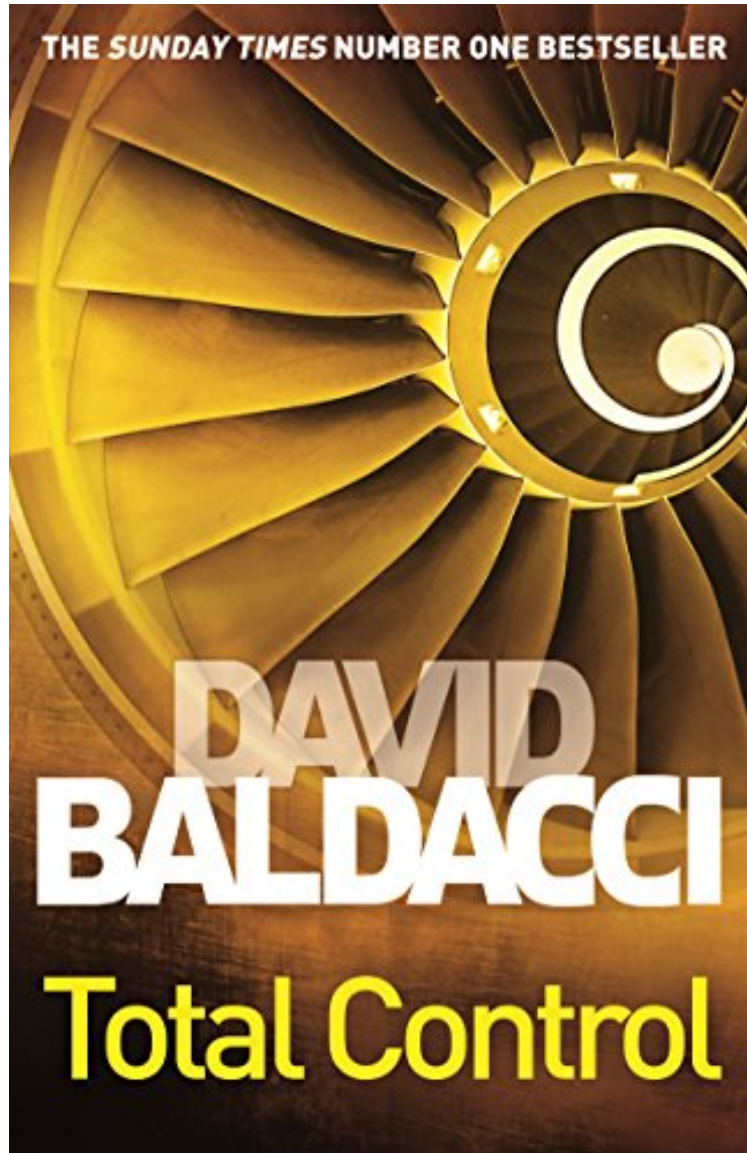


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Von David Baldacci

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Von David Baldacci : Total Control (English Edition) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Total Control (English Edition):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Leider ein Abfall gegenüber dem Erstling "Absolute Power"Von A. TriniusWie oft bei erfolgreichen Thriller-Autoren zu beobachten, flit das zweite Werk gegenüber dem Erstling dramatisch ab. So auch hier.Der letzte Teil ist zwar ziemlich

spannend, aber insgesamt: ist das Buch schwach und etwas konfus. Man hat das Gefühl, der Autor stand unter vertraglichem Druck und hat sich etwas aus den Fingern gezogen - letztlich eine bedeutungslose Geschichte, die vielleicht als Krimi, nicht aber als Thriller durchgehen kann. 1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Below average Von Ein Kunde You can read this book on the beach, or just take it as light entertainment, but I wouldn't recommend it to you. It's too slow. The plot is complex, and this would be good, but then it hasn't got any interesting twisting points: it just keeps building one mystery after another, and the reader's interest is kept about some secret that will come out only at the end of the book. I read D.B. "The simple truth", too, and the story-structure is the same. It's not bad for a book to reveal its big secret at the end, but that is a difficult choice for an author, because he's got to be able to write a good book in the meantime. That is something David Baldacci could not do in this book. 4 von 4 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. It kept me going Von William H. Gallagher I liked the book. It wasn't as good as The Simple Truth in my eyes but it kept my interest. Good characters in Sidney, Jason, and Sawyer. If you like Baldacci's other work you'll enjoy it. I also think if you like Sandford, Grisham, or Martini you should try to read it.

Kurzbeschreibung Jason Archer is a rising young executive at Triton Global, the world's leading technology conglomerate. Determined to give his family the best of everything, he has secretly entered into a deadly game of cat and mouse. He is about to disappear, leaving behind a wife who must sort out his lies from his truths; an air-crash investigation team that wants to know why the plane he was booked on suddenly fell from the sky; and a veteran FBI agent who leaves no stone unturned. Soon the startling truth behind Jason Archer's disappearance explodes into a sinister plot involving the murder of the country's single most powerful individual. And Archer's wife, Sidney, is plunged straight into the violence, now faced with trail of dead bodies and shocking, exposed secrets. A breathtaking thrill-ride on a roller-coaster of non-stop action and suspense from one of the world's favourite storytellers. From Publishers Weekly released in February 1997. Copyright 1996 Reed Business Information, Inc. From Booklist Baldacci burst on the thriller scene with Absolute Power (1995), which stayed on the New York Times best-seller list for more than four months. Total Control is even more suspenseful, and it is also far more interesting in terms of the questions it raises about how much technology controls us. Baldacci's ruthless characters wield the latest in action weaponry, laptops, and cell phones. Everyone still carries guns, but they're fighting over computer disks and trying to outsmart each other with frantically typed e-mail. Except for a sabotaged airliner that hits the ground with enough impact to practically disintegrate, creating a huge crater in rural Virginia and killing a couple of hundred innocent people, and a bunch of vicious murders, all the crime is online, involving the stealing of top-secret financial documents pertaining to high-tech companies with names such as Triton and CyberCom. Baldacci's heroes are also a mix of the old and the new: a bighearted FBI guy and a beautiful, high-powered attorney who really just wants to stay home and take care of the kids. Maybe so, but when her husband disappears, Sidney Archer transforms herself from corporate deal-maker into a gun-toting momma with a sure shot and enough smarts to outmaneuver her very angry, very evil assailants. Good and slick. Donna Seaman