

## **About the Author**

Adam Moskowitz has been a programmer, system administrator, technical lecturer, architect, manager of system administrators, and consultant for over 25 years. He has written or helped write budgets for thousands of dollars as well as for millions. His employers and clients include LION Bioscience Research, Genome Therapeutics, Interval Research Corporation, AT&T—Research, OSF Research Institute, BBN Communications, Microtouch Software, and Johns Hopkins Hospital. Although he tries to avoid being a manager whenever possible, he prefers to be involved in the budgeting process because “I’d rather do it myself than have someone else do it *to me*.”

Adam has written various articles, book reviews, and in the far-distant past, a paper on the design of a sub-micron ion lithography system.

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