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*"This is a must-have book for everyone who loves gardening and cooking. I'm Jekka 's biggest fan."*

-Jamie Oliver (on the previous edition)

**The Complete Herb Book** is a comprehensive A-Z guide to the fascinating world of herbs, providing practical information on each herb's organic growing requirements, use, mythical properties and historical background. This new edition is updated and revised to include complete entries for 40 additional herbs.

The A-Z directory features a full double-page spread for each herb, with details that include:

Natural habitat Species and related plants Soil properties Watering requirements Weather protection Container growing Strategies to eliminate pests Best harvesting times Culinary, medicinal, cosmetic and other uses Recipes. The how-to section features step-by-step instructions and best practices for herb gardening. Included are sample plans; month-by-month checklists; drying, freezing and storing guides; tips for making oils, vinegars and preserves; and information on propagation.

**The Complete Herb Book** is the ideal handbook for growing herbs and provides hours of browsing pleasure for gardeners, cooks and natural-healing practitioners.

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### Justin says

Better than most herbal books I've read. That being said, it's still a little lacking in scope/depth

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### Christine says

Wonderful, large, color pictures, with good information regarding usage, cultivation, and possible dangers. Also some recipes! A Very nice addition to my library

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### David says

A must have book for any gardener. This book has great pictures and information and contains little known herbs that would be a treat for any gardener to have in their collection.

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### Kimberly says

excellent photographs & detailed info on each herb  
worth owning

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### Tina says

Best book on how to grow and cultivate herbs in a very clear and concise way.

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### Jamie says

Contient environ 40 plantes de plus.

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### Alisha says

Awesome book about herbs. Each double spread has the picture, various names, historical background, how to grow in ground or container, culinary, and medicinal uses. Well-organized and useful.

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**Kirsten says**

Very informative, the only downside is there is no index for ailments, but I would still love to own this book!

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**Pam Terry says**

This book is a must read if you want to start a herb garden, I references every herb I needed and it was there. It's takes you through seed to harvest. Great book!

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**Renee says**

Excellent book, well organized, with great photographs and tons of useful information.

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