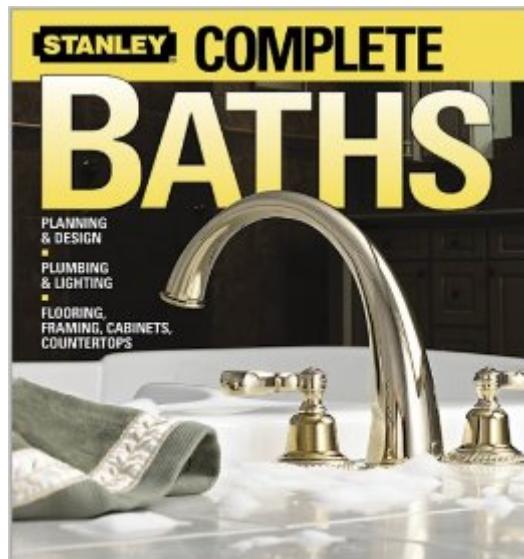


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Complete Baths



Synopsis

How-to for installing new countertops, cabinets, showers, lights, flooring, and more. Do-it-yourselfers' answers to plumbing, wiring, carpentry, and tiling questions. Step-by-step photos, pre-start checklists, Stanley Pro Tips, and precise instructions. Information on techniques, tools, and materials to achieve professional results. Addresses bath remodeling issues, and unusual situations. Advice to equip novices and experts with confidence to select and install materials. Stanley's Pro Tips warn of pitfalls and offer shortcuts for success.

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Customer Reviews

I grabbed a copy of this book from my library along with several other titles. This one by far stands out in comparison to the others. It has very practical, no-nonsense advice on almost all aspects of bathroom remodeling. For example, it gives you pictures and detailed instructions about different ways to tile in a window frame. It also touches on subjects you will likely need to know, such as replacing drywall. The section on creating a mortared shower floor was especially useful, as other bathroom books automatically assume I will be installing either a tub or a shower pan. I plan on getting other books from Stanley to see if the quality is matched throughout the series. With clear instructions and many, many full-color pictures, I feel confident that I can tackle my bathroom on my own even with my limited experience.

I have to say of all the DIY books out there, the Stanley line is at the top of my list. I have been studying how-to-update a few items in my house, and am pretty new to the process, so after purchasing quite a few other "useless" literature for more money, Stanley has done a pretty good job in meeting my expectations. There are a lot of illustrations in color and the step-by-step instructions are outlined adequately. Please keep in mind it may not cover every single job in "Baths" that you may be interested in, but helps minimize the "fear factor" for those of us that have no idea what we're doing (yet). I am honestly pleased with this purchase... unfortunately, I haven't started DIYing yet.

I purchased this book for a bathroom remodel, along with Stanley's Tiling, Plumbing, and Wiring books. I'm a former architect with some experience working construction, so I'm an advanced DIY'er, but not a professional contractor. In general, this is an excellent series. The photographs are very well-done, and most techniques are well-illustrated and clearly explained. That being said, if you don't understand the basics of framing, using power tools, etc. you will need additional resources to use these books. You should also be aware that this book reuses content from other books. For example, the sections on tiling are lifted directly from the Tiling book. This isn't a bad thing, but if you buy several books, you're going to be getting a lot of the same content. I did look at other books, and found this one to be the best.

This book only gives steps and pics on installing baths and showers for homes with basements. In most southern states we don't have floor boards and joist making this book worthless to someone like me. I also felt that the book jumps around too much not giving too much attention on one subject and rather little info on many projects.

Most bathroom books cover plumbing basics and tiling and generally not a lot more. This book had lots of great information on tools, demolition, framing, subfloors, plumbing, drywalls and fixtures. It was head and shoulders above several other books that I bought. Every book covers plumbing basics and tiling, but this one covered it all.

This was my third bathroom remodeling book purchase and I wish I had purchased just this one! It's the best one I've seen yet, and I'm confident that I can work on my bathroom, with this book in hand. Great diagrams, helpful tips, tool lists, and even a section for "What could go wrong". A great deal for such excellent information. If you get this one, you won't need any other remodeling books!

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