Journey to the ants: a story of scientific exploration.

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Abstract : Following the publication of their monograph on the ants in 1990, the authors have produced a book of more manageable length, with less technical language and an admitted bias to topics and species on which they had worked personally, along with personal anecdotes. The 15 chapters start with an explanation of why ants have been so successful, opening out into natural history and covering topics such as the life and death of the colony, communication, interspecific aggression, dominance, the origin of cooperation, social parasites, trophobionts, army ants, and more.
of their environment. A section on how to study ants and an index are included.

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