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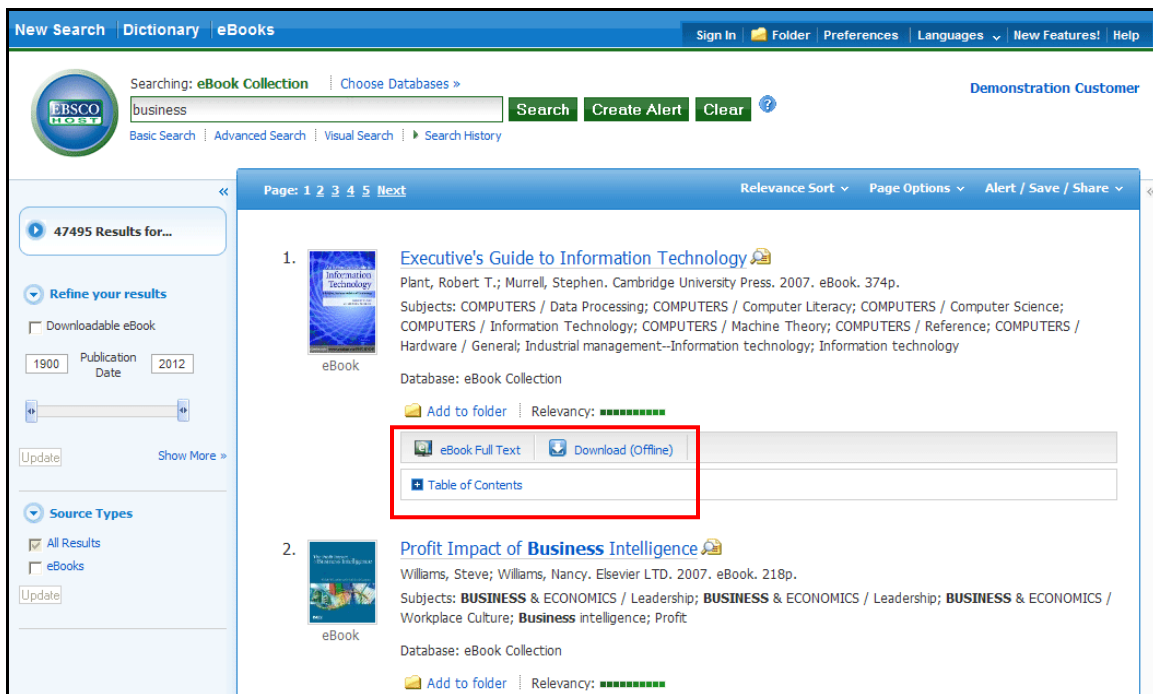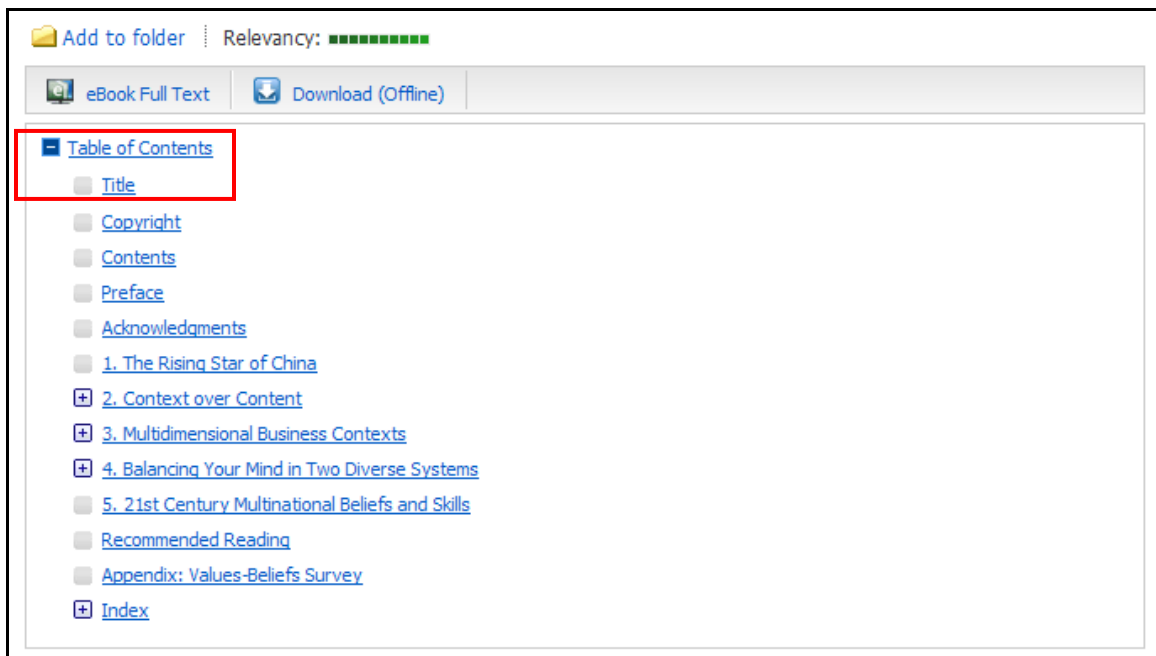
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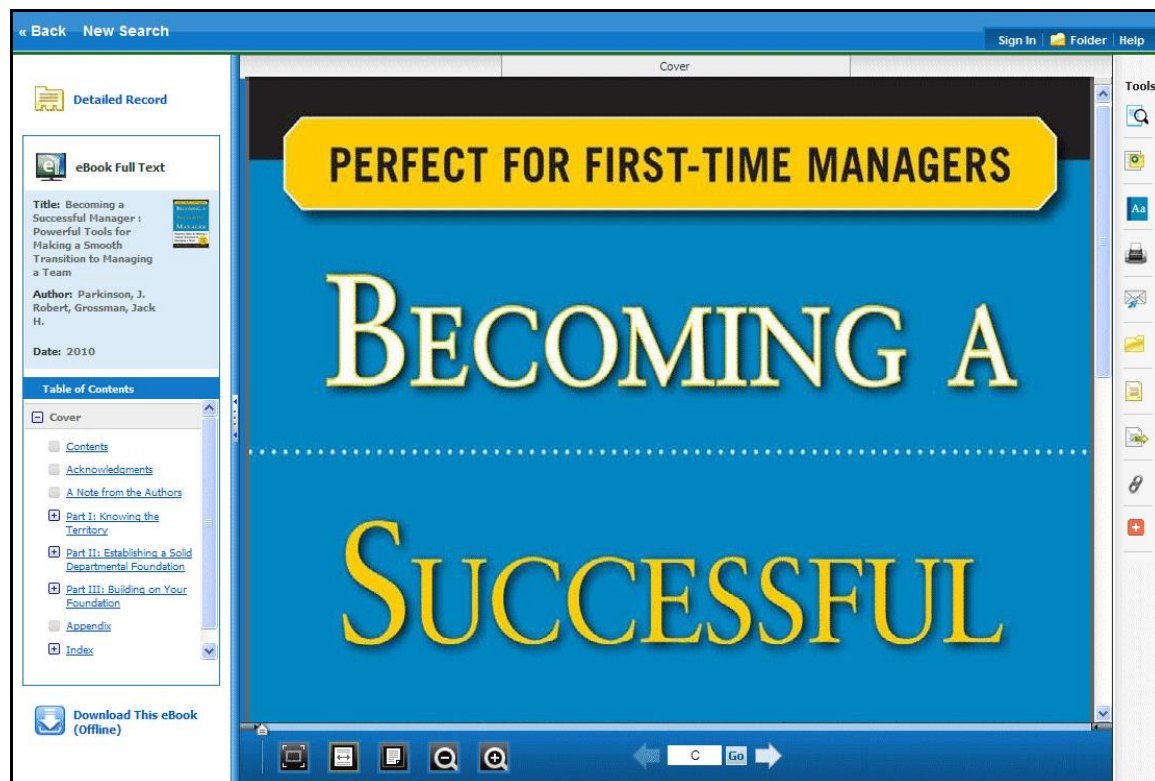
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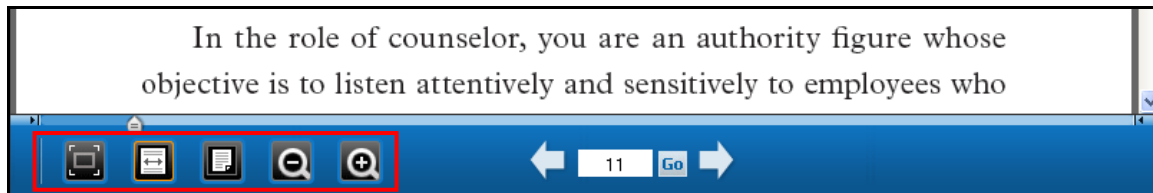Find tutorials, FAQs, help sheets, user guides, and more at http://support.ebsco.com.
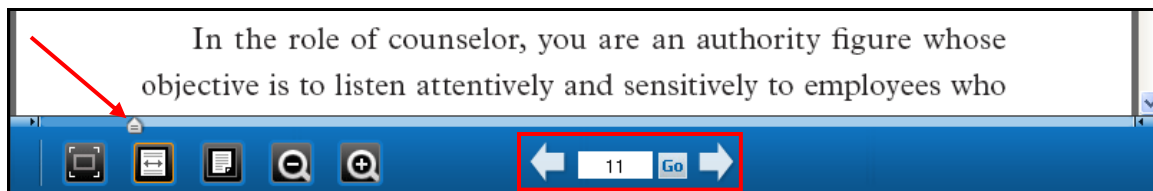
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