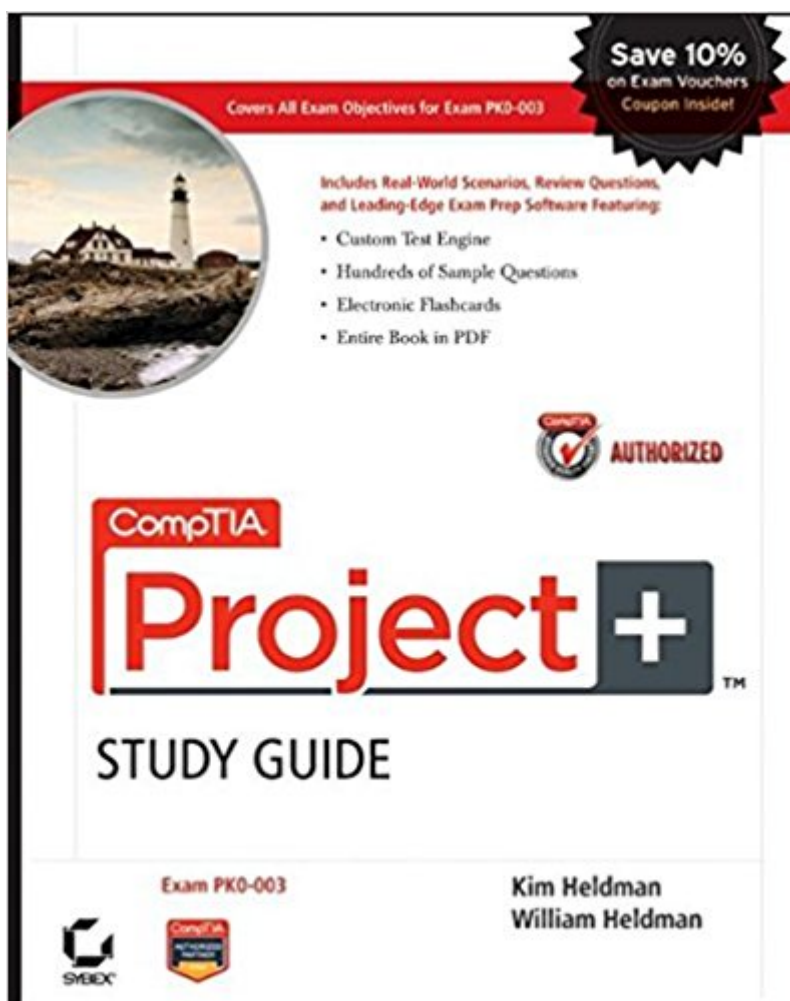


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I passed the exam and felt ecstatic. All 10 chapters were touched upon in the book, but I swear 1/3 was on Quality Control. The formulas were a big deal from Chapter 9. Right before the exam I finished a Master's class: IT Project Management and the college textbook was more exciting to read, which tells you something. I didn't even read chapter 10 until after taking the exam. I passed the exam based on the same concepts covered in my online class, but it's totally doable with this book alone. 90 mins for 100 questions and I started reading into questions too much and taking my sweet-a\$\$ time analyzing and then found myself running 500 miles an hour half way in. Please don't do that. The book is an easy read but they try to make science out of common sense stuff. Analogy: the orange sphere with bouncing properties thrown into a suspended net on a playing court is a game played by humanoids where the objective calls for precision in time and space. This competitive game is called basketball. I'm like...really?! I kept thinking how the author recently quit his job as a nuclear physicist and decided to write a book on project management. I guess I overdid it with my example but you get the point.

Purchased the Kindle Edition. Great resource for the PK0-003 exam. The included online access to the flash cards and practice tests was amazing. The questions were very similar to a lot of the questions on the real test in terms of how they were worded and formatted. The practice tests were my favorite part. The study guide as a whole was awesome as well. Overall, very very good study guide. Highly recommended. I passed my test using this and a couple of other study guides on .

First things first: the test is hard. Not SAT level hard, but pretty hard. This book helped me tame it. Read it completely through and then start taking the practice tests found on the CD. Once you get to about 85-90% on the practice tests you're ready for the actual test. The best part is the test questions on the CD are very similar to how the questions on the tests are structured so you walk in prepared.

I have no experience in Project Management and passed the exam using only this book and the tests on the included CD. The book was easy to read and provided comprehensive coverage of the exam materials. I found the questions on the CD to be similar to the exam and felt they prepared me reasonably well. I do wish the author did a slightly better job walking through the order that each document needs to be completed. A summary sheet of the processes and what documents were created in each would be fantastic. Overall, the book did its job. I learned about project management and passed the exam. I would recommend this book!

Best study guide you'll find to prepare you for the Project+ exam! Best plan of action, read through the guide cover to cover, then go back and create your own note cards of the different steps, processes and formula...even make up some from the glossary. Study them religiously! There's a great deal of memory work as well as synthesis and applying knowledge on the exam. Create a study plan and timeline! Last two weeks if not more before your exam date, do nothing but take the practice exams, until you're scores are in the 80's. Check out quizlet for extra study resources. Good luck!

I will say that this book is a snooze fest. However, the main objective is to pass the Project + exam and this book help me do just that. A lot of the stuff in this book is common sense. What you need to know are the formulas in this book, the different phases and what needs to be done in each phase. ex. Team charter, business charter, and know what each document is used for and why. Its a short book. I read it in a week or so. Passed the exam 2 weeks after i received the book in the

mail. I would recommend this.

Book is concise and well written. Only found one error and that in a math calculation. Glad to have a book rather than a computer screen to look at half the day as I studied it almost cover to cover in a week. The book is available in PDF form without hyperlinks from the CD. Flash cards & extra tests found on CD only work with Windows OS and not my Mac OS. I could of copied the CD to flash-drive to read the extras on another device if I felt I needed it.

This book is a great resource if you are preparing for the Project+ Exam. The choices for books on the PK0-003 exam were somewhat limited; and although this book had a limited number of reviews, I chose this book because of the reviews I read. I have had some formal project management training, so I was familiar with the topics. The book was a bit dry but definitely had all of the material needed to pass the exam. I recommend reviewing all of the practice questions until you fully understand them. (I passed the Project+ test with a high score, first try, after reading this book.)

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