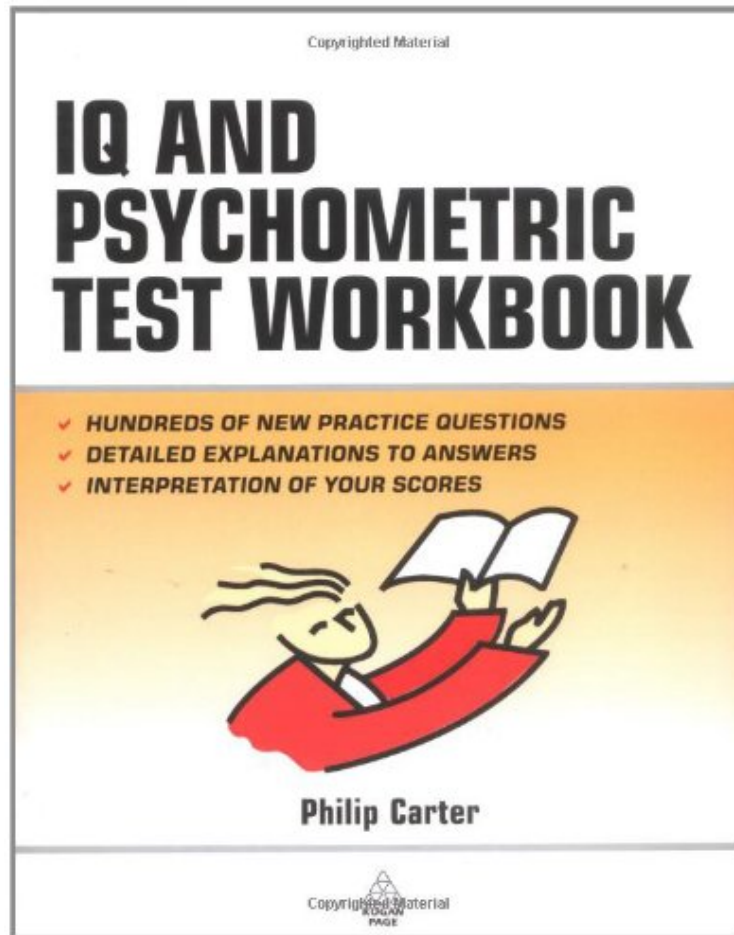


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14 of 16 people found the following review helpful. Overlap with other of his books By Leib Gershon Mitchell First things first: I emphatically do not recommend buying this book on Kindle. The price for a paperback version is about the same as for the Kindle version. Given the difficulty of handling the Kindle version (flipping back through for answers, etc), it would actually be worth paying up to 50% more just to have it in a more convenient format. The second question that I have of the book is that the author spends a whole chapter on Personality Testing-- but if the purpose of this test is to get a taste of what an actual IQ test would be like, then what is the point of giving us something where there are no right or wrong answers? The third thing that comes up is: Some of these questions were so easy, I can't imagine that someone would include them on a standard IQ test. Some of these things were from 9th grade geometry. There are only two general IQ tests and it is not clear if they are like what we would see if we went in

to actually take a test. The fourth problem is that his verbal analogies test.....well, I am not sure how much of a basis it had in reality. A lot of his words, when I checked them again in the dictionary didn't mean what he thought they meant. And perhaps there are some differences in English usage between the English and the Americans that account for this, and in that case that's another thing of which to be careful when using this book for practice. A lot of the problems were actually recycled from Ultimate IQ Tests: The Biggest Ever IQ Test Book (Ultimate Series). It seems that there were a couple of mistakes in the problems (i.e, the answer that was given was not the same as to the problem that was presented in the section). It might have worked out better if the author had given us 5 or 6 timed tests and then allowed us to check our answers so that we could get an idea of what our score would be. And omitted things that were not scorable. This book is not bad. But once again, I emphatically DO NOT recommend buying this book on Kindle. 4 of 5 people found the following review helpful. I buy all his IQ books By Alice4447 As a (now retired) teacher, I found Philip Carter's books valuable tools to keeping the kids (and me) sharp. A page a day for the kids before class got started was a popular beginning to each day. Now, without the students, I still have the books. Carter is not perfect, and once in a rare while, there is an error, or a problem not comprehensible to American kids versus British or Canadian kids. But hey, who cares! They learn a little something about a larger world. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Great book By Need another hobby Great book for pre-employment testing. Definitely gives you an advantage. Only thing missing are logic problems (LSAT type questions), but covers all the other potential pre-employment test type questions and helps you understand what to look for. Would highly recommend to anyone that has to do a pre-employment test.

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