

Introduction

Dreamweaver is the industry leader as a layout editor. Dreamweaver MX 2004 makes your job of building Web pages even easier. In *Dreamweaver® MX 2004 in 10 Simple Steps or Less* You'll discover how to use the new features, as well as the old ones, to achieve specific tasks.

This book is a recipe book providing you with quick, digestible examples of how to perform specific tasks using Dreamweaver MX 2004. These tasks range from simple tasks such as defining a Dreamweaver site to complex tasks such as creating dynamic content.

This book isn't a tutorial for Dreamweaver MX 2004. It is designed to be a useful reference when you are actively engaged in building your Web applications and need quick answers to the question "How do I do this in Dreamweaver MX 2004?" For most tasks of low and medium complexity, you will likely find an example in this book. Completing complex tasks can often be achieved by combining more than one sample task from the book.

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- If you want to build a Web site step-by-step, you might consider *Dreamweaver MX 2004 Complete Course* by Joyce J. Evans (John Wiley & Sons, 0-7645-4304-0), or if you want to use Dreamweaver MX, Fireworks MX, and ColdFusion MX, check out *Web Design* by Joyce J. Evans (John Wiley & Sons, 0-7645-3752-0).

About the Book

This book is divided into 13 sections.

Part 1: Building the Foundation

This section provides tasks that help you use the Dreamweaver MX 2004 interface as well as set up your workspace. You'll find tasks to define a site, set up testing browsers, and much more.

Part 2: Using Text and Images

This section shows you how to add and format text, as well as how to add images. Topics such as adding links and alternative text are also covered here.