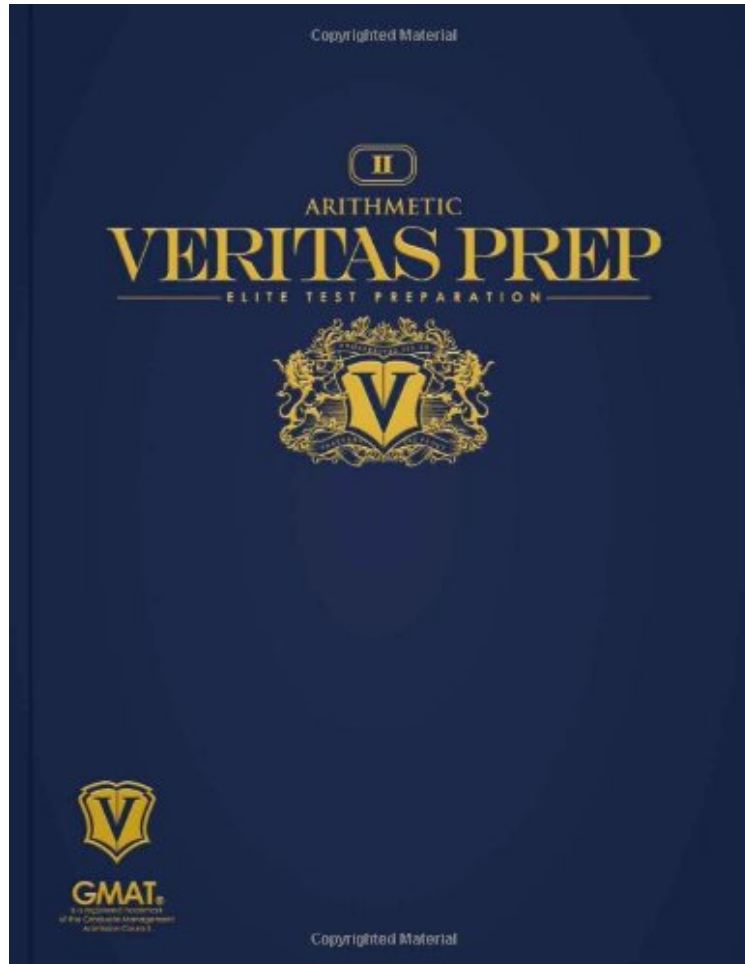


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Veritas Prep : Arithmetic (Veritas Prep GMAT Series) before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Arithmetic (Veritas Prep GMAT Series):

3 of 4 people found the following review helpful. waaaaaaay behind Manhattan Number Properties book By smallphi I am a GMAT math tutor and high scorer. The Veritas guides are often compared to the Manhattan GMAT series. The winner differs depending on the area. Veritas wins in combinatorics and probability but is way behind Manhattan in number properties, which is one of the main topics glossed over in "Arithmetic". The problem with "Arithmetic" is that it discusses several topics on meager 33 pages of which only 8 are devoted to number properties (primes, divisors, multiples, even, odd etc). The exposition has the typical for Veritas sparse typesetting and is interspersed by GMAT-type example questions, each taking 1/3 of a page. You can imagine how skimpy the treatment is. The reader is simply delegated unprepared to the problems section in which essential facts that should have been noted in the theoretical overview, pop up as brief side notes. The other two topics in the "Arithmetic" - ratios and percents - get a similar rushed

overview. The book is useful as a collection of about 105 solved problems (28 number properties) of various difficulty, of which many are data sufficiency type. Unfortunately, it will not give you sufficient explanation and training in number properties which is an extremely tough topic for most test takers and essential for those aiming at higher scores. Get the Manhattan "Number Properties", if you want a real textbook that goes to great lengths to prepare the reader before throwing problems at him/her. The other topics in "Arithmetic" - ratios and percents - are covered with much more detail in the Manhattan "Word Translations".

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Strong arithmetic book with a few weaknesses
By GMAT Club (Expert) PRO's+ Breaks down problems to individual parts. Excellent intro for non traditional test takers+ Lots of definitions for word translation problems+ Number of side bar comments/tips on the need to combine multiple topics for advanced problems+ Covers shortcuts (including some examples) to help people prepping improve timing+ A page dedicated to not complicating problems, answer the question asked and nothing more (my sidebar note: MANY people struggle with this)
CON's- This book is an intro to many different topics, which made me lose focus but it is a preference thing- Lots of white space (seems to repeat through all the books). Makes books thicker than need be- Content w/examples is a bit thin. The book focuses more on drills and problems. This is not good if one is self studying and needs more examples for reference purposes
107 problems in total: 2 in the beginning 19 embedded with lessons 86 post test 3.5 - 4 out of 5. Please let me know if you have any questions about the book - I reply to comments!

BB, GMAT 750 Founder of GMAT Club
1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. A highly informative and useful aid for GMAT Prep!
By PMM This book is a well-organized aid for anyone that wishes to have a better understanding of GMAT arithmetic questions. I found it particularly helpful how various math subjects were split into sections making it easy to follow and breakup over several study periods. In addition to lessons that covered several areas of math, a problem section was also provided. Sample problems are provided in several areas; percents, ratios, and factors to just name a few. I would recommend this guide to anyone wanting to prepare for the GMAT. I found the guide easy to use and manageable for continue review, 5 stars!

Basic arithmetic on the GMAT covers a wide range of potential testing subjects from simple addition to factors and multiples. Veritas Prep has catalogued each type and will show you how to excel in each topic area. Once you learn the fundamentals, our team of GMAT gurus will show you techniques to save time without sacrificing any accuracy.

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