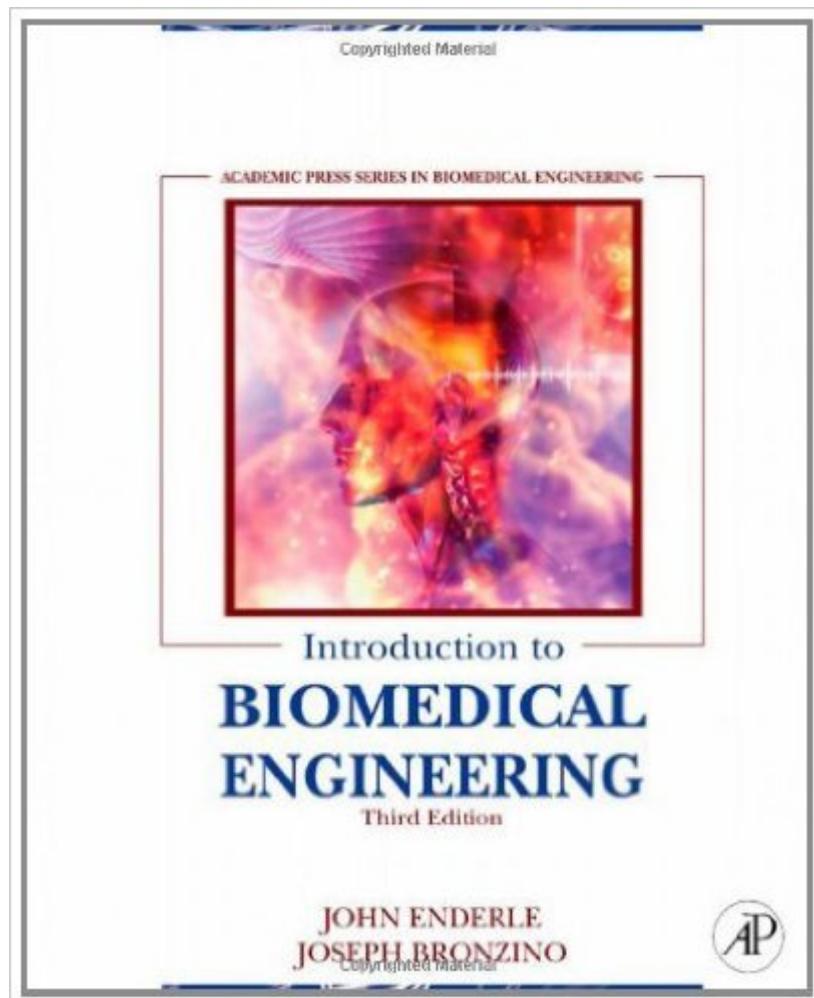


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This book reads more like a collection of technical papers than a coherent text. The writing is uneven from section to section, and it flows poorly. Some sections are poorly written, with terms introduced without definition. The section on computers is particularly bad, with focus on topics that are outdated and specifics that no longer apply in today's world of computing. In several sections the authors go into great detail to no apparent purpose, other than to show off their knowledge of physics, chemistry, and biology. As a reference, this book has utility, and that's why I gave it two stars rather than one. As a text, it's lousy, and I take pity on students who are saddled with it.

I gave it to my brother because he's considering specializing in that area. He was very pleased. It is written in a way that even I as a medical student can understand. And the book arrived in an

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