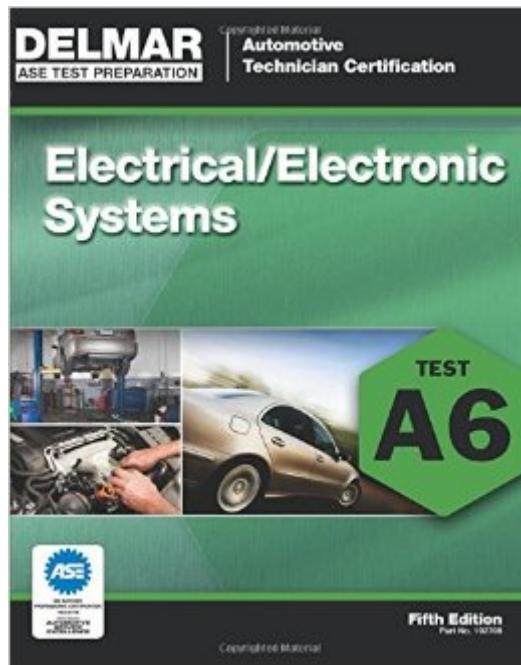


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The fifth edition of Delmar's Automotive Service Excellence (ASE) Test Preparation Manual for the A6 ELECTRICITY AND ELECTRONICS certification exam contains an abundance of content designed to help you successfully pass your ASE exam. This manual will ensure that you not only understand the task list and therefore the content your actual certification exam will be based upon, but also provides descriptions of the various types of questions on a typical ASE exam, as well as presents valuable test taking strategies enabling you to be fully prepared and confident on test day.

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## **Customer Reviews**

this is a good book for basic troubleshooting technique for charging and starting systems .good coverage of voltage drops ,continuity checks, dvom symbols . It covers basic lighting and dash instrumentation as well. However this book is virtually devoid of the wiring schematics that I encountered on the ASE A6 test I took yesterday. The test is 75% wiring schematics of various complex circuits. I have 20 years or so of automotive service in which I have encountered quite a few wiring difficulties but even with this experience and these study guides I found it to be a very tough test. I did pass the test but with a lower score than the other tests I've used these books for. Don't get me wrong Delmar puts out a quality product but this book is obviously flawed in the wiring diagram section of the test. on my a5 and a7 test I missed only a couple of questions on each test

but this test was a mindbender with 90 minutes to answer 60 questions which are just about all tricky schematics.

This test prep book is ok, but may leave some people with false confidence. I took the ASE A6 and passed the exam. This book was helpful in the fact that it gets you prepared for ASE style questions, but the real ASE A6 exam is NO WHERE NEAR similar to the practice exams. I had heard or read several things along the way in preparing for this test, so here are some facts that applied to my situation. I had been told that the real exam was 75%-80% schematics. Keep in mind the A6 is 60 questions long. 10 questions are considered "research" questions and do not count toward your final score (however, you are unaware of which 10 questions those are). Out of the 60 questions on the A6 exam, I encountered 36 questions that included a wiring schematic or a diagram of some type. That ends up being 60% of the test. Also, for those of you that do not care for the technician A, technician B questions, I had 13 Tech A/B questions, or about 22% of the test. The Delmar test prep has very few questions with wiring diagrams / schematics. If you find reading a schematic difficult, or don't understand how a circuit works in a wiring diagram, I suggest that you spend A LOT of time figuring that out before taking the actual A6. I have also read the Motor Age / Delmar test prep debates. I purchased both A6 study guides, and both lacked the amount of wiring diagrams I feel should be included in sample questions. In conclusion, I hope this helps someone before taking the A6. The test prep book gets you in the right mindset of electrical theory & diagnosis, but if you can't apply it to a circuit or schematic drawing, you may find the A6 test difficult.

I used this book as my primarily preparation to take an ASE test for the first time. I had already taken automotive classes at an Education Cultural Complex (part of San Diego City College District), then worked in the industry as an auto mechanic for two years. There were no exact matches to questions in the book that actually showed up on the ASE exams. By using these practice tests as a guide to see where I was weak worked out pretty well. When I had problems answering questions, I would resort to my text books or other sources to beef up my knowledge. I felt that this book worked for me using that approach to prepare for the exam. I also felt that my knowledge as a mechanic increased. I passed the exam easily. I don't believe that this book alone is the silver bullet to pass an ASE exam. It is a great tool to use in order to see where your knowledge stands. I even purchased practice exams from ASE and only one exact question showed up on the test. There are some quality control issues such as questions that don't have the correct illustration. There is one or two like that per book.

This book is worth every penny and more. I am studying for the ASE A6 Electrical examination. Electrical is my weakest auto technician area and this book is stuffed with questions and answered. I am sure I'll see a lot of them on the test, or at least almost the same as in the book. Most importantly I know what they are looking for in an answer. It also has a cross reference to the test study areas of the exam. I'm going to buy the who series ! I'm a tough rater, but this is 5 STARS !

Ordered these to get a little in depth coverage of this particular ASE test. I am pleased with the coverage of material and the presentation. The only draw back to these would be if you aren't already very familiar with the work, and if you are a "grammar nazi" because there a few typo's and it may sound silly, but they distract me the first read through. Not a big deal, just saying.

Passed the test! This study guide did the trick. Before purchasing we browsed all guides available. This brand is definitely the best set of guides in my opinion. All material is current / relative to the test.

My husband studied through 3/4 of this book for test preparation and he missed passing the test by 4 questions. I know electrical is not his strong suit, but I thought this book would have better prepared him. Next time we will choose an updated and more expensive option.

The book helps. Lots of good questions that make you think. None of these questions were on the test and that's good. The ASE test had a wiring diagram for almost every question and there was only one correct answer. However this book has several questions that were poorly written. For example, saying that a seat heater relay is "shorted" without more information is just crap. Sounds like a bad tech wrote the question. "Shorted" needs more detail. To ground, to positive, to some other path of resistance is required details to fairly answer a question. I was able to get 100% on the ASE test because the questions had enough detailed information. The book is still worth the purchase for general info and critical thinking practice

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