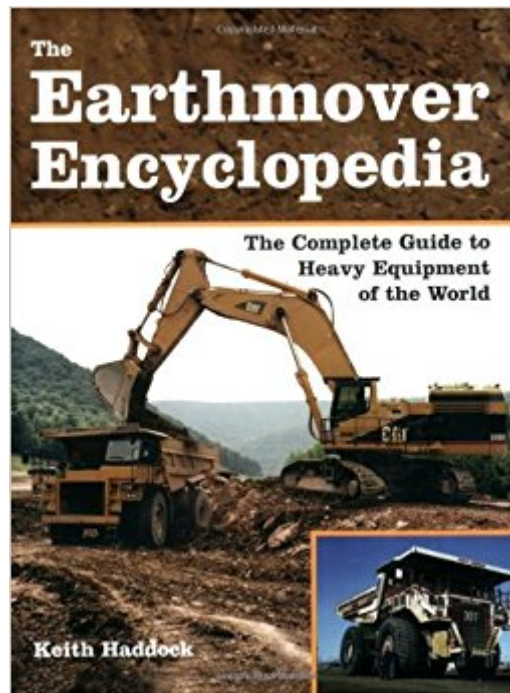


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# The Earthmover Encyclopedia: The Complete Guide To Heavy Equipment Of The World



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This colossal reference book documents the timeless human urge to reshape the world. Here, in detailed pictures and authoritative text, are the machines that have moved the earth from the 1800s to today. The copiously illustrated encyclopedia catalogs nearly every piece of heavy equipment ever made, by model and manufacturer, from the largest dozers and diggers to smaller utility tractors and loaders. The Earthmover Encyclopedia remains the most comprehensive, exhaustive book on the world's most hard-working vehicles and machines.

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Humans, since the beginning of civilization, have had the desire to reshape the earth. While some of the most amazing projects, big and small, were accomplished by manpower, there is always a quest for more. The first major development in earthmoving machines occurred in the 1800s. Railway construction led to the development of the steam powered shovel, and soon machines like the big steam wheeled tractors of the late nineteenth century, and crawler tractors were being put to use. Slowly but surely, we saw advancements in earthmoving equipment that have changed the way we live today. The Earthmover Encyclopedia gives the interesting history of the development of these machines, along with all the dirt on every piece of earthmoving machinery made. ["This is by far the ultimate reference guide to the nature of the earth moving machinery."](#)

I give it zero stars. It's a photo copied book. The pages are faded photo copies.

My 17 year old son bought this book and he has really enjoyed it! He highly recommends it!!

Keith Haddock does his research so completely, so very professionally. His delivery of facts and history puts him at the top of his craft. This book was such a pleasure to read, and read again. Jack Worthington

Great choice of reading good pictures. I am 9 and I love the book. Pics are b&w.

It is interesting but applies mainly for the USA.

shipped fast, it was a great price, and in very good shape, Thank you! don't know if I can sum it any better

This book covers the majority of all types of construction equipment and is useful to anyone in the construction business.

We bought this for our son who LOVES to read about and play with digging equipment. He started reading all the (deadly boring to those uninterested) details immediately and it held its own against his other birthday presents including LEGO. He would wax poetic, or at least enthusiastic, about the book, but I don't really want to listen anymore =)

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