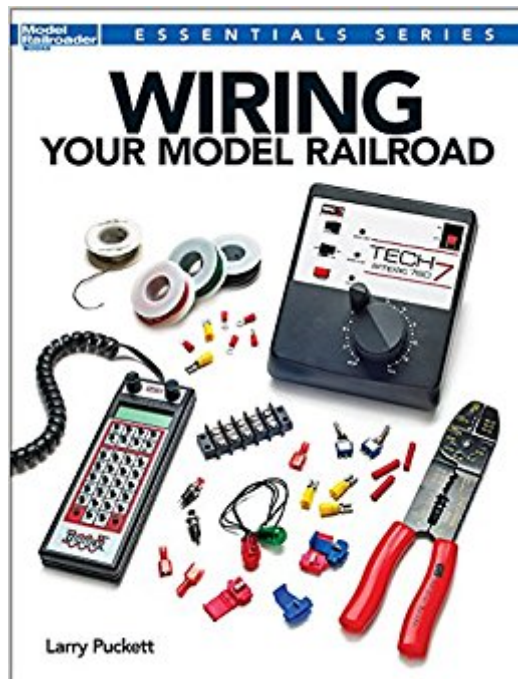


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Wiring Your Model Railroad (Essentials)



Synopsis

If model railroaders could own one book about wiring, this would be the best choice. In *Wiring Your Model Railroad*, Larry Puckett provides a helpful overview of all things wiring, including traditional wiring and DCC. This is the first wiring book any modeler should buy, and it's a useful reference guide for experienced modelers. Most importantly, it is the first book any publisher has released on this topic in 15 years. So, it's the most current and reliable source of model railroad wiring information you'll find anywhere.

Book Information

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Customer Reviews

Even though I have been doing model railroading off and on for 60 years and have built a layout for DCC and installed sound decoders, I found a lot of information in this book I didn't know. It should really have emphasized DCC in a subtitle. If you are not into DCC and this book doesn't convince you then it has all you need to know about DC. I haven't bought other DCC books but I've read the author, Larry Puckett's, monthly column in *Model Railroader*. He also has a DCC website under the name DCCguy.com. He has many detailed subjects and it has been my go to place for information on things like keep alive current for DCC that is not found elsewhere. He invites responses to topics as well as new topics. But buy the book and get a terrific start in DCC or filling in the gaps in your knowledge.

I give it 4 stars because I think Larry Puckett is very knowledgeable on the subject. However, I think

this book is a lot of rehashed material from his previous book of a few years ago, and, while very informative, presents very little in the way of anything new or groundbreaking that wasn't in his previous book, which I thought was very good. Still, it's a good thing to have reference to when you need it, and I'm satisfied with the purchase overall.

This was a pretty good book all in all but it is most definitely not for the rank beginner or a person without at least some background in basic electronics/electricity. So, not being that person, I was pretty overwhelmed which is not to say I didn't learn quite a bit. If you're just starting out in the hobby, consider looking for a more basic book.

Essential for the train hobbyist.

All the information I needed on one book.

Ok

Good overview of wiring for both the beginner and well-seasoned model railroader. Product description is accurate, so no need to repeat it here.

For old timers as well as newcomers.

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