
- HAWLEY, G.G., *Condensed Chemical Dictionary*, 9th Ed., 970 p. [\$40.75], VNR.
This dictionary is crammed with compact, accurate summaries of thousands of chemicals and chemical phenomena. Energy and its sources are emphasized in this new edition.
- GRANT, J., *Hackh's Chemical Dictionary*, 4th Ed., 1969, 1 040 p. [\$50], McG-H.
This new edition reflects the unprecedented advances made in chemistry and related sciences in recent years. It contains about 80 000 terms.
- HAMPEL, C.A., and G.G. HAWLEY, *Encyclopedia of Chemistry*, 3rd Ed., 1 216 p. [\$49.50], VNR.
Over 800 articles highlight industrial uses and applications of chemicals or classes of chemicals. Environmental chemistry and the chemistry of life processes are emphasized in this new edition.
- HAMPEL, C.A., and HAWLEY, G.G., *Glossary of Chemical Terms*, 288 p. [\$18.75], VNR.
For anyone who needs basic definitions of chemical terminology, this glossary is an

ideal reference. Containing 2 000 concise, to-the-point entries, it covers terms used in the subdivisions of chemistry, along with those in common usage in the chemical industries.

KENT, J.A., *Riegel's Handbook of Industrial Chemistry*, 7th Ed., 902 p., 824 illus. [\$48], VNR.
This handbook covers the major segments of the chemical process industries.

RUBIN, A.J., *Chemistry of Wastewater Technology* [\$34.50], VNR.
Latest chemical research on water pollution control is presented in this symposium proceedings. Covers subjects as diverse as disinfection, adsorption and nutrient removal in municipal and industrial wastewaters.

SALTMAN, D., *Paper Basics : Forestry, Manufacture, Selection, Purchasing, Mathematics and Metrics, Recycling*, 226 p. plus index, 108 illus. [\$13.75], VNR.
An introduction for professionals in several fields, this book is thoroughly up-to-date, covering the newest technological advances and exploring the urgent challenges of environmental and energy conservations in paper production.

Computers

ASHLEY, Ruth, and N. Fernandez JUDI, *Job Control Language*, 1978, 157 p., glossary, [\$6.50], W.

GREENSTEIN, C., *Dictionary of Logical Terms and Symbols*, 150 p. [\$13.75], VNR.
A complete dictionary of alternative logical notations, operations and terms. Features abbreviations of standard notational concepts, rules of inference expressed in more than one notational system, and modal, non-modal and binary truth tables and truth trees.

JORDAIN, P., *Condensed Computer Encyclopedia*, 1969, 448 p. [\$28], McG-H.
Arranged alphabetically and copiously cross-referenced, this work explains the bewildering array of terms, items, technical details, interpretive languages, etc., connected with computers.

RALSTON, A., *Encyclopedia of Computer Science*, 1 521 p. [\$75], VNR.
This one-volume, basic reference combines the expertise of more than 200 respected authorities in over 480 articles with more than 1 000 illustrations, tables, and charts.

SIPPL, C.J., *Communications Dictionary*, 544 p. [\$24.95], VNR.
Providing instant access to over 14 000 terms, this dictionary is a compilation of definitions, concept explanations and language interpretations of the terms, acronyms and abbreviations used in information processing and transmission.

YEARSLEY, R., and R. GRAHAM, *Handbook of Computer Management*, 1973, 328 p. [\$24], W.
Survey of computing systems ; buying computer services ; managing the data processing function ; applications of computers in business.

YEH, Raymond T. (Ed.), *Current Trends in Programming Methodology*, Vol. 4, *Data Structuring*, 321 p. [\$25], 1978, Prentice-Hall.

Earth Sciences

AMERICAN GEOLOGICAL INSTITUTE, *Dictionary of Geological Terms*, revised ed., 1976, 427 p. [\$4.50], Anchor/Doubleday.

COLE, Gerald A., *Textbook of Limnology*, 2nd Ed., 426 p., 1979 [\$22.75], C.V. Mosby Co.

JACKSON, K., *Textbook of Lithology*, 1970, 484 p. [\$27] McG-H.
Detailed descriptions and vivid illustrations contribute to making this book, which covers both sedimentary and metamorphic rocks, an intelligent source for aid in efficiently determining the correct interpretation of the observable features of rock genesis.

KNAUSS, John A., *Introduction to Physical Oceanography*, 1978, 338 p. [\$35], Prentice-Hall.

McGraw-Hill Encyclopedia of the Geological Sciences, 914 p., 1979 [\$37.50], McG-H.

MONKHOUSE, F.J., and J. SMALL, *A Dictionary of Physical Geography*, 1977, 250 p. [cloth : \$24], [paper : \$8.50], W.

Definitions, methods of field survey, map projections.

MOORE, W.G., *A Dictionary of Geography*, 1969, 246 p., 88 illus., Frederick A. Praeger.

Definitions and explanations of terms used in physical geography.

PRESS, Frank, and Raymond SIEVER, *Earth*, 2nd Ed., 1978, 649 p. [\$20.50], Freeman.

ROBERTS, W., G. RAPP jr., and J. WEBER, *Encyclopedia of Minerals*, 694 p., 940 full-color illus. [\$86.95], VNR.

The most authoritative information available on all known and authenticated mineral species. Includes chemical, physical, crystallographic, X-ray, optical and geographical data in comprehensive detail.

ROBINSON, Arthur, Randall SALE, and Joel MORRISON, *Elements of Cartography*, 1978, 448 p. [\$22.50], W.

STAMP, L.D., *Dictionary of Geography*, 1966, 492 p. [\$13.50], W.

STRAHLER, Arthur, and Alan H. STRAHLER, *Modern Physical Geography*, 1978, 502 p. [\$19.00], W.

ZOTTOLI, Robert, *Introduction to Marine Environments*, 2nd Ed., 1978, 252 p. [\$14.50], C.V. Mosby Co.

Cf. also R.W. Fairbridge under *Special Reference*.

Economics

BOULDING, K., *Economics as a Science*, 1970, 160 p. [cloth : \$11], [paper : \$8], McG-H.

The scope and setting of economics, and the place it occupies in the intellectual and professional community are outlined in this book.

DESAL, M., *Applied Econometrics*, 1976, 256 p. [\$20], McG-H.

This guide to econometrics emphasizes the connection between theory and application.

GREENWALD, D., *The McGraw-Hill Dictionary of Modern Economics*, 2nd Ed., 1973, 800 p. [\$30], McG-H.

This reference provides clear, concise definitions of approx. 1 400 frequently used economic terms, explaining the key concept of each term, and giving references to both current and original sources of information.

MADDALA, G., *Econometrics*, 1977, 576 p. [\$18.50], McG-H.

This book sheds new light on a complex topic by stressing both theory and practical application in a comprehensive approach. Important topics discussed are : proxy variables, limited and dependent variables, missing observations and aggregation problems, and analysis of grouped data.

McCONNELL, C., *Economics : Principles, Problems and Policies*, 6th Ed., 1975, 919 p. [\$19], McG-H.

Energy

HUNT, D., *The Energy Dictionary*, 512 p. [\$22.50], VNR.

This dictionary provides an up-to-date concise compilation of the salient terms associated with the broad field of energy. Approx. 4 000 entries are supplemented with 300 charts, graphs, process diagrams and photographs.

LOFTNESS, R.L., *Energy Handbook*, 640 p. [\$56.25], VNR.

A major compilation and survey of energy resources, costs, conservation, efficiency, depletion, storage, transport, consumption patterns, conversion technologies, and environmental factors. Profusely illustrated with tables, graphs, maps and other visual devices.

McGraw-Hill Encyclopedia of Energy, 1976, 750 p. [\$30], McG-H.

This encyclopedia is designed to provide better understanding of the issues and the technological, economic, political, and social problems surrounding energy and its use. This first part contains six feature articles which give an overview of the worldwide energy situation. The second part features more than 300 alphabetically arranged articles dealing with the different areas of the energy problem.

PESKO, C., *Solar Directory*, 624 p. [\$23], VNR.

This directory gives information on work in the solar field throughout the world.

YEN, T.F., *Science and Technology of Oil Shale*, 226 p. [\$37.50], VNR.

Engineering

AZAD, H., *Industrial Wastewater Management Handbook*, 1976, 608 p. [\$35], McG-H.

This book deals with the water pollution control problems of six major industries : Chemical, Petroleum, Metals, Pulp and Paper, Power, and Food and Beverage.

BLAND, W., and R. DAVIDSON, *Petroleum Processing Handbook*, 1967, 1 102 p. [\$55]. McG-H.

A comprehensive source book.

BRADY, G., and H. CLAUSER, *Materials Handbook*, 11th Ed., 1977, 1 038 p. [\$35], McG-H.

This handbook provides practical information on more than 13 000 materials and substances. For each substance, the authors give precise details of its general nature, composition, production, major characteristics, uses, and commercial designations or trade names.

BAUMEISTER, T., and L. MARKS, *Standard Handbook for Mechanical Engineers*, 1967, 2 456 p. [\$48], McG-H.

Provides invaluable information for translators in this field.

BRATER, E., and H. KING, *Handbook of Hydraulics*, 6th Ed., 1976, 608 p. [\$35], McG-H.

Revised and updated, this new edition features tables, particularly those for pipe and open channel problems. A new chapter deals with computer programming to solve hydraulic problems.

CHOW, V., *Handbook of Applied Hydrology*, 1964, 1 468 p. [\$60], McG-H.

This comprehensive presentation of the principles and data required for the study and management of water and water resource projects discusses the fundamental sciences underlying hydrology and the hydrologic cycle, with due attention to applications in different areas, and flood and flow control.

CONSIDINE, D., *Encyclopedia of Instrumentation and Control*, 1971, 816 p. [\$48], McG-H.

This work coordinates instrumentation and control technology. The explanations are clear, practical and fully illustrated. An appendix lists the subjects covered in logical outline form.

CONSIDINE, D., *Energy Technology Handbook*, 1977, 1 859 p. [\$36], McG-H.

This handbook concentrates on the important issue of energy — its availability, its use, its effects. It contains separate sections on each of the major sources of energy : coal, gas, petroleum, chemical fuels, nuclear, solar, and geothermal energy as well as hydropower.

CONSIDINE, D., and S. ROSS, *Handbook of Applied Instrumentation*, 1964, 1 156 p. [\$55], McG-H.

A definite summation of how instruments are used to control machines, operations, processes, and industries, this book provides a thorough analysis of the basic types of variables subject to instrumentation and evaluates the ways of measuring them.

CONSIDINE, D., *Process Instruments and Controls Handbook*, 2nd Ed., 1974, 1 344 p. [\$50], McG-H.

This reference volume, covering the design and operation of measurement and automatic control systems, reflects the new developments and changes that have occurred in the process fields.

COOMBS, C., *Basic Electronic Instrument Handbook*, 1972, 823 p. [\$36], McG-H.

This comprehensive reference contains basic background for all instrumentation.

COOPER, William David, *Electronic Instrumentation and Measurement Techniques*, 1978, 500 p. [\$22.50], Prentice-Hall.

ETHERINGTON, H., *Nuclear Engineering Handbook*, 1958, 1 882 p. [\$45], McG-H.

This comprehensive coverage of nuclear engineering details nuclear theory, engineering principles, and techniques, and provides helpful reference material [N.B. No more recent work is known to the author.]

FINK, D., *Electronics Engineers' Handbook*, 1975, 2 000 p. [\$50], McG-H.

This exhaustive compilation contains more than 2 000 illustrations, 2 500 bibliographical entries, and 2 100 formulas and equations. This handbook is a reliable reference manual.

FINK, D., and J. CARROLL, *Standard Handbook for Electrical Engineers*, 10th Ed., 1968, 2 596 p. [\$52], McG-H.

This handbook includes modern and sophisticated techniques for computer control of power generation and distribution along with conventional data on wiring and switchgear ; it contains a functional index.

GRUENBERG, E., *Handbook of Telemetry and Remote Control*, 1967, 1 337 p. [\$60], McG-H.

This handbook comprehensively covers the techniques and applications of measurement and control from a distance, including applications to industry, automation, nuclear power, and space exploration.

HANDLEY, William (Ed.), *Industrial Safety Handbook*, 2nd Ed., 1977, 480 p. [\$30], McG-H.

HAVERS, J., and F. STUBBS, *Handbook of Heavy Construction*, 2nd Ed., 1971, 1 440 p. [\$60], McG-H.

This source book codifies the basics of heavy construction, from tunneling to skyscraper erection.

INSTITUTE OF ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONIC ENGINEERS, Inc., *IEEE Standard Dictionary of Electrical and Electronic Terms*, 1972, 716 p. [\$28], W.

LITKINS, P., *Elements of Engineering Mechanics*, 1973, 484 p. [\$25], McG-H.

An integrated treatment of the statics and dynamics of particles and rigid bodies is provided in this book.

MARKUS, J., *Electronics and Nucleonics Dictionary*, 3rd Ed., 1966, 650 p. [\$30], McG-H.

Containing nearly 16 500 terms and 1 000 illustrations, this standard reference work serves as a definite and approachable key to the language of electronics and nucleonics. Lasers are represented with the latest terms.

MERRITT, F., *Building Construction Handbook*, 3rd Ed., 1975, 992 p. [\$47.50], McG-H.

This singularly comprehensive handbook is a concise, reliable guide to every facet of modern design and construction.

MERRITT, F., *Standard Handbook for Civil Engineers*, 2nd Ed., 1976, 1 344 p. [\$50], McG-H.

This practical reference guide to civil engineering provides the most important numerical and descriptive data on such areas as bridge, highway, railroad, tunnel, and harbor construction as well as environmental engineering.

PERRY, R., *Engineering Manual : A Practical Reference Book of Data and Methods in Architectural, Chemical, Civil, Electrical, Mechanical, and Nuclear Engineering*, 3rd Ed., 1976, 800 p. [\$25], McG-H.

This handbook makes vital engineering information accessible by bringing together in one volume the most commonly used methods and data in the fields mentioned in the title. Two new sections have been added : environmental engineering, and energy conservation.

PERRY, R., and C. CHILTON, *Chemical Engineers' Handbook*, 5th Ed., 1973, 1 920 p. [\$50], McG-H.

This completely updated edition of the chemical engineers' « bible » provides facts, figures, methods and data needed by the chemical engineer.

TSYTOVICH, N., *Mechanics of Frozen Ground*, 1975, 448 p. [\$45], McG-H.

This translation of the 1973 Russian edition will be of use to anyone whose work entails a consideration of the peculiar characteristics of frozen soil.

WARD, R., *Principles of Hydrology*, 2nd Ed., 1975, 344 p. [\$24], McG-H.

Extensively revised and updated, this handbook is an introductory survey of the occurrence, distribution, and movement of water. Generously illustrated, this book is an important addition to the reference library of all those in the earth sciences.

Environment

ALLABY, M., *A Dictionary of the Environment*, 532 p. [\$25.95], VNR.

This dictionary defines and explains 6 000 words and phrases used in all sciences that relate to the environment. It records environmental terms and concepts as these are understood and used at present.

BERRY, F., et al., *Handbook of Meteorology*, 1945, 1 116 p. [\$50], McG-H.

This reference book covers the entire subject of meteorology and presents a wealth of authoritative information. Each section is profusely illustrated with photographs, maps, sketches, and line drawings. [N.B. No more recent work is known to the author.]

McEVOY, J., and T.M. DIETZ, *Handbook of Environmental Planning : The Social Consequences of Environmental Change*, 1977 [\$25], W.

Provides guidelines and methods for preparing and reviewing reports on social aspects of environmental change ; includes definitions of terms.

McGraw-Hill Encyclopedia of Environmental Science, 1974, 768 p. [\$30], McG-H.

This reference work contains 300 articles and over 600 illustrations covering the span of environmental science.

MONKHOUSE, J., and John SMALL, *A Dictionary of the Nature Environment*, 1978, 320 p. [\$24.50], Halsted (W.).

Library Science

GATES, J., *Guide to Use of Books and Libraries*, 3rd Ed., 1974, 288 p. [cloth : \$11], [paper : \$7], McG-H.

This brief but comprehensive guide covers the many kinds of library materials found primarily in the academic library. Each chapter includes definition of terms.

KATZ, W., *Introduction to Reference Work, Vol. I : Basic Information Sources*, 2nd Ed., 1974, 444 p. [\$15], McG-H.

Volume I covers in depth the main features of encyclopedias, dictionaries, handbooks, and other reference books, and demonstrates their principles of application in a series of exemplary problems and case studies.

KATZ, W., *Introduction to Reference Work, Vol. II : Reference Services*, 2nd Ed., 1974, 256 p. [\$14], McG-H.

This volume describes the reference librarian's specific duties and responsibilities. The emphasis is on updating all bibliographical data, new technological processes, and policies.

Life Sciences

COCKRUM, E.L., *Introduction to Mammalogy*, 1962, 455 p. [\$16], W.

DASMANN, R.F., *Wildlife Biology*, 1964, 231 p. [\$16], W.

Wildlife habitat ; characteristics of wildlife populations ; methods for studying wildlife ; references ; index.

DENNEY, R.C., *A Dictionary of Chromatography*, 1976, 191 p. [\$16], W.

This volume lists terms, nomenclature, and detectors under their most common form while cross-referencing them to as many of their variations as possible.

- EVANS, A., *Glossary of Molecular Biology*, 1975, 55 p. [\$11], W.
Readers of the specialized literature of molecular biology who are new to this field will find this convenient glossary invaluable.
- FIRTH, F.E., *Encyclopedia of Marine Resources*, 740 p., 380 illus. [\$35.50], VNR.
Covering every type of commercial fish, this volume presents a geographical study of commercial fisheries and related technologies.
- FORBES, R.D. and A.B. MEYER, *Forestry Handbook*, 1955, 1 201 p. [\$301], W.
A handbook for professionals working in forestry, conservation and in other technical and administrative phases of these and allied fields; it organizes for ready reference the facts, techniques, and working methods needed to answer the questions and solve the problems of practical forestry.
- FROBISHER, M., et al., *Fundamentals of Microbiology*, 9th Ed., 1974, 850 p. [\$19], Saunders ; glossary ; index.
- GRAY, A., *Manual of Botany*, 8th Ed., 1 700 p. [\$41.25], VNR.
A handbook of flowering plants of Canada (and central and northeastern U.S.). Includes an analytical key to families; descriptive flora; glossary of terms; and indices to English, Latin, French-Canadian and colloquial names of families, genera, and species.
- GRAY, P., *Dictionary of Biological Sciences*, 622 p. [\$28.25], VNR.
This work provides over 40 000 definitions in the life sciences.
- GRAY, P., *Encyclopedia of Microscopy and Microtechnique*, 684 p., 500 illus. [\$43.75], VNR.
An encyclopedia of interest to life sciences workers; it provides thorough coverage of microscopic instruments, techniques and applications.
- GRAY, P., *Encyclopedia of the Biological Sciences*, 2nd Ed., 1 142 p. [\$40.75], VNR.
A commanding authority by any standards, this impressive volume includes over 800 articles. Every significant discipline from botany through zoology and the life sciences is identified and scrutinized with concision.
- HOAGLAND, Mahlon B., *The Roots of Life : A Layman's Guide to Genes, Evolution and the Ways of Cells*, 1977, 162 p. [\$11], Houghton Mifflin.
- KELETI, G., and W.H. LEDERER, *Handbook of Micromethods for the Biological Sciences*, 166 p., illus. [\$16.25], VNR.
A book of 102 methods, each specifically detailing a biochemical or microbiological procedure for preparation or analysis.
- KRUMBEIN, W.E., *Environmental Biogeochemistry and Geomicrobiology* (3-volume set) [\$43.25], VNR.
Some of the latest research in this new interdisciplinary field is included in this comprehensive 3-volume set. Vol. 1 : The Aquatic Environment. Vol. 2 : The Terrestrial Environment. Vol. 3 : Methods, Metals and Assessment.
- KUTSKY, R.J., *Handbook of Vitamins and Hormones*, 278 p. [\$21.25], VNR.
A concise reference containing most of the known information about vitamins, hormones, and their inter-relationships.
- LEE, S.D., *Biochemical Effects of Environmental Pollutants*, 478 p. [\$32.25], VNR.
This book provides a basic understanding of the ways in which environmental pollutants affect plant and animal life.
- LEVITAN, Max, and Asley MONTAGU, *Textbook of Human Genetics*, 2nd Ed., 1977, 1 012 p. [\$25], Oxford University Press.
- LEWIS, Walter H., *Ecology Field Glossary : A Naturalist's Vocabulary*, 1977, 152 p. [\$19], Greenwood (Westport, CT, USA).
- McCONNAUGHEY, Bayard H., *Introduction to Marine Biology*, 3rd Ed., 1978, 624 p. [\$21], C.V. Mosby.
- McGraw-Hill Dictionary of the Life Sciences, 1976, 992 p. [\$25], McG-H.
A practical reference guide to the vocabulary of the biological sciences and related disciplines, this new dictionary contains over 20 000 terms and definitions encompassing

49 different fields of science. The ample cross-referencing of synonyms and the more than 800 illustrations enhance the usefulness of this work.

McGraw-Hill *Encyclopedia of Food, Agriculture and Nutrition*, 1977, 732 p. [\$29.50], McG-H.

McKINNEY, R., *Microbiology for Sanitary Engineers*, 1962, 293 p. [\$27.50], McG-H.

PELCZAR, jr., M., R. REID, and E. CHAN, *Microbiology*, 4th Ed., 1977, 960 p. [\$25], McG-H.

The newest developments in microbiology are reflected in this revision. Included are discussions of microbial classification and genetics, research developments in aquatic microbiology, and microorganisms as a source of food supplements.

RICHEY, C., *et al.*, *Agricultural Engineer's Handbook*, 1961, 880 p. [\$40], McG-H.

SINGLETON, Paul, and Diana SAINSBURY, *Dictionary of Microbiology*, 1978, 482 p., illus. [\$55], W.

STENESH, J., *Dictionary of Biochemistry*, 1975, 344 p. [\$30], W.

This dictionary contains approximately 12 000 entries drawn from over 200 text and reference books and from the research literature of biochemical journals.

STODDARD, Charles H., *Essentials of Forestry Practice*, 3rd Ed., 1978, 387 p. [\$16.50], W.

WESTCOTT, C., *Plant Disease Handbook*, 3rd Ed., 860 p. [\$29.50], VNR.

This book shows how to diagnose and control over 2 100 diseases common to home gardens, greenhouses and farms. Glossary.

WILLIAMS, R.J., and E.M. LANSFORD, *Encyclopedia of Biochemistry*, 1967, 876 p., VNR.

A commanding authority by any standards.

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