

The book was found

# Mighty Robots



## Synopsis

The intriguing universe of robots. Robots have lived in the human imagination for generations. Remember Frankenstein's creature brought to life by an electric charge, the Tin Man who yearned to become human, or the robot-filled world of the popular 1960s animated television series *The Jetsons*? Young readers will share this fascination as they embark on a thrilling journey from primitive robots to the revolution that is now underway. Chapters include: *In Our Own Image: The history of robots, from the first automaton in 1709 to the rise of computers in 20th century* *Where are All the Robots?: Robot predictions from the past vs. modern reality* *Robot Explorers: Searching new frontiers: underwater, outer space* *Fighting Robots: Military assignments too dangerous for humans* *Working Robots: From assembly line operations to intricate surgical procedures* *Robots at Play: Robotic athletes, pets, toys and even actors grabbing the movie spotlight* *The Future: What can we expect?* With a text that will engross readers from the outset, lively sidebars, and intriguing photography, *Mighty Robots* creates a captivating picture of the robotic world. --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

## Book Information

Library Binding

Publisher: San Val (September 2005)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 1417771682

ISBN-13: 978-1417771684

Product Dimensions: 0.5 x 7.5 x 9.8 inches

Shipping Weight: 1.1 pounds

Average Customer Review: Be the first to review this item

Best Sellers Rank: #19,430,711 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #92 in *Books > Teens >*

*Education & Reference > Science & Technology > Technology > Machinery & Tools* #362

*in Books > Teens > Education & Reference > History > Modern*

## Customer Reviews

Gr. 5-8. From the development of robotic technology to the history of robots in books and films, this informative offering surveys the field broadly but zeroes in with detailed accounts of many topics. Along the way, Jones discusses the word robot, the challenge of artificial intelligence and mobility, and robots as workers, explorers, and entertainers. The last chapter presents promising as well as menacing views of how this complex field could shape the future. Many clear color photos and

detailed sidebars expand the text, which will appeal mainly to young people with prior knowledge of the subject. Jones presents a great deal of information in a well-organized, accessible manner, enhanced by the appropriately techno look of the book's pages. Carolyn PhelanCopyright © American Library Association. All rights reserved --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

There's a lot of text here... for those truly fascinated by these amazing machines, but it's also fun to browse through this and just read the sidebars and informative captions. (Paula Rohrlie Kliatt) Jones presents a great deal of information in a well-organized, accessible manner, enhanced by the appropriately techno look of the book's pages. (Carolyn Phelan Booklist 2006-02-01) Not only covers robot history and achievements (both practical and fantastic), but it weaves in the philosophical issues that give these near humans the power to fascinate and frighten... will be enjoyed by teens and adults alike. (Lori Walker CM Magazine 2005-11-25) Explores how robots have become ingrained on human imagination and how scientists have developed ever-more-advanced machines to perform the tasks that people are unable or unwilling to handle. (Science News 2005-12-17) --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Robots and Robotics High Risk Robots Macmillan Library (Robots and Robotics - Macmillan Library) Paper Robots: 25 Fantastic Robots You Can Build Yourself! Robots, Robots Everywhere! (Little Golden Book) House of Robots: Robots Go Wild! House of Robots (House of Robots Series Book 1) ROBOTS, ROBOTS EVERY Cable-Driven Parallel Robots: Proceedings of the Third International Conference on Cable-Driven Parallel Robots (Mechanisms and Machine Science) Mighty Robots: Mechanical Marvels that Fascinate and Frighten Mighty Robots The Mighty Big Book of Travel Games (Mighty Big Books) Mighty, Mighty Construction Site Ricky Ricotta's Mighty Robot vs. The Unpleasant Penguins from Pluto (Ricky Ricotta's Mighty Robot #9) Ricky Ricotta's Mighty Robot vs. The Naughty Nightcrawlers From Neptune (Ricky Ricotta's Mighty Robot #8) Bio-mechanisms of Swimming and Flying: Fluid Dynamics, Biomimetic Robots, and Sports Science My Fair Ladies: Female Robots, Androids, and Other Artificial Eves Rise of the Robots: Technology and the Threat of a Jobless Future The LEGO Adventure Book, Vol. 3: Robots, Planes, Cities & More! Totally Cool Creations: Three Books in One; Cool Cars and Trucks, Cool Robots, Cool City The LEGO MINDSTORMS EV3 Laboratory: Build, Program, and Experiment with Five Wicked Cool Robots Incredible LEGO Technic: Cars, Trucks, Robots & More!

Contact Us

DMCA

Privacy

FAQ & Help