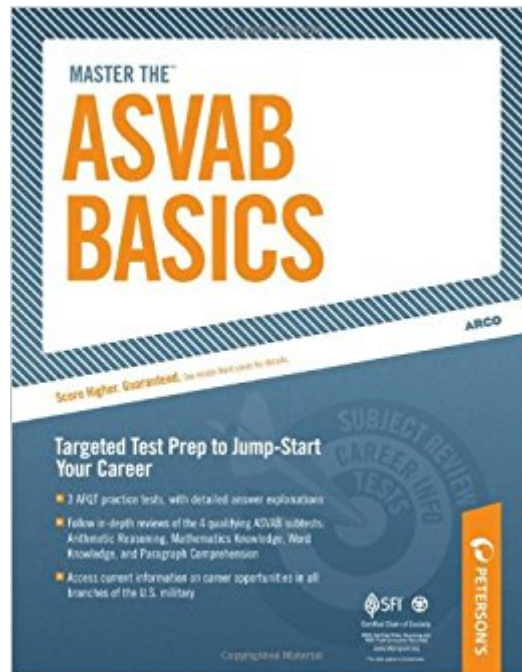


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This book & it's brother "Master the ASVAB"(which covered more topics in depth) was an invaluable resource for my preparation for the ASVAB.I'm 41 & had only one week to study before being forced(basically) to sit the ASVAB because of time constraints. You have to actually be in basic training before your 42nd birthday. So, after not having looked at an algebra or fractional equation for over 23 years, I got down to business. One week later I went down to MEPS & scored a 92! None of the young(& I mean YOUNG) kids got over 82, so score one for "Gramps". :)I gave the book 4 out of 5 stars because of a few editing errors in the formulas, that caused me some confusion & wasted time. Also, some of their math answers were too scarce in how they came to that particular answer. There was definitely some assumption being made about the reader understanding certain laws of the formula. Hey, it's been a while. I'd rather they explained everything, all the time. Overall though, it was well laid out & the answers easy to follow as far as the steps.The tests in the book were harder than the MEPS. I think this is a good idea. It prepares

you more thoroughly. FYI: They still had "assembling objects" at MEPS. So study for that. A lot of people said only the Navy still requires it, but it was on the test for everyone. If you're younger (20's), make sure that you study word comprehension etc. Apparently this has stumped an alarming amount of younger people & dropped their scores down. Finally, if you have any debt that you have been ignoring because you are "special/immature/or in denial that your credit score matters", get it sorted out before even starting the process. One young woman got denied a security clearance because of her credit rating, & lost an entire swathe of MOS's, including her chosen field. She was heart broken & got offered only one MOS, "take it or leave it" by the officials there.

I tutor math and reading for the ASVAB and I really like this book. I have several others but this one is designed so that I can take a student through the various math concepts in a way that they can understand and use the skills on the test. Thank you for a great product.

Not the worst book out there, but lots of typos. At least in the first practice test, haven't take the others yet. Got several wrong in the mathematics knowledge subtest and tried to reverse engineer them following the correct steps in the back...still wouldn't be right. Tried some online sites where you can plug in different equations and was getting answers that I put down and the book was wrong. Took in to a math teacher at a school that I work at and they confirmed. Some questions have misprints and then the correct answer (correct based on no misprint) or they have correctly printed questions and then typos in the answers. Most of the book that I have looked at is good, but typos in a book meant to help you study for a test that could affect what you do for the next 4+ years? Unacceptable.

This Kindle version is totally incomplete!!! It is missing all of the practice tests, and was a complete waste of money (luckily it was very cheap on Kindle). I wrote this review without realizing that the Kindle version is different: "I bought this believing it would help me on the actual test by giving me practice questions and specific information (it was one of the only books I found with information about the subject tests). Instead, it is only a guide on how to study for the test. I'm sure that's very helpful for a lot of people, but I know how to study, thanks. What I need is something to study--the actual information that will be on the test."

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I've been a tutor at the local community college for over a year now, so when a friend asked for help in getting ready for the ASVAB I didn't think it would take much work.however, this book as made it quite the challenge. there are Several questions on the practice tests that are poorly worded and entirely to many solutions are erroneous. Questions will state at PM and the solution will be solved using AM. The frequency at which this errors occur is pretty unforgivable.

Outstanding book and very informational. Overall a 5 star book and recommend to any Soldier looking to retake his/her ASVAB or civilian going to take the ASVAB. Would be a 5 star, if shipping did not take 7+ days.

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