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Written by some of the world's most distinguished Henry James scholars, this innovative collection of essays provides the most up-to-date scholarship on James's writings available today. Provides an essential, up-to-date reference to the work and scholarship of Henry James. Features the writing of a wide range of James scholars. Places James's writings within national contexts--American, English, French, and Italian. Offers both an overview of contemporary James scholarship and a cutting edge resource for studying important individual topics.
