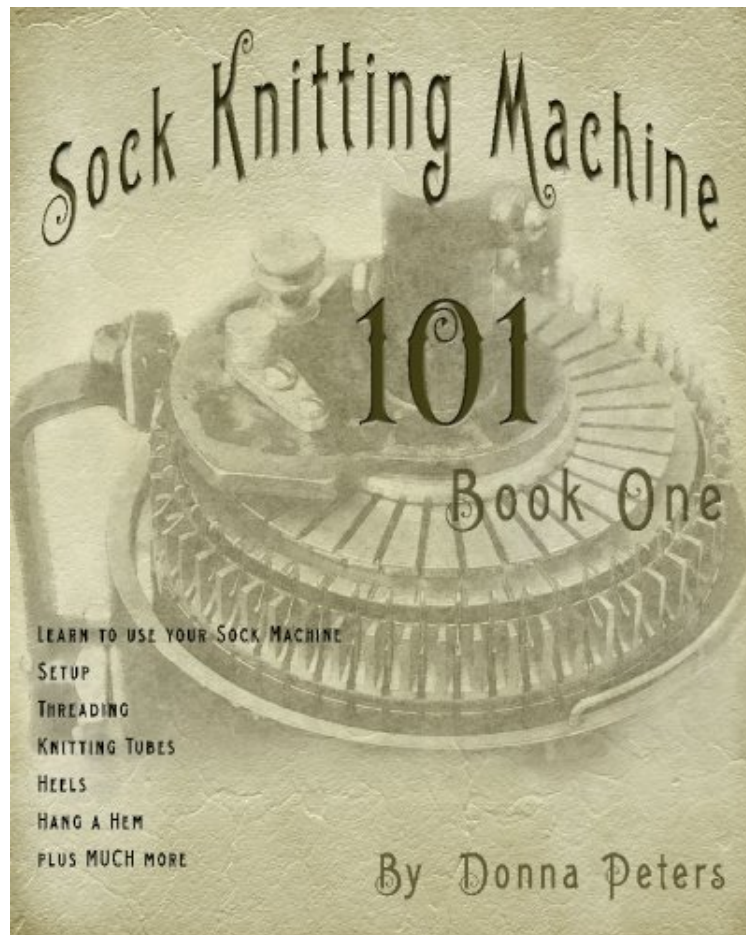


Sock Knitting Machine 101

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Donna Peters : Sock Knitting Machine 101 before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Sock Knitting Machine 101:

7 of 7 people found the following review helpful. Expected much more By Eudice I was very disappointed to say the least with this book. The author has good info and pictures on her website but the book has terrible black and white pictures and lacking in much info. THE vocabulary used was very poor and the book should have been edited. There are many pictures but it is hard to discern what part is what, when they are in different shades of grey that look like they were not taken with a good camera with many pixels and somewhat blurry. There are many pictures but they do not show the machine in its entirety, only a small section, so that you don't understand what it is and where it is. At times terms are used to describe parts but then you can't find that part anywhere listed in the book. If you do not know the term then you are in trouble. Some things that were shown were shown on a machine that was made differently than mine and so I could not figure out what to do with my machine. I was very disappointed in the book and felt that it in no way warranted the price of this book. Her 2nd book has better pictures than this book but it is still a black and white

book. 15 of 15 people found the following review helpful. Disappointing
By Ann
It is a shame that I didn't read the reviews for this book before buying it. Yes, it covers the basics of using a sock knitting machine, and as such, the information is useful. However, its usefulness is limited by a) awful grammar and style of writing and b) a lack of depth to the actual material. I've had a couple of problems with my machine and the advice is both limited but also difficult to follow due to the style of language. Writing a book is very different from teaching a class and there is no doubt that the book would benefit from a good editor and additional information. The section on doing a heel was very confusing and often inaccurate. I am sorry to be so negative because there is certainly a need for a contemporary manual on sock knitting machines, and I had hoped this would be it. Perhaps I wouldn't feel so negative if it hadn't been so expensive. As it stands it is simply not worth the money.
0 of 0 people found the following review helpful.
good
By mmmma
little pricey but hard to find now. some issue with book set up and grammar but suspect software and editor. good starting info if you are wondering before you sok your money into this kind of hobby

This book is written for the person who just purchased a sock machine, it will show you how to unpack your machine, take it apart and put it back together. You will learn how to knit tubes, heels toes, hang a hem, make your own knitted setup bonnet, and more. There is space on the pages to take make your own notes. There are many up close photos that will show you details of the machines. If you can not make it to a sock machine event or find a local teacher, this book is like having me sit with you and explain to you how to use your sock machine. This is not a pattern book, it is a basic learn to use your machine book. If you have questions about what is included in this book please use the See Inside feature.