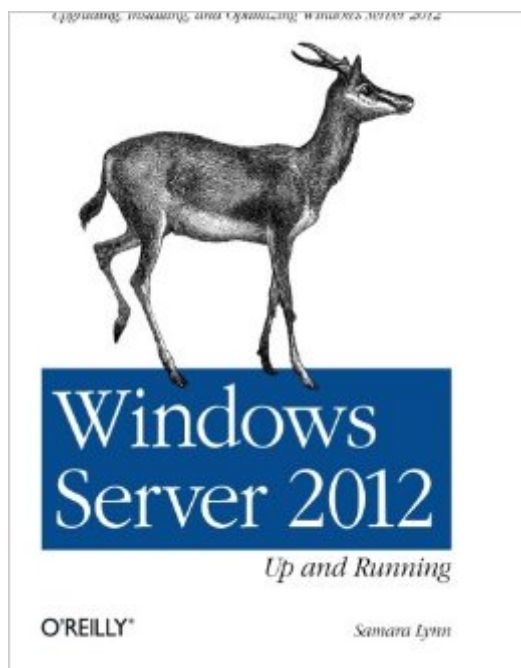# Windows Server 2012: Up And Running

Synopsis

If your organization plans to move to a cloud infrastructure from a LAN or WAN, this book shows you how to do it efficiently with Windows Server 2012. Experienced Windows administrators will learn how to deploy, configure, and manage the serverâ ™s expanded capabilities and features step-by-step, using clear examples and numerous screen shots. Youâ ™ll also discover how to integrate employeesâ ™ private mobile devices into your corporate network.Whether you intend to take your infrastructure to a public, private, or hybrid cloud environment, Windows Server 2012 provides the virtualization technology to get you there. This book helps you put it to work.Control your entire Windows infrastructure from the Server Manager consoleLearn how Active Directory Domain Services provide more centralized network administrationUse Dynamic Access Control to manage data and user permissionsProvide data integrity and fault tolerance with Storage Spaces and ReFSGain robust management of virtual environments with Hyper V R3Master networking tools such as IPAM to help you move to the cloudConnect clients to network resources through Unified Remote Access

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Customer Reviews

I came to "Windows Server 2012: Up and Running" via the online version at Safari Books Online (I use it in college). Crisp text, full color illustrations; a great source of information. Then the book arrived. The grays/blacks/whites in the print and illustrations remind me of a so-so copy machine

job. Some of the print in the illustrations is simply unreadable. Yes, it could just be my copy but the comments in the (as of 3/24/2013) only other review also mention issues with the type and printing. The previews available (through Google preview) on the publisher's site (O'Reilly) show a full color book.To be fair to , if you click on the print version preview on , it does show black-and-white illustrations. I did not view the print version preview on prior to purchasing the book because nothing in the description - at least nothing I could see - indicated that the print version would be different from the online version. And, really, I would have been happy with the b/w layout if the illustrations were legible.The constant distraction of the poor printing is unfortunate. First time author Samara Lynn is clearly enthusiastic about Server 2012 and cares enough to communicate her ideas in a clear, concise style that retains a light, flowing character. Her references to the differences between 2012 and past versions will help uses familiar with the Server family feel at home.The book is not the be-all, end-all of Server 2012 books and that's why the subtitle is "Up and Running." I used the material to do just that - get up and running in a short time. Active Directory, Hyper-V, User Management, networking, remote access - the basics are covered.

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