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The Petroleum Industry Apr 23 2020 Annotation A consultant now for the industry after working within it in several capacities for many years, Conaway has developed over the past few years this manual for the Basic Petroleum Technology course he teaches for a training firm. His general precepts are that the better people understand the jobs of those around them, the more valuable they are to their companies, and that it is not hard to get a general understanding of even the most arcane technical jobs. He follows the course of the process, from geology and the origins of oil and gas formation through the techniques used to find, drill, and produce oil. He includes a glossary without pronunciations. Annotation copyrighted by Book News, Inc., Portland, OR.

*Electric Power Generation* Nov 11 2021 Unlike more technical texts stuffed with formulae and theories, this book explains in plain English how power is created and replaces formulae with everyday examples and easy-to-understand illustrations. It opens with an explanation of how electricity is generated, then covers the planning and development of electric power stations, emphasizing modern considerations of merchant power plants, repowering, and the growth of gas turbine generation. The "facts" of generation are covered in part two--boilers, turbines, generators, hydro and pumped storage, and "alternative" generations sources, suchs geothermal, tidal, solar, and wind. Maintenance and operations are covered in basic overview format. Finally, environmental considerations--again, an increasing concern in light of deregulation and environmental law--are reviewed. In addition, the authors cover specific features and fuel-types in nontechnical terms. Industry newcomers will appreciate this clear explanation of how power is created.

*Canyon Hiking Guide to the Colorado Plateau* Jul 07 2021

*Energy Storage* Aug 28 2020 Storage and the electric power industry -- Storage in other energy markets -- Electricity storage technologies -- Applications -- Renewable energy and storage -- Our new energy future.

**Introducing GitHub** Jan 25 2023 If you're new to GitHub, this concise book shows you just what you need to get started and no more. It's perfect for project and product managers, stakeholders, and other team members who want to collaborate on a development project—whether it's to review and comment on work in progress or to contribute specific changes. It's also great for developers just learning GitHub. GitHub has rapidly become the default platform for software development, but it's also ideal for other text-based documents, from contracts to screenplays. This hands-on book shows you how to use GitHub's web interface to view projects and collaborate effectively with your team. Learn how and why people use GitHub to collaborate View the status of a project—recent changes, outstanding work, and historic changes Create and edit files through GitHub without learning Git Suggest changes to projects you don't have permission to edit directly Use tools like issues, pull requests, and branches to specify and collaborate on changes

Create a new GitHub repository to control who has access to your project

**Field Guide to Appropriate Technology** Jun 06 2021 Field Guide to Appropriate Technology is an all-in-one "hands-on guide" for nontechnical and technical people working in less developed communities. It has been developed and designed with a prestigious team of authors, each of whom has worked extensively in developing societies throughout the world. This field guide includes: Step-by-step instructions and illustrations showing how to build and maintain a vast array of appropriate technology systems and devices Unique coverage on healthcare, basic business and project management, principles of design, promotion, scheduling, training, microlending, and more Teachers, doctors, construction workers, forest and agricultural specialists, scientists and healthcare workers, and religious and government representatives will find this book a first source for advice Step-by-step instructions and illustrations showing how to build and maintain a vast array of appropriate technology systems and devices Unique coverage on healthcare, basic business and project management, principles of design, promotion, scheduling, training, microlending, and more Teachers, doctors, construction workers, forest and agricultural specialists, scientists and healthcare workers, and religious and government representatives will find this book a first source for advice

**Natural Gas Liquids** Aug 08 2021 Written in accessible language, Natural Gas Liquids: A Nontechnical Guide is a comprehensive overview of NGLs from production in the oil patch to consumption in the fuels and petrochemicals industries. Author William Leffler covers everything from gas plants, logistics, storage, refinery operations, and the chemistry necessary to have a full understanding of the whole value chain. With chapter highlights and exercises, and many photos, illustrations and graphs, this is the perfect resource for anyone seeking a better understanding of the world of natural gas liquids.

**The Petroleum Industry** Apr 16 2022 The most basic book on the petroleum industry, Conaway explains the basics from geology to refining. Contents: How the earth was formed Petroleum origins, accumulation, and exploration Contracts and regulations Reservoir performance Drilling Formation evaluation Well completion Field appraisal and development Artificial lift Surface facilities Petroleum downstream.

**Petroleum Refining for the Non-technical Person** May 25 2020 Sets forth the many technical procedures involved in refining. Included are a new chapter on simple and complex refineries, and a revised chapter on gasoline blending, including current information on alcohol blending components.

*Nontechnical Guide to Petroleum Geology, Exploration, Drilling, and Production* Mar 27 2023 This book covers "how oil & gas is formed ; how to find commercial quantities ; how to drill, evaluate, and complete a well ; all the way through production and improved oil recovery." - back cover.

Training and Assessing Non-Technical Skills Feb 26 2023 Providing a practical guide to the training and assessment of non-technical skills within high-risk industries, this book will be of direct interest to safety and training professionals working within aviation, healthcare, rail, maritime, and other high-risk industries. Currently, each of these industries are working to integrate non-technical skills into their training and certification processes, particularly in light of increasing international regulation in this area. However, there is no definitive guidance to assist practitioners within these areas with the design of effective non-technical skills training and assessment programs. This book sets out to fully meet this need. It has been designed as a practically focussed companion to the 2008 book Safety at the Sharp End by Flin, O'Connor and Crichton. While Safety at the Sharp End provides the definitive exploration of the need for non-technical skills training, and examines in detail the main components of non-technical skills as they relate to safe operations, the text does not focus on the "nuts and bolts" of designing training and assessment programs. To this end, Training and Assessing Non-Technical Skills: A Practical Guide provides an extension of this work and a fitting companion text.

**Television Technology Demystified** Apr 04 2021 "Television Technology Demystified" is written for non-technical television production professionals. Journalists, program producers, camera persons, editors, and

other television professionals need to know how equipment works, which performance levels are achievable, how to evaluate the technical quality of picture and sound, and other aspects of production; this book presents these and other essential concepts in a simple and non-mathematical way. Aleksandar-Louis Todorovic, a highly respected and well-known figure in the broadcasting community, has succeeded in making complex technology understandable.

*Technical Writing* Jan 13 2022 *Technical Writing: A Practical Guide for Engineers, Scientists, and Nontechnical Professionals, Second Edition* enables readers to write, edit, and publish materials of a technical nature, including books, articles, reports, and electronic media. Written by a renowned engineer and widely published technical author, this guide complements traditional writer's reference manuals on technical writing through presentation of first-hand examples that help readers understand practical considerations in writing and producing technical content. These examples illustrate how a publication originates as well as various challenges and solutions. The second edition contains new material in every chapter including new topics, additional examples, insights, tips and tricks, new vignettes and more exercises. Appendices have been added for writing checklists and writing samples. The references and glossary have been updated and expanded. In addition, a focus on writing for the nontechnical persons working in the technology world and the nonnative English speaker has been incorporated. Written in an informal, conversational style, unlike traditional college writing texts, the book also contains many interesting vignettes and personal stories to add interest to otherwise stodgy lessons.

*Blockchain for Business* Jul 27 2020 This book sets out to explain blockchain for the non-technical expert, to decipher the dense technicalities that dominate the field and to present the opportunities for busy professionals using practical applications and case studies. Presented in a clear and structured way and with documented real-world cases, the book is a practical reference guide that can be used across different industries. It offers both a constructive and critical review of the pain points blockchain is facing today, illustrates the pitfalls as well as the opportunities for business and describes the steps towards overcoming them. It also aims to provide a unique view of both the intersection and synergy of blockchain with other emerging technologies and the wider digital ecosystem, as we see increasingly that blockchain alone won't be able to deliver business solutions. Most important, the book identifies trends and a path for the future of blockchain and its impact on society as a whole. The book is written for business audiences across all sectors. It is not a technical guide to blockchain, but it enables businesspeople to be better informed and prepared to plan ahead and develop strategies using blockchain.

**Fundraising with The Raiser's Edge** Oct 22 2022 A non-technical guide to The Raiser's Edge-the most widely-used fundraising database package on the market-for the fundraising professional The first-ever guide to The Raiser's Edge database package for the fundraising professional, *Fundraising with The Raiser's Edge: A Non-Technical Guide* educates your nonprofit about what The Raiser's Edge can do for you and will help you more effectively work with the staff who are responsible for data entry and output. Helps your organization get much greater return on The Raiser's Edge, and use it to raise more money more effectively and with less stress Contains specific and clear direction on the key areas you should know without technical discussion Includes numerous checklists to give you practical takeaways Providing you with the non-technical details you need to know to recruit, manage and retain quality database personnel, *Fundraising with The Raiser's Edge: A Non-Technical Guide* will help you in your day-to-day fundraising work without needing to become a database expert.

*Zero to AI* Nov 30 2020 Summary How can artificial intelligence transform your business? In *Zero to AI*, you'll explore a variety of practical AI applications you can use to improve customer experiences, optimize marketing, help you cut costs, and more. In this engaging guide written for business leaders and technology pros alike, authors and AI experts Nicolò Valigi and Gianluca Mauro use fascinating projects, hands-on activities, and real-world explanations to make it clear how your business can benefit from AI. Purchase of the print book includes a free eBook in PDF, Kindle, and ePub formats from Manning Publications. About the technology There's no doubt that artificial intelligence has made some impressive headlines recently, from besting chess and Go grand masters to producing uncanny deep fakes that blur the lines of reality. But what can AI do for you? If you want to understand how AI will impact your business before you invest your time and money, this book is for you. About the book *Zero to AI* uses clear examples

and jargon-free explanations to show the practical benefits of AI. Each chapter explores a real-world case study demonstrating how companies like Google and Netflix use AI to shape their industries. You begin at the beginning, with a primer on core AI concepts and realistic business outcomes. To help you prepare for the transition, the book breaks down a successful AI implementation, including advice on hiring the right team and making decisions about resources, risks, and costs. What's inside Identifying where AI can help your organization Designing an AI strategy Evaluating project scope and business impact Using AI to boost conversion rates, curate content, and analyze feedback Understanding how modern AI works and what it can/can't do About the reader For anyone who wants to gain an understanding of practical artificial intelligence and learn how to design and develop projects with high business impact. About the author Gianluca Mauro and Nicolò Valigi are the cofounders of AI Academy, a company specializing in AI trainings and consulting. Table of Contents: 1. An introduction to artificial intelligence PART 1 - UNDERSTANDING AI 2. Artificial intelligence for core business data 3. AI for sales and marketing 4. AI for media 5. AI for natural language 6. AI for content curation and community building PART 2 - BUILDING AI 7. Ready—finding AI opportunities 8. Set—preparing data, technology, and people 9. Go—AI implementation strategy 10. What lies ahead

**Energy Risk Management** Oct 10 2021 A concise and focused report that explains the concept of energy price hedging in an accessible format ideally tailored for busy practitioners.

*Speed It Up! A Non-Technical Guide for Speeding Up Slow Computers* Oct 30 2020 *Speed It Up! A Non-Technical Guide for Speeding Up Slow Computers* Does your PC perform like grandma on a cold winter morning? Does it limp along slowly through everyday tasks, such as starting up, shutting down or just opening an email? Are you wondering if your PC's get up and go has got up and left? If you answered yes to any of these questions, this is the book for you. Sure, there are uber-geeky guides out there that provide tweaks and customizations appealing to the pocket protector nation, but there is no other book that addresses these common problems at the everyday consumer level. We think it's time for a book that covers all of these topics in a way that appeals to real humans, like you. Let us help you keep your PC running like it did the day you brought it home from the store. • Troubleshooting—We show you how to diagnose the cause of your PC's dawdling behavior. We help you determine whether the culprit is your hardware, software, the network, a cluttered registry, or even a virus. • Software—We show you dozens of easy, non-techy things you can do to speed up Windows, your applications, your Internet apps, and more. • Hardware—We show you easy upgrades you can do yourself. The solutions we provide are easy to implement. • Network—We show you how to easily fix network issues that are robbing you of precious time. • Buyer's advice—If it's time to put your beloved PC out to pasture, we offer some tried and true advice for choosing a new PC and keeping it in tip-top condition. CATEGORY: Windows Operating Systems COVERS: Windows XP, Windows Vista USER LEVEL: Beginning-Intermediate

**The Non-Technical Guide to Web Technologies** Apr 28 2023 Do you work in a non-technical role and want to understand and speak technical language? Would you be better at your job if you did? Whether you're in recruiting, marketing, business development, or any other non-technical field, this book will teach you what you need to know to understand the basics and have conversations about the web technologies being used in your business. The book covers enough about web technologies to help your career with 80+ pages of text, diagrams and images.

**Your CCIE Lab Success Strategy** Feb 14 2022 Your CCIE lab Success strategy (preview at [www.2doubleccies.com](http://www.2doubleccies.com)) is a unique guidebook which has been written by two double CCIEs, and deals with the non-technical aspects of CCIE Lab exam. In addition it answers the following questions: - Where and how do I start preparing for my CCIE Lab? - How much time do I need to prepare for CCIE Lab exam? - What are the dos and don'ts for the CCIE Lab? - When do I know I am ready to take my CCIE lab? - How do I study efficiently for the CCIE lab exam? - How much time should I devote daily and on weekends for studying? - What do I need to do Three months, Three weeks and the day before the lab? - What do I need to do the day after the lab (in case I don't pass)? This first of its kind guidebook is a result of filtering and crystallizing all of the ideas and strategies that we collected from talking with a large number of CCIEs. In this guidebook we: - Share our stories and stories of many successful CCIEs with you. - Offer the knowledge that we have gained throughout our CCIE journey two times. - Cover over 30 topics and issues that we have

faced and that you will likely be facing. - Will walk you through every step of the journey. - Give you multiple timelines for engineers with different skill sets. - Tell you the right frame of mind that you will need to pass your CCIE lab. This book is written in a very relaxing casual conversational format in which, we present to you the strategies that we used and then give our own personal example as "what we did." Each chapter is about 3 to 4 short pages right to the point with clear and precise answers to your questions. Please visit our website [www.2doubleccies.com](http://www.2doubleccies.com) for Videos and more.

*Guide to RRB Non Technical Recruitment Exam Sep 09 2021* • Guide to RRB Non Technical Recruitment Exam is an ultimate attempt to provide exposure to the students for the upcoming Non-technical exam. • The book has 4 sections: General Intelligence & Reasoning, General Awareness, General Science and Arithmetic. • Each section is further divided into chapters which contains theory explaining the concepts involved followed by MCQ exercises. • The detailed solutions to all the questions are provided at the end of each chapter. • The General Science section provides material for Physics, Chemistry and Biology. • There is a special chapter created on Railways in the general awareness section. • The book covers 100% syllabus as prescribed in the notification of the RRB exam.

**Safety at the Sharp End** Mar 15 2022 Safety at the Sharp End is a general guide to the theory and practice of non-technical skills for safety. It covers the identification, training and evaluation of non-technical skills and has been written for use by individuals who are studying or training these skills on CRM and other safety or human factors courses. The material is also suitable for undergraduate and post-experience students studying human factors or industrial safety programmes.

**How to Speak Tech** May 05 2021 "A great book everyone can use to understand how tech startups work." —Rene Reinsberg, GM/VP at GoDaddy, CEO and Co-founder at Locu "Finally a book non-techies can use to understand the web technologies that are changing our lives." —Paul Bottino, Executive Director, Technology and Entrepreneurship Center, Harvard University "Through the simplicity of his presentation, Vinay shows that the basics of technology can be straightforwardly understood by anyone who puts in the time and effort to learn." —Joseph Lassiter, Professor of Management Science, Harvard Business School and Harvard Innovation Lab In a way that anyone can understand, How to Speak Tech: The Non-Techie's Guide to Tech Basics in Business spells out the essential technical terms and technologies involved in setting up a company's website or web application. Nontechnical business readers will find their digital literacy painlessly improved with each ten-minute chapter of this illustrative story of one successful technology startup building its Web-based business from scratch. Vinay Trivedi—a private equity analyst and startup entrepreneur who works at the intersection of business and tech—employs the startup story line as his frame for explaining in plain language the technology behind our daily user experiences, the successful strategies of social media giants, the bold aspirations of tiny startups, and the competitive adaptations of ordinary businesses of all sizes and sectors. Along the way, he demystifies all those tech buzzwords in our business culture whose precise meanings are so often elusive even to the people using them. Internet hardware, application software, and business process: the working premise of this book is that none of it is beyond the basic understanding of nontechnical business readers. Trivedi peels back the mystery, explains it all in simplest terms, and gives his readers the wherewithal to listen intelligently and speak intelligibly when the subject turns to technology in business.

Ultimate Guide to SSC Multi Tasking Staff (Non-Technical) Exam with 3 Online Practice Sets 4th Edition Dec 20 2019

*Deepwater Petroleum Exploration & Production* May 17 2022 There is much intense critical activity from researchers interested in the 18th century and women's studies, and as a result many of Haywood's works are now coming back into print. This is a comprehensive bibliography of Haywood, that lists newly discovered work and gives the history of lost works.

**SSC Multi Tasking Non Technical Guide 2022** Sep 28 2020 SSC MTS exam is conducted by the Staff Selection Commission every year to recruit eligible candidates for the post of Multi-tasking Staff in various central government departments, ministries and offices. 1. Prepared as a complete study guide for SSC MTS Recruitment Exam. 2. Divided into 4 major sections. 3. Complete coverage of paper I & paper II 4. Current Affairs are provided in a separate section. 5. 3000+ questions for thorough practice. 6. Solved Papers are given for better understanding of examination pattern. All the aspirants who aspire to make

their careers in the Government sector; we present to you the newly updated edition of "SSC Multitasking (Non - Technical) Recruitment Examination 2022" providing complete coverage of the syllabus. The Study Guide is divided into 4 major sections which are further divided into different sections according to the latest prescribed syllabus. The first two sections of the book are filled with concepts which provide complete coverage of Paper I and Paper II. Accompanied with Current Affairs in the beginning, this book provides a total summary of the events happening around the globe. Each chapter comprises of questions asked in Previous Years' examination, for better understanding of the concept and examination pattern. Supported with Solved Papers, that is designed as per the latest examination pattern to give insights to the aspirants. Along with the conceptual knowledge, the book also focuses on the practice part with more than 3000 objective questions for quick revision and thorough practice. With an easy to understand language and student friendly notes, this book is a total package for preparation of the exam. TOC Current Affairs, Solved Paper 2021, Solved Paper 2019, Solved Paper 2017, Solved Paper 2014, Part 1: General Intelligence and Reasoning, Numerical aptitude and General Awareness, Elementary Mathematics, General English, 2 Practice Sets

**Ground Water** Jun 18 2022

**Trading Natural Gas** Jun 25 2020 This how to book covers the various mechanics of natural gas trading, including the physical (cash) market for natural gas production, transportation, distribution, and consumption. It has been 23 years since Trading Natural Gas: A Nontechnical Guide was released, and many things have changed: electronic trading, power market deregulation, fracking and the shale revolution, pipelines reversing flow patterns, and LNG exports from the United States. In this second edition, the author addresses these changes, beginning with a deeper dive into the natural gas market fundamentals of supply, demand, storage, and transportation, maintaining a focus on the relationship to market pricing. Following discussion of the mechanics of trading physical natural gas, the heart of the text remains a study of financial derivative products specific to natural gas trading, presented through definitions and trading examples. Many of these products and concepts are still current and have been refreshed and kept intact. New material on the role of natural gas in the power market as it relates to fuel-switching and economic dispatch, as well as a survey of the global LNG market and US exports, is included in this second edition to bring in two of the biggest factors influencing prices in today's market. Additional statistics, tables, graphs and suggested spreadsheet templates have been provided throughout the book to help visualize many of the discussions on data. Features and Benefits Supply / Demand Fundamentals Market overviews (financial and physical) Contracts Derivatives Technical Analysis Risk Controls Audience Field level personnel Management Energy lending and finance professionals Anyone who seeks to understand how, or relies upon, energy markets Students

**Satellite Basics for Everyone** Dec 12 2021 Learn about satellites that affect us every day, how they work, and how we can place and keep them on orbit. Satellite Basics for Everyone presents an introduction and overview to satellites. Its written as clearly and understandably as possible for a wide audience. It provides a learning tool for grade school students. High school and college students can use it for helping them decide on career fields. Its for people with curious minds who want to know about satellites that affect their daily lives. And, it provides a training tool and an overview for people who build, operate, and use data collected by satellites. Satellite Basics for Everyone describes satellite missions, orbits, population, closeness, debris, collision risk, builders, owners, operators, launch vehicles, and costs. Focus then turns to describing the orbit, components, environment, and operation of the geostationary communications satellite because it affects our daily lives the most by providing television, radio, commercial business, Internet and telephone services. A description of satellite motion prepares for the included Mission Planning Example of how to place and keep this satellite on orbit and keep the antennas pointing in the right direction to perform its mission. The main objective of this book is to stimulate a broad interest in engineering and science.

**Starting a Tech Business** Feb 02 2021 The non-technical guide to building a booming tech-enabled business Thinking of starting a technology-enabled business? Or maybe you just want to increase your technology mojo so you can do your job better? You do not need to learn programming to participate in the development of today's hottest technologies. But there are a few easy-to-grasp foundation concepts that will

help you engage with a technical team. Starting a Tech Business explains in practical, actionable terms how to formulate and reality test new ideas package what you learn into frameworks that are highly actionable for engineers understand key foundation concepts about modern software and systems participate in an agile/lean development team as the 'voice of the customer' Even if you have a desire to learn to program (and I highly recommend doing whatever unlocks your 'inner tinkerer'), these foundation concepts will help you target what exactly you want to understand about hands-on technology development. While a decade ago the barriers to creating a technology-enabled business required a pole vault, getting started today only requires a determined step in the right direction. Starting a Tech Business supplies the tools prospective entrepreneurs and business enterprises need to avoid common pitfalls and succeed in the fast-paced world of high-tech business. Successful execution requires thoughtful, evidence-based product formulation, well-articulated design, economic use of systems, adaptive management of technical resources, and empathetic deployment to customers. Starting a Tech Business offers practical checklists and frameworks that business owners, entrepreneurs, and professionals can apply to any tech-based business idea, whether you're developing software and products or beginning a technology-enabled business. You'll learn: 1. How to apply today's leading management frameworks to a tech business 2. How to package your product idea in a way that's highly actionable for your technical team 3. How to ask the right questions about technology selection and product architecture 4. Strategies to leverage what your technology ecosystem has to offer 5. How to carefully define the roles on your team, and then effectively evaluate candidates 6. The most common disconnects between engineers and business people and how to avoid them 7. How you can apply process design to your tech business without stifling creativity 8. The steps to avoid the most common pitfalls tech founders encounter Now is one of the best times to start a technology-enabled business, and anyone can do it with the right amount and kind of preparation. Starting a Tech Business shows you how to move a product idea to market quickly and inexpensively—and to tap into the stream of wealth that a tech business can provide.

The Anarchist Cookbook Jan 21 2020 The Anarchist Cookbook will shock, it will disturb, it will provoke. It places in historical perspective an era when "Turn on, Burn down, Blow up" are revolutionary slogans of the day. Says the author "This book... is not written for the members of fringe political groups, such as the Weatherman, or The Minutemen. Those radical groups don't need this book. They already know everything that's in here. If the real people of America, the silent majority, are going to survive, they must educate themselves. That is the purpose of this book." In what the author considers a survival guide, there is explicit information on the uses and effects of drugs, ranging from pot to heroin to peanuts. There i detailed advice concerning electronics, sabotage, and surveillance, with data on everything from bugs to scramblers. There is a comprehensive chapter on natural, non-lethal, and lethal weapons, running the gamut from cattle prods to sub-machine guns to bows and arrows.

Demystifying IT Aug 20 2022 For the accomplished EVP, COO, CFO or other business executive struggling in position to understand IT as a business unit, this is a brief, understandable guide to help you better embrace your powerful team. Structured for clarity, the guide includes an overview of information technology past and present, what you should expect from your direct report within IT (and what to look for should a replacement be needed), the standard structure of an IT unit, and high-level overviews on ERP and data-driven decision-making conversations. Each explains just enough to help you walk into any room prepared for next-level conversations. It's important to acknowledge that we live in a reality where half of our nation's top technology leaders, including Chief Information Officers and Vice Presidents of Information Technology, report to positions at least one level removed from a company's Chief Executive Officer (CEO) or President. As a technology leader myself, I choose to lean into that statistic and offer help and guidance to those non-technical leaders that take ownership of, with enthusiasm to trepidation, the industry that I love so much. Demystifying IT: A Pocket Guide for the Non-Technical is geared toward executives who have (or have had, or seek to eventually have) an IT department within their scope of responsibility. The message and value begs to be consumed with intention as not understanding what's possible of technology today from an executive-level viewpoint is a misstep. Whether you realize it or not, if you read-to-understand, this guide may be the best investment in yourself and your company that you've made to date. At a high-level, the oversight of an information technology team is all very understandable and learnable for a non-

technical executive. To get there, you need to embrace this opportunity to learn about what you're leading. If you've ever waived off increased knowledge of technology due to its inherent complexity or a general lack of interest, I promise to deliver new knowledge in just the right amount of layman's terms that are certain to result in value for you.

LNG Dec 24 2022 The demand for natural gas rises annually, straining existing suppliers, and emerging markets often aren't accessible by pipeline. Here in everyday language and real-world examples is the clear presentation of LNG as the most viable energy answer. Using even the most conservative estimates, demand for LNG internationally will double by 2020, and billions of dollars will be needed for the infrastructure investment. This straightforward explanation of a complex industry proves that LNG can deliver a critical link in the energy demands of international economies. With a proven track record of safety and reliability, the LNG industry stands ready to bridge the international gap between supply and demand in energy transport. Readers will realize the complexity of this industry, which involves an intricate link of critical companies, governments and stand-alone facilities.

Working with Coders Feb 20 2020 Get introduced to the fascinating world inhabited by the professional software developer. Aimed at a non-technical audience, this book aims to de-obfuscate the jargon, explain the various activities that coders undertake, and analyze the specific pressures, priorities, and preoccupations that developers are prone to. In each case it offers pragmatic advice on how to use this knowledge to make effective business decisions and work productively with software teams. Software projects are, all too often, utter nightmares for everyone involved. Depending on which study you read, between 60 and 90 percent of all software projects are completed late, run over budget, or deliver an inferior quality end product. This blight affects everyone from large organizations trying to roll out business change to tiny startups desperately trying to launch their MVP before the money runs out. While there has been much attention devoted to understanding these failings, leading to the development of entire management methodologies aimed at reducing the failure rate, such new processes have had, at best, limited success in delivering better results. Based on a decade spent exploring the world of software, Patrick Gleeson argues that the underlying reason for the high failure rate of software projects is that software development, being a deeply arcane and idiosyncratic process, tends to be thoroughly and disastrously misunderstood by managers and leaders. So long as the people tasked with making decisions about software projects are unaware of these idiosyncrasies and their ramifications, software projects will be delivered late, software products will be unfit for purpose, and relations between software developers and their non-technical colleagues will be strained. Even the most potent modern management tools are ineffective when wielded blindly. To anyone who employs, contracts, manages, or works with software developers, Working with Coders: A Guide to Software Development for the Perplexed Non-Techie delivers the understanding necessary to reduce friction and inefficiencies at the intersection between software development teams and their non-technical colleagues. What You'll Learn Discover why software projects are so commonly delivered late and with an abysmal end product Examine why the relationship between coders and their non-technical colleagues is often strained Understand how the software development process works and how to support it effectively Decipher and use the jargon of software development Keep a team of coders happy and improve the odds of successful software project delivery Who This Book Is For Anyone who employs, contracts, or manages software developers—such as tech startup CEOs, project managers, and clients of digital agencies—and wishes the relationship were easier and more productive. The secondary readership is software developers who want to find ways of working more effectively as part of a team.

SSC Multi Tasking Non-Technical Guide 2021 Jul 19 2022 1. The book is prepared for the SSC MTS recruitment exam 2. It is divided into 4 main sections 3. Current Affairs are provided in a separate section 4. Solved Papers & Practice Sets are given for robust practice "If a window of opportunity appears, don't pull down the shade." This year the Staff Selection Commission has released SSC Constable (GD) Recruitment notification about 9000 vacancies. All the aspirants who are wishing to make their in Government sector; Arihant presents the newly updated edition of "SSC Multitasking (Non - Technical) Recruitment Examination 2021" giving coverage of the whole syllabus. The Study Guide is divided into 2 Parts which are further divided into sections as per the latest syllabus. Current Affairs are also given in the

separate section giving total summary of the events happening around the globe the world. Based on the exam pattern, it provides Solved Papers, giving insights of the exam questions. With the easy to understand language and student friendly notes this book is a total package of preparation. TOC Current Affairs, Solved Paper 2018, Solved Paper 2017, Solved Paper 2014, Part 1: General Intelligence and Reasoning, Numerical aptitude and General Awareness, Elementary Mathematics, General English, 2 Practice Sets

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