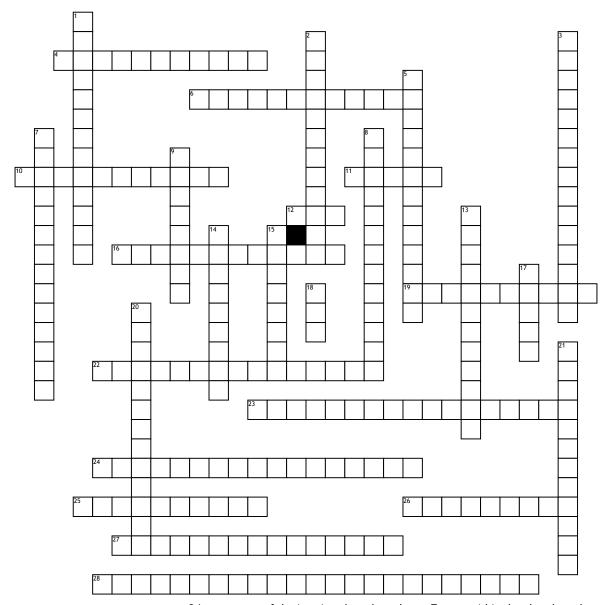
Chapter 4 Photostimulable Phosphor Image Capture



Across

- **4.** grid in which the scatter absorbing lead lines are tilted so that, at a distance, the lines will coverage
- **6.** soft polymer that protects the back of the cassette
- **10.** reduction of the area of beam that reaches the patient through the use of two pairs of lead shutters
- **11.** grid line or image noise pattern; zebra
- 12. milliampere-seconds
- **16.** semirigid material in the imaging plate that gives the imaging sheet some strength
- **19.** located between the active layer and the support that absorbs the stimulating light but reflects emitted light
- **22.** layer of material that will absorb and reduce static electricity
- 23. movement of the laser along the imaging plate

- **24.** movement of the imaging plate through the reader; also known as translation or subscan direction
- **25.** used to blacken out the white collimation borders in a digital image
- **26.** ratio of the height of the grid line to the width of the interspace material
- **27.** layer in the imaging plate that sends light in a forward direction when released in the cassette reader
- **28.** phosphor that produces light when stimulated by light or x-ray photons

<u>Down</u>

- 1. layer of photostimulable phosphor that traps electrons during exposure
- 2. thin piece of plastic with several layers of material that capture and store image data
- 3. thin, tough clear plastic covering the image plate for protection of the phosphor laver
- 5. number of grid lines per inch

- **7.** area within the phosphor where electrons are trapped
- 8. detects photostimulable phosphor
- 9. the number of bits stored per pixel
- 13. label attached to the cassette or to the imaging plate that identifies the plate for the purpose of matching the examination to the plate
- **14.** avoidable extraneous information on the image that interferes or distracts from image quality
- 15. rigid plastic housing for the imaging plate
- 17. light amplification of stimulated emission of radiation, a device that creates and amplifies a narrow intense beam of coherent light
- 18. kilovoltage peak
- **20.** failure of an imaging system to record densities
- 21. recording error in the digital image