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Summary:
Dan File is a wise cracking computer hacker who has serious problems with authority. A promising but tumultuous college career comes to a quick and nasty end, leaving him at the mercy of the retail industry. When an old college classmate throws Dan a lifeline, he suddenly finds himself leading the software development team at a hot data communications startup. Just as everything is on track, his life comes to a screeching halt when he's framed for a double murder. However, the prison transfer bus carrying Dan and five other inmates, including his original college roommate, Brax Johnson, loses control and crashes on an icy road. On the run with the opportunity to set things right, Dan devises an ingenious plan to win both his and Brax's freedom. But first they have to make it through a fight in a homeless camp, an armed confrontation with Dan's nemesis, and several big surprises. Will Dan and Brax make it through the adversity and succeed in winning their freedom from false charges? Executable File is filled with fascinating technologies, some boasting real life promise, some offering cool techniques, and some just plain juvenile. Join Dan and Brax as they race to clear their names. It's a heckuva lot of fun, and you might just learn something.

> *"Verdict: Executable File is an engaging and snark-filled whodunit thriller perfect for anyone who loves technology"* --- IndieBookReviews

> *"Persistently appealing tale with a good natured protagonist, even when he's breaking the law"* --- Kirkus Review

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Dave Cohen graduated from Georgia Tech with a degree in Computer Science. He's worked for Fortune 500 companies to startups, on technologies from mainframes to PCs to smartphones. He currently is a lone web developer, having outlasted a number of his prior employers, who frankly should have fired him. In addition to software development, he's written for technical and business publications such as Microsoft Systems Journal and Triangle Business Journal. He currently resides in Chapel Hill, NC, with his wife, two sons, a dog, and a cat. In real life, he has not done any hacking, at least none provable.