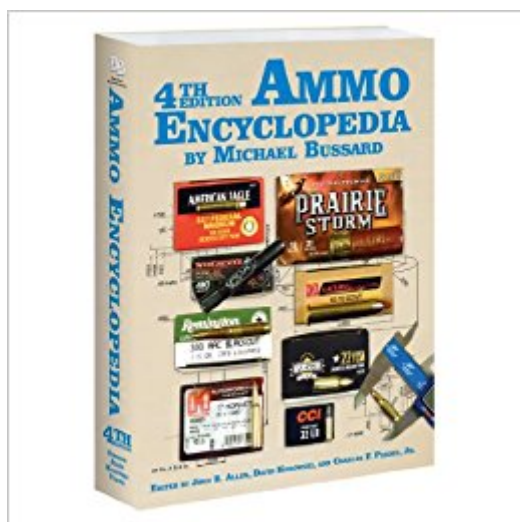


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Synopsis

Blue Book Publications, Inc. is proud to announce the release of our second most-popular title, the 4th Edition Ammo Encyclopedia by Michael Bussard! Due to the unexpected early sellout of the previous edition, Blue Book Publications, Inc. is getting this edition developed as soon as possible. The new 4th Edition Ammo Encyclopedia has been expanded to 972 pages and includes extensive ballistic charts for most popular rimfire and centerfire cartridges. The ammunition industry's newest cartridges have also been added, and many sections have been updated with additional information, charts, and images. If you are a shooter, hunter, or even an ammunition collector, this newest 4th Edition will provide you with the most up-to-date information, facts, and ballistic charts ensuring you will make the right ammunition choices for your particular needs. Without question, this latest edition of the Ammo Encyclopedia is the most comprehensive book ever published on the wide variety of both new and older ammunition!

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At Hornady, it's extremely important for us to keep up with recent developments on ammunition and also compare our new products to those released in the past. One of the best resources for this wide variety of both old and new ammunition is the Ammo Encyclopedia in its 3rd Edition, which now includes ballistic charts on most handgun and rifle cartridges. --- Steve Hornady President, Hornady Manufacturing Company

Michael Bussard is a well-known figure in the firearms industry, having worked for many of the top firearms companies such as Sturm-Ruger. He is the author of numerous books on firearms and ammunition, and is the inventory of several firearms calibers, including the .357 SIG cartridge.

Very informative and educational, with chapters on all components, history, collecting and much more. Very complete with vast information on enormous numbers of calibers and the guns that shoot them. I think the organization is too rigorous - grouping calibers in too many sub-categories, so individual cartridges are sometimes difficult to find. Also, I suspect that the write-ups on some calibers contain more information that is generic to their class and less garnered from specific research. But these are minor complaints. Overall, I heartily recommend this excellent reference work and congratulate its author and publisher.

This is a nice reference book for quite a few cartridges of all types of firearms. The book includes a good amount of information on each bullet including a short history, dimensions, average maximum vertical and horizontal range, average momentum for a variety of generic weights for each bullet, I believe it has average velocity as well. It also has something about average twist rates and stuff like that. The only thing I didn't like were the lack of certain calibers I was searching for.

My husband loved it. He uses it often and carries it with him to trade shows and uses it at home as a reference. He will probably keep it until it falls apart. We would recommend this book to all who are interested in firearms and ammo.

A must have reference manual for the firearms enthusiast, particularly for those who have antique firearms that used different ammunition than modern guns. My husband refers to this often and has found it to be a comprehensive and accurate reference book ... and also very interesting to read.

I have purchased the last 5 issues and this one is trully the best ever! More pages of actual size drawings of the ammo from all over the world...

BUY IT. THE OTHER BUSSARD IS OVER 150.00 DOLLARS. This book is quite adequate and superb in ammo specifics. It will save you a bunch when reloading Mausers. Or Cowboy action 45LC. Easy to read and solve those weirdo ballistics. Especially when making you own casings.

I have the other 3 editions and this one did not disappoint me. The author has a sense of humor that one would not expect with a book of this subject. It is informative but also fun to read. I must say I hope the authors predictions of future ammo demises and trends don't come true.

I already owned the 2nd Edition but though tot update my reference library with a newer issue. I was surprised that some cartridges listed in the 2nd Edition had been deleted from the 4th edition so I need to have both in my Library.

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