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# **Getting Started In Electronics**





### Synopsis

This is a complete electronics course in 128 pages! Author Forrest Mims teaches you the basics, takes you on a tour of analog and digital components, explains how they work, and shows you how they are combines for various applications. Includes circuit assembly tips and 100 electronic circuits and projects you can build and test.

### **Book Information**

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#### **Customer Reviews**

Forrest M. Mims, III, has written dozens of books, hundreds of articles, invented scientific devices, and travelled to the for NASA. He loves to share his knowledge with eager students!

This book is a great book for learning basic electronics. It gives a very comprehensive coverage of fundamental electronic circuits. Explanations and illustrations are clear and easy to understand.

Been into electronics for a few decades, currently employed at it. This book started me out as a young teenager. This is still one of the best books on the market! Illustrations are helpful and well thought out. This is not only a great starter, but can support you well into a career. I have several books on electronics... This is my "go to" book. This book will help kids and adults to understand math concepts in a fun way with practical applications.

It is a reprint of the original - so it was exactly what you would expect if you had this book as a kid in the 80s. A lot of the circuits are using components you can no longer get, but its is still worth it for the overall cartoonish but accurate description of how electronics work.

This is a very good book for introducing a child (or adult) to electronics. It's an introduction of all of the key ideas and components. The book includes a great many circuits that a kid could build on his own or with the help of a parent. It's not an in-depth treatment of electronics in theory or practice. Practical Electronics for Inventors would be a better choice for someone who needs to use electronics for real world work.

Simple book on the fundamentals of electronics. I am coupling this book with the Make: Electronics book (2nd edition) to apply some of the concepts.

Once you buy this book, you'll be buying it for the rest of your life! HAHAHA!! You'll buy it for people that you'll come across in life that are trying to learn electronics. I fist bought this book when it was first published in 1983 when I was 19 years old. Since then, I've bought the book for friends at least 5 times. When it comes to learning electronics from absolute scratch, from a book format, there is nothing better than this book! I still remember how excited I was to build a working example circuit demonstrating the basic operation of a transistor! Today I design and build robotics equipment. =)Forrest Mims is the worlds best science writer! Very right brain optimized! He reminds me of Michael Faraday in that he is very visual in the way he thinks.

This is a pretty good book with lots of electronics theory. Some of it is explained very simply while other theory is explained, taking for granted you already know what the author is talking about. Some nice schematics in the back. Uniquely written as if on notebook paper. The author is so intelligent he can't get down on the level of people this book was written for. Not sure it's worth the price but it's mine now.

It's good as a definitions list but it didn't offer any depth into the content so that I could learn implications and how to's. Many parts were described and shown in trivial circuit drawings but it hasn't really taught me how to use electronics to create me own stuff.

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