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- Know how to use Windows NT or Windows 95/98 and your web server software, at least well enough to get around.
- Are familiar with HTML and have played around with some advanced tags.
- Have had at least a little exposure to a scripting language like VBScript, JavaScript, Perl, or REXX.
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- What you need to know about the programming languages.
- How to use objects that are a part of your web server to get all sorts of information and to change the way things work.
- How to access database information from a Web page.
- What happens after you start to pull together the capabilities to create real Web applications.

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Editorial Review

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Active Server Pages (ASP) is the best way to create dynamic Web sites--that is, Web sites based on the contents of a database--under Microsoft Internet Information Server (IIS) and other Microsoft Web platforms. *Active Server Pages for Dummies* proves that despite the initially intimidating appearance of some ASP code, the system isn't hard to learn and can be a lot of fun.

The book delivers a carefully structured introduction to ASP technology. The examples aren't all academic either--you'll find code (printed and on the companion CD-ROM) for a date-stamper, a banner-ad rotator, a guestbook, and even a near-real-time chat room and a system for managing classified ads.

Though this book includes sections on VBScript and JScript, you'll probably want to combine it with a language text if you lack familiarity with at least one of those languages. Still, the language material that's here serves as a good introduction to the basics and enables you to make sense of the scriptable ASP objects that make the technology so powerful.

Though this isn't an object reference, the author explains the capabilities of each major server component and provides example code that uses many of them. That's the strongest aspect of this book, in fact--the excellent example code you can learn from and adapt to your purposes. --*David Wall*

Topics covered: Basics of ASP, VBScript, JScript, the ASP object model, server components, database connectivity, Visual InterDev, and popular ASP applications.

Review

Read the entire review of this book.

The first few chapters of *Active Server Pages for Dummies* are a fairly generic introduction to VBScript for non-programmers, with a dash of Javascript thrown in for variety. The middle portion of the book introduces the reader to components, objects, the structure of an Active Server Page (ASP) application, and database access. The useful tips scattered through the book are convincing evidence that the author actually has some practical experience with ASP in a non-toy environment. The last section of the book and the CD-ROM contain the source code for two example ASP applications: a chat room and a classified ads server.

Aside from the obnoxious and sophomoric attempts at humor, this book is basically sound and delivers the most value among the entry-level books on ASP that I have encountered thus far. Programmers should bypass this book and go directly to Wrox Press's *Professional Active Server Pages 2.0*. -- *Ray Duncan, Dr. Dobb's Journal* -- *Dr. Dobb's Journal*

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