
Subject: A complete DIY book
Posted by [mamoss](#) on Wed, 01 Jun 2016 08:01:49 GMT
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I clearly recall a book my father had that had almost all DIY procedures and with that, he was able to almost do everything around the house. I lost sight of the book after a few years.

Where can I get such books these days?

Subject: Re: A complete DIY book
Posted by [The Noise](#) on Mon, 27 Jun 2016 02:32:45 GMT
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First thought.....E-Bay. Then Amazon. Then type in "Audio Do It Yourself Books" and see what comes up. Even thrift stores have book sections so you can browse those too.

Subject: Re: A complete DIY book
Posted by [moss24](#) on Mon, 27 Jun 2016 08:02:34 GMT
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True, you can get these books from Amazon or ebay. I think I also need such a book since most of the time, I have to call someone to handle the simple tasks.

Subject: Re: A complete DIY book
Posted by [Concorde](#) on Fri, 05 Aug 2016 14:03:56 GMT
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Do it yourself books that are specific to certain trades are easier to find than general, all-around project books. I would go that route before I look for anything general.

Subject: Re: A complete DIY book
Posted by [drake](#) on Tue, 16 Aug 2016 19:11:22 GMT
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Concorde wrote on Fri, 05 August 2016 09:03Do it yourself books that are specific to certain trades are easier to find than general, all-around project books. I would go that route before I look for anything general.

I agree. I remember I once saw one that was specifically talking about carpentry. It is easier having many DIY books that are specific rather than one that is general. I will check out Amazon and eBay for leads.

Subject: Re: A complete DIY book
Posted by [Leon](#) on Tue, 30 Aug 2016 06:58:08 GMT
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This is interesting. What better than a DIY book to keep someone like me busy in a productive way? If you have found any good leads, Drake, please do keep us posted. Thank you.

Subject: Re: A complete DIY book
Posted by [Ssal](#) on Sat, 05 Nov 2016 03:19:40 GMT
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That is a book that I would dearly love to own. If only I could find something complete with every kind of information that I could possibly need to become proficient at DIY.

Subject: Re: A complete DIY book
Posted by [drake](#) on Sun, 01 Jan 2017 22:57:40 GMT
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Leon wrote on Tue, 30 August 2016 01:58 This is interesting. What better than a DIY book to keep someone like me busy in a productive way? If you have found any good leads, Drake, please do keep us posted. Thank you.

I haven't had any luck so far but it could also be that I haven't been very keen on checking every now and then. I will revert in case I stumble upon something resourceful.

Subject: Re: A complete DIY book
Posted by [Frankie](#) on Wed, 20 Sep 2017 11:09:30 GMT
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mamoss wrote on Wed, 01 June 2016 03:01 I clearly recall a book my father had that had almost all DIY procedures and with that, he was able to almost do everything around the house. I lost sight of the book after a few years.

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Ah, my dad had a book like that too. It was the Reader's Digest one from the 70s. I can't remember exactly what it was called but it was just like "Complete Do-It-Yourself Guide" or something. (No idea why I remember Reader's Digest and not the actual title.) Obviously, some of it would be outdated by now.

I agree with everyone else; Amazon is a great place to look, or even just plain old Google. Your local library probably has some treasures too.
