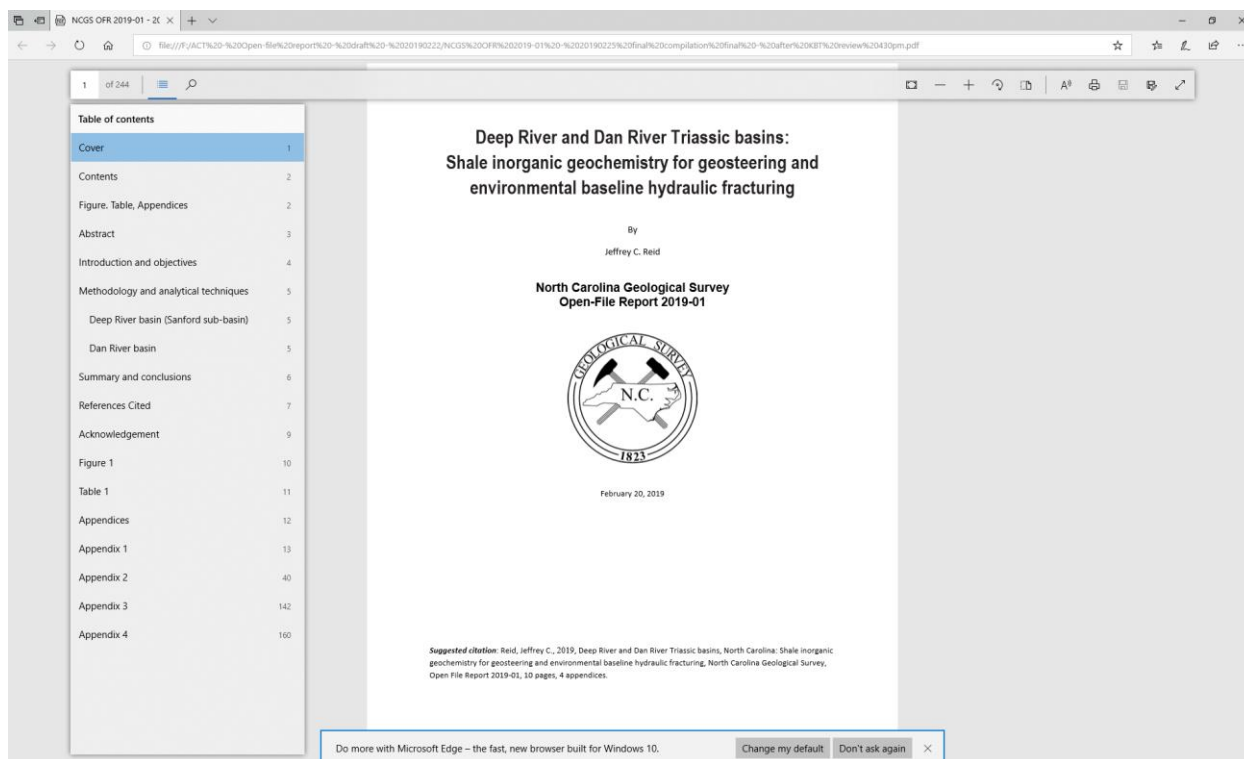


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Multivariate inorganic reconnaissance geochemical data were obtained for the organic shale formations of the Triassic Deep River (Sanford sub-basin)- and Dan River basins, North Carolina, to screen for potential elements to help guide possible hydrocarbon exploration drilling including horizontal drill holes, and to determine background inorganic geochemistry values prior to potential hydraulic fracturing of the reservoirs. Data may also be useful in geosteering. Data are presented in graphic format along with the original data.

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