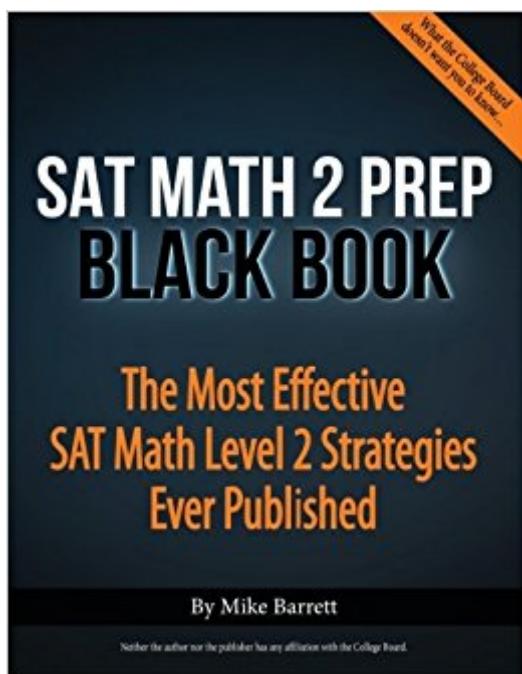


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# **SAT Math 2 Prep Black Book: The Most Effective SAT Math Level 2 Strategies Ever Published**



## Synopsis

Click the "look inside" feature above to browse the Black Book and get a feel for how it approaches the SAT Math Level 2 Subject Test!! The "SAT Math Level 2 Black Book" gives you unique, effective strategies from Mike Barrett, a test prep tutor with clients all over the globe who pay him hundreds of dollars an hour for phone tutoring. The Black Book is a must-have for anyone who wants to maximize their performance on the Math Level 2 Subject Test in the most efficient way possible.

The Black Book works best when used with the authentic test questions in the College Board publication *The Official SAT Subject Tests in Mathematics Levels 1 & 2*. The Black Book shows you how to beat the test, while the College Board's book gives you real Subject Test questions to practice with. (The SAT Math Level 2 Black Book has no affiliation with the College Board.) The Black Book and the College Board's Book are all you need to get your best possible test score.

Why is the Black Book the ideal book when it comes to preparing for the Math Level 2 SAT Subject Test? It actually works, for one thing. You'll learn to use the test's own design flaws against it, instead of just drilling advanced math concepts that may not even be relevant to the test. The Black Book is a clear, concise roadmap to the test. (See the partial table of contents below). It explains exactly how every real Math Level 2 Test practice question works, and how to beat those questions in the least time possible. The Black Book contains 100 original solutions for real Math Level 2 questions from the College Board's book, so you know that what you're learning actually works on authentic test questions. (You'll need the College Board book *The Official SAT Subject Tests in Mathematics Levels 1 & 2* to use these solutions. But you shouldn't always trust the College Board's own explanations of its questions, believe it or not! As Mike demonstrates repeatedly, the College Board's explanations are often unnecessarily complicated. Mike shows you what's really going on with the test in a way that the College Board does not.) Click the "look inside" feature above to browse the Black Book and get a feel for how it approaches the test! A selection from the table of contents: [The material in this Black Book is unique.](#) [Reading isn't all it takes](#) [Frequently Asked Questions](#) [Why You'll Need A Copy Of The Official SAT Subject Tests in Mathematics Levels 1 & 2](#) [Study Guide](#) [Why you shouldn't just rely on the College Board's test-taking advice and explanations for its own questions](#) [The Secrets Of The SAT Subject Test In Mathematics Level 2](#) [Differences between school math and the Math Level 2 Test](#) [How To Train For The SAT Subject Test In Mathematics Level 2](#) [How to Use The Two Practice Tests In The MSTB](#) [Guessing On The Math Level 2 Test](#) [Time Management On Test Day](#) [Other Time-Management Issues](#) [The Differences \(And Similarities\) Between The Math Level 2 Test, SAT 1 Math, And ACT Math](#) [Your Calculator For The Math Level 2 Test](#) [The Unwritten Rules](#)

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Mike Barrett has been helping people do better on standardized tests since he was in high school. In college, he worked briefly for Kaplan but left when it became clear to him that the Kaplan method was irreconcilably different from the way he naturally thought about the test. A few months after Mike graduated from college with a degree in linguistics, his younger brothers needed help with the SAT, so he taught them his approach to the test. Word of their success spread throughout their high school, and Mike was soon offering informal SAT tutoring to a few dozen of his brothers' friends. One of those students recommended to Mike that he set up his own SAT preparation company. He thought about that for a couple of weeks and decided to pursue it. Since then, Mike has used a variety of channels to help tens of thousands of students with the SAT, PSAT, ACT, GRE, LSAT, GMAT, ISEE, and SSAT, as well as various subject tests. He regularly travels to work with students all across the United States, and consults with students all over the world through Skype. He speaks at live events as well, and is available for booking. Mike's test preparation strategies are so different from the traditional approach because he analyzes standardized tests from the ground up, rather

than simply assuming that they cover the material they claim to cover.

Limited but good

My students and I have benefitted much from this author's other "Black" books, so I was excited to order this one right when it came out. The math 2 subject test is one of the best ones for many kids to take, but also has reputation for being one of the hardest. Every year, I get people who excel in their math classes and want to go into the STEM fields, but they cannot figure out how to score 800 on this test. In this book, Barret out-does himself. He gives you the best advice for this specific test, instead of just repeating the same generalized advice that most sources give for all tests. He covers some tips for calculator usage that I have never seen in other places. Intelligent time management, rounding and back-solving are also topics that he covers more thoughtfully and in more detail than you can find anywhere else. He breaks down question design in this book similar to the way he does in his other books, by showing you how to think in terms of patterns and rules when you see a question. To finish the first part of the book he pulls everything together in a step-by-step procedure for dealing with any question. Then, in the second half of the book, Barrett actually goes through every single test question from the released practice tests. He shows exactly how to deal with each question, not just in one way, but in at least 2 ways, sometimes in 4 or 5 ways. This gives a very complete picture of how the test can be handled by all kinds of testers. Highly recommended.

This book contain only explanations without tests. You need to by another book for getting the tests, which answers are at this black book. there is some loooong explanation for time management during exams. It is suit only for beginners.

I bought this because it was number 1 best seller and highly rated. To use this book one needs to purchase The Official SAT Subject Tests in Mathematics Levels 1 & 2 Study Guide as the book goes through the two set math Lv2 questions in the SAT Subject Tests 2 and provides alternative approaches. In doing so it does not provide the original questions (perhaps because of copyright) and the explanations go on and on - often repeating the same thing more than once. Furthermore, often the alternative approaches are more time consuming. The Official SAT Subject Tests in much better. If you have limited time on your hand do not waste your time and if you want to look for concepts and methods try [...] or [...] or Khan academy. To do good you need to understand the concept.

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