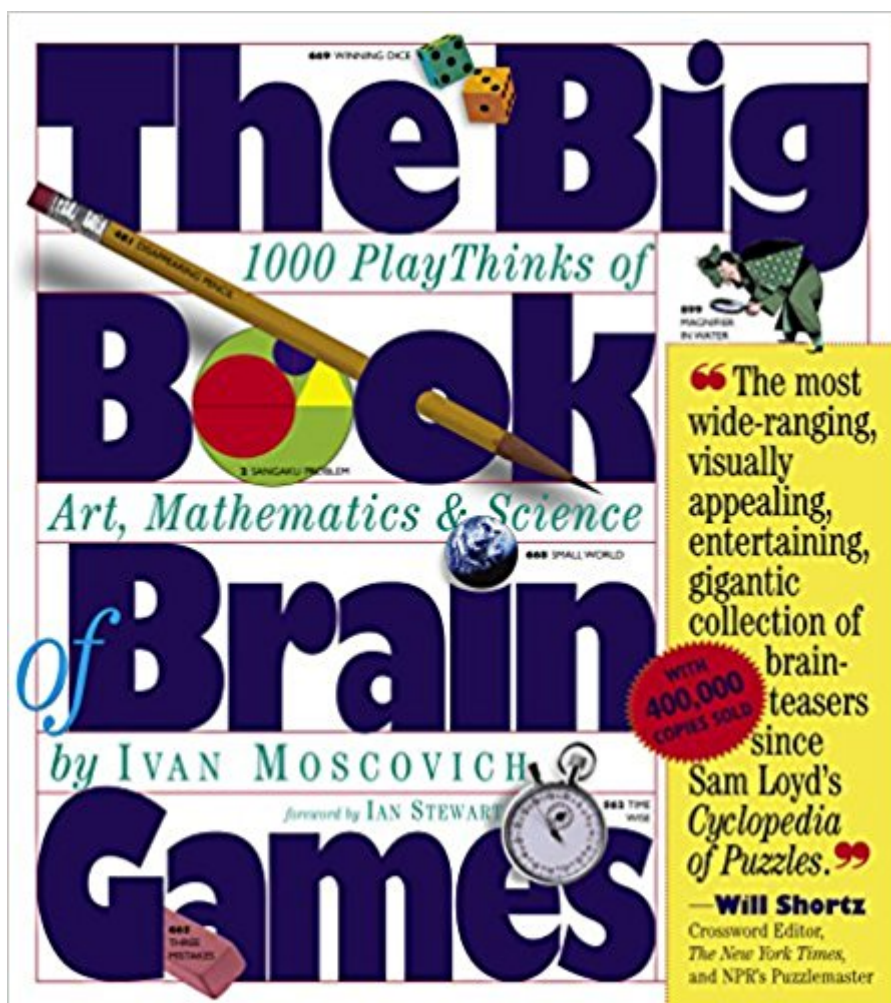


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# The Big Book Of Brain Games: 1,000 PlayThinks Of Art, Mathematics & Science



## Synopsis

About the original 1000 PlayThinks, Will Shortz of The New York Times said it best: "The most wide-ranging, visually appealing, entertaining, gigantic collection of brainteasers since Sam Loyd's Cyclopedia of Puzzles almost a century ago." • Inside The Big Book of Brain Games, you will find an obsessive collection of 1,000 challenges, puzzles, riddles, illusions "originals as well as must-do classics" it's like salted peanuts for the brain. With jam-packed pages and a full-color illustration for each entry, the book, opened anywhere, is a call to action. (And it's guaranteed to make you smarter.) Twelve basic categories include Geometry, Patterns, Numbers, Logic and Probability, and Perception. An easy-to-read key at the top of each game ranks its difficulty on a scale of 1 to 10, while indices in the back cross-reference the puzzles. (You'll find the answers back there, too.)

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"An opus | Mixing math with wonder." "Washington Post Book World

A compulsive, exuberant cornucopia of puzzles, The Big Book of Brain Games is like salted peanuts for the mind. Here are mental games, visual challenges, logic posers, riddles and illusions.

Comprised of both original puzzles and mind-boggling adaptations of classics, this book, written by a man Wired magazine called "a living inspiration for the rest of us," celebrates that unique

place where pure play and problem solving coexist. Start solving, and right away youâ™ll feel smart, intuitive, curious, successful and at one with the beauty of mathematics.

Very interesting set of puzzles and games. It is wrongly indicated for ages 8 and up. Your eight-year old must be a child prodigy to solve these puzzles. Most of the content is at the middle-school level.

Huge book, covers A LOT of topics. Wonderful book, I would recommend. This book does NOT fit on a normal bookshelf, so watch out.

"Playing" with math riddles has always been one of my 'things'; I have decided to buy the book initially only because of the last name of the author: in college, I have learned statistics and probability from a professor that studied mathematics in Moscow with dr. Moscovich; probably just a fortunate match, but nevertheless...I have found the book most challenging, and a good way to keep me on my toes, so to speak!

It is listed as kids book and it is too hard for kids.

Wow, these take a really big brain. Some are too challenging and I'm pretty good at such things.

This was an excellent purchase. I think it will go a long way in helping my gifted students warm up to the days activities. My husband enjoyed it so much he didn't want me to bring it to school with me.

I gave this to my elderly Father for entertainment and he really likes it. It has big print and is easy to read. the games seem to be just his speed. It is a great product to ease the boredom of limited mobility.

great ideas--I won't use all of them, but the format is pretty cool.

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