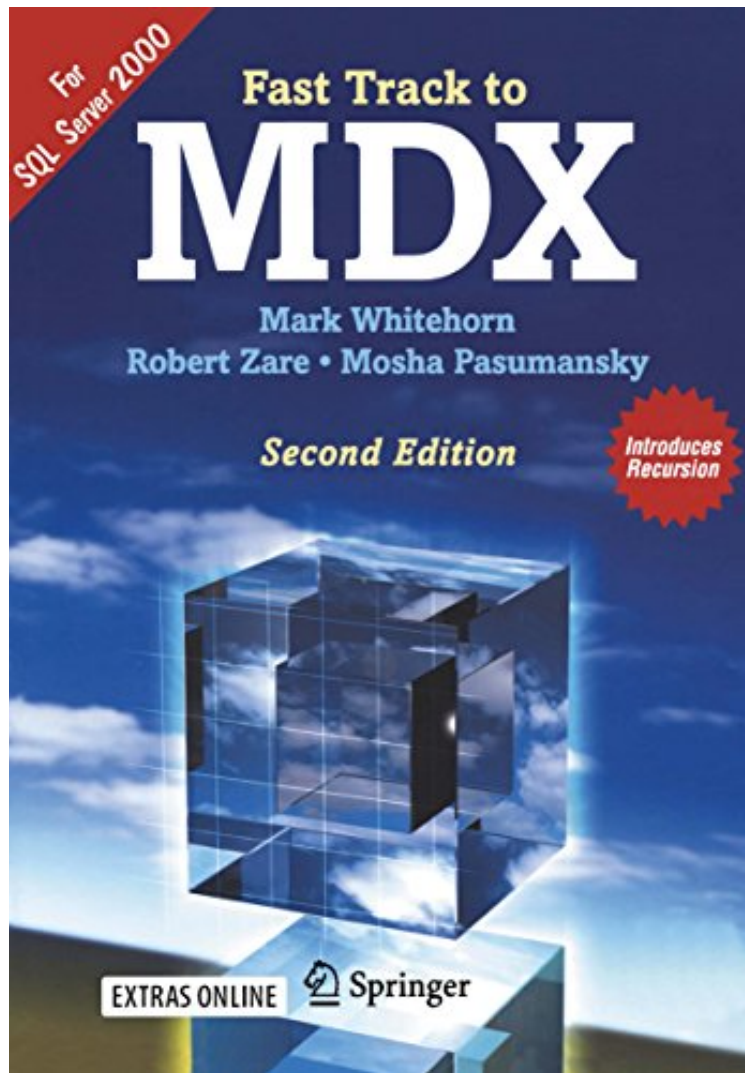


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Von Mark Whitehorn, Robert Zare, Mosha Pasumansky : Fast Track to MDX before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Fast Track to MDX:

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen3 von 3 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Excellent intro to MDXVon H.P. Dennlerit looks like there are not many books one can get about MDX.I just started to get into the subject and was desperate to find some useful information. This book provides you with all what you have to know in order to make your first steps with MDX. it is easy to read and the examples are well explained. if it happened that one has an analysis system available it's even better, so one can do some useful exercises. I realised that it is worth to read first the chapter and try really to understand the stuff before starting the exercises.one little thing, i

missed a bit was a chapter where the functions are referenced. otherwise, this is the book to start MDX with in order to get fast results and to build up your pro skills!

3 von 3 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Tolle Einführung zum Thema MDX Von J. Mayr Leicht lesbare und interessant geschriebene Einführung zum Thema MDX. Bewut wird auf die vollständige Darstellung aller MDX-Funktionen und Features verzichtet. Stattdessen konzentrieren sich die Autoren auf die Vermittlung der wesentlichen Grundzüge von MDX anhand praxisnaher Beispiele. Es war ein Vergnügen das Buch zu lesen.

1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Sehr guter Einstieg Von Torsten Strauss Das Buch bietet einen hervorragenden Einstieg in das Thema MDX. Der Autor versteht es, den Sachverhalt in einer verglichenen Art zu vermitteln. Wer der englischen Sprache einigermaßen mächtig ist, wird seinen Spass am Lernen von MDX mit diesem Buch haben.

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Synopsis OLAP (On-Line Analytical Processing) is the most powerful Business Intelligence tool currently available and Microsoft's Analysis Manager makes OLAP cubes incredibly easy to build and deploy. However the real power of OLAP lies in its ability to help you solve real-life business problems; to release that power you need to use the language that controls the cubes and allows them to be queried. That language is MDX (Multi Dimensional eXpressions). "Fast Track to MDX" gives you all the necessary background to let you write useful, powerful MDX expressions and introduces the most frequently used MDX functions and constructs. No prior knowledge is assumed and examples are used throughout the book to rapidly develop your MDX skills to the point where you can solve real business problems.

Mark Whitehorn, co-author of the best-selling "Inside Relational Databases", is renowned for his knowledge of database systems and the lucidity of his writing. Robert Zare is a Program Manager for Analysis Services at Microsoft: his inspiring talks on MDX sowed the seeds from which this book grew.

Mosha Pasumansky was one of the authors of the OLEDB for OLAP specification that defined the MDX language and later he was the developer in charge of the first implementation of MDX in the Microsoft OLAP Services 7.0 product. He is currently the development lead of the Analysis Services engine team.

Second Edition - It was the clarity, precision and sheer readability of the first edition that made it a best-seller. With that firmly in mind the authors have left the original 18 chapters intact (apart from minor updates); meaning that the second edition remains the best introduction to MDX for SQL Server 2000 that is available. What they have done is to add three brand new chapters. These introduce the topic of recursion in MDX, walk the reader through the process of creating recursive expressions and finally demonstrate how recursion can be used to effectively solve a series of business problems.

Forward by Amir Netz, Product Unit Manager, SQL Server - Analysis Services at Microsoft. A CD containing examples from within the book, and a time-limited version of ProClarity, is included.