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The findings of the POLYCITY project are published in this book which thus offers a wide range of practical experiences and comprehensive information about innovative energy concepts and performances.

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