The WEB Collection Revealed
Standard Edition: Adobe Dreamweaver CS4, Adobe Flash CS4, And Adobe Fireworks CS4 (Revealed (Delmar Cengage Learning))
Synopsis
This comprehensive introductory book provides step-by-step instruction and in-depth explanation on three of today's most widely used Web design and development programs: Adobe Dreamweaver CS4, Adobe Flash CS4, and Adobe Fireworks CS4. Readers gain practical experience with the software as they work through end-of-chapter learning projects and step-by-step tutorials. An integration chapter demonstrates how to move from one application to the other while creating a Dreamweaver Web site that incorporates both Flash and Fireworks files. Full-color illustrations and a user-friendly design combine to create a solid learning experience that reveals how to master the latest features of these popular applications.

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Customer Reviews
This book does a great job teaching the fundamentals of DreamWeaver, Flash, and FireWorks. It has all the updated information specific to CS4 and is a must if you have upgraded to CS4, because of all the procedural changes from CS3. The only thing that is confusing is that the writer gives instructions for (WIN) and (MAC) in the same sentence instead of a separate paragraph or section.

This book is just okay for people who have never used any of the Adobe programs before. The Dreamweaver chapters are a great introduction for people who have never used it before. There are
only 6 chapter, so it's definitely an intro, but good for the basics. This is the only decent section of the book, as the Flash chapters are horrible. If you want to learn Flash CS4, then buy a book specifically for Flash. This book teaches the outdated ActionScript 2.0 instead of ActionScript 3.0, which is crazy as it's a book specifically for CS4. Then when there are features they want you to do that are only allowable in AS3, you have to switch back and hope your file still works and doesn't have compatibility issues. I've previously had experience in AS3, and the way the book teaches AS2 is unnecessarily difficult. Don't expect to learn much or any Flash with this book. The Fireworks chapters are a very basic introduction, as there isn’t much content or many chapters on the program. It’s nothing complicated, and could use more detail in the lessons. My biggest problem with this book was how horrible the graphics for the Project Builder were (end of the chapter exercises.) Being a designer, the graphics were so elementary that doing the projects were off-putting and seemed ridiculous. I’ve definitely had books better than this with more challenging projects, better graphics, and better explanations of concepts and design. If you’re interested in learning Dreamweaver, Flash, and/or Fireworks, look elsewhere.

This book is very good for learning Adobe Dreamweaver and Flash software. I’m taking an advanced webdesign class and this was the required book, it’s a worthy investment for anyone who wants to learn web design.

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