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The bestselling guide to sewing gets a freshening up!

And it's from Vogue®: the most respected name in needlework.

A trusted classic since 1975, Vogue® Sewing has remained a consistent bestseller and sewer's favorite. Now it's been fully revised and updated, with the latest information and all-new photographs and illustrations, introduction, and page layout. From choosing a machine to mastering couture techniques, it covers everything stitchers need to know to make professional and fashionable garments. It's certain to remain the premier sourcebook for sewers everywhere.

This technique-rich Vogue'® manual contains comprehensive instructions for understanding pattern markings, selecting fabrics and notions, hand-stitching and mending, pressing, and measuring to fit. Everything's beautifully laid out, with charts and detailed explanations. And as it teaches, it also steers you to the right project for your sewing level, with a plethora of photos that showcase different options for both beginners and those more expert with a needle.

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Kara says

I had just purchased "The Sewing Book" when this arrived via inter-library loan. For some reason, I'd expected Vogue Sewing to be boring, less informative, and dry, but I ended up loving it. It doesn't have the detailed illustrations of The Sewing Book or The Sewing Bible, but it does have very informative sections on working with different types of fabric and tailoring that I really enjoyed.

Kelsey S. Hock says

So awesome! Very knowledgable! Might actually get a sewing machine

Patrick Horgan says

Has a lot of good techniques, but as a beginning sewer it is really annoying that they purport to give you all the information that you need as a beginner from the beginning of the book, but as you read through you get more and more over your head because they keep assuming more and more information about sewing that they have never taught.

Marnie says

I actually have an 80s edition but it's not listed in here so I am adding this 2000 edition instead.

This is a really solid reference. I read it pretty much cover to cover but there's a lot that's hard for me to absorb without immediately applying it to a project. There is a bit at the beginning of the book that I think really dates it, primarily that it tells you that if you don't like the way you look you should just go ahead and lose weight. I would imagine that's been removed from later editions.

Definitely a worthwhile reference to have available, and pretty comprehensive. I'm positive I'll be referring back to it often.

Arya says

Just skimmed through this book when a sort-of-friend let me borrow it. I definitely need to reread this book. It seemed very detailed, informative, and helpful.

Emma-jane Stevens says

One of the best sewing books I have ever found. If you are like me and your childhood had to be more academic than creative, you will have missed out on many hours experimenting with fabrics. I wanted to fast track to understanding what I was doing and this book gave me all the logic I needed to understand how to construct and fit garments properly.

I prefer vintage fashion so I bought a copy published more in the era I was wanting. I expect the updated versions are fabulous too.

Patty R. says

I didn't really get to finish this book but from what I've read so far I might have to add this y o my sewing library.

Christy says

Excellent reference guide for beginners and experienced seamstresses. An essential book that I would recommend to be in any sewing library.

Lisa says

This is a terrific reference guide for those who love to sew. I am not sure if would be helpful for an absolute beginner, however. If you love to sew & have a little experience at it this is a must!

Renee says

This is a great book for the basics of sewing and a refresher if you've forgotten how to do something. I prefer the Reader's Digest version, but this one is perfectly good too.

Erika Mulvenna says

This is my ALL TIME FAVORITE how-to sewing book. Everything you ever wanted to know about sewing but were afraid to ask is included in this book with clear, concise directions, illustrations, and photographs. My copy is from the 1971 third printing of the first edition, I have not seen the new version - but I still think this is a MUST HAVE for anyone who sews.

Karen says

This book is totally rocking my world. If my mom would have gotten this for me at age 10, i would have been coco chanel by now.

Pam Novack says

This is one of my go-to reference books for sewing. My mother gave me my copy when I was a teenager and, even though it's been updated, I still like referring to my original copy. It's a great resource!

Alessandra says

A classic, encyclopedic guide. The fashions are ridiculously dated, but the technical advice is sound.

Stephanie says

Clear pictures and descriptions. I'll have to look more closely when I have a specific problem or am ready to do a garment.
