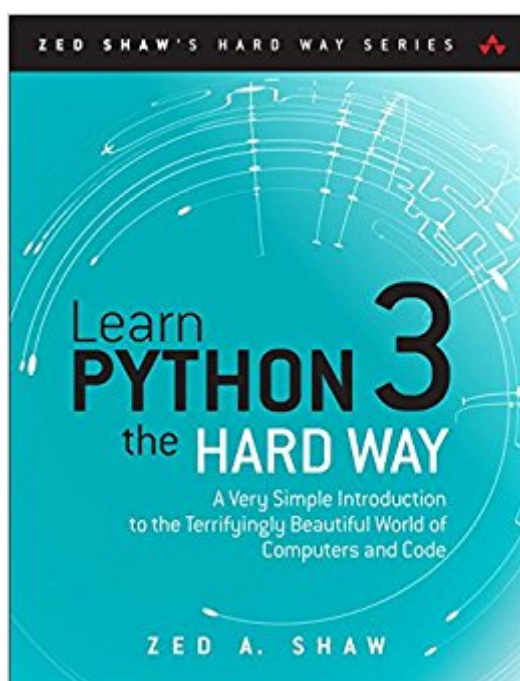The book was found

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I purchased this book from his website. I must say this is the best book I've ever used to learn Python thus far. I've tried Udemy, Lynda.com, Code School tutorials and I couldn't stay interested. The instructors were boring, monotone voices, some videos were 20 minutes long explaining experience that you wouldn't face till way later farther down the road. Not to mention all the jargon and odd IDEs they try to make you use such as; IDLE and Anaconda. I've even read first few chapters of many O'Reilly books and the layout of the lessons and exercises were cluttered. LP3THW is great. This book teaches you Python from scratch. Has lots of lessons, exercises, projects, quizzes, debugging techniques etc. The book's layout is excellent and well planned. The lessons and exercises are pleasing to the eye and spaced out well. It makes you feel like you are progressing fast. And you actually are. The IDEs he suggests for the book are easy setup and use. Use them without plugins to help you type everything instead of the IDE doing all the work for you until you reach level where you know the language. I bought the book which comes with videos. The videos are short and to the point which has lots of tips. And what really makes these videos great is the fact that Zed is a great guy and fun to learn from. There's also a community that follow him which are very helpful. I totally recommend this book and I can't wait to buy Learn More Python the Hard Way next.

Learn "PYTHON 3 the HARD WAY" is a fantastic book for beginners and advanced programmers. This book is extremely well written and provides plenty of detailed exercises and projects. While it is recommended to perform in PowerShell , the exercises and projects can be done in suggested IDE's . If you want to learn Python 3 or enhance your current skill set, then I highly recommend this book.

This is a great book to learn python. I own third edition of this book and liked it so bought this one

too. Great starting resource for Python.

Amazing book. Along the way, Mr Shaw teaches you how you should think while you follow the examples given in the book. Slowly introducing you into topics, gradually getting harder and harder as you go. You are rewarded towards the middle with... a test! The best kind of test, a fix the program kind of test. Great introduction, hoping there are recommended readings, at the end of the book, to go beyond this book.

Easy and as described

Due to my region, I bought the kindle version. I only finished exercise 5 till the day I write a review. Not that reason of limit time, I just choose to learn another book called "Learning Python". I like the hard way and I think the writer is a nice teacher, not to mention the well-qualified media resource. The reason I can't continue my hard way is I couldn't stand the every-time-online-search, I will finish the every exercise after I got a good foundation like have a good understanding of almost every terminology, which is very important to new coder. Another reason is my country block Google and recently, global Bing, also a nice vpn called Green. I miss Youtube.

Should be titled Learn Python 3 the boring way. I have completed 1/3 of the book - exercise 30 and have yet to encounter any study material that builds an actual Python program. The book just has you copying lots of program code to print out the same examples used to explain a Python term, function etc.. No programming exercises to allow the beginning programmer to use the material learned and be creative. I would suggest that the Python Crash Course book is much more interesting, has useful examples and every chapter has programming challenges that build on your cummulative skills.

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