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Sommario/riassunto	This title examines human nature and the influence of evolution, genetics, chemistry, nurture, and the sociopolitical environment as a way of understanding how and why humans behave in aggressive and dominant ways. It compares human aggression with other species, and discusses individual vs. group aggression, common stressors triggering aggressive behaviors and how individual personalities relate to them,

and the impact of human aggression and dominance on the natural world.
