

Experience Building the RotaryMek-10X Rubber Band Machine Gun

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Julian Lyndon Marsh : Experience Building the RotaryMek-10X Rubber Band Machine Gun before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Experience Building the RotaryMek-10X Rubber Band Machine Gun:

5 of 5 people found the following review helpful. A kept promise By yetiAs promised by the author, this book will make anyone (with basic skills, common sense and a drill press) build that marvelous rubber band gun. The book is carefully and thoughtfully constructed, explanations are extremely detailed, several large, good quality pictures are included. The technical information is communicated via text, pictures and templates. That method is good for the novice, but requires more patience from the pros, who possibly could make a better use of a traditional technical drawing (plan). Some notes: People outside the US (even some people in the US) must be prepared to use their

creativity, since the project requires some hard to find parts, especially two short pieces of plastic pipes of different diameters. I substituted these with rolled up paper, but could have fabricated of wood also. (I live in Europe.) Measurement units, tool sizes, raw material and screw sizes, as expected, are given in the imperial system. Finding the closest metric mate shouldn't be a problem, but you won't be able to go straightforward, like in case of assembling LEGO - Wikipedia is your friend! Obviously, you won't find exactly the same size of nothing mentioned in the book, so the templates will require little adjustments. I didn't find that difficult after understanding the function of the parts, in what the book is really a big help. My gun works like the very impressive one on Youtube. I am happy with my purchase. 10 of 10 people found the following review helpful. Really enjoyed reading this book and building this gun. By Eric Flynn Found this book when looking at videos on youtube and decided that I would make two of them for my kids as Christmas gifts. Julian was extremely detailed about every part of this gun and the CAD drawing templates make achieving the level of required precision possible. My kids loved the guns and it was a blast making these projects. If you are looking for a fun project, I would absolutely recommend this book. 4 of 4 people found the following review helpful. fantastic woodworking project By simon roy I never build anything like this before and i was not really confident in my ability to do it. but everything in this book is very well explained. If you are a beginner like me, you can follow every step carefully with a very good chance of success. Or just rely on the templates and the pictures if you are more confident in your woodworking skills

This is the definitive guide book for building the RotaryMek-10X rubber band machine gun, one of the world's most advanced rubber band gun designs! To see a video demonstration of the gun and a preview of the book, look on the web for a video of the same title. Building the RotaryMek-10X is a complex, time-consuming woodworking project. Although successful completion of this project does not require particularly sophisticated woodworking techniques, the builder will need to have access to and be able to skillfully use a number of different tools, including a drill press, band saw, and computer-based scanner and printer. The end result of this project is a rubber band gun unlike any other, a truly fully automatic, rapid-firing, rubber band machine gun! In a manner analogous to a real machine gun, the mechanism of the RotaryMek-10X is driven by energy derived from the same source as that which propels the projectiles--the elastic potential energy of the stretched rubber band ammunition loaded onto the gun. There's no crank, no motor... just a trigger and a can of whoop-ass! If properly constructed from high-quality materials, the RotaryMek-10X can be loaded with as many as seventy size 33 rubber bands at one time. The gun develops an extremely high rate of fire (think of a Minigun), but it also has a responsive trigger system, allowing an operator to choose between firing many short bursts or just letting rip fire-hose-style. Please note that this project calls for the use of US-standard dimensional lumber as well as two different sizes of US-standard PVC plumbing pipe. Prospective builders outside the United States might first want to check the availability of the needed materials before committing to the project.