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states; 3.1.3 Dispersion and induction interactions of molecular systems  
 3.1.4 Convergence of the multipole expansion  
 3.1.4.1 Perturbation series and the multipole expansion; 3.1.4.2 Study of the convergence of the multipole expansion; 3.1.5 Elimination of divergence in the multipole expansion; 3.2 Intermediate and Short Distances; 3.2.1 Perturbation theory with exchange; 3.2.1.1 Ambiguity of the exchange-perturbation theory series; 3.2.1.2 Symmetry adapted perturbation theories; 3.2.1.3 Methods allowing the standard Rayleigh-Schrödinger perturbation theory to be applied; 3.2.2 Variational methods  
 3.2.2.1 The Hartree-Fock approximation and accounting for the electron correlation; 3.2.2.2 Basis set superposition error; 3.2.2.3 Density functional theory; References; 4 Nonadditivity of Intermolecular Interactions; 4.1 Physical Nature of Nonadditivity and the Definition of Many-Body Forces; 4.2 Manifestations of Nonadditive Effects; 4.3 Perturbation Theory and Many-Body Decomposition; 4.3.1 General formulae; 4.3.2 Proof of the additivity of the dispersion energy in the second order of PT; 4.3.3 The dispersion energies of higher orders; 4.4 Many-Body Effects in Atomic Clusters  
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## Sommario/riassunto

The subject of this book - intermolecular interactions - is as important in physics as in chemistry and molecular biology. Intermolecular interactions are responsible for the existence of liquids and solids in nature. They determine the physical and chemical properties of gases, liquids, and crystals, the stability of chemical complexes and biological compounds. In the first two chapters of this book, the detailed qualitative description of different types of intermolecular forces at large, intermediate and short-range distances is presented. For the first time in the monographic literature,

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advantages, not just competitive parity. Summarizing the current literature on business and supply chain strategies, this book provides

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