

John Bicheno's Top 100 Lean Books - v 22

Author	Title	Publisher	Date	Serv / Man	Comment	stars	amazon sales
Adams, James L	Good Products, Bad Products	McGraw Hil	2012	M&S?	New perspectives on value and quality. Great	****	211,740
Amabile, Teresa and Kramer, Steven	The Progress Principle	Harvard	2011	M&S	small wins motivation and leadership	****	114,012
Baudin, Michael	Lean Assembly	Productivity	2002	M	v good on layout	***	817,289
Baudin, Michael	Lean Logistics	Productivity	2004	M&S?	best on warehousing matl handling	****	1,350,350
Bell, Steve and Orzen, Michael	Lean IT	CRC Productivity	2011	M&S?	Lean for IT people then IT for Lean people	***	206,822
Bhote, Keki and Bhote	World Class Quality (2nd edn)	AmaCom	2000	M&S?	best on Shainin	***	854,869
Bicheno, John	The Service Systems Toolbox: Lean, Systems, Design	PICSIE Books	2012	S	all(?) the service tools - integrated updated	???	380,818
Bicheno, John	The Lean Games and Simulations Book	PICSIE Books	2015	M&S?	learning lean the fun way	???	776,897
Bicheno, John and Catherwood, Phil	Six Sigma and The Quality Toolbox	PICSIE Books	2005	S&M	overview of gurus, tools and six sig	???	224,637
Bicheno, John and Holweg, Matthias	The Lean Toolbox 4th edition	PICSIE Books	2009	S&M	not only tools; extensive revision	???	4,639
Byrne, Art	The Lean Turnaround	McGraw Hill	2013	M&S?	excellent Wiremold case; lessons from a CEO	****	157,000
Carey, Benedict	How we Learn	Macmillan	2014	M&S	Essential for teaching and sustaining lean	***	102,800
Christensen, Clayton & Raynor, Michael	The Innovators Solution	Harvard	2003	M&S?	stimulating on NPD, innovation	***	33,690
Colvin, Geoff	Talent is Overrated	Nicholas Brearly	2009	M&S	you can do it - with focused practice	***	8,661
Cunningham, Jean and Fiume, Orest	Real Numbers	Managing Times	2003	M	practical lean accounting wiremold	***	213,119
Deming, W Edwards	Out of the Crisis	MIT	1982	M&S	an essential re-read every 2 yrs. Yes you.	****	111,293
Dennis, Pascal	Lean Production Simplified (Second edition)	Productivity	2007	M	very good introduction	***	298,748
Dixit, Avinash and Nalebuff, Barry	The Art of Strategy	Norton	2008	M&S	superb on games: partnership, supply, unions	***	42,481

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Duggan, Kevin	Creating Mixed Model Value Streams (second edition)	Productivity	2012	M	v good on heijunka for repetitive	****	36,177
Duhigg, Charles	The Power of Habit	Heinemann	2012	M&S	the power of establishing habits like kata	****	739
Flinchbauch, Jamire and Carlino, Andy	The Hichhiker's Guide to Lean	SWE	2007	M&S?	great short sections on most topics	****	574,246
Frei, Frances and Morriss, Anne	Uncommon Service	Harvard Business	2012	S	excellent framework and cases	****	215,709
Furr, Nathan and Dyer, Jeff	The Innovator's Method	Harvard Business	2014	M&S	Lean innovation start to finish	***	68,352
Gadd, Karen	TRIZ for Engineers	Wiley	2011	M&S?	excellent and fun for TRIZ problem solving	****	83,952
Gall, John	The Systems Bible: Beginners Guide to Systems	General Systemantics	2002	M&S	highly subversive, is this fun or serious?	****	236,448
Galsworth, Gwendolyn	Work that Makes Sense	Visual Lean	2011	M&S	best on visual management - many examples	****	1,034,779
Gitlow, Howard and Levine, David	Six Sigma for Green Belts and Champions	FT Prentice Hall	2005	M&S?	the best no bull on six sigma	****	1,095,765
Goldratt, Eli	The Goal	North River Press	1984	M	Classic novel. Wonderful & easy	*****	3,819
Graupp, Patrick and Wrona, Robert	The TWI Workbook	Productivity	2006	M	essential skills for supervisors	****	553,621
Guwande, Atul	The Checklist Manifesto	Profile books	2011	M&S	the power of checklists with implementation	****	711
Hales, H lee and Bruce Anderson	Planning Manufacturing Cells	SME	2002	M	excellent on systematic cell design	***	2,173,477
Hall, Robert (Doc)	Zero Inventories	Dow Jones APICS	1982	M	its all there all that time ago	****	963,986
Hinckley, C Martin	Make no Mistake!	Productivity	2001	M&S?	best on pokayoke	****	557,700
Hines Found Griffiths Harrison	Staying Lean (Second edition)	CRC	2011	M	interesting extended case below the waterline	**	573,616
Hopp, Wallace	Supply Chain Science	McGraw Hill	2008	M	more accessible & shorter than factory physics	****	31,031
Hopp, Wallace and Spearman, Mark	Factory Physics (3rd edn)	McGraw Hill	2008	M	tour de force but maths. 3rd even better.	****	781,158

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Hopper, Kenneth and Hopper, William	The Puritan Gift	I B Tauris	2009	M&S	stupendous history and warnings about experts	*****	375,138
Hubbard, Douglas	How to Measure Anything	Wiley	2014	M&S	revelation in measures & risk;basic to complex	***	87,100
Huthwaite, Bart	The Lean Design Solution(revised edn)	Lean Innovation	2007	M	refreshing and fun on non-Toyota design	***	1,178,286
Iyer, Ananth et al	Toyota Supply Chain Management	McGraw Hil	2009	M	good review plus detail on Toyota supply	***	259,322
Jackson, Thomas	Hoshin Kanri for The Lean Enterprise	Productivity	2006	M&S?	good and detailed with CD	****	194,789
Johnson, H Thomas and Broms, Anders	Profit Beyond Measure	Nicholas Brearly	2000	M&S	original on lean accounting & measures	***	979,471
Johnson, Steven	Where Good Ideas Come From	Penguin	2010	M&S	the adjacent possible - how lean must learn	****	14,665
Kahneman, Daniel	Thinking, fast and slow	Allen Lane	2011	M&S	fabulous on thinking pitfalls	****	101
Kelly, Tom and Kelly, David	Creative Confidence	Collins	2013	M&S	IDEO design thinking for all	****	8,373
Kennedy, Michael	Product Development for the Lean Enterprise	The Oaklea Press	2003	M	the original Ward / Toyota NPD as a novel	***	695,221
Koenigsaecker, George	Leading the Lean Enterprise Transformation (2nd edn)	CRC Productivty	2012	M	leadership from a CEO that has done it	***	71,122
Kroemer, KHE and Grangjean, E	Fitting the Task to the Human (5th edn)	Taylor & Francis	1997	M&S?	a classic on ergonomics	***	32,982
Levinson, Marc	The Box	Princeton	2006	M&S	wonderful history of containerization	***	35,798
Liker, Jeffrey and Convis, Gary	The Toyota Wayto Lean Leadership	McGraw Hill	2012	M	Liker's best since Toyota Way	****	154,522
Liker, Jeffrey and Franz, James	The Toyota Way to Continuous Improvement	McGraw Hil	2011	M&S?	v good on CI with cases - anything new?	***	142,574
Liker, Jeffreyand Meier, Daid	The Toyota Way Fieldbook	McGraw Hill	2006	M	building on the classic adding practical advice	****	289,000
Locher, Drew	Lean Office and Service Simplified	CRC Productivity	2011	S	good on repetitive office only, not service	***	34,868
Mann, Darrell	Hands on Systematic Innovation for Business	IFR Creax	2004	S&M	best book on TRIZ outside manuf	****	unranked

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Mann, David	Creating a Lean Culture (second edition)	CRC Productivity	2010	M&S	v good for gemba style leadership	****	24,743
Mascitelli, Ronald	Mastering Lean Product Development	Technology Perspectives	2011	M&S?	best on design outside of Toyota	****	378,128
Maskell, Brian & Baggaley, Bruce	Practical Lean Accounting (second edition)	Productivity	2011	M	standard on lean accounting	***	576,359
Maurer, Robert	One Small Step Can Change Your Life	Maurer	2004	M&S	A little gem on kaizen	****	14,410
Maurer, Robert	The Spirit of Kaizen	McGraw Hil	2013	M&S	another little gem from medical doctor Maurer	***	227,307
Modig, Niklas and Ahlstrom, Par	This is Lean	Rheologica	2012	M&S	short & clear. Good to see Kingman. Chapter 8?	****	154,580
Morgan, James and Liker, Jeffrey	The Toyota Product Development System	Productivity	2006	M	standard work on TPS design	***	unranked
Mullainathan, Sendhil and Shafir, Elgar	Scarcity	Allen Lane	2013	M&S	stimulating different thoughts on capacity	****	99,098
Nicholas, John	Lean Production for Competitive Advantage	CRC	2011	M	comprehensive blockbuster prescribed for MSc	****	221,132
Ohno, Taiichi	Toyota Production System	Productivity / Diamond	1978	M	many gems worth seeking out	***	175,276
Ohno, Taiichi	Workplace Management	Gemba Press	2001	M	some gems, some surprises	***	47,808
Oosterwal, Dantar	The Lean Machine (Lean Product Development)	AmaCom	2010	M	Great extended case on Harley D design process	****	98,432
Parkinson, C Nothcote	Parkinson's Law	John Murray	1958	S&M?	a forgotten classic - serious fun	***	194,195
Pink, Daniel	Drive: The Surprising Truth about what Motivates	Canongate	2010	M&S	do you believe in incentives? Important!	****	1,138
Poppendick, Mary and Poppendick, Tom	The Lean Mindset	Addison Wesley	2014	M&S	lean software and so much more on people	****	148,598
Pound, Ed; Bell, Jeff; Spearman, Mark	Factory Physics for Managers	McGraw Hill	2014	M&S?	Essential Factory Physics made more accessible	****	97,103
Reinertsen, Donald	The Principles of Product Development Flow	Celeritas	2009	M	wonderful basic principles. Practical?	***	21,200
Ries, Eric	The Lean Startup	Portfolio Penguin	2011	M&S	Lean innovation in software - test it early!	****	461

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Rosenzweig, Phil	The Halo effect	Free press	2007	M&S	wonderful warning, not specific to lean	****	67,680
Rosenzweig, Phil	Left Brain Right Stuff	Profile	2014	M&S	another challenge to conventional thinking	****	90,700
Rother, Mike	Toyota Kata	McGraw Hil	2010	M&S?	excellent on PDCA and standard work	****	97,983
Rother, Mike and John Shook	Learning to See	LEI	1998	M	mapping classic but is anywhere like Acme?	**	9,814
Rother, Mike and Rick Harris	Creating Continuous Flow	LEI	2001	M	fair on cell design. Basic	**	unranked
Schein, Edgar	Humble Enquiry	Canongate	2013	M&S	wonderful tutorial on engagement	***	4,111
Schmenner, Roger	Getting and Staying Productive	Cambridge	2012	M	insight and cases on swift even flow kingman?	****	130,601
Scholtes, Peter	The Leader's Handbook	McGraw Hill	1998	M&S	excellent on people, deming	****	29,309
Schonberger, Richard	Japanese Manufacturing Techniques	Free press	1982	M	still one of the best ever on Lean / JIT	****	927,306
Schonberger, Richard	Best Practices in Lean Six Sigma Process Improvement	Wiley	2007	M&S?	new insights from the original & still best	****	1,093,613
Seddon, John	The Whitehall Effect	Triarchy	2015	S	better than Command&Control. Pity about 3 chaps	****	92,000
Shook, John	Managing to Learn	LEI	2008	M&S?	A3 plus PDCA - great mentoring	****	80,029
Sibbet, David	Visual Meetings	Wiley	2010	M&S	superb on visuals for groups	****	73,002
Silver, Nate	The Signal and the Noise	Allen Lane	2012	M&S	not on Lean but fab on prediction risk uncertainty	****	3,244
Smalley, Art	Creating Level Pull	LEI	2004	M	v good on cell, pull - but repetitive only!	****	217,660
Sobek, Durward and Smalley, Art	Understanding A3 Thinking	CRC Productivity	2008	M&S	short but very good on A3 and PDCA	***	21,775
Spear, Steven	The High Velocity Edge	McGraw Hill	2010	M&S	possibly the best ever on process mgmt	*****	179,949
Spitzer, Dean	Transforming Performance Measurement	AmaCom	2007	M&S	best on measurement	****	565,427

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Stenzel, Joe (ed)	Lean Accounting - Best Practices	Wiley	2007	M&S?	readings from wide variety of authors	**	1,487,444
Stewart, Matthew	The Management Myth	WW Norton	2009	M&S	myths destroyed: taylor, mayo, porter: a must	****	218,123
Stoller, Jacob	The Lean CEO	McGraw Hill	2015	M&S?	excellent history; provocative cases	***	unranked
Suzaki, Kiyoshi	The New Manufacturing Challenge	Free press	1987	M	old but excellent	****	733,432
Vollmann, Berry, Whybark, Jacobs	Manufacturing Planning & Control for S-C Mgmt 5th ed	McGraw Hill	2005	M	the standard on MRPII but Lean?	***	641,801
Ward, Allen C	Lean Product and Process Development	LEI	2007	M	the standard Toyota design ref	****	651,085
Westrick, Rob and Cooper, Chris	Winning by Design	Simpler	2013	M&S?	excellent pragmatic on design organisation	****	219,620
Womack, J and Jones, D	Lean Thinking rev edn	Free press	2003	M	first section essential, cases now dated	***	5,105
Womack, J, Jones, D and Roos, D	The Machine that Changed the World	Rawson	1990	M&S?	W&J's best	****	24,389
Womack, Jim	Gemba Walks (Second edition)	LEI	2014	M&S?	many practical insights for managers at gemba	***	98,559
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