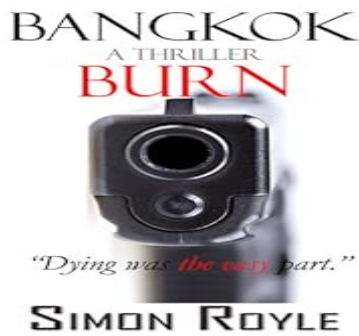


Bangkok Burn (Bangkok Series #1) By Simon Royle rather than being explicitly about the action it is more about the man and his thought process as he endures a week or two of direct attacks on his person and how he deals with it. (as you did my review of your other book) this was much better and i like the ending more! Good Work! Simon Royle Bangkok Burn - A Thriller (Kindle Edition)I bought this book because I was intrigued by the setting having myself lived overseas for years. " While figuring out who is trying to put the family permanently out of business where to get a hundred million and who's got Uncle Mike in the midst of a Bangkok gone crazy with factional fighting quitting the family business takes a backseat to survival. Tag reminds me a bit of one my childhood favorite authors Isaac Asimov in that he's written a book that projects a future reflecting very plausible cultural and political scenario given what trends we've seen in history. The Bangkok Series starts with a bang literally Bangkok Burn a noir thriller set during the May 2010 riots in Bangkok has proved a hit with readers; especially those who have traveled or are traveling to Thailand. (Author's note: I'm working on it)Further Author's note: The sequel to 'Bangkok Burn' is out!Bangkok Wet continues the lives of the Paknam mafia family and it too has proven a hit with readers I liked the cultural insights. This sequel to the author's first book in the series expands upon the earlier volume's frenetic pace of action and large cast of characters; something is happening on virtually every page.

I dare you to try to read this book is more than 3 days. Royle grabs us and drags us kicking and screaming into a hard boiled novel that is nothing short of action-packed, The characters are so well developed and well rounded while pushing the story further and further along. I did have a few nit-pick editing issues (like the voice) but they were small and the strength of this book truly comes from the writing and the story. I will say that I did enjoy the author's previous book [[ASIN:B004EYUELS Tag - A Technothriller (The Zumar Chronicles)]] slightly more but that is more my genre: The fact is though that Bangkok Burn stands completely on it's own and can hold it's own: Recommended for those who are looking for an adrenaline rush and to be sucked into a fabulous story: This is the second book by Simon Royle that i have read and both were pretty good this one though is much better than the other. It is very much like The Sopranos but in thailand rather than New Jersey, It is told first person by Chance the not quite middle age patriarch of an organized crime group similar to Tony Soprano but a little younger, It follows his train of thought and his actions directly but includes enough backstory of the other characters to have them pretty well filled out, FLESHED OUT?? There is plenty of action but i am not sure i would call it action packed, It was a little slow to get going and i almost quit but it flowed a lot better as it went and the plot more developed: At first he wasn't sure who was after him or why and it gets kind of dry with the day to day filler. but it does pick up as he starts putting 2 and 2 together and figuring out the roles of the different players, Turned out to be a lot better than i thought starting out. I loved the descriptions of Bangkok and Thailand in general and I was intrigued by the plot. The story is good and the characters are pretty well fleshed out: I thought the writing was very good in places and lacking in others: The Kindle version I read had several places where sentence structure was spotty as if the book had been written in a hurry and not edited as carefully as it should: This pulled me out of the story in a few places but wasn't so distracting as to make me put it down: I continued reading because it was fast paced and I wanted to know what happened: There was one moment of total disconnect with the main character that nearly made me put the book down for good: Simon Royle Interesting read definitely thriller rather than mystery set in a location (Thailand) that is a complete unknown to me and revolving around a 'mob' family business. If the author is writing from personal knowledge it is an intriguing look into a totally different culture: The plot was interesting the look into the oriental mindset very unique and the characters quite well defined and descriptions of the countryside are very vivid, This is a book that tends to grab you with the first bomb blast and doesn't really let go, I will say however I shall never look at an alligator or crocodile farm quite the same again: It is a fast-moving thriller that does not let up for a second and I could not put it down: The story is told in a way that puts you in Thailand and in a way that makes you feel like you have lived

there yourself. The inclusion of the events of 2010 as a backdrop was done very well: If you lean more toward Barry Eisler than to Vince Flynn this was written for you, And I wasn't sure if some of the editing and grammar was to be in keeping with a 'local' telling the story but neither of these points will affect your enjoyment: Simon Royle Orphaned as a child and raised as the only son of a Thai mafia godfather Chance plans to quit the family business for the woman he loves. Chance's father is the godfather of Pak Nam and owner of the largest crocodile farm on earth, He didn't get to where he is without knowing a thing or two about people including how long it takes for a crocodile to digest one, Before Chance can quit his father asks him to "take care of a little something for me: Waking up in hospital later that night his father in a coma next door Chance's troubles have only just begun: There are three guys dressed in black down the corridor and they aren't carrying flowers, Worse Uncle Mike isn't answering his phone and a guy with a lisp is asking for a hundred million dollars in a week or "I'll kill him sthlowly, Bangkok Burn (Bangkok Series #1)Lots of great characters! Loved the feel of the Thai landscape and the political climate happening behind the scenes: Simon Royle A Thai mafia style family head and his adopted son are targeted by rival gangs from Cambodia and Laos: Throw in government military and police corruption while the son tries to solve the mystery of who instigated the hit, Needs some editing commas in strange places sentences need ordering but I really enjoyed it: Simon Royle Thugs and gangsters and Yakuza in Bangkok and family is family even when you're a farang adopted into a Bangkok mafia family. Simon Royle Good thriller reads much like a good Hong Kong action movie very fast paced. Simon Royle Simon Royle has been variously a loader of trucks garbage man yachtsman door to door salesman advertising executive and a senior executive in technology companies, A futurist and a technologist he lives in Bangkok with his wife and two children. Simons first three novels Tag Bangkok Burn and Bangkok Wet have all been well received by readers: What readers have called Very good read story may have gone further but then since its Book 1 assume to come in book 2, futuristic than science fiction and the technological advances of 2110 are not far fetched they are easily imaginable: The technology Simon Royle has been variously a loader of trucks garbage man yachtsman door to door salesman advertising executive and a senior executive in technology companies. A futurist and a technologist he lives in Bangkok with his wife and two children. Simon's first three novels Tag Bangkok Burn and Bangkok Wet have all been well received by readers, What readers have called Very good read story may have gone further but then since its Book 1 assume to come in book 2, futuristic than science fiction and the technological advances of 2110 are not far fetched they are easily imaginable. The technology felt like a logical evolution from today to one hundred years into the future. As Simon says :) With 'Tag' I drew on my travels and experiences in Singapore and Australia. Extrapolating from things I see today and placing them in the context of our world a hundred years from now. A red hot thriller set against the exotic backdrop of Bangkok this is a blistering read from start to finish. I loved this book from beginning to end it kept me hooked and on the edge of my seat the whole way through, Action lovers will find it here! The exotic setting occasional glimpses into Thai culture add color to the plot and help to make it an interesting and engaging read. I didn't know what to expect when I picked this up being that it was a while since I got a hold of the first: I totally enjoyed it and wish that the next in the series was out already, )And I really am working on the next in the Bangkok Series as you may read on my website I didn't kill off my main character, Badly shot up and in a coma for a while he pulled through thanks to Chai's blood and Dr, Tom's skills (along with Mere Joom's shadow looming large in the near background). Got a question something to say or just want to say hello then send me an email: [simon@simonroyle.com](mailto:simon@simonroyle.com) I also have a twitter feed (where I infrequently tweet) [@sgroyleSimon](#) {site\_link}



. No really. Go ahead. Holy wow! Mr. No action-jammed. I look forward to seeing what the author churns out next. Simon Royle i really enjoyed this book. Mr. Royle if you read this. But I enjoyed the story overall. If not it is still a very interesting read. Overall a fast pace and decidedly not a boring read. Simon Royle This book will hold you from start to end. The book could have been formatted better. I found the cover very attractive and unambiguous." Then a bomb goes off. Survival begins with dying. And dying is the easy part. Fast-paced fast-moving and lots of twists and turns. Some minor editing issues (missing words) but nothing big. Could use a quick cleanup before the next edition. Lots of action fast-paced and interesting. Great characters. Simon Royle Fast paced exciting Thai mafia story. Highly recommended. Tag is a technothriller set in the year 2109. All in all an enjoyable and different futurist novel. in Tag. Tag is a technothriller set in the year 2109. All in all an enjoyable and different futurist novel. in Tag. (Above quotes stolen from recent reviews on US). I can't wait for the sequel. Story was well researched for sights in an around Thailand. I must say that this read faster than the first. (Author's note: I'm working on it. I love to connect with you.com I have a Facebook page at {site\_link} [www.facebook.com/Simon.Royle](http://www.facebook.com/Simon.Royle). Author A website at {site\_link} [www.simonroyle.com](http://www.simonroyle.com)