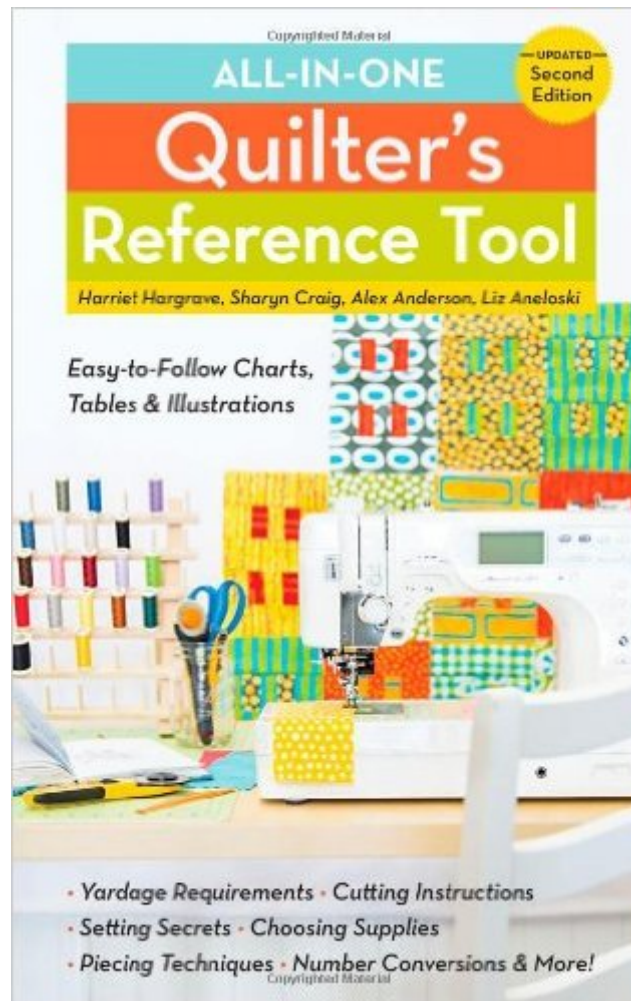


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# All-in-One Quilter's Reference Tool: Updated



## Synopsis

How big is a twin-size quilt? How many squares can you cut from the amount of fabric you have? What's the best way to sew a mitered border? The Quilter's Reference Tool gives you fast answers to these and dozens of other quilting questions. Now this indispensable guide from top quilters Alex Anderson, Harriet Hargrave, Sharyn Craig, and Liz Aneloski has been updated to include more answers, more techniques, more quilt settings, and more blocks than ever before. This is the must-have answer book for quilters all around the world • more than 100,000 sold!

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## Customer Reviews

This book was a smaller than I expected, paperback. But it is chocked full of good information. I have already used it to calculate the amount of fabric needed for the back of my most recent quilt. It will go in a place that I can get my hands on it quickly.

From other reviews concerning the binding on this book, I almost didn't order it. But I'm glad I did because the copy I received today had a spiral-ring binding as opposed to regular soft cover binding. The spiral ring binding makes it so much easier to leave the book open while working or sewing on the quilt! I knew the information in the book was great, but the spiral-ring binder just makes this book better!!

This edition has additional information such as a chart for making bias binding strips from a fabric

square based on desired width of the strip and number of inches need. Love the conversion chart for number of stitches per inches. I have the first edition which I have used a LOT, and I know I will use the new edition many times.

This booklet is concise and simple. It makes the "math" in quilting quick and easily transferable to whatever quilting project you have going. It helps with changing sizes of quilts, such as translating a baby quilt pattern you love into a queen size quilt. It has lots of charts--for all mattress sizes, throw sizes, bed quilt/coverle/spread sizes. It also has tip for hanging quilts--not all are square or rectangular. I recommend All-IN-ONE Quilter's Reference Tool: Updated for all quilters from beginning to experienced.

I really wanted to love this book as I have the first edition and use it all the time! But I am sadly disappointed - not in the content so much but in how they chose to print and bind it. The first thing I did was take the cover off - it was in your way all the time - light weight, covers the binding and so does not fold to the back and drove me crazy. The weight of the paper is light and flimsy - so the pages stick together. My binding got bent in shipping so even after way too much time, my book is troublesome with pages coming out of binding, book is too tightly bound and mine does not want to flip to the back. My first edition is a dream, hard cover stock front and back, heavy paper used throughout and my pages flip open and fold back with ease. When a reference book is a pain to use - I don't use it - and sorry to say I will be sticking with the first edition and wish I had not wasted my money on the updated second edition!!

Great tool to have. Takes all the guess work out of cutting fabric. Shows what size square or strip to start with to get finished size blocks or triangles that you need. Directions are easy to understand and follow. It is a must have for any quilter. Made learning to quilt a lot easier. Great if you watch online quilting videos where they show you how to make the quilt but don't give any measurements so that you have to buy the pattern or book.

This reference comes with every requirement for making quilts, the fabric, cutting supplies, construction and block patterns. It does all the math you will ever need for every project.

I love this book, I have quilted for years and this still does math for me as well as provide other tips. The cover was a little bent when I received it, but otherwise in perfect condition. Also I may have

bent it getting it out of the packaging, so will not blame that on the shipper.

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