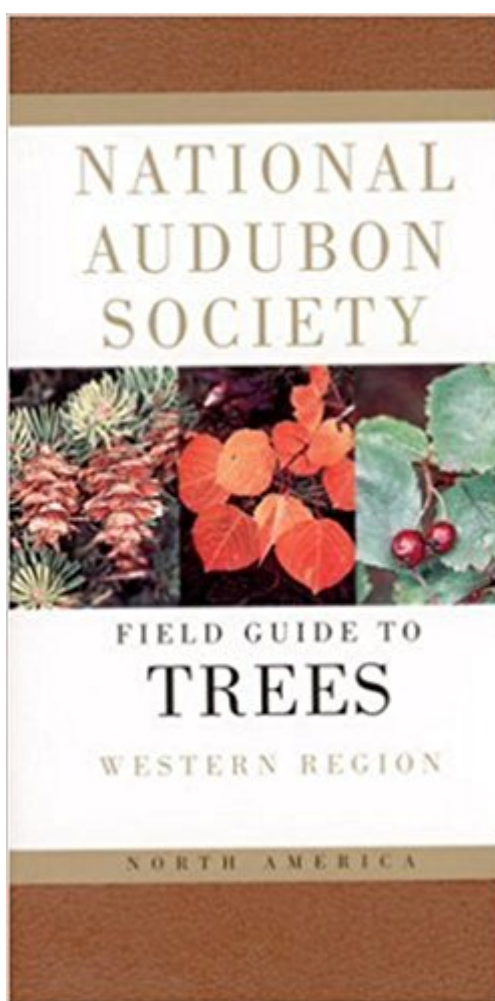


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# National Audubon Society Field Guide To North American Trees--W: Western Region (National Audubon Society Field Guides (Paperback))



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The most comprehensive field guide available to the trees of North America's western region--a must-have for any enthusiast's day pack or home library--from the go-to reference source for over 18 million nature lovers. Nearly 700 species of trees are detailed in beautiful, full-color photographs of leaf shape, bark, flowers, fruit, and fall leaves, and accompanied by an informative text. Both compact and comprehensive, and featuring a durable vinyl binding, this is the ideal field companion for beginner and advanced tree-peepers alike. Note: the Eastern Edition generally covers states east of the Rocky Mountains, while the Western Edition covers the Rocky Mountain range and all the states to the west of it.

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More than 300 species of trees are found in the United States and Canada west of the Rocky Mountains, some introduced from other continents but many native to the region. This handsome guidebook covers them all, with photographs that enable identification by easily discernible characteristics: by, for example, the shape of the leaf or needle, by the fruit, or by the flower or cone. The photographs are linked to texts that describe a tree's physical characteristics, habitat, and range. Some of the trees covered in this volume are exceedingly rare, such as the Monterey pine; others are locally abundant but limited in range, such as the Joshua tree; still others, such as the quaking aspen, are widespread. This guidebook is an essential addition to any western outdoor

enthusiast's collection. --Gregory McNamee

All 933 identification pictures are full-color photos of significant details of virtually all native trees and many cultivated species as you see them in their natural habitat.

Excellent condition and content. I have several books on wild plants and i decided to get one on trees. This book far exceeds my expectations. Pictures seem HD and book is easy to navigate. Also bits of information are added like on the western redbud ; native Indians made bows from the wood. I enjoy this book very much!

Great book

I think the main problem with this book is that it separate the pictures from the texts. What's more, it separate the pictures of leaves, flowers and fruits/nuts. This made it really time-consuming to find all the pictures and background of just one species... Imagine doing this in the field! How annoying it would be. Furthermore, perhaps because it's a book from last century, the printing of the text pages are not clear at all, my eyes hurt after reading it for more than 20 minutes. All in all, it's disappointing. Trust me! Don't buy this book!

The perfect field guide for the trees common in my area, the Trinity Alps of Northern California. Easy to use and great. full color pictures, to help ID common trees and shrubs in this part of the state.

I bought this book for my granddaughter who is majoring in Wildlife Management in college. She really likes it and finds it quite helpful. I have a copy of this book and also the Wild Flower one and keep them in our truck when we travel. Good pictures and descriptions for easy identification.

Nice book if you are like me and want to have a definitive answer to identifying trees. Very help field book for hiking and other.

Very good field guide I like them very much

I didn't expect such easy to follow detail, and my initial need for a simple reference to identify one tree expanded into an interest in identifying other trees. The publication is designed to withstand

rough "field" reference use without noticeable wear and tear. The booklet exceeds my expectations and the quick, careful shipping was a bonus also. Jim Dahle

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