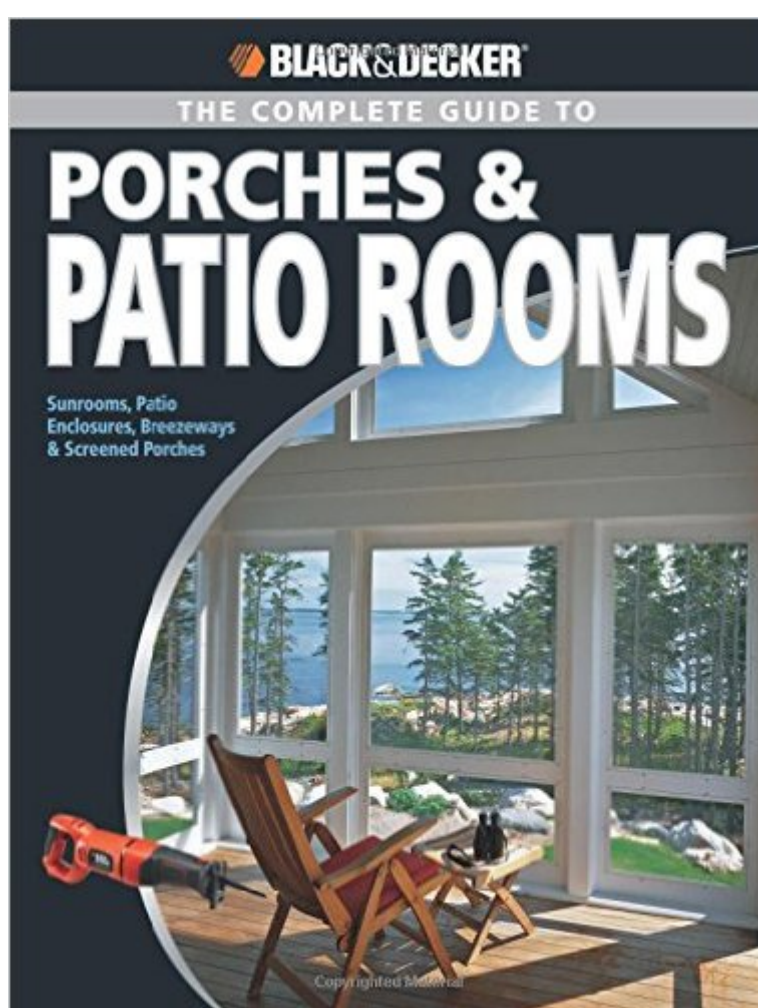


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# Black & Decker The Complete Guide To Porches & Patio Rooms: Sunrooms, Patio Enclosures, Breezeways & Screened Porches (Black & Decker Complete Guide)



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A modern twist on a nostalgic favorite Nothing says elegant, genteel living like a well built, well appointed porch or sunroom. The Complete Guide to Porches & Patio Rooms offers design advice and easy-to-follow, concise instructions for adding living spaces that bring the indoors and outdoors together in delightful ways. In addition to offering hundreds of inspirational ideas, the book provides thorough plans and photo directions for six versatile, flexible architectural projects. For the 500,000 homeowners now building sunrooms each year, this book explores the most popular functions and then offers step-by-step instructions to design and build those specific spaces. For example, an open porch can be used for social gatherings, as a sheltered outdoor cooking space, or simply be added simply to improve a home's curb appeal. A sunroom can serve as a full room addition to a home, complete with protective walls, ceilings, and electrical service; can serve as an indoor garden space for green living plants; or could be put into service as a music conservatory for an elegant grand piano. This book is an indispensable source of information on planning, designing, and building the addition of your dreams, from digging foundations to final decorating.

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The book was decent for the price and contained lots of good pictures that were idea provoking. Because it covered so many topics, it was short on details for any one of them.

Doesn't explain how to tie roof into house for screened in porches. Other than that it seems to cover the basics pretty well.

Great ideas on sunrooms and porches...gave us a lot of ideas on our add on...which is almost complete...Thanks for the great ideas!

Really loved this book, very informative and helpful... Gave me good information on what I wanted for my screened porch.

I have several books like this and this one is somewhere in the middle. It is a little technical and gives a few good ideas. I would recommend buying this if you are looking for a cheap idea book.

Wish it had more detail oriented instructions.I think it's still more for the advanced home carpenter. For a more experienced do it yourselfer this is a good product.

Delightful photos and descriptions to aid in planning and building a screened in patio enclosure and a porch that will be a plus for the curb appeal of my older home in a rural setting. It no longer resembles a 35-year old, factory built modular home on a full basement foundation--but will look even better with the upgrades and usable space additions to increase the appraisal value when I sell in 10-15 years.

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