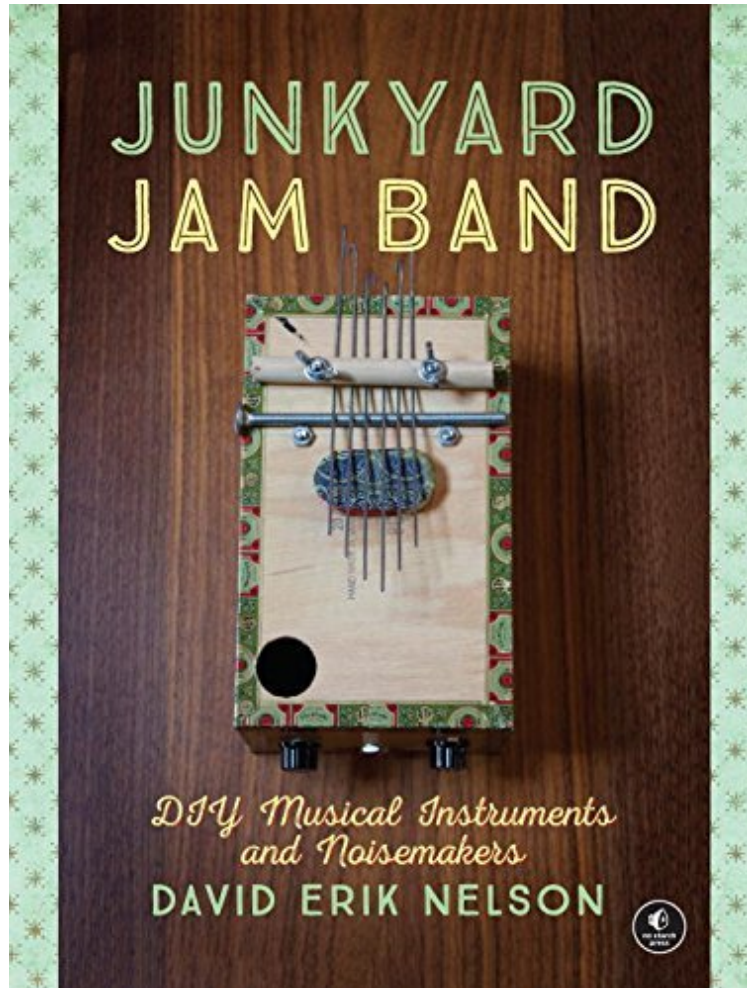


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**David Erik Nelson : Junkyard Jam Band: DIY Musical Instruments and Noisemakers** before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Junkyard Jam Band: DIY Musical Instruments and Noisemakers:

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Great starter for the amateur luthier and music enthusiast. By Amber S. I bought Junkyard Jam Band because I've been really interested in learning how to make quality, functional cigar box ukuleles using random items I find around the house and at thrift shops. I must say, when the book came, I was pleasantly surprised at how many other projects were in this book. It even has step by step instructions on how to wire your homemade instruments to be electric (then turn a radio into an amp!) I set the book down and my 15 year old son snatched it up and read it from cover to cover. I would have to say the only thing I might see as a problem for some people is that the book is very wordy. It has plenty of black and white photos, diagrams, and illustrations for reference but it's definitely meant to be instructional. Personally, I think it's a great starter for someone who is serious about

learning the craft.0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Great book!By Tesla CoilerReally goox book.0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Awesome.By R. A. Van HornWell written and fun. The projects really work and are just plain awesome. It makes me really happy when someone does the research, figures out how to do it, and then writes down the stuff I wish I had time to figure out for myself.

Making music doesnt have to be about dropping big bucks in the guitar shop or endlessly fiddling with expensive software. You can make good noise out of bits of wood and wire, plastic and steel. When you build your own instruments, creating your own sound comes naturally.Junkyard Jam Band is a step-by-step guide to making a full array of complete musical projectsno previous carpentry or electronics experience required. Each build includes tips on how to coax the best sounds out of the instrument and encourages you to mod the project to fit your own style.Learn how to:Bust up your old tape decks for a handheld old-skool ScratchboxGive your voice a robotic makeover with the Droid VoiceboxCircuit-bend unsuspecting childhood toys into mutant glitching jazz-punk machinesTransform cigar boxes into thumb pianos and electric ukulelesBuild a crackling, multifunction Mud-n-Sizzle Preamp to attach to any electric music machineAlong the way, youll explore the physics behind wind instruments, discover how harmonics work, and get your feet wet with some music theory. To top it all off, the back of the book includes a soldering primer for total beginners, along with extra circuits to customize your instruments even further.Build your own band your way!

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