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As the range of feedstocks, process technologies and products expand, biorefineries will become increasingly complex manufacturing systems. Biorefineries and Chemical Processes: Design, Integration and Sustainability Analysis presents process modelling and integration, and whole system life cycle analysis tools for the synthesis, design, operation and sustainable development of biorefinery and chemical processes. Topics covered include: Introduction: An introduction to the concept and development of biorefineries. Tools: Included here are the methods for detailed economic and environmental impact analyses; combined economic value and environmental impact analysis; life cycle assessment (LCA); multi-criteria analysis; heat integration and utility system design; mathematical programming based optimization and genetic algorithms. Process synthesis and design: Focuses on modern unit operations and innovative process flowsheets. Discusses thermochemical and biochemical processing of biomass, production of chemicals and polymers from biomass, and processes for carbon dioxide capture. Biorefinery systems: Presents biorefinery process synthesis using whole system analysis. Discusses bio-oil and algae biorefineries, integrated fuel cells and renewables, and heterogeneous catalytic reactors. Companion website: Four case studies, additional exercises and examples are available online, together with three supplementary

chapters which address waste and emission
minimization, energy storage and control systems, and
the optimization and reuse of water. This textbook is
designed to bridge a gap between engineering design
and sustainability assessment, for advanced students
and practicing process designers and engineers.
This book highlights recent research on intelligent
systems and nature-inspired computing. It presents 62
selected papers from the 19th International Conference
on Intelligent Systems Design and Applications (ISDA
2019), which was held online. The ISDA is a premier
conference in the field of computational intelligence, and
the latest installment brought together researchers,
engineers and practitioners whose work involves
intelligent systems and their applications in industry.
Including contributions by authors from 33 countries, the
book offers a valuable reference guide for all
researchers, students and practitioners in the fields of
Computer Science and Engineering.
The prevailing view among social scientists is that the
psyche and the social reside in such disparate domains
that their proper study demands markedly incompatible
analytical and theoretical approaches. Over the last
decade, scholars have begun to challenge this view. In
this innovative work, George Cavalletto moves this
challenge forward by connecting it to theoretical and
analytical practices of the early 20th century. His
analysis of key texts by Sigmund Freud, Max Weber,
Theodor Adorno and Norbert Elias shows that they
crossed the psycho-social divide in ways that can help
contemporary scholars to re-establish an analytical and

theoretical understanding of the inherent interconnection of these two domains. This book will particularly interest scholars and students in sociology and social psychology, especially those in the fields of social theory, the sociology of emotion, self and society, and historical sociology.

Authored by 50 top academic, government and industry researchers, this handbook explores mature, evolving technologies for a clean, economically viable alternative to non-renewable energy. In so doing, it also discusses such broader topics as the environmental impact, education, safety and regulatory developments. The text is all-encompassing, covering a wide range that includes hydrogen as an energy carrier, hydrogen for storage of renewable energy, and incorporating hydrogen technologies into existing technologies.

"Epistemic governance" refers to the cognitive and knowledge-related paradigms that underlie a social system. In this volume, the authors apply the concept to higher education. In a comprehensive review of recent literature, they define key terms and concepts, arguing that a good, effective and sustainable governance of higher education is not possible unless the epistemic structure and knowledge paradigms of higher education are addressed directly. Effective governance of academic institutions is particularly important, given their essential role in generating and disseminating knowledge. The authors consider the practical and policy implications of the epistemic approach for promoting quality assurance, quality enhancement, and quality management of higher education, and their impact on

university administration and academic career
development.

This book covers recent developments in process
systems engineering (PSE) for efficient resource use in
biomass conversion systems. It provides an overview of
process development in biomass conversion systems
with focus on biorefineries involving the production and
coproduction of fuels, heating, cooling, and chemicals.
The scope includes grassroots and retrofitting
applications. In order to reach high levels of processing
efficiency, it also covers techniques and applications of
natural-resource (mass and energy) conservation.
Technical, economic, environmental, and social aspects
of biorefineries are discussed and reconciled. The
assessment scales vary from unit- to process- and life-
cycle or supply chain levels. The chapters are written by
leading experts from around the world, and present an
integrated set of contributions. Providing a
comprehensive, multi-dimensional analysis of various
aspects of bioenergy systems, the book is suitable for
both academic researchers and energy professionals in
industry.

This book explains the fundamentals of control theory for
Internet of Things (IoT) systems and smart grids and its
applications. It discusses the challenges imposed by
large-scale systems, and describes the current and
future trends and challenges in decision-making for IoT
in detail, showing the ongoing industrial and academic
research in the field of smart grid domain applications. It
presents step-by-step design guidelines for the
modeling, design, customisation and calibration of IoT

systems applied to smart grids, in which the challenges
increase with each system's increasing complexity. It
also provides solutions and detailed examples to
demonstrate how to use the techniques to overcome
these challenges, as well as other problems related to
decision-making for successful implementation. Further,
it anaylses the features of decision-making, such as low-
complexity and fault-tolerance, and uses open-source
and publicly available software tools to show readers
how they can design, implement and customise their
own system control instantiations. This book is a
valuable resource for power engineers and researchers,
as it addresses the analysis and design of flexible
decision-making mechanisms for smart grids. It is also of
interest to students on courses related to control of large-
scale systems, since it covers the use of state-of-the-art
technology with examples and solutions in every chapter.
And last but not least, it offers practical advice for
professionals working with smart grids.
Understanding games--whether computer games, card
games, board games, or sports--by analyzing certain
common traits. Characteristics of Games offers a new
way to understand games: by focusing on certain
traits--including number of players, rules, degrees of luck
and skill needed, and reward/effort ratio--and using these
characteristics as basic points of comparison and
analysis. These issues are often discussed by game
players and designers but seldom written about in any
formal way. This book fills that gap. By emphasizing
these player-centric basic concepts, the book provides a
framework for game analysis from the viewpoint of a

game designer. The book shows what all genres of games--board games, card games, computer games, and sports--have to teach each other. Today's game designers may find solutions to design problems when they look at classic games that have evolved over years of playing.

The Routledge Companion to Christianity in Africa offers a multi-disciplinary analysis of the Christian tradition across the African continent and throughout a long historical span. The volume offers historical and thematic essays tracing the introduction of Christianity in Africa, as well as its growth, developments, and effects, including the lived experience of African Christians. Individual chapters address the themes of Christianity and gender, the development of African-initiated churches, the growth of Pentecostalism, and the influence of Christianity on issues of sexuality, music, and public health. This comprehensive volume will serve as a valuable overview and reference work for students and researchers worldwide.

This book endeavours to bring the sociology of Elias to a new and wider audience through offering accessible explanations of some of his key ideas.

This volume reviews the state of the field of world-systems analysis. World-systems analysts study the structure of the relationships among people, organisations, and states and how those relationships change over time.

This book increases understanding of, and provides inspiration for, the conduct of research in primary/elementary education. It discusses and

evaluates the selection and development of research
methods used for their own innovatory projects. They
explore the relationship between their choice of research
methods, the frameworks for analysis used and research
findings. In so doing they address the topical and
controversial issues posed by these methods and
alternative data-gathering techniques. These include: the
case for the use of random-controlled trials to inform
policy-making and improve classroom practice the role of
mixed methods to investigate the social aspects of
inclusion children as researchers researching their peers
the relationship between research and teacher
development an analysis of the portrayal of teachers and
education in the regional and national news the
contribution of qualitative research in cross-national
projects. In research on teaching and learning in primary
schools, accessing the views and experiences of
children is crucial. Consequently, the possibilities and
limitations of data collection techniques for collecting the
views of children are central and concerns about validity
and ethics posed by the power relationships between
researchers and research participants are examined.
This book was based on a special issue of Educational
3-13 International Journal of Primary, Elementary and
Early Years Education.
Research Basics: Design to Data Analysis in Six Steps
offers a fresh and creative approach to the research
process based on author James V. Spickard's decades
of teaching experience. Using an intuitive six-step model,
readers learn how to craft a research question and then
identify a logical process for answering it. Conversational

writing and multi-disciplinary examples illuminate the model's simplicity and power, effectively connecting the "hows" and "whys" behind social science research. Students using this book will learn how to turn their research questions into results.

"The Antivirus Hacker's handbook shows you how to hack your own system's defenses to discover its weaknesses, so you can apply the appropriate extra protections to keep you network locked up tight."-- Back cover.

"This book develops new models and methodologies for describing user behavior, analyzing their needs and expectations and thus successfully designing user friendly systems"--Provided by publisher. bull; Written by expert practitioners who have hands-on experience solving real-world problems for large corporations bull; Helps enterprise architects make sense of data, systems, software, services, product lines, methodologies, and much more bull; Provides explanation of theory and implementation with real-world business examples to support key points In times when the social sciences have become increasingly fragmented and more focused on 'the pieces of the puzzle', the puzzle, as a topic in its own right, has slowly been moved towards the background. Nonetheless, as humanity becomes ever more globalized, there is a greater need for in-depth discussion on the theory behind the direction of humanity in history and the interrelationships

between the different areas in which humans associate, including that of leisure and sport. At its heart, Norbert Elias and the Analysis of History and Sport explains both the course of history and how the roles that leisure and sport have occupied in it should be investigated. Exploring this from Norbert Elias' figurational (or process sociological) standpoint, the book offers a unique perspective as Van Gestel approaches the theoretical concepts and ideas by systematizing the views of the iconic scholar and offers new insights into his central theory. Furthermore, drawing upon theoretical principles that are universal to humans rather than relative to a case study, Van Gestel offers an applicable guideline which explains phenomena beyond specific cultures or circumstances that have so far been a customary practice by process sociologists. Norbert Elias and the Analysis of History and Sport is a valuable title which will appeal to postgraduate students and scholars interested in fields such as social studies, leisure and sport studies, and history.

This book reports the newest research and technical achievements on the following theme blocks: Design of mobile map services and its constraints, typology and usability of mobile map services, visualization solutions on small displays for time-critical tasks, mobile map users, interaction and adaptation in mobile environments and applications of map-based

mobile services.
This book is open access under a CC BY 4.0 license. This book summarizes work being pursued in the context of the CIPRNet (Critical Infrastructure Preparedness and Resilience Research Network) research project, co-funded by the European Union under the Seventh Framework Programme (FP7). The project is intended to provide concrete and on-going support to the Critical Infrastructure Protection (CIP) research communities, enhancing their preparedness for CI-related emergencies, while also providing expertise and technologies for other stakeholders to promote their understanding and mitigation of the consequences of CI disruptions, leading to enhanced resilience. The book collects the tutorial material developed by the authors for several courses on the modelling, simulation and analysis of CIs, representing extensive and integrated CIP expertise. It will help CI stakeholders, CI operators and civil protection authorities understand the complex system of CIs, and help them adapt to these changes and threats in order to be as prepared as possible for mitigating emergencies and crises affecting or arising from CIs. System Analysis and DesignSystems Analysis and DesignSystem Analysis and DesignStructured Approach : ???System analysis and designCharacteristics of GamesMIT Press

The new edition of POWER SYSTEM ANALYSIS AND DESIGN provides students with an introduction to the basic concepts of power systems along with tools to aid them in applying these skills to real world situations. Physical concepts are highlighted while also giving necessary attention to mathematical techniques. Both theory and modeling are developed from simple beginnings so that they can be readily extended to new and complex situations. The authors incorporate new tools and material to aid students with design issues and reflect recent trends in the field. Important Notice: Media content referenced within the product description or the product text may not be available in the ebook version.

Until now, information on the dynamic loading of structures has been widely scattered. No other book has examined the different types of loading in a comprehensive and systematic manner, and looked at their signficance in the design process. The book begins with a survey of the probabilistic background to all forms of loads, which is particularly important to dynamic loads, and then looks at the main types in turn: wind, earthquake, wave, blast and impact loading. The relevant code provisions (Eurocode and UBC American) are detailed and a number of examples are used to illustrate the principles. A final section covers the analysis for dynamic loading, drawing out the concepts underlying the treatment of all dynamic loads, and the corresponding modelling techniques. Throughout there is

a focus on the modelling of structures, rather than on classical structural dynamics.

This book describes the challenges that critical infrastructure systems face, and presents state of the art solutions to address them. How can we design intelligent systems or intelligent agents that can make appropriate real-time decisions in the management of such large-scale, complex systems? What are the primary challenges for critical infrastructure systems? The book also provides readers with the relevant information to recognize how important infrastructures are, and their role in connection with a society's economy, security and prosperity. It goes on to describe state-of-the-art solutions to address these points, including new methodologies and instrumentation tools (e.g. embedded software and intelligent algorithms) for transforming and optimizing target infrastructures. The book is the most comprehensive resource to date for professionals in both the private and public sectors, while also offering an essential guide for students and researchers in the areas of modeling and analysis of critical infrastructure systems, monitoring, control, risk/impact evaluation, fault diagnosis, fault-tolerant control, and infrastructure dependencies/interdependencies. The importance of the research presented in the book is reflected in the fact that currently, for the first time in human history, more people live in cities than in rural areas, and that, by 2050, roughly 70% of the world's total population is expected to live in cities.

This book is intended for classroom teaching in architectural and civil engineering at the graduate and

undergraduate levels. Although it has been developed
from lecture notes given in structural steel design, it can
be useful to practicing engineers. Many of the examples
presented in this book are drawn from the field of design
of structures. Design of Steel Structures can be used for
one or two semesters of three hours each on the
undergraduate level. For a two-semester curriculum,
Chapters 1 through 8 can be used during the first
semester. Heavy emphasis should be placed on
Chapters 1 through 5, giving the student a brief exposure
to the consideration of wind and earthquakes in the
design of buildings. With the new federal requirements
vis a vis wind and earthquake hazards, it is beneficial to
the student to have some under standing of the
underlying concepts in this field. In addition to the class
lectures, the instructor should require the student to
submit a term project that includes the complete
structural design of a multi-story building using standard
design procedures as specified by AISC Specifications.
Thus, the use of the AISC Steel Construction Manual is a
must in teaching this course. In the second semester,
Chapters 9 through 13 should be covered. At the
undergraduate level, Chapters 11 through 13 should be
used on a limited basis, leaving the student more time to
concentrate on composite construction and built-up
girders.
Few sociologists of the first rank have scandalised the
academic world to the extent that Elias did. Developed
out of the German sociology of knowledge in the 1920s,
Elias's sociology contains a sweeping radicalism which
declares an academic 'war on all your houses'. His

sociology of the 'human condition' sweeps aside the contemporary focus on 'modernity' and rejects most of the paradigms of sociology as one-sided, economistic, teleological, individualistic and/or rationalistic. As sociologists, Elias also asks us to distance ourselves from mainstream psychology, history and above all, philosophy, which is summarily abandoned, although carried forward on a higher level. This enlightening book written by a close friend and pupil of Elias, is the first book to explain the refractory, uncomfortable, side of Elias's sociological radicalism and to brace us for its implications. It is also the first in-depth analysis of Elias's last work The Symbol Theory in the light of selected contemporary developments in archaeology, anthropology and evolutionary theory.

Computer aided process engineering (CAPE) plays a key design and operations role in the process industries. This conference features presentations by CAPE specialists and addresses strategic planning, supply chain issues and the increasingly important area of sustainability audits. Experts collectively highlight the need for CAPE practitioners to embrace the three components of sustainable development: environmental, social and economic progress and the role of systematic and sophisticated CAPE tools in delivering these goals. This book is intended to help explore the field of smart sustainable cities in its complexity, heterogeneity, and breadth, the many faces of a topical subject of major importance for the future that encompasses so much of modern urban life in an increasingly computerized and urbanized world. Indeed, sustainable urban development

is currently at the center of debate in light of several ICT visions becoming achievable and deployable computing paradigms, and shaping the way cities will evolve in the future and thus tackle complex challenges. This book integrates computer science, data science, complexity science, sustainability science, system thinking, and urban planning and design. As such, it contains innovative computer–based and data–analytic research on smart sustainable cities as complex and dynamic systems. It provides applied theoretical contributions fostering a better understanding of such systems and the synergistic relationships between the underlying physical and informational landscapes. It offers contributions pertaining to the ongoing development of computer–based and data science technologies for the processing, analysis, management, modeling, and simulation of big and context data and the associated applicability to urban systems that will advance different aspects of sustainability. This book seeks to explicitly bring together the smart city and sustainable city endeavors, and to focus on big data analytics and context-aware computing specifically. In doing so, it amalgamates the design concepts and planning principles of sustainable urban forms with the novel applications of ICT of ubiquitous computing to primarily advance sustainability. Its strength lies in combining big data and context–aware technologies and their novel applications for the sheer purpose of harnessing and leveraging the disruptive and synergetic effects of ICT on forms of city planning that are required for future forms of sustainable development. This is because the effects of

such technologies reinforce one another as to their efforts for transforming urban life in a sustainable way by integrating data–centric and context–aware solutions for enhancing urban systems and facilitating coordination among urban domains. This timely and comprehensive book is aimed at a wide audience across science, academia industry, and policymaking. It provides the necessary material to inform relevant research communities of the state–of–the–art research and the latest development in the area of smart sustainable urban development, as well as a valuable reference for planners, designers, strategists, and ICT experts who are working towards the development and implementation of smart sustainable cities based on big data analytics and context–aware computing.
In 1995, the Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG), the largest public research funding organization in Germany, decided to launch a priority program (Schwpunktprogramm in German) calledKondisk– Dynamics and Control of Systems with Mixed Continuous and Discrete Dynamics. Such a priority program is usually sponsored for six years and supports about twenty scientists at a time, in engineering andcomputerscience mostlyyoungresearchersworkingforadoctoraldegree. There is a yearly competition across all disciplines of arts and sciences for the funding of such programs, and the group of proposers was the happy winner of a slot in that year. The program started in 1996 after an open call for proposals; the successful projects were presented and re-evaluated periodically, and new projects could be submitted simultaneously. During the course of the

focused research program, 25 different projects were funded in 19 participating university institutes, some of the projects were collaborative efforts of two groups with different backgrounds, mostly one from engineering and one from computer science. There were two main motivations for establishingKondisk. The rst was the fact that technical systems nowadays are composed of physical components with (mostly) continuous dynamics and computerized control systems where the reaction to discrete events plays a major role, implemented in Programmable Logic Contr- lers (PLCs), Distributed Control Systems (DCSs) or real-time computer systems. This book reports on research findings and practical lessons featuring advances in: digital and interaction design; graphic design and branding; design strategies and methodologies; design education; society and communication in design practice; and other related areas. Gathering the proceedings of the 4th International Conference on Digital Design and Communication, Digicom 2020, held virtually on November 5-6, 2020, the book describes cutting-edge perspectives on and analysis of and solutions to challenges digital communication is currently presenting to society, institutions and brands. It offers a timely guide and a source of inspiration for designers of all kinds, including graphic, digital and web designers, UI, UX and social media designers, and to researchers, advertisers, artists, and entrepreneurs, as well as brand or corporate communication managers.
The 4th edition of Systems Analysis and Design continues to offer a hands-on approach to SA&D while

focusing on the core set of skills that all analysts must possess. Building on their experience as professional systems analysts and award-winning teachers, authors Dennis, Wixom, and Roth capture the experience of developing and analyzing systems in a way that students can understand and apply. With Systems Analysis and Design, 4th edition, students will leave the course with experience that is a rich foundation for further work as a systems analyst.

Building on its continued success this text has been revised to provide the most comprehensive, balanced and up-to-date coverage of systems analysis and design available. The Fourth Edition maintains the dual focus on the concepts and techniques from both the traditional, structured approach and the object-oriented approach to systems development. Instructors have the flexibility to emphasize one approach over the other, or both, while referring to one integrated case study that runs through every chapter.

"With the overarching goal of preparing the analysts of tomorrow, Systems Analysis and Design offers students a rigorous hands-on introduction to the field with a project-based approach that mirrors the real-world workflow. Core concepts are presented through running cases and examples, bolstered by in-depth explanations and special features that highlight critical points while emphasizing the process of "doing" alongside "learning." As students apply their own work to real-world cases, they develop the essential skills and knowledge base a professional analyst needs while developing an instinct for approach, tools, and methods. Accessible, engaging,

and geared toward active learning, this book conveys both essential knowledge and the experience of developing and analyzing systems; with this strong foundation in SAD concepts and applications, students are equipped with a robust and relevant skill set that maps directly to real-world systems analysis projects." -- Provided by publisher.

Companies and institutions depend more than ever on the availability of their Information Technology, and most mission critical business processes are IT-based. Business Continuity is the ability to do business under any circumstances and is an essential requirement faced by modern companies. Both concepts - High Availability and Disaster Recovery - are realized by redundant systems. This book presents requirements, concepts, and realizations of redundant systems on all abstraction levels, and all given examples refer to UNIX and Linux Systems.

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