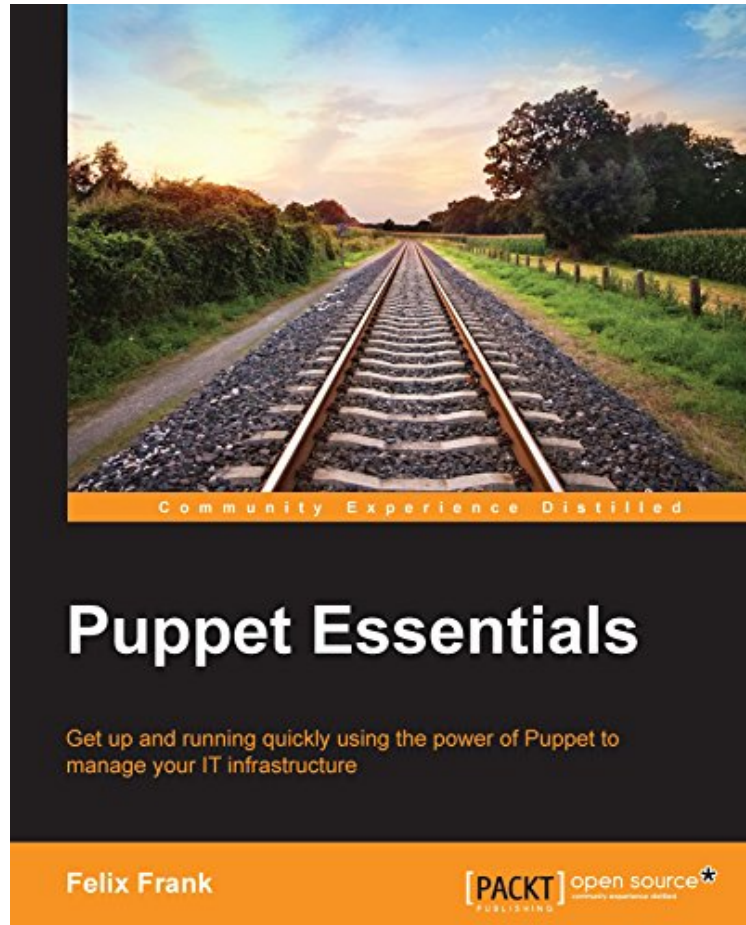


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Von Felix Frank : Puppet Essentials before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Puppet Essentials:

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. A book that cannot decide on the target audience ...Von Nur PiepsenThe author seems to have dumped out on whatever knowledge he may have acquired, but in many cases fails to explain the "essentials" ... - this is - though stated otherwise at the beginning not suitable for beginners!E.g when talking about dependency trees, but never clearly describing (and be it with a few graphic) which pieces build up that tree and what Puppets execution model is. Also chapter 5 will leave you alone in frustration even if you know Ruby - as the author juggles with parts of the Puppet api giving neither sufficient explanation nor references to the api. Without the Puppet knowledge that you supposedly don't need, you will not be able to really understand the code there.There are lots of different bits about what to consider when using this or that spread the book, but even in context of the chapters in which they appear they are cryptic and not really helpful.In other areas the book is on such a simple level that I wondered why certain information

would be better looked up on the puppetlabs website. However the stuff that would make sense - like e.g. comparing classes with types or imports with includes is left out.0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Very good book on Puppet for beginners and intermediate usersVon moxnVery well written with many helpful examples. Also contains chapters on Hiera and best practices for modularizing more complex configurations. Very good addition to the documentation on the Web and a clear recommendation for people who are completely new to configuration management or are still trying to learn more about Puppet.

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