

With powder samples diffracted X-rays can be detected at any rotation angle of sample and reciprocal net.

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This section is intended to be a series of short paragraphs dealing with the activities of crystallographers, such as their changes of position, promotions, assumption of significant new duties, honours, etc. Items for inclusion, subject to the approval of the Editorial Board, should be sent to the Executive Secretary of the International Union of Crystallography (J. N. King, International Union of Crystallography, 5 Abbey Square, Chester CH1 2HU, England).

Professor **A. J. C. Wilson** retired as Professor of Crystallography at the University of Birmingham on 1 October 1982. The University conferred on him the title of Emeritus Professor. Recently he was appointed Chairman of the IUCr Commission on *International Tables* and Editor in charge of a proposed new volume of *International Tables for Crystallography*, which will be a revision of the existing Volumes II, III and IV. He will undertake this work at the Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre.

Professor **U. Shmueli**, Chemistry Department, Tel-Aviv University, has been appointed Editor of a new volume of *International Tables for Crystallography* on reciprocal space.

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Notes for Authors

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raphy have been published in the January 1983 issue of *Acta Crystallographica*, Section A. [*Acta Cryst.* (1983), **A39**, 174–186]. Copies are available from any of the Editors or the Technical Editor.

Books Received

The following books have been received by the Editor. Brief and generally uncritical notices are given of works of marginal crystallographic interest, occasionally a book of fundamental interest is included under this heading because of difficulty in finding a suitable reviewer without great delay.

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Physics of modern materials. Vols. 1 and 2. Edited by M. Lewis. Pp. Vol. 1, vi + 530; Vol. 2, vi + 690. Published by the International Atomic Energy Agency, Vienna, 1980. Price: Vol. 1, Sch. 760; Vol. 2, Sch. 1980. A review of these books, by P. K. Chatterjee, has been published in the November 1982 issue of *Acta Crystallographica*, Section A, page 877.

Neutron scattering. (Vol. 15 of **Treatise on Materials Science and Technology**). Edited by G. Kostorz. Pp. xxv + 523. New York: Academic Press, 1979. Price US \$66.50. A review of this book, by C. G. Windsor, has been published in the January 1983 issue of *Acta Crystallographica*, Section A, page 187.

Crystallography. By R. Steadman. Pp. viii + 120. Wokingham, England: Van Nostrand, 1982. Price £3.95. A review of this book, by H. Mendel, has been published in the January 1983 issue of *Acta Crystallographica*, Section A, page 190.