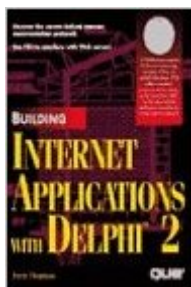# Building Internet Applications With Delphi 2

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This book explains very good the theory behind thedifferent protocols, but it is a little too much likea C programming book.

I just got this book, and read most of it. The theoreticalchapters on net protocols and technology are the best I have seenin any winsock book. The Delphi specific chapters include good protocol description, the code is not as wonderful as I would have liked it to be, it seems like code that was

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