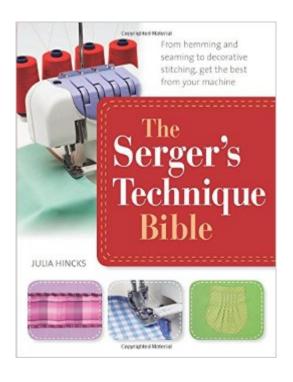
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The Serger's Technique Bible: The Complete Guide To Serging And Decorative Stitching





Synopsis

For fast and professional edging, hemming, seaming, and decorative stitching, you simply can't beat a serging machine. This all-skill-level book is the perfect guide to make sure you get the most out of your new machine (or out of that old serger that you've never got the hang of!). Photographs and step-by-step instructions guide you through the essential techniques, showing you how to set up your machine, how to adjust the settings to get the best results on a range of different fabrics, and how to edge your fabrics quickly with perfect results. Try out different feet for your machine to help with gathering, attaching piping, elastic, and beading. Within the chapters there are troubleshooting tips and quick fixes for skipped stitches, snapped threads, and uneven stitching. The quick construction section will take you through a range of projects to help practice and perfect your skills.

Book Information

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Customer Reviews

This is an excellent book. It is well laid out with clear instructions that are easy to follow. There is a good index and plenty of illustrations. I am new to serging and this was just what I needed, I have been able to increase my confidence and skills, i would highly recommend it to all serger owners.

Of the multiple "Serger" books I purtchased, this is my favorite for the simple fact this is a great "stand-alone" reference and guide to learning how to get the most benefit and use out of your Serger. I highly recommend this Reference Book on Sergers!

I have been using sergers for many years, and I still found this book very helpful. I recommend it for

both beginners and experienced sewing enthusiasts.

I really liked adding this book (by Hincks) to my sewing library as it is easy to hold, colorful, informative, easy to read and understand. The chapters are not long boring narratives, but broken into small sections accompanied by many pictures in color with tips in boxes and closeups of the items described. Chapter 2 includes the decorative stitches, and use of each specialty foot. Chapter 3 has a number of serger projects to make to become as familiar with a serger as you are with a sewing machine. I also own the Sewing Machine Embroiderer's Bible (Keegan) and the Sewing Machine Accessories Bible (Gardner & Logan) and refer to these small manuals often. Together, they make a nice set.

A must have even for novice sewers. I learned a lot about some of the things I was already doing. It made some of the procedures I was doing easier.

I just bought a serger and I had to have a book to show me ideas since I was new at this thing they call "serging". This is a great book. If you need to know something pertaining to a Serger...this is the book to have!It shows lots of pics and gives you ideas and shows stitching that can be done with the Serger.I love this book!

This is a very clear, if somewhat terse, book about sergers. It will be useful but I'm still looking out for exactly what I want, something with more advice on when/where to use a serger instead of a sewing machine. Someday.

Has a ton of very useful information. I would call it a must have for anyone that is just starting to use a serger. It is also a great addition to any seamstresses library . I am very glad I purchased this book.

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