**Synopsis**

Fast Track to ColdFusion provides experienced web developers with the knowledge and hands-on practice they need to start building and maintaining dynamic and interactive Web applications using the ColdFusion application server. With over 25 hands-on exercises, this coursebook covers everything that you need to know in order to start building secure, scalable, dynamic, data-driven web sites as well as implement REST APIs to support mobile apps. This coursebook was authored by Fig Leaf Software, based on their decades of practical ColdFusion consulting experiences.

Chapters:

- **Unit 1: Introducing the Course**
- **Unit 2: Introducing ColdFusion**
  - Reviewing ColdFusion's Features and Capabilities
  - Introducing the ColdFusion Administrator
  - Working with ColdFusion Builder
  - Debugging and Troubleshooting your Apps

- **Unit 3: Getting Started with CFML**
  - Working with Variables
  - Commenting Code
  - Using Functions
  - Creating Functions
  - Using Control Logic
  - Including Common Code

- **Unit 4: Using the Application Framework**
  - Defining an Application
  - Implementing ColdFusion Components
  - Implementing Roles-Based Security

- **Unit 5: Querying Databases**
  - Using to retrieve data
  - Implementing Query by Example Interfaces
  - Inserting New Records
  - Supporting File Uploads
  - Updating Existing Records
  - Deleting Data
  - Invoking Stored Procedures

- **Unit 6: Dynamically Generating Office Documents**
  - Generating PDFs
  - Generating Microsoft Excel Files
  - Sending Email

- **Unit 7: Supporting Mobile Apps with RESTful APIs**
  - Exposing Services for Remote Access
  - Implementing a RESTful API
  - Implementing Real-Time Communications with WebSockets

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