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User Guide

# CSIRO Publishing Ebook Collections



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# 1 Introduction

## About this User Guide

This user guide includes everything you need to know to use and enjoy the ebooks provided through your library from CSIRO Publishing.

## System Requirements

To get the best from CSIRO Publishing Library Ebook Collections, your computer must comply with the following minimum requirements:

### Operating Systems

#### Windows

Windows XP with Service Pack 2 (SP2)  
or Windows 2000 Service Pack 4 (SP4)  
or Windows Vista or later.

Both 32 and 64 bit versions are supported.

500MHz or faster Intel Pentium processor  
128MB of RAM

#### Macintosh PowerPC

Mac OS X version 10.3.9 (or higher) or 10.4.8 (or higher)

500MHz or faster PowerPC G4 or G5 processor  
128 MB of RAM

#### Macintosh Intel

Mac OS X version 10.4.8 (or higher)  
500MHz or faster processor  
128 MB of RAM

#### Linux

2.4.37 or later  
500MHz or faster processor  
128 MB of RAM

Note: If using Linux, you will not be able to download ebooks. This is because Adobe Digital Editions, the program we use to enable downloads, does not support Linux OS. You will, however, still be able to read ebooks online using your web browser.

### Other Software

Adobe Flash Player 9.0 or later  
Adobe Digital Editions 1.7.1 or later

### Monitor

Monitor with at least 800 x 600 screen resolution.

### Browsers

Microsoft IE 6+ (Windows)  
Safari 3+ (Mac Windows)  
Firefox 2+ (Windows Mac Linux)  
Netscape 7.1+ (Windows Mac Linux)  
Google Chrome (Windows)

## 2 Using CSIRO Publishing Ebook Collections

### How to Access CSIRO Publishing Ebooks

You can use CSIRO Publishing Ebooks by going to the CSIRO Publishing Ebooks link on your library's website, or by finding a book in your library's online catalogue.

If you're on campus, you will not need to enter a username and password in order to access CSIRO Publishing Ebooks. Additionally, if you're off-campus and you log in to the library's website, you probably won't need a username and password either. If, however, you wish to access CSIRO Publishing Ebooks directly, without first logging in to your library account, then most likely you will need to provide a username and password. Contact the library for access credentials to CSIRO Publishing Ebooks.

### Searching – Finding the Book You Need

Once you've accessed CSIRO Publishing Ebooks through the library website, searching for relevant ebooks is easy: There's a search bar at the top of every page, and advanced search options on the front page.

The screenshot displays the CSIRO Library eBook Collections website. At the top, there is a search bar with a dropdown menu showing search criteria: All, Title, Author, ISBN, and Subject. Below the search bar is a navigation menu with 'Home', 'Collections', and 'Help'. The main content area includes a 'Welcome to CSIRO Library eBook Collections' section with a brief description of the service. To the right, there is a 'Search Collections' section with a search input field, a 'SEARCH' button, and options to search within 'All collections' or 'The following collection' (currently set to '2010 Archive'). Further right is a 'Popular books' section listing titles like 'Biological Control of Weeds in Australia', 'The Action Plan for Australian Birds 2010', 'Beef Cattle Production and Trade', and 'Using Soil Water Tracers to Estimate Recharge - Part 7'.

## Search Results

Search results can be filtered and sorted to help you find the most relevant text.

**Search**  
4 results

Enter Search  
Environment

Search within:  
 Our collections **1**  
 The following collection  
 2010 Archive

Narrow search to:  
 Title **3**  
 Author  
 ISBN  
 Subject

Sort results by:  
 Rank **2**  
 and then by  
 Title

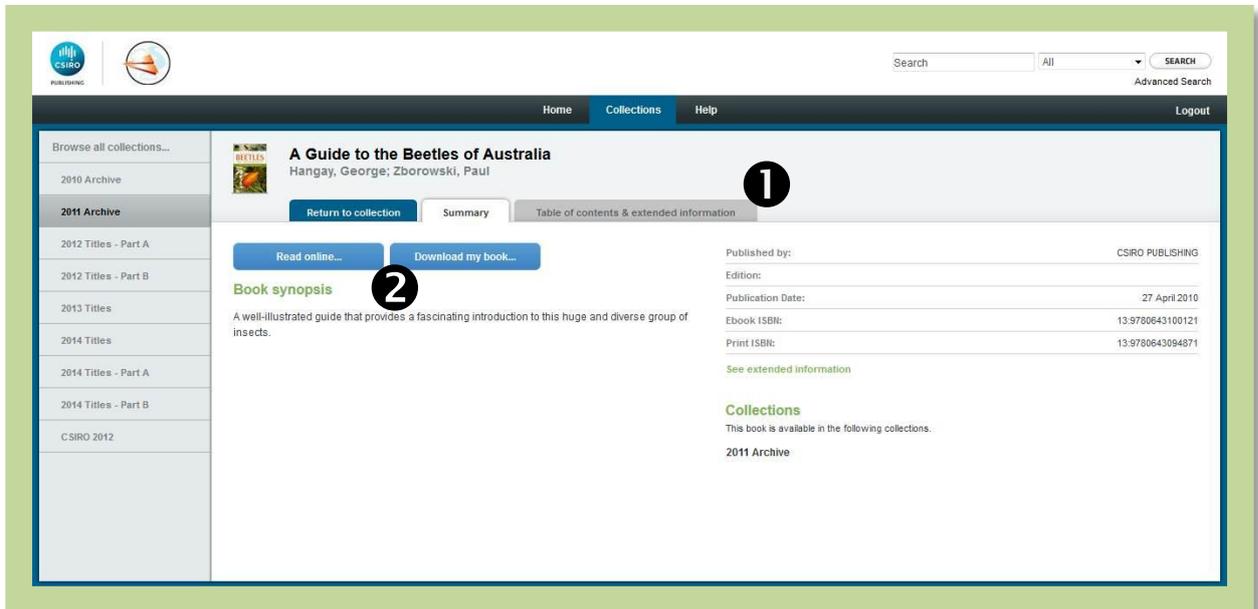
Search Again

**Advance**

Title	Author	Publish Date	Dewey
<b>2010 Archive Collection</b>			
<b>Managing Arsenic in the Environment: From Soil to Human Health</b> Print ISBN 13: 9780643068681	Naidu, Ravi; Smith, Euan; Owens, Gary; Bhattacharya, Prosun; Nadebaum, Peter	07 February 2006	
<b>CSIRO 2012 Collection</b>			
<b>Clays: Controlling the Environment</b> Print ISBN 13: 9780643055360	Churchman, GJ; Fitzpatrick, RW; Eggleton, RA	01 January 1995	
<b>2010 Archive Collection</b>			
<b>Ten Commitments: Reshaping the Lucky Country's Environment</b> Print ISBN 13: 9780643095854	Lindenmayer, David; Dovers, Stephen; Harriss Olson, Molly; Morton, Steve	01 October 2008	

- 1** Choose to search within one collection or all CSIRO Publishing collections.
- 2** Sort your search results by title, author, subject and other criteria.
- 3** Filter by title, author or subject to narrow the search results.

## Book Description Page



The book description page, or summary page, provides essential information about the book you've found.

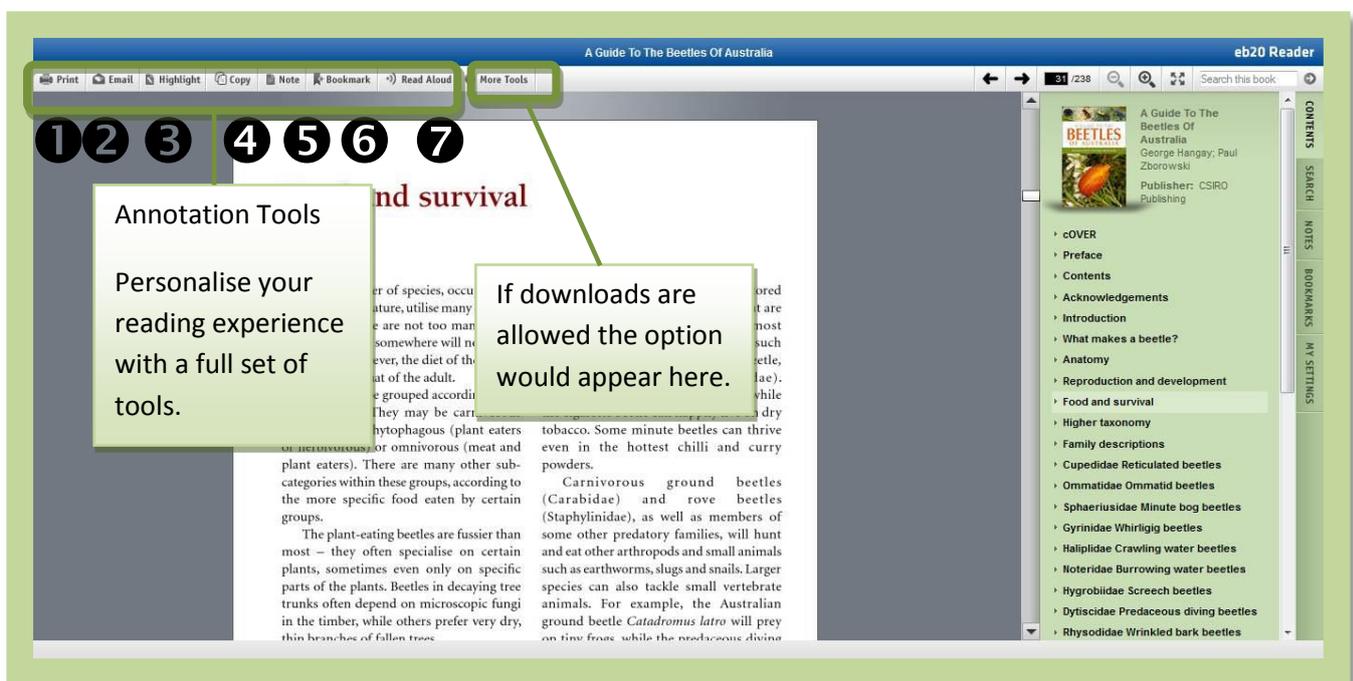
- 1 For more detailed information, click on the "Table of Contents and Extended Information" tab.
- 2 To start reading this book, just click the "Read online" button. This will open up eb20 Reader in a new browser window.

## Reading CSIRO Publishing Ebooks

CSIRO Publishing Ebooks utilises a feature-rich browser-based online ebook reader, called eb20 Reader. eb20 Reader enables you to read the full text of any CSIRO Publishing ebook within your web browser, without the need to download and install separate software programs.

If you'd prefer to download the whole book, you can do that by clicking the "Download" link at the top of eb20 Reader.

The following pages provide an explanation of the features and functions of eb20 Reader. You can find fast help by clicking the Help link within the Reader.



## Annotation Tools



- 1 Print.** You can print pages from this book. The proportion of the book that you can print at any time (the number of pages) is set by CSIRO Publishing. Printing happens one page at a time.
- 2 Email.** If you like what you see, you can email a page of this book to a friend or colleague. The plain text from the page is sent so, if the page includes images or other graphic elements, those elements will not be sent.
- 3 Highlighting.** Click here and select the lines of text you want to highlight.
- 4 Copy and Paste.** You can copy pages from this book to use in your reports and other documents. The amount of any book that you can copy is limited by the rules set by CSIRO Publishing.
- 5 Notes.** This is like the margin notes that you might pencil into the pages of a paper book. You can make a note of significant passages, reminders, anything really.
- 6 Bookmark** any page with a brief phrase and a memory aide.
- 7 Read aloud,** for people with accessibility needs.

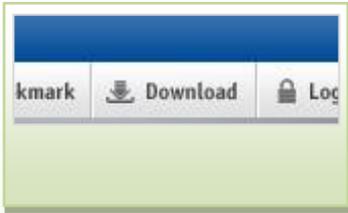
Registration is required in order to use the annotation features of eb20 Online Reader.

In order that your annotations (bookmarks, highlights, etc) persist from one reading session to the next, you'll need to register a username, email address and password with our online collaboration system called **eb20 Reader**.

The first time you highlight some text, print a page, or use any of the features above, you'll be prompted to register with eb20 Reader. This will enable us to retain your annotations within your book, so you can see them in the book when you resume reading it.

You only need to register once. Thereafter, if you want to add more annotations or see your annotations from a previous session, you only need to log in and they'll be right there for you, inside the book.

## Download the Whole Book



### **Download.**

Click here to download the whole book to your computer.

If the option has been enabled, there will be a button to download the entire book, using Adobe Digital Editions.

When you click the download link, you will be prompted (once only) to download and install Adobe Digital Editions.

It is necessary to have this program installed on your computer in order to successfully download an ebook from CSIRO Publishing.

It's a simple process; just follow the prompts.

## Search

eb20 Online Reader incorporates powerful inside-the-book search tools. Type your search term or terms in the search field at the top-right of the window. Results are displayed in the right-hand panel. Click on any of the listed results and the relevant page will be displayed, with the search term highlighted in red.

The screenshot shows the eb20 Reader interface for the book "A Guide To The Beetles Of Australia". The search bar at the top right contains the term "arthropods". A search results panel on the right lists several entries, with "arthropods" highlighted in red in each. A callout box points to the search bar with the text: "1 Search. Click here and type in your search terms". Another callout box points to the search results with the text: "Full-Screen View. Click here to enter 'immersive reading' mode." The main text area shows a paragraph about beetles, with "arthropods" highlighted in red. Below the text are two images: a leaf beetle (Chrysomelidae) and a ground beetle (Carabidae).

## Full Screen View

If you'd like to read "immervsively" – get lost in the text without the clutter of toolbars and other on-screen elements, just click the **Full Screen Mode** button in the top toolbar. The result is a simple reading page that you can scroll through at ease.

To return to the standard view, complete with toolbars, just click the link at the top of the page, or hit the [Esc] key on your keyboard.

The screenshot shows the Full Screen (immersive reading) mode. The text is displayed in a clean, minimalist layout without toolbars. A callout box points to the text with the text: "Full Screen (immersive reading) mode." The main text area shows a paragraph about beetles, with "arthropods" highlighted in red. Below the text are two images: a leaf beetle (Chrysomelidae) and a ground beetle (Carabidae). The page number "31" is visible at the bottom right.