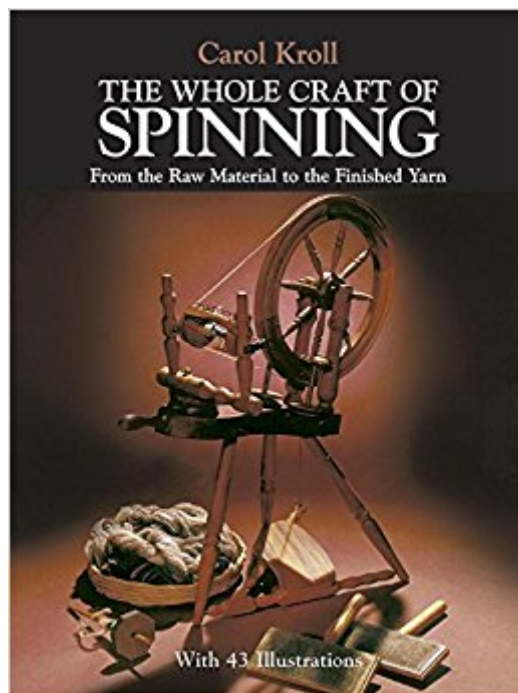




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The Whole Craft Of Spinning: From The Raw Material To The Finished Yarn



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This is a great guide for demonstrating the proper form in which to spin, particularly when using a wheel. Packed with tonnes of information on how to choose fibre, identify the orientation of fibres, and spin yarn that won't fall apart, this comprehensive resource offers a complete analysis of spinning, just like the title promises. I highly recommend this book, both for beginners and continuing learners alike.

This book does have sufficient information for learning to spin fiber into yarn. However I was able to learn from a you tube video on how to spin much better than this book explains. Something that was missing from the book was preparing the combined sliver for spinning. It must be divided into smaller thinner pieces for spinning, the book did not explain that part of spinning. It does teach how to comb raw fiber, and have it turned into a roving/sliver. I think this book is worth getting, but more information might be needed to be ready for spinning on the drop spindle.

Attention hobbyists! This book shows you how to spin wool from raw fiber through to finished yarn. It shows the reader how to spin with a spinning whorl and with different types of spinning wheels. Additionally, it tells the reader how to card fiber. There is also the history of spinning within and things to think about when getting a spinning wheel.

nice clear directions

Great book

This book is definitely for the very beginning spinner. I purchased this book about a year after having taken a spinning class, and learned the very basics in class. I appreciate all the information, but felt it was a bit basic for my needs. I moved very quickly beyond what she teaches in this book. It would be a great book for someone who has never used a wheel or in addition to a first class.

I am enjoying learning about spinning

I was scouring the internet looking for detailed instructions for taking a fleece from the raw, just off the sheep, state to yarn. This book has helped me a lot. It is easy to read and added to what I had already learned quite nicely.

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