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Sommario/riassunto	Auguste Prouvensal de Saint-Hilaire (1779-1853) débarque au Brésil en décembre 1816 avec la délégation du Duc de Luxembourg, au moment où ce pays s'ouvre plus largement aux scientifiques et artistes

étrangers. Il revient en France six ans plus tard après avoir réuni des collections d'histoire naturelle (plantes, animaux, minéraux), et recueilli un nombre important de données sur l'histoire, la géographie physique, les langues indigènes et l'usage des produits naturels. Les historiens et les biologistes brésiliens considèrent aujourd'hui que les descriptions qui figurent dans ses récits de voyages, constituent un état des lieux des paysages et de la société brésilienne essentiel à la connaissance de ce grand pays. Dans ce livre, le regard croisé des scientifiques et des historiens, français et brésiliens, dessine la figure originale d'un savant botaniste et explorateur dont la démarche scientifique peut être qualifiée de moderne. La publication annotée de Réponse aux reproches que les gens du monde font à l'étude de la botanique (Orléans, 1811) et de larges extraits d'un de ses cahiers de récolte permet aux lecteurs de mieux appréhender les concepts et la démarche de ce botaniste mal connu. Une bibliographie exhaustive et annotée complète cet ouvrage, en français et en portugais, très largement illustré. Botanist Auguste Prouvensal de Saint-Hilaire landed in Brazil with the delegation of the Duc de Luxembourg in December, 1816, when this country was first opening more widely to foreign scientists and artists. He returned to France six years later having gathered significant natural history collections (of plants, animals, and minerals) and a great deal of information on the region's history, physical geography, and uses of its natural products. In this bilingual French-Portuguese book, contemporary French and Brazilian historians and biologists explore how the descriptions that appear in this little-known botanist and explorer's writings not only provide a window...

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Nota di contenuto	1. Introduction -- 2. The Armed Forces and Domestic Missions in Brazil and Mexico (1960-2000) -- 3. The Politics of Militarization -- 4. The Military Mystique -- 5. The Military's Agency Patterns -- 6. The Use of Violence by Military Personnel -- 7. Conclusions.
Sommario/riassunto	<p>"In an era when violence in Latin America remains widespread, we still lack a sufficient understanding of military crime fighting in the region. Anais M. Passos's well written and richly detailed study helps fill the gap. This is an excellent study that deserves to be widely read and debated." —David Pion-Berlin, Distinguished Professor in the Department of Political Science, University of California, Riverside, USA</p> <p>This book provides an in-depth account of military operations against drug gangs and organizations in two of the biggest countries in Latin America: Brazil and Mexico. Recent studies on drug wars have detailed case studies on the war on drugs but do not focus on the role of the army in such policies. Publications that do drive attention to the military in such situations are usually from human rights organizations</p>

or the press and are therefore not scholarly works. There are therefore no recent academic books dealing with the role of the military in the fight against drugs in Latin America. This book aims to fill this gap. It also offers an empirical and theoretical examination of the issue of the role of the military (rather than the police) on national soil—the army being generally devoted to interventions abroad, and the police, to law enforcement on the national ground. The book is also the first work to look at high-level negotiations between military and civilian elites that define the conditions for the use of force during military operations. It provides a theoretically informed understanding of contemporary security politics in Brazil and Mexico. Anaís Medeiros Passos is Associate Professor of Political Science in Universidade Federal de Santa Catarina, Brazil. .

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