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provided in this book should be of interest for research scientist, students, and technologists, involved in biodiesel production.