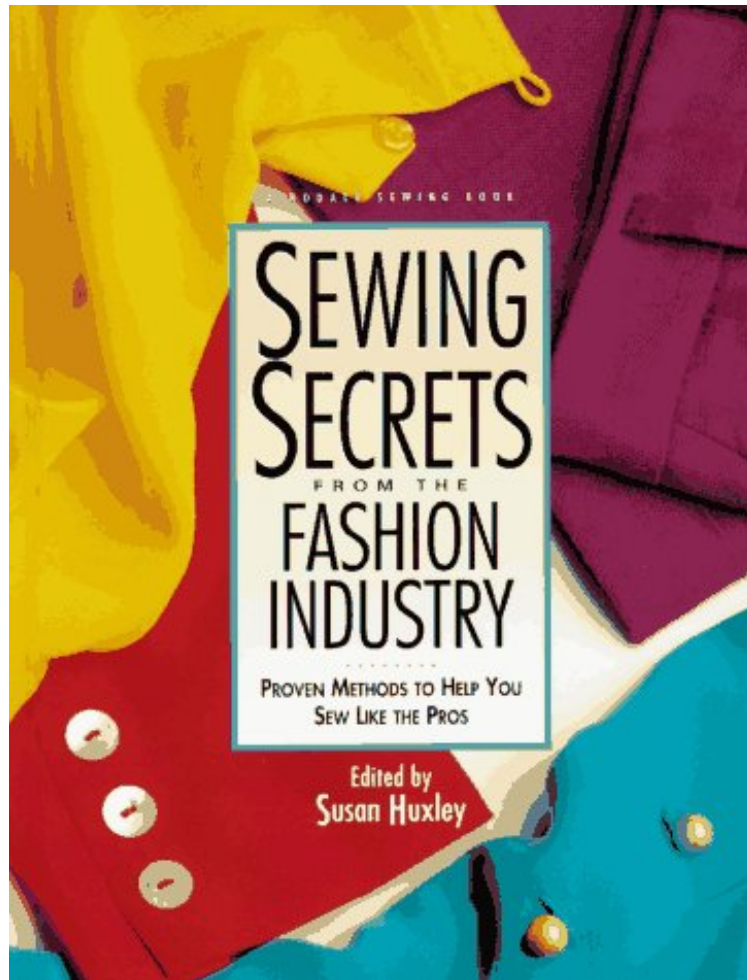


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I haven't sewn for myself for years because I got hooked on quilting but the price of clothing is so ridiculous until I've decided to give it a go again. Have to admit I am timid to try making clothing again due to some weight gain; not knowing my pattern size and unsure of cutting into expensive material. I got this book hoping it would at least give me the confidence to try--nothing ventured nothing gained. I really like the book. It is well written with lots of pictures and examples to follow. I'm now ready to make me a "little black dress" from a very simple pattern and a few yards of muslin. (I will buy the good black material if I am successful) The book will stay beside my machine to guide and encourage me!

Sewing secrets from the fashion industry  
Look over the shoulders of sewing experts as they show you how to cut and sew the professional way. From sample rooms to production sewing factories, the authors gleaned the best and the fastest garment-sewing techniques and treatments. Sew fast. Sew smart. Make clothes that look better than ready-to-wear. Hundreds of step-by-step photographs and easy-to-understand directions help you:  
\* Master bound button holes  
\* Imitate professional seam finishes on your machine  
\* Create an innovative button placket  
\* Eliminate ease stitching and basting  
\* Sew a lined vest in three hours without any hand stitching  
\* Choose a pocket and waistband that's right for you  
\* Use industry techniques to interface like the pros  
\* Make clothing that fits perfectly no matter what your size

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While fewer people sew today, those who do are often more serious about it. This book is targeted at true enthusiasts who want to learn the timesaving and quality-enhancing techniques employed by professionals. Together the book's five contributors have worked for more than a century in the garment industry as designers, pattern makers, instructors, and quality-control specialists. With more than 800 photos, Sewing Secrets gives the reader an over-the-shoulder look at apparel construction, emphasizing details that can distinguish a run-of-the-mill garment from a fashion statement. An extensive "tips techniques" section is arranged alphabetically from awls to zippers, while sidebars of inside information make for interesting browsing. Highly recommended for all sewing collections.  
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