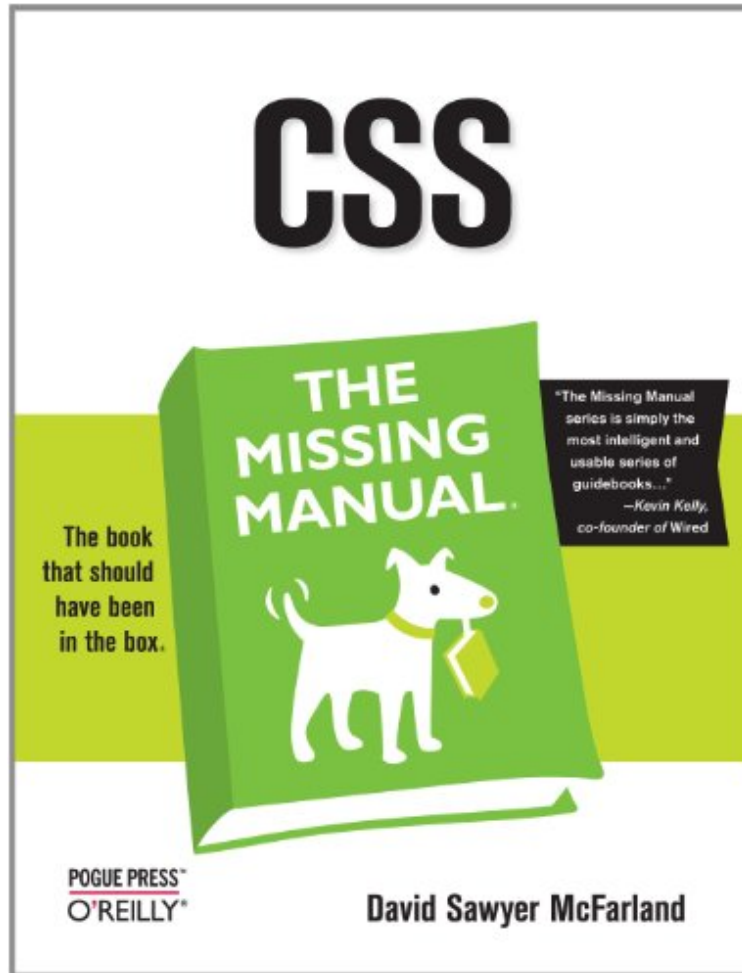


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KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen7 von 8 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Essential for beginnersVon BobaI recently started a home study course on website design and programming in German (I'm English) and was a little disappointed with the study material I received from the school. Somehow I didn't think 75 pages covering just the basics was enough to eventually start a career in web design.Having read good reviews of this book on co.uk I thought I'd give it a go and it really is a brilliant book. The first thing to do is go to the official website and download all of the tutorial files. Then just go through each chapter and try out the things that are shown. As a complete beginner I was very impressed with the kind of stuff I could do with just a few small steps.If you have the advantage of experience with graphics software (which I don't yet unfortunately) you'll be whacking out really good looking websites in no time at all.This book is essential for beginners, I can't recommend it too much. It'll be with me

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20+ years reading hundreds of computer books, this is the best manual I can think of. Congratulations to the Author!

Kurzbeschreibung Web site design has grown up. Unlike the old days, when designers cobbled together chunky HTML, bandwidth-hogging graphics, and a prayer to make their sites look good, Cascading Style Sheets (CSS) now lets your inner designer come out and play. But CSS isn't just a tool to pretty up your site; it's a reliable method for handling all kinds of presentation--from fonts and colors to page layout. CSS: The Missing Manual clearly explains this powerful design language and how you can use it to build sparklingly new Web sites or refurbish old sites that are ready for an upgrade. Like their counterparts in print page-layout programs, style sheets allow designers to apply typographic styles, graphic enhancements, and precise layout instructions to elements on a Web page. Unfortunately, due to CSS's complexity and the many challenges of building pages that work in all Web browsers, most Web authors treat CSS as a kind of window-dressing to spruce up the appearance of their sites. Integrating CSS with a site's underlying HTML is hard work, and often frustratingly complicated. As a result many of the most powerful features of CSS are left untapped. With this book, beginners and Web-building veterans alike can learn how to navigate the ins-and-outs of CSS and take complete control over their Web pages' appearance. Author David McFarland (the bestselling author of O'Reilly's Dreamweaver: The Missing Manual) combines crystal-clear explanations, real-world examples, a dash of humor, and dozens of step-by-step tutorials to show you ways to design sites with CSS that work consistently across browsers. You'll learn how to: Create HTML that's simpler, uses less code, is search-engine friendly, and works well with CSS. Style text by changing fonts, colors, font sizes, and adding borders. Turn simple HTML links into complex and attractive navigation bars--complete with CSS-only rollover effects that add interactivity to your Web pages. Style images to create effective photo galleries and special effects like CSS-based drop shadows. Make HTML forms look great without a lot of messy HTML. Overcome the most hair-pulling browser bugs so your Web pages work consistently from browser to browser. Create complex layouts using CSS, including multi-column designs that don't require using old techniques like HTML tables. Style Web pages for printing. Unlike competing books, this Missing Manual doesn't assume that everyone in the world only surfs the Web with Microsoft's Internet Explorer; our book provides support for all major Web browsers and is one of the first books to thoroughly document the newly expanded CSS support in IE7, currently in beta release. Want to learn how to turn humdrum Web sites into destinations that will capture reviewers and keep them longer? Pick up CSS: The Missing Manual and learn the real magic of this tool.