



Construction and Home Repair Techniques Simply Explained (Paperback)

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Dover Publications Inc., United States, 2012. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 163 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. This practical and informative manual will enable both the serious builder and the casual do-it-yourselfer to tackle any home building task, from minor repairs to complete overhaul of an existing structure or the construction from scratch of a brand-new home. Created by the U.S. Navy to train military personnel in general techniques of home repair and construction, this is an especially clear and useful guide, featuring easy-to-follow instructions as well as hundreds of diagrams and illustrations. Detailed chapters cover the full range of construction basics: mixing, pouring, and use of concrete; selecting and laying bricks for masonry work; using and selecting woodworking tools; building frames for foundations, floors, walls, and roof; plastering; painting; and many more techniques chosen for the most efficient and permanent results. Concise introductory chapters explain how to prepare drawings and specifications and build scaffolding; final chapters cover such topics as field structures, heavy construction, and working with pre-fabricated units. Approaches and methods for small jobs, safety tips, mathematical diagrams and illustrations, techniques for jobs with special requirements, and abundant expert advice helps guarantee successful completion of...

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