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| Sommario/riassunto      | Ant colony optimization is a metaheuristic which has been successfully applied to a wide range of combinatorial optimization problems. The author describes this metaheuristic and studies its efficiency for solving some hard combinatorial problems, with a specific focus on constraint programming. The text is organized into three parts. The first part introduces constraint programming, which provides high level features to declaratively model problems by means of constraints. It describes the main existing approaches for solving constraint satisfaction problems, including complete tree search |

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| Autore                  | Perez-Reverte Arturo                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
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| Sommario/riassunto      | Desde hace cinco anos, cuatro millones de lectores de 24 periodicos espanoles leen cada dia de la semana el articulo que Arturo Perez-Reverte publica en el suplemento dominical El Semanal: su polemica, original y personalisima pagina de opinion. Patente de corso recoge una amplia seleccion de esos textos, de los que el propio autor ha dicho: Escribo con tanta libertad que me sorprende que me dejen. De ellos se puede disentir, participar, asumir o no sus postulados; pero es imposible no contagiarse con la fascinacion de su honestidad salvaje, su compromiso personal y su coherencia. Porque son la mirada de veintiun anos como reportero y el espejo de la literatura, aplicados a quemarropa sobre la sociedad contemporanea. |