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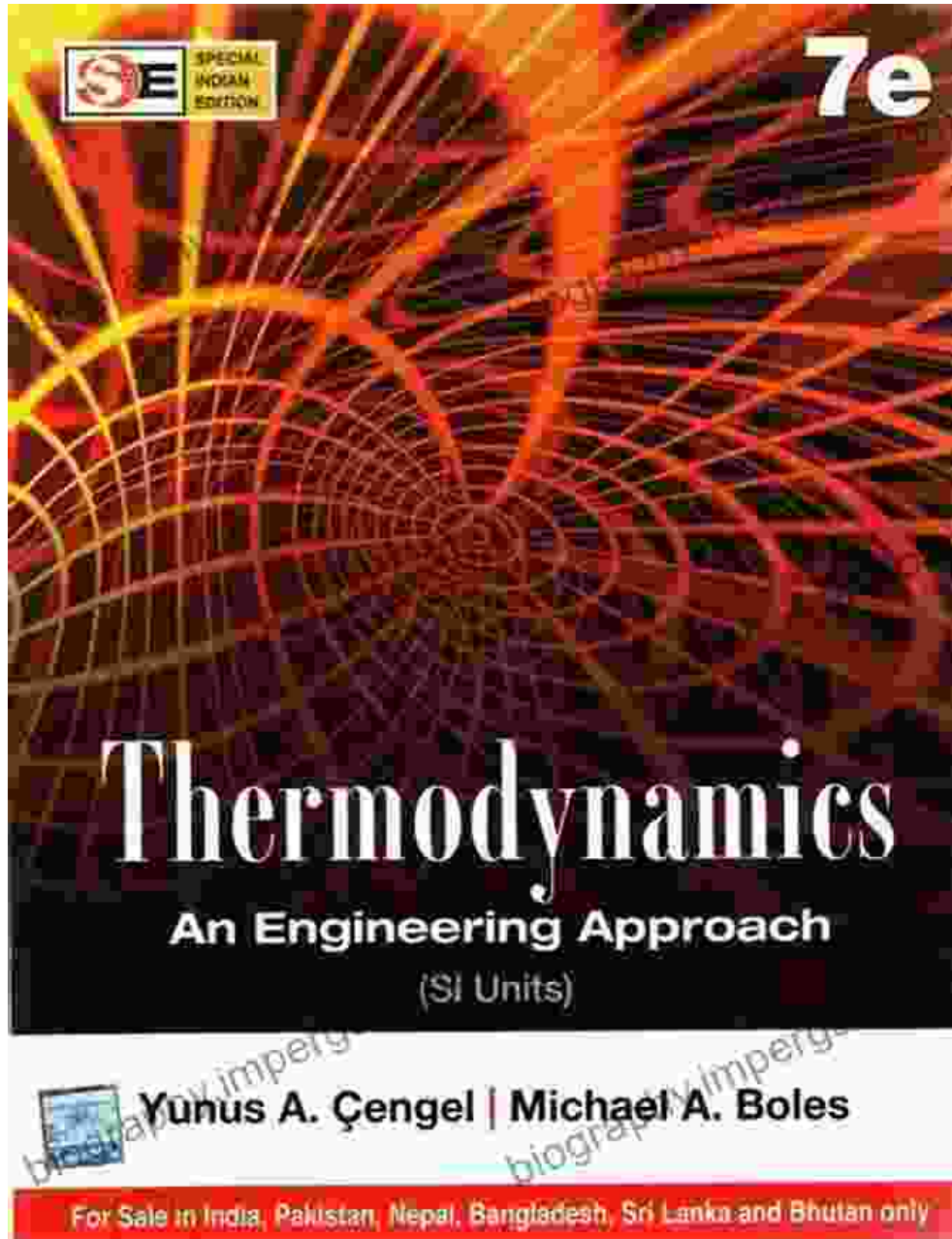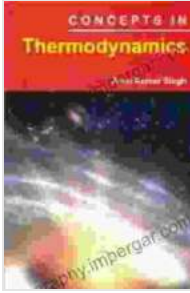

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In the realm of science, thermodynamics reigns supreme as the discipline that delves into the intriguing relationship between heat, energy, and their transformations. Shannon Hansen, a renowned expert in the field, has penned an authoritative and accessible text entitled 'Concepts In Thermodynamics' that illuminates the intricate workings of this fundamental branch of physics.

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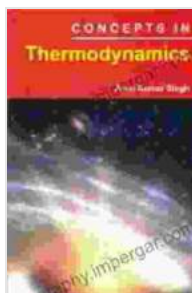
An Invaluable Resource for Students and Professionals

Shannon Hansen's 'Concepts In Thermodynamics' is an invaluable resource for students pursuing a career in thermodynamics or related fields. Its clear exposition, comprehensive coverage, and practical examples make it an ideal textbook for undergraduate and graduate-level courses.

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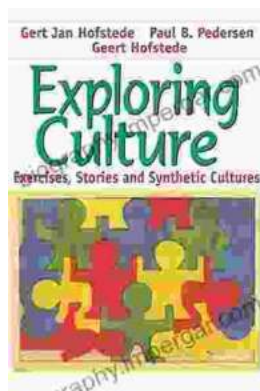
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