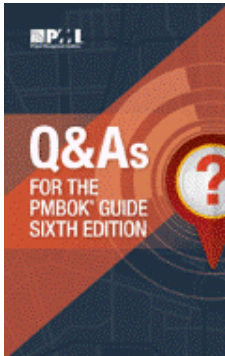


PM WORLD BOOK REVIEW



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Introduction

The Sixth Edition of the **Q&As for the PMBOK® Guide** has a number of questions and answers for each section of the PMBOK Guide. The material is to the point and stresses the core essentials found in the PMBOK® Guide – Sixth Edition. The material follows the PMBOK® Guide structure simplifying cross reference research. In addition, this Q&A reference has three appendices and a Glossary to test your understanding of the various project environments, key concepts and tailoring considerations.

Overview of Book's Structure

The book has two major parts:

1. Questions
2. Answers

Both parts are subdivided into matching Sections. The questions are numbered sequentially and the corresponding answers are numbered to match the questions. The structure of the book allows one to easily study a section at a time, in any order, and quickly find the answers for any question.

Each section of the PMBOK® Guide – Sixth Edition is represented in the Q&A book. The book also has questions and answers for the various project environments, Key Concepts for Knowledge Areas and Tailoring Considerations. The book even has questions and answers for key words found in the Glossary.

Highlights

The questions follow a multiple choice format, and are written with little ambiguity. The questions test one's understanding of the material found in PMBOK Guide knowledge area. Questions cover definitions and concepts.

Each answer cross references to the page numbers and Sections of the PMBOK® Guide – Sixth Edition. This greatly aids in the learning of the material.

Many times the answer provided additional information for the concept being tested.

Highlights: What I liked!

I liked the cross references to the PMBOK® Guide provided in the answer section. I also liked the additional information provided in the answer section to ensure the concept was fully covered.

Who might benefit from the Book?

The Q&A book will benefit the following individuals:

- Those who are preparing for the PMP exam
- Anyone working with project managers and wants a quick reference guide
- Experienced project management professionals who want to reinforce their understanding of the profession

Conclusion

The Q&A book provides a nice finishing touch to those preparing for the PMP test. The page number and Section references found in the answer section of the book streamlines the learning and ensures the project manager can quickly find answers to key concepts.

For more about this book, go to:

<http://marketplace.pmi.org/Pages/ProductDetail.aspx?GMProduct=00101605301>

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