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Sommario/riassunto	<p>How well did civilian morale stand up to the pressures of total war and what factors were important to it? In this important work, Robert Mackay offers a robust rejection of recent contentions that civilian morale fell a long way short of the favourable picture presented at the time and in hundreds of books and films ever since. Whilst acknowledging that some negative attitudes and behaviours existed - panic and defeatism, ration-cheating and black-marketeering, looting, absenteeism and strikes - the author argues that these involved a very small minority of the population. In fact, most people behaved well, and this should be the real measure of civilian morale, rather than the failings of the few who behaved badly. This book shows that before the War the official prognosis was pessimistic but that measures to bolster morale were taken nevertheless, in particular with regard to protection against air raids. An examination of a range of indicative factors concludes that morale fluctuated but was in the main good, right until the end of the War. In explaining this phenomenon, due credit is accorded to government policies for the maintenance of morale, but special emphasis is given to the 'invisible' chain of patriotic feeling that held the nation together during its time of trial. This book will give students of the Second World War new insights into how and why</p>

ordinary people coped with the intolerable.

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5.3 Tonotopy: The First Dimension of AFMs

5.4 Cortical Organization of the Monkey Auditory System; 5.5 Cortical Organization of the Human Auditory System; 5.6 Periodotopy: The Second Dimension of AFMs; 5.7 Similarities to AFM Organization in the Human Visual System; 5.8 "Clover Leaf" Clusters Across Senses; 5.9 Conclusion; References; 6 Motor Cortex and Mirror System in Monkeys and Humans; 6.1 Introduction; 6.2 Anatomy of the Monkey Motor Cortex; 6.2.1 The Agranular Frontal Cortex; 6.2.2 Cortical Connections of the Motor Areas; 6.2.3 Area F5: Anatomical Subdivisions

6.2.4 Motor Properties of Area F5: The Vocabulary of Motor Acts

6.2.5 Canonical Neurons and the Visuomotor Transformation for Grasping; 6.2.6 Mirror Neurons and Action Understanding; 6.2.7 Mirror Neurons in the Parietal and the Primary Motor Cortex; 6.2.7.1 Primary Motor Cortex; 6.2.7.2 Parietal Cortex; 6.3 The Human Motor Cortex; 6.3.1 The Mirror Mechanism in Humans; 6.3.2 Imitation; 6.4 Motor System and Communication; 6.5 Conclusion; Acknowledgment; References; 7 Cerebellar Contributions to Speech and Language; 7.1 Introduction; 7.2 Macroscopic and Microscopic Anatomy of the Human Cerebellum

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Sommario/riassunto

Neurobiology of Language explores the study of language, a field that has seen tremendous progress in the last two decades. Key to this progress is the accelerating trend toward integration of neurobiological approaches with the more established understanding of language within cognitive psychology, computer science, and linguistics. This volume serves as the definitive reference on the neurobiology of language, bringing these various advances together into a single volume of 100 concise entries. The organization includes sections on the field's major subfields, with each section covering
