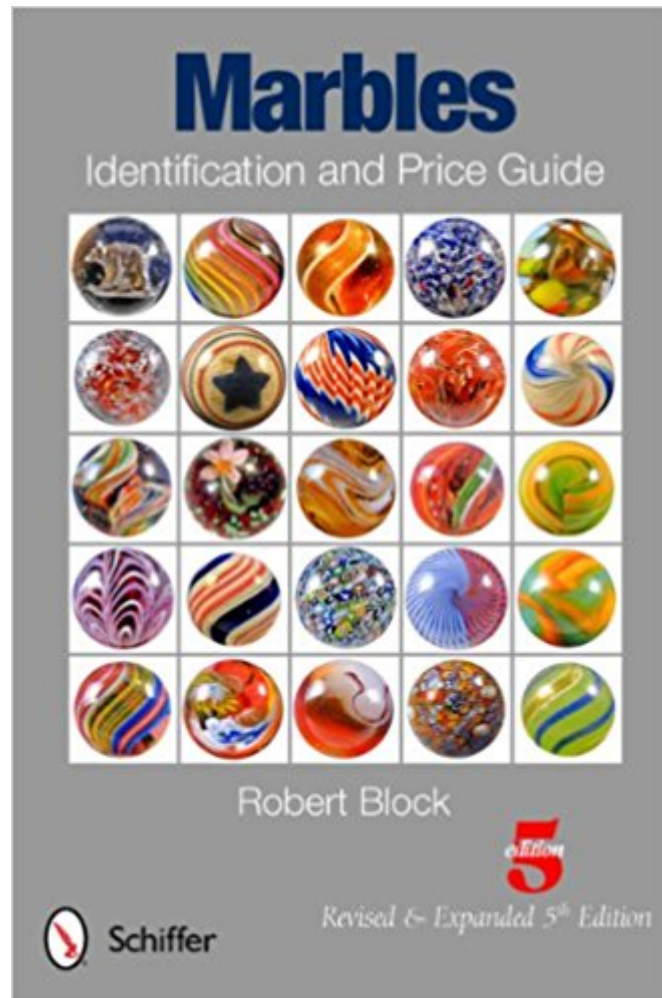




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More than 500 color photos display marbles of all types in this informative, highly popular, revised guide. Most of these photos, over 400, are new to this edition and the text is entirely rewritten. Covered in this reliable guide that has stood the test of time are handmade and machine-made marbles of all types, including Indians, Aggies, Steelies, transitionals, M.F. Christensen & Son, Akro Agate, and more...every major category of marble is presented. Included among the handmade marbles are old marbles of glass, earthenware, minerals, and steel; machine-made marbles are identified by their manufacturers; and contemporary handmade glass marbles by artisans recapturing the old styles and creating exciting new styles all their own. Today's marble pricing is explained in detail. The author describes the four factors to look for when determining the value of a marble, and presents an accurate guide to the modern market. This book is a reliable source book for anyone with an interest in marbles.

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Bob Block has been collecting, appraising, auctioning, and dealing in marbles for over 30 years. He has written extensively on marbles over the years. He and his family reside in Fairfield County, Connecticut.

This is a very nice book from . It is well planned, very comprehensive & nicely illustrated with many

quality photographs. One feature that I especially appreciated is that every photo has a caption directly below it. As I am a beginner to the hobby, at least in regard to what the many varied marbles are called, and to who manufactured what and when, this book really helped me to acquire a good over-view of just those facts. One of the very few ways in which the book might've been improved, is if a few more examples of each company's marbles could've been shown. I do realize that many of these marbles are scarce & that space was limited. Another feature that I liked is that most of the photos were extra-large, likely larger than actual size. The book featured a large typeface as well. This wasn't the first book that I purchased as an introduction to the hobby, but it certainly is the best yet.

Very informative with great pictures.

This book is another great marble collectors dream guide as it lists all the current prices your marbles are worth! Includes the other hard to find designs and sizes and their multiples of value along with it!! I gave it four stars only because I like pictures in my price guides and this one has pictures but just not enough for my liking. It is a GREAT guide though for anyone who wants to know what their marbles are indeed worth at this time!! :D

The books arrived damage!!! Great!!!

I use it a lot, well written.

very informative

Didn't quite fill my needs

This book is fantastic. Great Info, great advice for us Newbies, and absolutly gorgeous photos. The clarity of the pics help with learning the identification of the marble. I am hooked!!

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