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PC MAGAZINE WINDOWS VISTA SOLUTIONS

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WINDOWS VISTA

BEYOND THE MANUAL

Apress *Windows Vista (once codenamed Longhorn) replaces Windows XP and will be Microsoft's most powerful client operating system to date. Security and file management has been greatly improved and hundreds of features, including multimedia creation tools, have been added. The Beyond the Manual series addresses the needs of very experienced readers. Although it is not assumed that they are familiar with the book's topic, it is assumed that they are very familiar with similar technologies. The presentation of information is extremely dense and avoids introductory or basic text. The series delivers as much information in as little space as possible.*

HOW TO CHEAT AT MICROSOFT VISTA ADMINISTRATION

Syngress *The Perfect Reference for the Multitasked SysAdmin* The Microsoft Windows Vista operating system offers several changes and improvements over its predecessors. It not only brings a new and redesigned interface, but also improves on many administrative utilities and management consoles. It also enhances the system's reliability, performance, and problem-solving tools. As administrators, Vista will sometimes look like its predecessor, Windows XP, and at other times, look like an all-new operating system. *How to Cheat* will help you get Vista up and running as quickly and safely as possible and provide you with a solid idea of all the important changes and improvements the new Microsoft Vista OS has to offer. In the book you will:

- * Automate Windows Vista Installation See how Windows installations can be automated for large-scale deployments using the Windows Automated Installation Kit (WAIK).
- * Install and Maintain Devices Windows Vista contains device drivers for hundreds of PnP devices, and the Device Manager snap-in is the main utility on a local computer for managing them.
- * Customize Appearances, Taskbars, and Toolbars See how to use a personalization page, use the taskbar, and customize desktop themes.
- * Manage File System Formats, Partitions, and Volumes Learn how Windows Vista supports basic and dynamic volumes and two partition styles: MBR and GPT.
- * Increase File System Performance Learn how using tools such as disk defragging, cluster size adjustment, removing short filename support, and compression can help with performance.
- * Administer via Remote Remote Desktop and Windows Firewall can help administrators perform administrative tasks on remote computers.
- * Managing Services The Services utility allows you to view the status of services, as well as to disable nonessential services.
- * Configure TCP/IP in Vista See how to configure TCP/IP (both IPv4 and IPv6) via the user interface or via the netsh command.
- * See What's New with Wireless in Vista Understand wireless security and learn how to install a wireless network.

Optimize Windows Startup, the Hard Disk, and More Optimize memory, applications, and the network connection, and see how to monitor performance. Contents Include Introducing and Installing Microsoft Vista Installing and Maintaining Hardware Devices and Drivers Customizing Desktop Properties Managing File Systems and Disks General Administration Tasks Managing Local Networking Essentials Managing the Wireless World and Its Security Managing Security Essentials Securing User Access Tuning for Better Performance Troubleshooting Provides the multi-tasked SysAdmin with the essential information needed to perform the daily tasks Covers the major new release of Windows, which will create significant challenges for IT managers Emphasizes best-practice security measures

WINDOWS VISTA STEP BY STEP

A guide to the concepts and features of Windows Vista discusses such topics as how to get started, computer security, adding hardware and software, file and folder management, Internet connectivity, networking, and digital media options.

WINDOWS 7 ANNOYANCES

TIPS, SECRETS, AND SOLUTIONS

"O'Reilly Media, Inc." *Windows 7 may be faster and more stable than Vista, but it's a far cry from problem-free. David A. Karp comes to the rescue with the latest in his popular Windows Annoyances series. This thorough guide gives you the tools you need to fix the troublesome parts of this operating system, plus the solutions, hacks, and timesaving tips to make the most of your PC. Streamline Windows Explorer, improve the Search tool, eliminate the Green Ribbon of Death, and tame User Account Control prompts. Explore powerful Registry tips and tools, and use them to customize every aspect of Windows and solve its shortcomings. Squeeze more performance from your hardware with solutions for your hard disk, laptop battery, CPU, printers, and more. Stop crashes, deal with stubborn hardware and drivers, fix video playback issues, and troubleshoot Windows when it won't start. Protect your stuff with permissions, encryption, and shadow copies. Secure and speed up your wireless network, fix networking woes, make Bluetooth functional, and improve your Web experience. Get nearly all of the goodies in 7 Ultimate, no matter which edition you have. "Blunt, honest, and awesome." --Aaron Junod, Manager, Integration Systems at Evolution Benefits "This could be the best [money] you've ever spent." --Jon Jacobi, PC World "To use Windows is to be annoyed -- and this book is the best way to solve any annoyance you come across. It's the most comprehensive and entertaining guide you can get for turning Windows into an operating system that's a pleasure to use." --Preston Gralla, author of Windows Vista in a Nutshell, and Computerworld contributing editor*

WINDOWS VISTA

As the official publication for Windows Vista, we cover Microsoft's latest OS with more depth, passion and clarity than any other magazine on the market. Each issue is packed with tips, tricks and service elements on every page. We give you an insider's tour of the operating system and illustrate how to get the most out of your PC.

MASTERING WINDOWS VISTA BUSINESS

ULTIMATE, BUSINESS, AND ENTERPRISE

John Wiley & Sons *Learn to install, configure, run, and troubleshoot the professional versions of Vista in this comprehensive new guide from two leading Windows authorities. From Vista's all-new interface, 32-bit/64-bit architecture, and advanced security features to its fantastic new capabilities for audio and video recording, editing, and broadcasting, you'll get the techniques and task-by-task*

instruction you need to master this dramatically different OS.

MASTERING MICROSOFT WINDOWS VISTA HOME

PREMIUM AND BASIC

John Wiley & Sons *Configure, run, and troubleshoot Windows Vista Home Premium or Windows Vista Home Basic with the detailed coverage you'll find in this comprehensive guide. With a task-based approach and clear instructions, this book helps you become an advanced user of Windows Vista—even if you're just starting out. From administering your computer and surfing the Web securely to advanced maneuvers such as creating your own movies and burning DVDs, you'll find what you need to master the powerful features of Windows Vista.*

100 THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT MICROSOFT WINDOWS VISTA

Que Publishing *Tired of clawing your way through computer books that start at the beginning of recorded history just to find one tiny nugget of information you need? Tired of wrenching your back to pull that massive Windows tome off your bookshelf? Tired of wishing you could find a simple answer to what should be a simple problem? If you answered yes to any of these questions, then 100 Things You Need to Know about Microsoft® Windows Vista™ is just the book you've been looking for. Chock full of timesaving tips, heady solutions, and expert know-how, this book doesn't break the bank nor does it require a Bowflex body to hoist it around. Inside you'll find step-by-step help for the 100 things every Windows user needs to know when making the big switch between Windows XP and Vista. Even if you're brand new to Windows (meaning Vista is your first-ever operating system), you'll find the advice here indispensable. In this book, we assume, for instance, that you really don't give a hoot about what TCP/IP is. We're betting you just want to get your Internet connection up and running, and leave the techy muck to the propeller heads. • Want all the cool new cutting-edge features and interface Windows Vista offers? Well, before you run out and buy the software, you need to ensure your system will support it! We walk you through, step-by-step, how to manually check if your PC and other hardware and software are supported for use with Windows Vista. We show you how to perform common upgrade tasks, if needed, before you install Vista. In addition, we provide tips and procedures on backing up your data. • Having to choose between five different versions (yes, Vista comes in FIVE flavors!) can be confusing! Don't sweat it, though--we've got you covered. We show you how to decide which flavor of Vista is best suited to you! Then we walk you through installing and setting up Vista for the very first time. • Next we dig into the new Vista interface, which is quite a change from the old XP! Then we give you a tour of the many new and enhanced features. While you might fancy yourself a wicked-smart Windows user, don't skip this section! We're positive you'll find things you didn't know that will*

help you make Vista do thy bidding. • Don't like the slick new Vista interface? (Macintosh, anyone?) We show you how to harness the power of Vista while keeping the look and feel of your XP. Who says change has to be painful? • After you have the basics nailed, we then show you some of the cool things you can do with Vista, from customizing its performance, to disabling annoying security controls, to connecting to a wireless network.

WINDOWS ADMINISTRATION AT THE COMMAND LINE FOR WINDOWS VISTA, WINDOWS 2003, WINDOWS XP, AND WINDOWS 2000

John Wiley & Sons As the only complete reference for Windows command line utilities, this book take an in-depth look at the often-overlooked utilities accessible through the command line in Windows Vista, 2003, XP, and 2000. You'll learn to locate files, check status, monitor systems, and save time by using scripts to automate time-consuming tasks. Plus, this is the only book on the market with the complete set of Windows command line utilities—including the latest for Vista—and offers solutions that will help increase your productivity.

PC MAGAZINE WINDOWS VISTA SECURITY SOLUTIONS

Wiley Dan DiNicolo provides a roadmap to protecting Vista against new and unexpected security threats that might arise to hijack your system. Follow these steps, abide by the Golden Rules of Windows security, and you'll sleep better. See at a glance what's critical for security: implementing logon security, strong passwords, and firewall configuration. Plus, explore additional layers of security, such as e-mail encryption and secure file deletion and update your system regularly to be sure you have all security patches and Service Packs installed.

WINDOWS VISTA

THE DEFINITIVE GUIDE

"O'Reilly Media, Inc." A guide to Windows Vista is organized by feature, furnishing details on all new features, tools, and enhancements, including the multimedia, security, search, and data organization capabilities, and offering helpful tips on system setup, upgrading, and tr

WINDOWS VISTA INSIDE OUT

Explaining how to use the new features of Windows Vista, a comprehensive manual details hundreds of timesaving solutions, troubleshooting tips, and workarounds, covering the new features of Microsoft Windows Media Player and Microsoft Internet Explorer 7.

SPECIAL EDITION USING MICROSOFT WINDOWS VISTA

Que Publishing *Built especially for the power and corporate user. Updated to include all the latest SP1 information!*

TRICKS OF THE MICROSOFT WINDOWS VISTA MASTERS (ADOBE READER)

Pearson Education *All over the world, Windows gurus have been working overtime to uncover the hottest new Windows Vista tips, tricks, and tweaks. Now, J. Peter Bruzzese has collected all their best discoveries in one place: Tricks of the Microsoft® Windows Vista™ Masters! Bruzzese has interviewed top Windows professionals, instructors, and power users; scoured the Web (so you won't have to); and rigorously tested every single tip. Only the most valuable tips techniques and tips made the cut to improve your efficiency, take total control of your digital media and data; use Internet Explorer 7, Windows Mail, and Calendar; configure Windows Defender and Firewall; avoid, troubleshoot, and fix problems; make Windows Vista work better, faster, smarter, safer, and more fun too!*

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MASTER VISUALLY MICROSOFT WINDOWS VISTA

John Wiley & Sons *"One picture is worth a thousand words." If you prefer instructions that show you how rather than tell you why, then this intermediate to advanced level reference is for you. Hundreds of succinctly captioned, step-by-step screen shots reveal how to accomplish more than 200 Windows Vista tasks, including: * Handling new, upgrade, or dual-boot installation * Using the new*

desktop and start menu * Creating toolbars and changing display settings * Managing the firewall and antivirus software * Installing CD and DVD burners * Working with the new productivity features * "Master It" sidebars answer questions and present shortcuts * High-resolution screen shots demonstrate each task * Succinct explanations walk you through step by step * Two-page lessons break big topics into bite-sized modules

MICROSOFT WINDOWS VISTA UNLEASHED

Sams Publishing *Journeys inside Windows Vista to explain how to get the most out of the operating system, discussing its key components and features and discusses installation, multimedia applications, networking, Web integration, Internet Explorer 7, and other essential topics.*

NETWORKING WITH MICROSOFT WINDOWS VISTA

YOUR GUIDE TO EASY AND SECURE WINDOWS VISTA NETWORKING (ADOBE READER)

Pearson Education *Your Guide to Easy and Secure Windows Vista Networking is a complete beginner's guide to creating, configuring, administering, and using a small network using Windows Vista computers. Inside you'll find comprehensive coverage of networking hardware, including Ethernet (wired) hardware (from NICs to cables to switches to routers) and wireless Hardware--from wireless NICs to access points to range extenders. We include handy "buyer's guides" that tell you how to make smart choices when purchasing network hardware. With hardware in hand, we then show you how to roll up your shirtsleeves and put everything together, including configuring a router, laying cable, and connecting the devices. Next, we then show you how to wrangle with Windows Vista's networking features. These techniques include using the Network and Sharing Center, managing wired and wireless connections, accessing shared network resources, sharing local resources on the network, and working with network files offline. And if you are a music and video aficionado, we've got you covered with a special chapter that shows you just how to set up a networked Vista PC as your digital media hub! No networking book would be complete without extensive coverage of security issues that affect anyone connected to the Internet. We show you how to secure each computer, secure your global networking settings, and batten down your wireless connections. The last part of the book includes intermediate networking tasks such as making remote connections, monitoring the network, troubleshooting network problems, and setting up Vista's built-in web server and FTP server. • No longer is networking a topic that only geeks need to understand. If you have even one computer on the Internet or if you use wireless in your home or office, you need this book! • Extensive hardware coverage that shows you what equipment to buy and how to set it up! • Easy to follow buyer's guides that enable anyone to make smart and informed choices when purchasing networking hardware. •*

Complete and comprehensive coverage of Windows Vista's networking features. • Thwart hackers, crackers, thieves and other Internet malefactors by following our easy to understand chapters on security! • Loaded with tips, tricks, and shortcuts to make networking easier and more secure. • Chock full of real-world examples and network configurations that you can put to work today!

WINDOWS VISTA POCKET REFERENCE

A COMPACT GUIDE TO WINDOWS VISTA

"O'Reilly Media, Inc." *Windows Vista Pocket Reference is the ideal guide to setting up and navigating the basics of this new operating system, from the new user interface to networking, multimedia, security, and mobility. This pocket reference offers four sections that will familiarize readers with Vista quickly: Getting Started gives a crash course in using Windows Vista, including the user interface, handling files, folders, drives and search, and working with hardware. Networking, the Internet and Wireless offers a tour of Internet Explorer 7, a wireless networking guide, and how to set up and maintain home networks. Multimedia shows how to use the Media Center, Windows Media Player, and how to handle graphics and photos, podcasts and MP3 players. Security, Mobility, and Troubleshooting visits the security features, shows how to tune up Vista, troubleshoot problems, and use Vista with mobile devices.*

MICROSOFT WINDOWS VISTA VISUAL ENCYCLOPEDIA

John Wiley & Sons *If you prefer to see what things look like and how to perform a task, instead of just being told, this is your ideal A to Z reference. Part I shows every Windows Vista tool and how to use it. Part II provides step-by-step instructions for more than 140 key tasks and techniques. Both are arranged alphabetically and illustrated in full color. It's the ultimate Visual resource--you'll see! * Each tool and technique illustrated in full color * Alphabetical listings for easy reference * Step-by-step instructions for performing dozens of tasks * A comprehensive guide for visual learners A Visual guide to * Identifying and using Vista tools * Creating appointments and sharing calendars * Backing up your PC and encrypting files * Setting spam and scam filters * Playing DVDs and creating movies * Configuring a remote desktop connection*

WINDOWS VISTA IN A NUTSHELL

A DESKTOP QUICK REFERENCE

"O'Reilly Media, Inc." *This unique reference thoroughly documents every important setting and feature in Microsoft's new operating system, with alphabetical listings for hundreds of commands, windows, menus, listboxes, buttons, scrollbars and other elements of*

Windows Vista. With this book's simple organization, you'll easily find any setting, tool, or feature for the task you want to accomplish. Along with a system overview that highlights major changes, and a tour of the basics such as manipulating files and getting around the interface, Windows Vista in a Nutshell offers alphabetized references for these topics: The User Interface: Covers the Sidebar, Aero Glass, the new Control Panel layout, and applets, as well as how to customize animated windows, the desktop, Start menu, pop-up windows on the Taskbar, and more. The File System, Drives, Data, and Search: Discusses working with the new Windows Explorer, Virtual Folders, searches, indexing, saved searches, metadata, and sharing. The Internet and Networking: Examines TCP/IP, RSS, tabbed browsing, and anti-phishing features of Internet Explorer, plus cookie handling, parental control features, and more. Networking and Wireless: Offers an illustrated, step-by-step guide to setting up a home network; covers the Network Center, Sync Center, Hot Spot access, wireless management, collaboration, and sharing. Working with Hardware: Describes how to set up, maintain, and troubleshoot hardware--including keyboards, mice, monitors, USB devices, scanners, cameras, and sound devices--and how to add, install, and troubleshoot drivers. Security: Includes the Security Center, Windows Defender, User Account Protection, System Protection, Network Access Protection, WiFi encryption, Windows Firewall, file encryption, and more. Mobility: Explains Mobility Center settings, plugging a secondary monitor into your computer, and the new "network projection" feature for making presentations. Multimedia: Covers Windows Photo Gallery, Media Player, Media Center, podcasting features, connecting to and synching with MP3 players, recording TV and videos, making videos with Windows Movie Maker, and burning CDs and DVDs. The Command Prompt: Provides commands for working with files, utilities for troubleshooting the network, and instructions on how to create your own batch files. Appendixes include information on installation, keyboard shortcuts, common filename extensions, and more. Windows Vista in a Nutshell is your one-stop source for everything you need from Microsoft's latest operating system.

MICROSOFT WINDOWS VISTA IN SIMPLE STEPS

Financial Times/Prentice Hall *"Discover everything you want to know about Microsoft Windows Vista in this easy-to-use guide; from the most essential tasks that you'll want to preform, to solving the most common problems you'll encounter."--Cover.*

FIND GOLD IN WINDOWS VISTA

John Wiley & Sons *Provides information on accessing the features, programs, and processes of Microsoft Windows Vista.*

70-620 MCTS GUIDE TO MICROSOFT WINDOWS VISTA

Cengage Learning *Here's a complete guide to deploying and managing Windows Vista that is suitable for IT professionals and*

students alike! By 2007, Windows Vista, the newest desktop operating system from Microsoft, will be installed on millions of computers. It is anticipated that the numbers will only grow from there. This instructional text provides information users need to successfully migrate to Windows Vista and immediately begin deriving benefits from it. Readers will learn the differences between the new system and the old, including Vista's additional functionalities, and its advanced security features. Written with the novice networking student in mind, this informative guide examines Windows Vista in a thorough, logical, organized manner to ensure that all information is easily understood. The Hands-on Activities and Case Projects help students practice new skills, and review questions and key terms reinforce important information. The accompanying CD provides valuable certification preparation material, including test preparation software. With the new section devoted to troubleshooting, this text also doubles as a manual that professionals can take on the job with them. Important Notice: Media content referenced within the product description or the product text may not be available in the ebook version.

ADMINISTERING WINDOWS VISTA SECURITY

THE BIG SURPRISES

Sybex *An Inside Look at Windows Vista Security for Systems Administrators* Get an early start on Windows Vista security and the technology shifts you'll need to know as a systems administrator. From leading Windows expert Mark Minasi comes this "just-in-time" book to get you there. This targeted, hands-on guide takes a rapid-fire approach to the biggest security changes and how they'll affect business as usual for those who must integrate and provide technical support for Windows Vista. You'll find practical instruction, tips, workarounds, and much more. * Work through a slew of Vista surprises, such as logging on as Administrator and how to re-enable Run * Discover how virtualization works--and where it doesn't * Find out why you can no longer delete files in System32, even though you are an Administrator * Get familiar with new post-boot security features such as PatchGuard * Protect laptops to the max with the innovative BitLocker feature * Meet the new Windows Integrity mechanism * Explore the revamped Event Viewer, event forwarding, and new troubleshooting tools Go above and beyond what you've heard about Vista Discover the changes to Share and Registry Access Catch up on all the encryption news and services Try out Vista Remote Desktop with its enhanced security About the Series The Mark Minasi Windows Administrator Library equips system administrators with in-depth technical solutions to the many challenges associated with administering Windows in an enterprise setting. Series editor Mark Minasi, a leading Windows expert, not only selects the topics and authors, he also develops each book to meet the specific needs and goals of systems administrators, MIS professionals, help-desk personnel, and corporate programmers.

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WINDOWS VISTA ADMINISTRATION

THE DEFINITIVE GUIDE

"O'Reilly Media, Inc." *In plain English that puts concepts in proper context, this book gives readers a better understanding of Vista's innovations and capabilities, teaches administrators how to leverage Vista to increase worker productivity, and demonstrates how the system can best protect sensitive data.*

WINDOWS VISTA SECURITY

SECURING VISTA AGAINST MALICIOUS ATTACKS

John Wiley & Sons *Provides information on Windows Vista security issues and tools, covering such topics as password management, e-mail security, firewalls, browser security, data protection, network security protecting against viruses and spyware, and using encryption.*

GROUP POLICY: MANAGEMENT, TROUBLESHOOTING, AND SECURITY

FOR WINDOWS VISTA, WINDOWS 2003, WINDOWS XP, AND WINDOWS 2000

John Wiley & Sons *Presenting a fully updated resource for Windows Vista that shows you how best to use Group Policy in order to take full advantage of Active Directory and create a managed desktop environment. You'll learn details about the GPMC, Group Policy troubleshooting techniques, and configuring Group Policy to create a resilient desktop environment. You'll also discover how to create and manage ADMX files and leverage the Group Policy Central Store as well as deploy Office 2007, Office 2003, and more using Group Policy Software Installation.*

WINDOWS VISTA

THE MISSING MANUAL

"O'Reilly Media, Inc." *Offers coverage of all five versions of Windows Vista, offering a guide to help users navigate the desktop, deal*

with the new user interface and search functions, use the Media Center, deal with the new Internet Explorer 7 tabbed browser, and build a netw

MCTS: MICROSOFT WINDOWS VISTA CLIENT CONFIGURATION STUDY GUIDE

EXAM 70-620

John Wiley & Sons Offering a full coverage of all exam objectives in a systematic approach, so you can be confident that you're getting the instruction you need to take Microsoft's new MCTS exam (70-620), this book is packed with practical guidance and hands-on exercises to reinforce critical skills. Exclusive WinSim Vista Simulator allows you to perform a number of the exercises in a simulated environment, real-world scenarios put what you've learned in the context of actual job roles, and challenging review questions in each chapter prepare you for exam day. For Instructors: Teaching supplements are available for this title.

MICROSOFT VISTA FOR IT SECURITY PROFESSIONALS

Elsevier Microsoft Vista for IT Security Professionals is designed for the professional system administrators who need to securely deploy Microsoft Vista in their networks. Readers will not only learn about the new security features of Vista, but they will learn how to safely integrate Vista with their existing wired and wireless network infrastructure and safely deploy with their existing applications and databases. The book begins with a discussion of Microsoft's Trustworthy Computing Initiative and Vista's development cycle, which was like none other in Microsoft's history. Expert authors will separate the hype from the reality of Vista's preparedness to withstand the 24 x 7 attacks it will face from malicious attackers as the world's #1 desktop operating system. Microsoft Windows operating systems run more than 90% of the desktop PCs in the world and Vista is the first major Windows release in more than 5 years This is currently the only book on Windows Vista Security

WINDOWS XP COOKBOOK

SOLUTIONS AND EXAMPLES FOR POWER USERS & ADMINISTRATORS

"O'Reilly Media, Inc." Each year, Windows XP is pre-installed on 30 million PCs sold in the U.S.--and 90 million worldwide--making it the world's most popular operating system, and proving to frustrated users everywhere that preponderance does not equate to ease of use. There are literally thousands of programs, tools, commands, screens, scripts, buttons, tabs, applets, menus, and settings contained within Windows XP. And it has only been in the last couple of years that Microsoft's documentation has actually been more

of a help than a hindrance. But it still isn't enough. Windows XP users and administrators need a quick and easy way to find answers. Plenty of books go into detail about the theory behind a particular technology or application, but few go straight to the essentials for getting the job done. Windows XP Cookbook does just that, tackling the most common tasks needed to install, manage, and support Windows XP. Featuring a new twist to O'Reilly's proven Cookbook formula, this problem-solving guide offers multiple solutions for each of its 300-plus recipes. Solve dilemmas with the graphical user interface, the command line, through the Registry, or by using scripts. Each step-by-step recipe includes a discussion that explains how and why it works. The book is also among the first to cover Microsoft's XP Service Pack 2. With these practical, on-the-job solutions, Windows XP Cookbook will save you hours of time searching for answers. Windows XP Cookbook will be useful to anyone that has to use, deploy, administer, or automate Windows XP. But this isn't a typical end-user book; it covers the spectrum of topics involved with running Windows XP in both small and large environments. As a result, IT professionals and system administrators will find it a great day-to-day reference. And power users will find Windows XP Cookbook a great source for information on tweaking XP and getting the most out of their systems. The bottom line is that Windows XP Cookbook will make just about anyone who uses XP more productive.

WINDOWS VISTA INSIDE OUT DELUXE EDITION

MICROSOFT WINDOWS VISTA HELP DESK

Pearson Education *What do you do when your squeaky new Microsoft operating system doesn't work? You moan and complain and get personal about Bill Gates's haircut while you wait for Microsoft to figure it out and issue a fix in a hefty service pack in a year or so. Or you could take the smart way out and use this definitive troubleshooting book that will cure your illin' Vista PC in no time flat. This book exposes the flaws and nuances of Vista and teaches you how to work with its quirky personality and fix the problems you have with it so you can get back to your regularly scheduled life. Microsoft Windows Vista Help Desk digs deep inside the operating system to unveil expert-level tools and techniques. It offers a step-by-step, head-patting, hand-holding experience on how to use Vista as if you are a trained professional. This book covers hiccups, coughs, crashes, blue screens, reboots, system failures, malware infections, and other forehead-aching issues that make happy users clench their fists and profane the good name of the sweet and kind geeks in Redmond, Washington. Andy Walker is one of North America's top technology journalists and is the author of Que's Absolute Beginner's Guide to Security, Spam, Spyware & Viruses. Since 1995, he has written about technology for dozens of newspapers, magazines, and websites. His personal technology advice column was syndicated across Canada and today it is published at Cyberwalker.com, where millions read the advice annually. He hosted the internationally syndicated TV show Call for Help with Leo Laporte and now he is the star of his own DVD series at GettingStartedVideo.com. He also co-hosts Lab Rats (labrats.tv), a massively*

popular video podcast. Andy was born in the UK and now lives in Toronto with two cats and a finely tuned Vista computer. Troubleshoot your Vista PC every inch of the way—including Internet problems, printing problems, network problems, and user interface problems Use the troubleshooting flowcharts to step your way through a problem to find the right solution Designed for home users, cubicle dwellers, and students everywhere Quickly sort through complex problems to determine whether Vista, your hardware, or a random piece of software is the culprit Track down and eradicate viruses, spyware, and other Internet nasties Deal with annoying networking issues that have brought your wireless network to its knees Set up and troubleshoot multiple user accounts so that you, your spouse, your kids, and even the family pooch can share the same PC Category: Microsoft Operating System Covers: Microsoft Windows Vista User Level: Beginning-Intermediate

EDITING DIGITAL PHOTOS FOR DUMMIES

John Wiley & Sons Organize, enhance, and correct your digital photos Buy a digital camera, and next thing you know, you've got six full memory cards or 20,000 images on your hard drive. Get them all organized, store them safely, and learn how to fix minor and even major flaws with the advice in this little book. From removing red-eye to straightening a crooked shot, you'll find answers here! Open the book and find: How to get photos from your camera to your computer The scoop on different photo editors Tips to make file names work for you How to blend several photos into one Easy ways to fix common problems

PROFESSIONAL WINDOWS VISTA GADGETS PROGRAMMING

John Wiley & Sons As an easy-to-use application that provides information at a glance, a gadget allows users to quickly and easily obtain weather information, RSS news feeds, and much more. In Windows Vista, there are two types of gadgets Sidebar and SideShow gadgets and Microsoft MVP author Wei-Meng Lee covers both. You'll begin by walking through the development of a simple gadget, and then each successive chapter breaks down the specific APIs that are relevant to enhancing a gadget so that you can clearly learn how a gadget is built.

WINDOWS HOME SERVER

PROTECT AND SIMPLIFY YOUR DIGITAL LIFE

John Wiley & Sons A guide to Microsoft Windows server covers such topics as installation, setting up a home network, creating and managing backups, remotely accessing files, recovering lost data, and security.

WRITING SECURE CODE FOR WINDOWS VISTA

Microsoft Press Provides information on writing more secure code for Microsoft Windows Vista, covering such topics as application compatibility, buffer overrun defenses, network security, Windows CardSpace, parental controls, and Windows Defender APIs.

MICROSOFT WINDOWS VISTA ADMINISTRATION

McGraw Hill Professional "I highly recommend this book, the 'Vista Manual That Microsoft Never Wrote,' since it has everything about Vista that you need, and nothing you don't." --Stu Sjouwerman, Editor, WServerNews, wservernews.com; Founder, Sunbelt Software