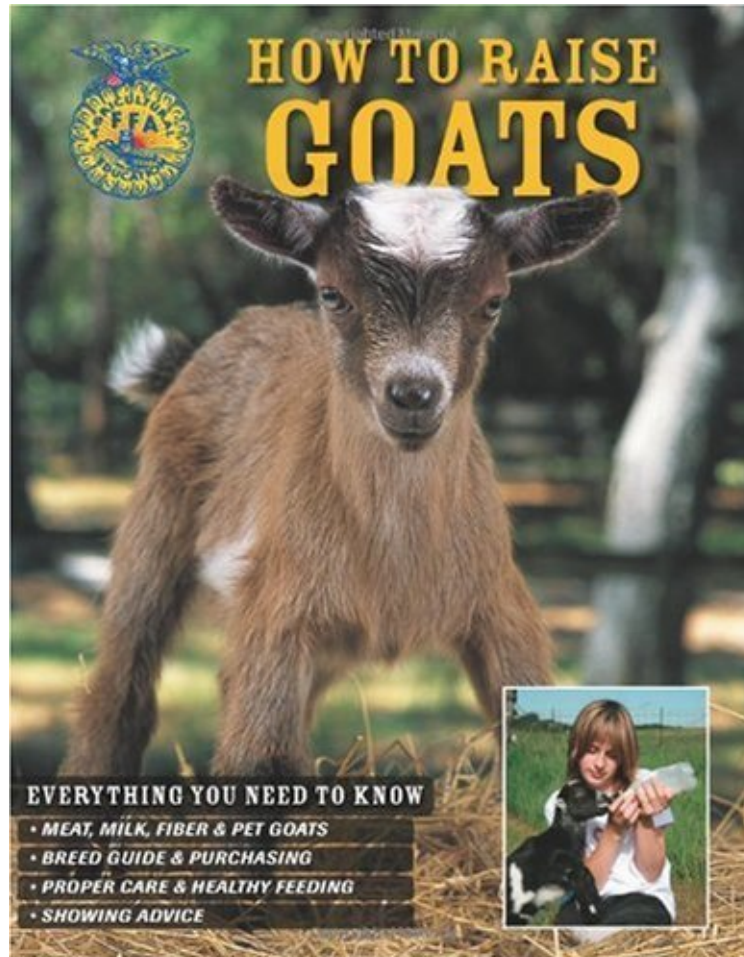


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3 of 3 people found the following review helpful. I thought it was a great book to prepare me for Goat keepingBy RainI thought it was a great book to prepare me for Goat keeping. It touched base on everything goat. There is colored photos to follow description on the "how to parts". I recommend reading this book if your looking to care for goats or if you already have goats. Great information and tips for all stages.1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Good Reference for BeginnersBy dustyrose1973This book contains a lot of information appropriate for beginning to intermediate goat projects. While it carries the FFA logo, it is also appropriate for 4-H members as well as the general public. Profiles different goat breeds, provides basic care, housing, transportation and feeding instructions and gives a brief introduction to showmanship. There is also a good section towards the end with basic goat illnesses, etc. that makes a good reference for owners. The book does not go into a lot of detail and is more of a general guide on how to get started. I would not recommend this for someone who is breeding/showing professionally as it does not have enough detailed information for more advanced goat projects. However, it is great for kids as it uses simple language

and covers a lot of the basics. 17 of 17 people found the following review helpful. Great book for all ages
By B. Allen
I have a 4-H group that is always wanting more information on goats, specifically dairy goats. This book gives a wide variety of information and has great pictures for visualization. I would highly recommend this book for beginner to intermediate knowledge on goats. It is current and offers information in a different way than you might get from Storey's Guide to Raising Dairy Goats. (another book I would recommend)

As pets or livestock, goats are increasingly popular animals on farms large and small. Easier and cheaper to keep than many larger animals, they will keep a pony company, pull a cart, and produce the perfect milk for many artisan cheeses or meat for some of the most up-and-coming ethnic cuisines. For anyone thinking of acquiring a goat or starting a herd--for whatever reason--this book is an essential resource. Written by an authority on goat breeding and behavior, this approachable guide covers every component of raising goats for fun or profit, meat or milk. Beginning with the basics--history and behavior, types and breeds--Carol Amundson answers all of a prospective owner's questions about getting a goat, from land requirements and regulations to choosing or assessing particular animals or breeds. In a clear and engaging way, she goes into the details of housing and feeding, breeding and milking, training and showing, transporting and marketing goats of all kinds--as well as the dos and don'ts of keeping them healthy from birth to old age. Concise, complete, and easy-to-use, this is a reference that no goat owner should be without.

...this book is a wonderful introduction to the art/science of goat raising. This beautifully illustrated book touches on just about every issue you might worry about when considering entering our mysterious "caprine world"; I think this is a wonderful book for anyone who is wondering if they are up to the challenge of keeping a goat herd. But its added strength is in its list of resources for in-depth research. Published by Voyageur Press, this book will reach the mainstream press and guide interested people to find more detailed information along their journey. -- Ruminations, Summer 2009 ... a no-nonsense, how-to manual that lives up to its title. Full color photography and straightforward text accessible to readers of all backgrounds make How to Raise Goats an absolute "must-have" for anyone considering goat ownership. --Midwest Book , April, 2009