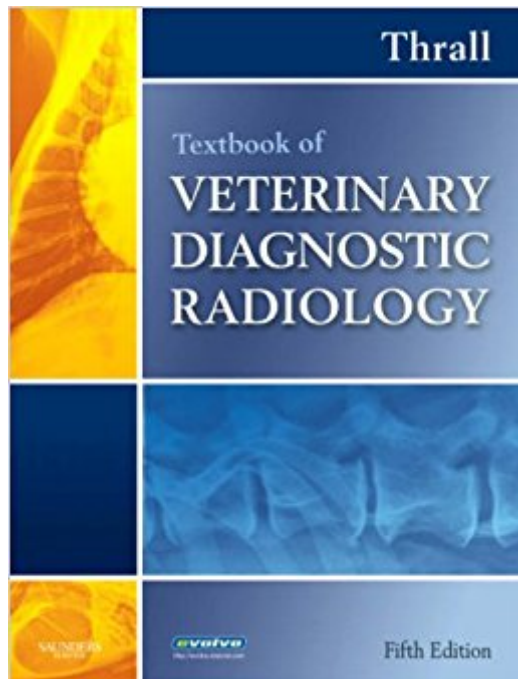




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Synopsis

User-friendly and comprehensive, this essential resource covers all aspects of canine, feline, and equine diagnostic radiology and interpretation. It features relevant coverage of the physics of radiology, CT, and MRI, as well as valuable information on patient positioning and management, radiographic technique and safety measures, normal and abnormal anatomy, radiographic viewing and interpretation, and alternative imaging modalities. This edition features more than 500 additional images, a new chapter on the principles of digital imaging, and expanded coverage of brain and spinal cord imaging. Features comprehensive, logically organized coverage of the latest advances in imaging techniques and interpretation for the dog, cat, and horse. A body systems approach presents information in a logical progression, covering skeletal versus soft tissue structures, normal anatomy, general radiographic changes, and the most common abnormalities affecting each particular system. Discussion of the physics of radiology, CT, and MRI offers a better understanding of the radiographic process. An atlas of normal radiographic anatomy of the dog and horse offers a basis for comparison to assist in recognizing abnormal findings. Information on radiation safety highlights safety measures associated with ionizing radiation. A self-assessment section at the end of each chapter evaluates understanding of key concepts and clinical applications. High-quality radiographic images, illustrations, tables, and charts throughout clarify important concepts and interpretative principles. A new chapter on Digital Images and Digital Radiographic Image Capture (Chapter 2). Updated and expanded coverage of brain and spinal cord imaging, including CT and MRI. More than 500 additional radiographic images that clarify key concepts.

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Customer Reviews

I think because there are so few veterinary radiology books that this book has gotten good reviews that it did not deserve. The pictures are worthless and frustrating. They describe what you should be seeing, but do not always have arrows to show you the exact area they are talking about. For a beginner and even some advanced, the pictures leave a lot to be desired. Additionally, the pictures are small. The book is fairly long-winded and many times hard to follow. Also, I was at NC State with Thrall and was not impressed. If you are a student, I recommend just searching online for academic websites with images and descriptions. I found this to be much better than this book. If you are someone that must have a hard copy, I would look elsewhere. If you do buy this book, don't hi-light it and keep your receipt. I am still looking for a good veterinary radiology book so if you find one, please advise!

Very thorough text, although cumbersome to consult and not very user friendly. I often have to consult other books for images as well, and a lot of the images are old and not very clear, or lesions are not marked with e.g. arrows. Not enough images presented to illustrate certain abnormalities.

I have found Thrall to be an excellent resource text to get a good grounding in radiography and radiology. The text is written in a very reader-friendly style, covering the main points without being verbose. The many radiographic examples often cover more than one instance of a particular condition, giving the reader different perspectives on conditions. My only desire would be to have more of the radiographs labeled with the radiological points referred to in the text. The updated sections on Ultrasonography and MRI give a student (and current practitioner new to these technologies) a good understanding of them.

I guess this is worth it if you are currently in vet school. Kinda crappy pictures.

This is a great book for veterinary radiology if you want to know a lot about it. This is by no means an introductory level book. It has small print and a LOT of information. If you are looking to become very astute at radiography this book will help take you there. The pictures are good for the most part, although some are zoomed in so far you can't tell what the original radiograph was. I would

recommend this book if you are looking for a good, in depth guide to radiology.

Useful for new graduates and those who have got rusty. A comprehensive and detailed textbook to aid in the interpretation of radiographs, ultrasonographic images and more. The pictures of normal radiographic anatomy are comprehensive but a bit small to pick up all features. Also, does not account for differences in exposure and positioning. Small animal joints are all covered in one chapter, where expanding this might have been helpful.

Not as excited about this book as I thought I'd be. Haven't found a better one though. There are lots of pictures - both normal and abnormal.

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