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Nota di contenuto	Legal concepts and terminology -- Language, functional linguistics, and corpus linguistics -- Legal language in England from the 14th to the 17th centuries -- The origins of the concept of Consideration -- Corpus Linguistic analysis.
Sommario/riassunto	In this monograph, Caroline Laske traces the advent of consideration in English contract law, by analysing the doctrinal development, in parallel with the corresponding terminological evolution and semantic shifts between the fourteenth and nineteenth centuries. It is an innovative, interdisciplinary study, showcasing the value of taking a diachronic corpus linguistics-based approach to the study of legal change and legal development, and the semantic shifts in the corresponding terminology. The seminal application in the legal field of these analytical methodologies borrowed from pragmatic linguistics goes beyond the content approach that legal research usually practices and it has allowed for claims of semantic change to be objectified. This ground-breaking work is pitched at scholars of legal history, law & language, and linguistics.

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Nota di contenuto	Part1: Mathematics -- Chapter1. Advanced Function -- Chapter2. Elementary Statistics -- Chapter3. Complex Variables and Functions -- Chapter4. Other Functions -- Chapter5. Relaxation Functions -- Part2: Electrical Relaxation -- Chapter6. Introduction to Electrical Relaxation -- Chapter7. Dielectric Relaxation -- Chapter8. Conductivity Relaxation -- Chapter9. Examples -- Part3: Structural Relaxation -- Chapter10. Thermodynamics -- Chapter11. Structural Relaxation.

This book serves as a self-contained reference source for engineers, materials scientists, and physicists with an interest in relaxation phenomena. It is made accessible to students and those new to the field by the inclusion of both elementary and advanced math techniques, as well as chapter opening summaries that cover relevant background information and enhance the book's pedagogical value. These summaries cover a wide gamut from elementary to advanced topics. The book is divided into three parts. The opening part, on mathematics, presents the core techniques and approaches. Parts II and III then apply the mathematics to electrical relaxation and structural relaxation, respectively. Part II discusses relaxation of polarization at both constant electric field (dielectric relaxation) and constant displacement (conductivity relaxation), topics that are not often discussed together. Part III primarily discusses enthalpy relaxation of amorphous materials within and below the glass transition temperature range. It takes a practical approach inspired by applied mathematics in which detailed rigorous proofs are eschewed in favor of describing practical tools that are useful to scientists and engineers. Derivations are however given when these provide physical insight and/or connections to other material. A self-contained reference on relaxation phenomena Details both the mathematical basis and applications For engineers, materials scientists, and physicists.

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