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DO ANIMALS THINK?

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For a long time, animals were regarded as automatons which are guided by their instincts and merely react to simple stimuli. Primate research was the first to question this view.

The film accompanies distinguished scientists who depart from previously accepted doctrines and also presents tests and field experiments which are used to examine the astonishing abilities of animals. The documentary includes a large number of examples which show that the differences between human beings and animals in the cognitive sector are constantly decreasing.

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