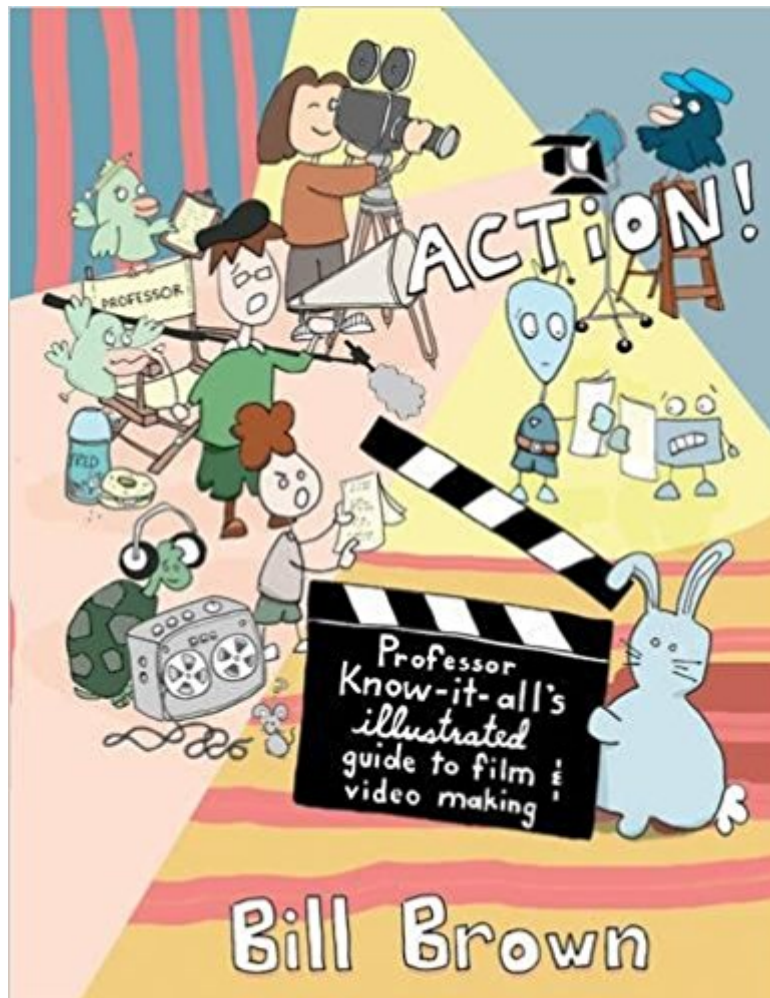




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Action!: Professor Know-it-All's Guide To Film And Video (DIY)



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An illustrated guide to DIY movie-making. Have you ever wanted to make your own movies, documentaries, music videos, or vlogs? In this easy-to-read and magnificently illustrated volume, you will learn why movies move; how film and video cameras work; how to light and expose your shots to get the best results; how to create eye-pleasing compositions; and how to record crystal clear sounds. It's a do-it-yourself guidebook for film and video makers of all ages and experience levels. Whether you've got a phone and a YouTube account, an old Super-8 handheld camera, or a fancy, state of the art motion picture studio, you still need a good idea and a good knowledge of the basics. Bill Brown, aka "Professor Know-It-All," with his cast of helpful animal assistants, give you all the technical knowledge you need so that you can stop worrying about your gear and your settings and let your ideas come to life.

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I assume, based on the other good reviews for the paper version of this book, that the Kindle version was created via scanning and optical character recognition. The book is peppered with random word substitutions where the OCR software guessed wrong about what it read. Stumbling over glitches like "grey cars" (grey card), "150 50" (ISO 50) and "do the match" (do the math) makes the book very hard to read. Also, be aware that this book is written at about a fifth-grade level, with lots of cutsey (and primitive) drawings of things like lenses with smiling faces. Sort of like the kind of thing you'd use to explain to your seven-year-old what daddy does with his camera.

Great little book, very quick to read and a great reference to making interesting and better videos.

Hands down, the best introductory handbook for film/video students. Hilarious and smart. Should be taught in every film program in the world.

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