



Synopsis

Aileen's view on PMP Exam Preparation To learn to ride a bike, a person must ride a bike. To learn to pass the PMP® Exam, a person must practice with hundreds and hundreds of PMP® Exam Prep sample questions. This book is the second book in our series of mini-books - PMP® Exam Preparation Simplified Series Over the last 16 years Aileen has helped over 10,000 project managers in her workshops obtain their PMP® credential. Often the participants in Aileen's workshops are successful project managers who may lack experience in specific topics on the PMP® Exam. The topics that participants seem to struggle with the most are: Earned value Management (EVM) Contract types and calculations (FPIF, CPIF, PTA, etc.) Network diagrams including float, free float, project float, leads and lags Financial based questions including IRR, ROI, etc. Statistical based questions There is one thing all of these areas have in common and it is math. Aileen has decided to create mini-books in each of these areas so that students can gain both the knowledge and the confidence to get these questions right. Many project managers want to study just enough to pass the PMP® Exam and not one second more. Aileen's view is to practice on enough sample questions in each area so that the project manager is confident he/she will never get a question in that area wrong. While the primary goal of this book and Aileen's workshops is to help you pass the PMP® Exam, Aileen hopes that you will also walk away as a more knowledgeable and successful project manager.

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Customer Reviews

I think this is a great mini-book, very useful for studying for the PMP exam. The book consists of a short overview of the topic, although I think it would be more helpful to know the material before you buy this book. It's a good refresher though and then it jumps right into 50 questions and answers. For some the questions might seem repetitive but this is the best way to learn and memorize formulas. I didn't take the PMP test yet but I'm hoping this mini-book will help me as that day is arriving quickly. I hope Aileen Ellis puts out more mini-books soon to address all the topics on the exam.

I used this ebook during my last days to my exam. I found it to be useful in answering questions on contracts types and calculation in passing my PMP exams this week. It is a must have for everyone preparing for PMP exam.

Another great reference book from Aileen Ellis. In preparing for the PMP, I was familiar with some contract types, but had only worked with a few of them. This book helped me understand how to rapidly break down the information in a question, select a good pricing model, and set up a solution. When I took the exam, I found that her problems were representative of what was on the test. Just as importantly, each problem is set up to teach a principle of concept. Her methodology prepares you to plug and chug to get numeric answers while also teaching you to do well on conceptual questions as well.

My work as a project manager is focused on firm fixed price contracts so Aileen's explanation of this content during class and this companion book with practice questions was extremely valuable in my studies. As with everything else Aileen does, her step by step explanation and context for how to solve problems takes away the guess work and enables the learner to approach questions with confidence. I appreciate her attention and dedication to providing resources that are truly helpful and understandable.

Incredible book! I had no knowledge of contract calculations and this book helped me understand all of the contract questions on my PMP exam. The 50+ questions in this book had some twists and turns I wasn't expecting and made me think, slow down, and understand why I had not answered correctly the first time. The author's method of explaining the answer vs. just giving the answer is worth the cost of book itself! I highly encourage anybody who is studying for the PMP exam to purchase this book.

This book has questions in the format of what is on the PMP test and how to solve the contract questions. It only covers this one topic, but I took the PMP just after completing this and I am confident that I really did get every Contract question correct. Thanks Aileen, this is a fantastic study tool.

I passed the PMP exam the day after I attended Aileen's 4-day PMP workshop, and this was one of the books given in class. It explains contract calculations clearly and concisely in an easy to understand manner. The practice tests were very useful and this book was one of the primary resources I used to help me pass the PMP exam.

1 of those Books that you just have to say "Thank God it exist." I took the exam and failed. I realizing that some of the areas I had issues with was, understanding some minor details such us the EV test questions. Practicing more on this are would have made a huge difference on my exam in my result. I have gotten at least 20 questions on contract calculations, if only I focus on this more. This book gives you a very good detail on how to solve the question. Definitely worth every penny.

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