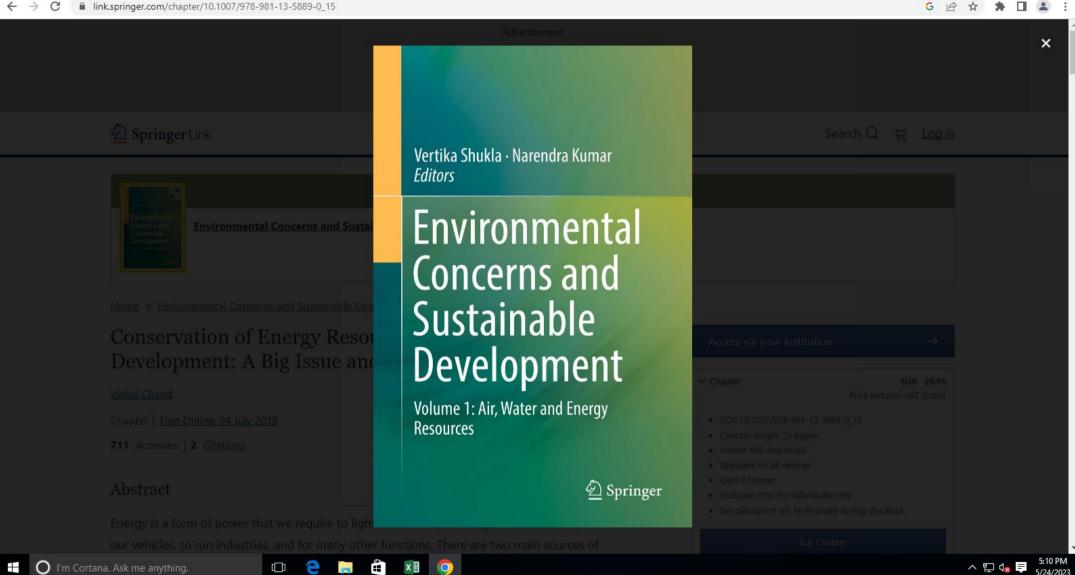
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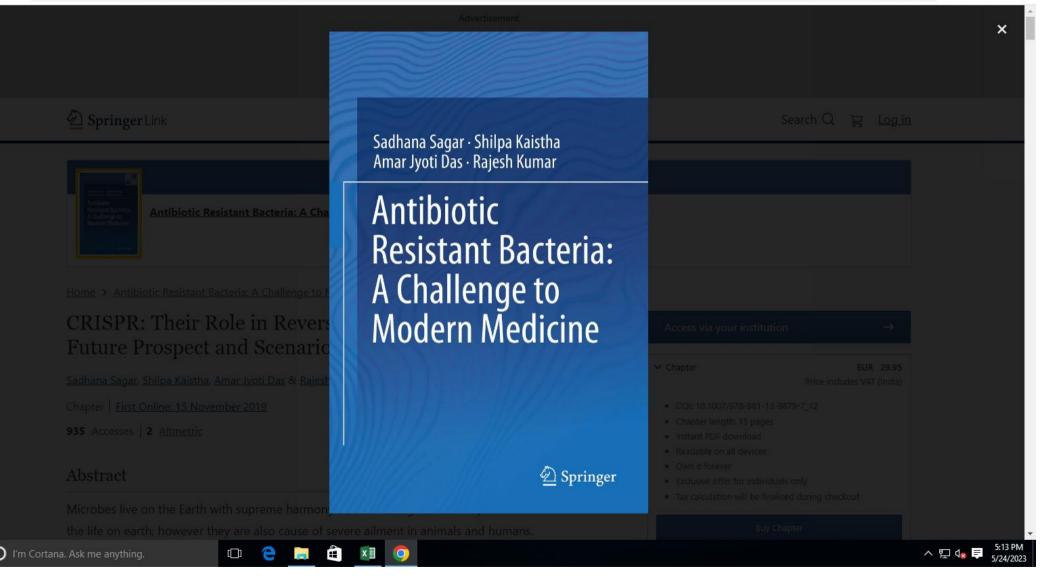
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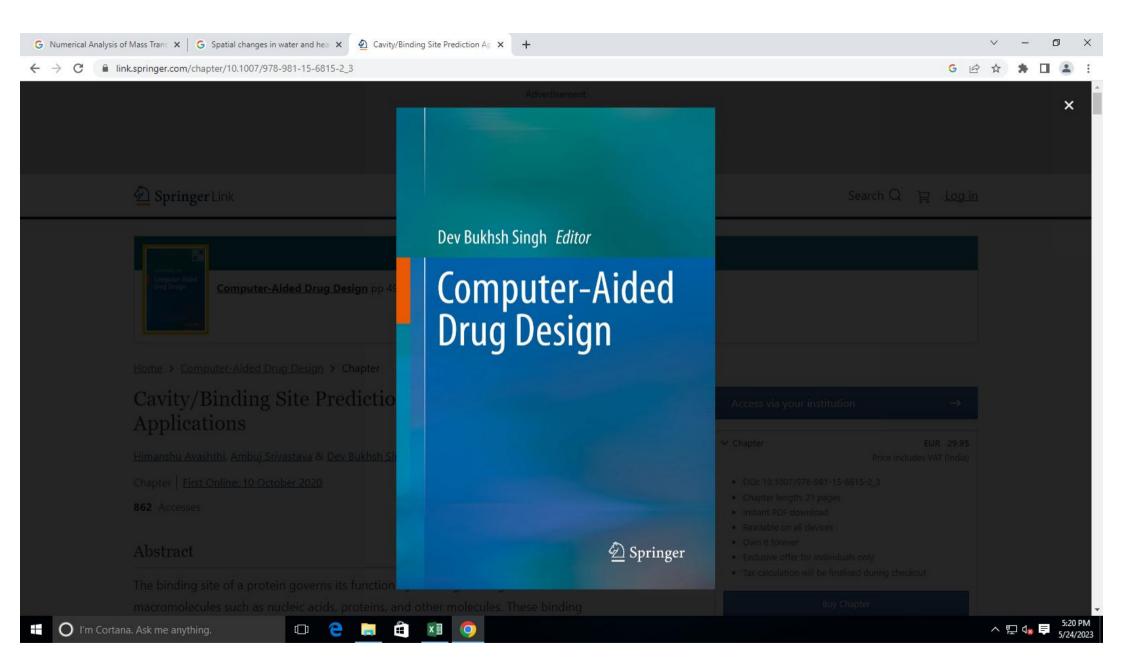
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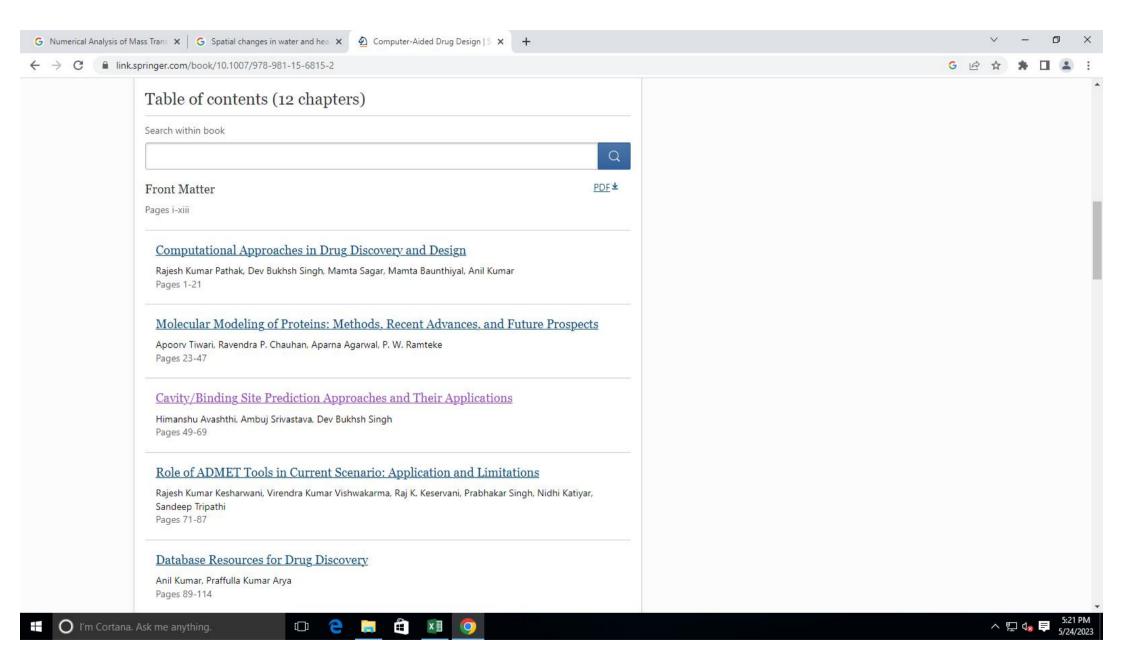
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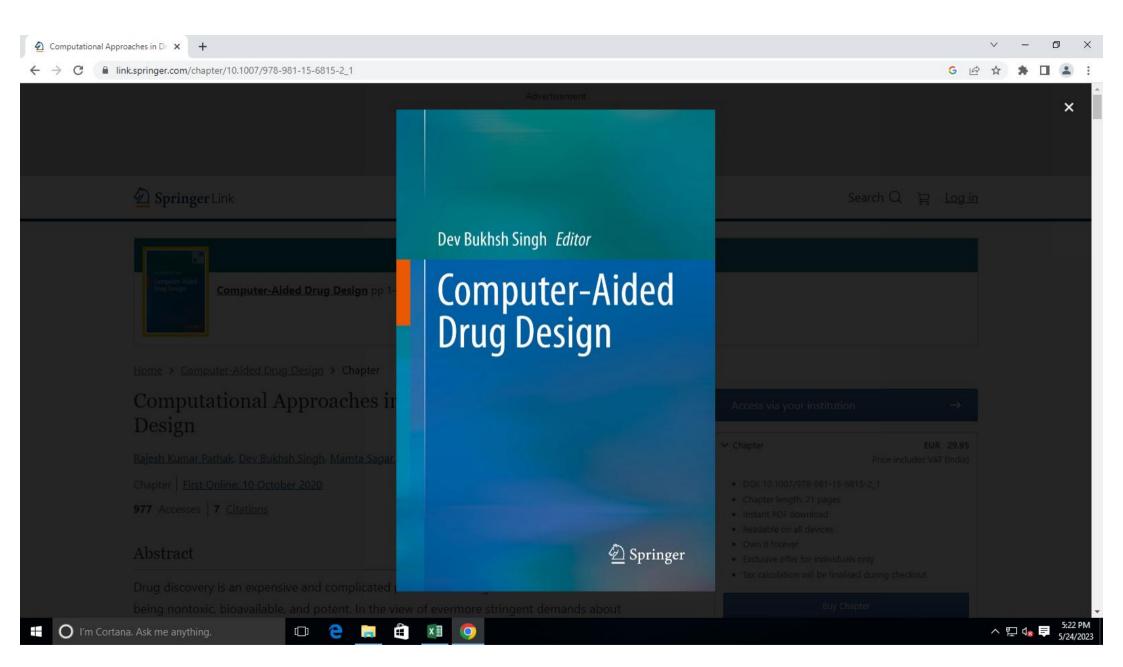
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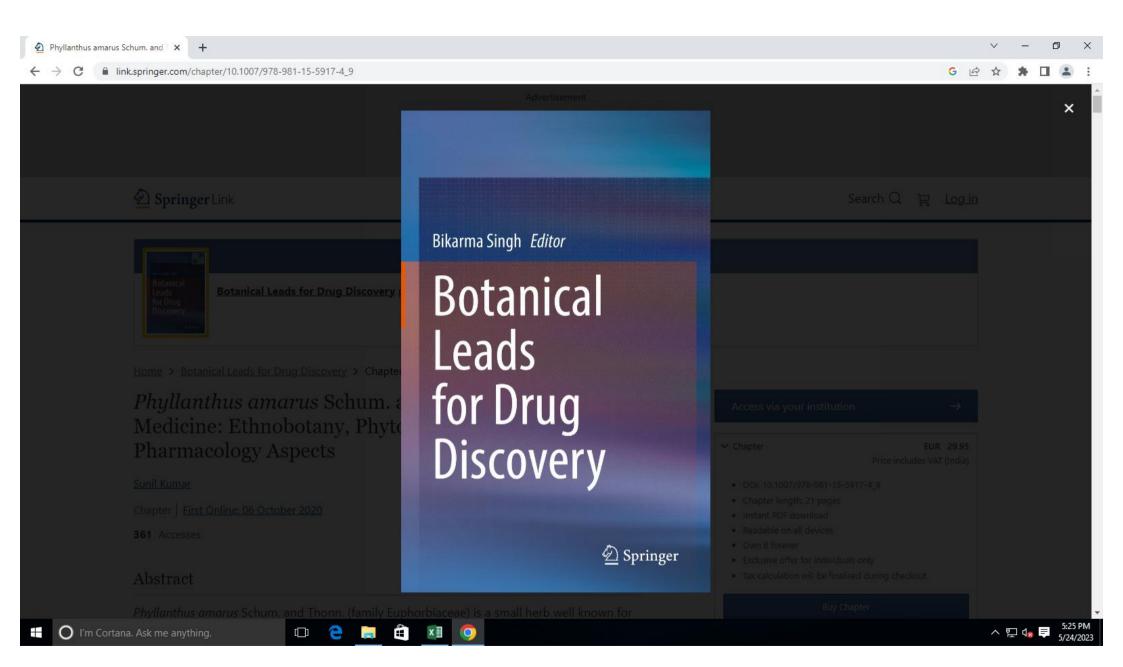
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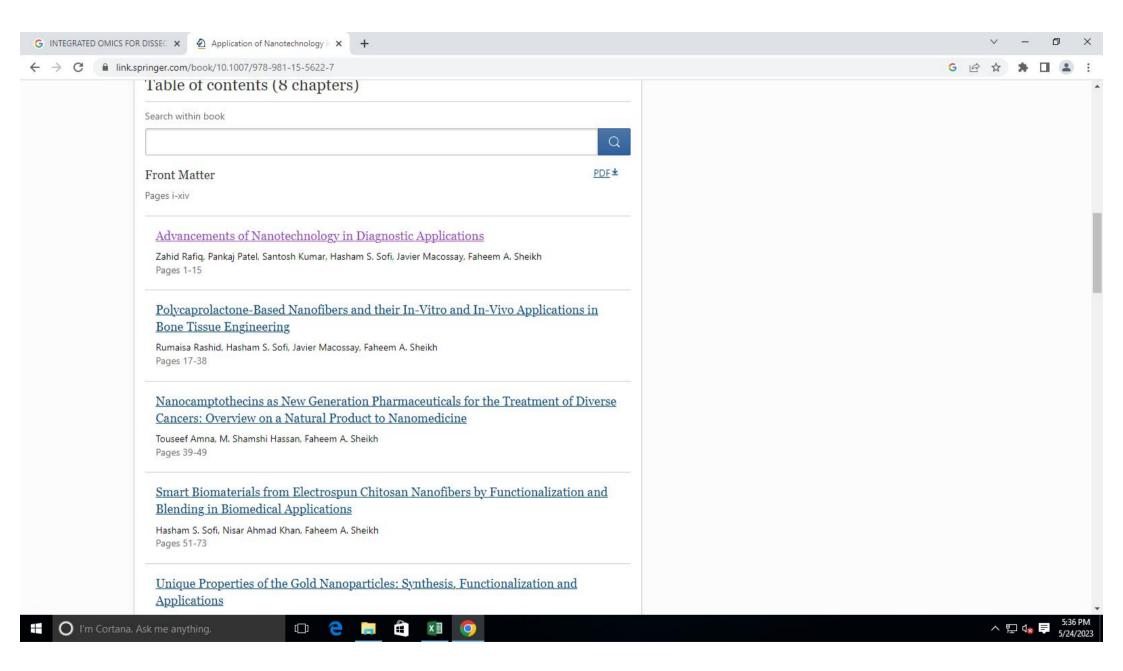
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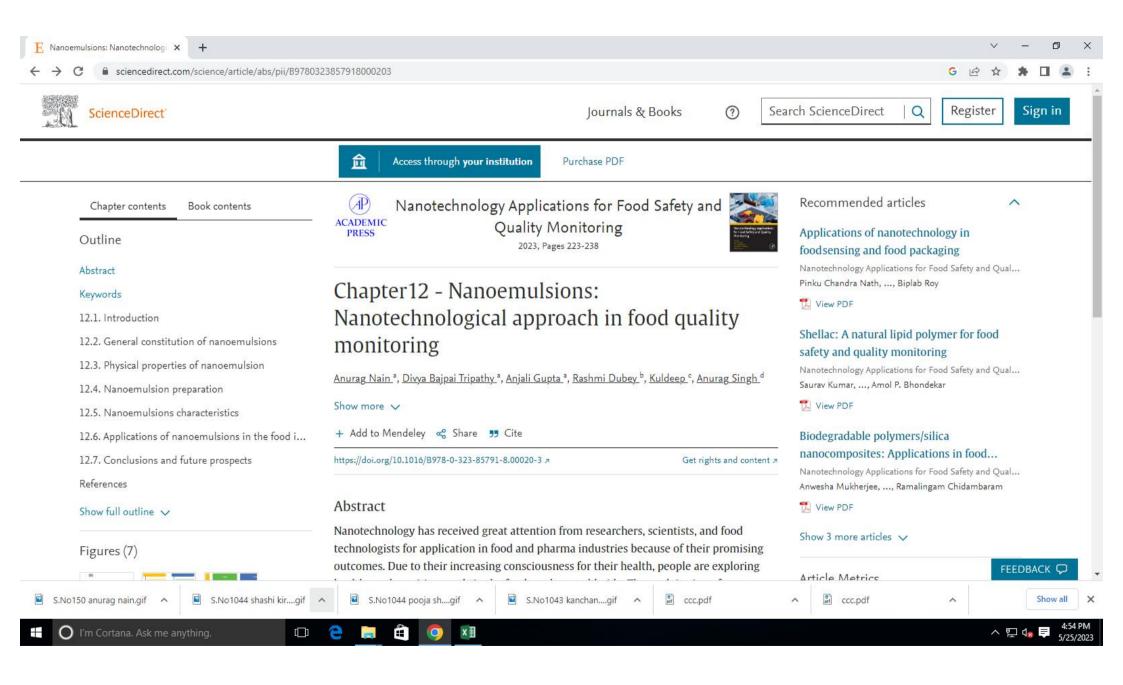
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By examining these topics, we hope to provide readers with a comprehensive understanding of the latest advancements in chemical engineering and sustainable technologies.

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Chemical and Materials engineering has played a vital role in advancing the field of sustainable technologies, enabling the development of processes that can promote economic growth while protecting the environment. The challenges we face today in areas such as energy, healthcare, and food production require innovative solutions that can be achieved through multidisciplinary research and the integration of advanced technologies.

This book presents a collection of chapters covering some of the latest research and developments in chemical engineering and sustainable technologies. The book is divided into nine chapters that cover a range of topics, including materials for energy storage, environmental sustainability, and green chemistry.

Chapter 1 focuses on materials for fuel cell applications, which is a promising technology for clean energy production. Chapter 2 discusses anti-icing additives for various fuels, which is crucial for safe and efficient fuel transportation in cold climates. Chapter 3 presents the application of monoliths for toluene disproportionation, an important process in the petrochemical industry. Chapter 4 and Chapter 5 discuss the heat and mass transfer through porous media and the effect of surface wettability on two-phase flow. Chapter 6 examines the study of mass and heat transfer through porous medium in the presence of a magnetic field, which has potential applications in the energy and aerospace industries. Chapter 7 and Chapter 8 discuss different types of membranes which are promising candidates for solid oxide fuel cells and as oxygen separation membranes. Finally, Chapter 9 examines India's readiness for Industry 4.0, which is a global trend towards automation and data exchange in manufacturing technologies.

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The world is facing unprecedented environmental challenges that demand immediate and innovative solutions. Industrial activities have contributed significantly to environmental degradation, and they also have a crucial role in reversing the negative trends. The industries that embrace sustainable practices can reduce their environmental footprint and create a more resilient future.

This book aims to present an overview of some of the latest developments in sustainable industrial practices. The chapters cover diverse topics, such as biogreases for environment-friendly lubrication, the use of biotechnology in the leather industry, chromium remediation in tanning, rainwater harvesting, waste management, water treatment, energy efficiency, and measurement uncertainty in Industry 4.0.

The chapters draw upon the latest research and practical experiences to provide insights into the challenges and opportunities for sustainable industrial practices. The authors offer an interdisciplinary perspective that highlights the need for collaboration among researchers, industry, policymakers, and communities to achieve sustainability goals.

The book's target audience includes researchers, engineers, managers, policymakers, and students who are interested in sustainable industrial practices. The book can be used as a reference for courses on sustainable engineering, environmental science, and industrial ecology.

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