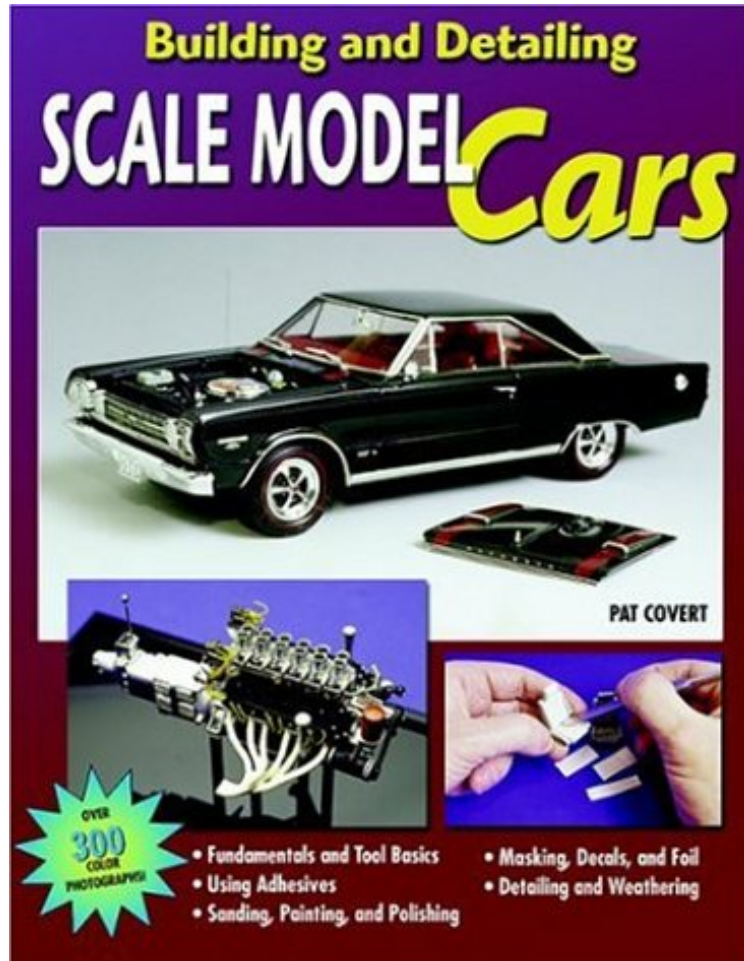


## Building and Detailing Scale Model Cars

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1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Great examples - but the steps to get there aren't well laid out. By T. Lantz Let me start out saying that Pat Covert is a great modeller. His concept of the the book is good but the steps to get to the implied results are a bit thin. Instructions of what tools to use and how to use them is good but not excellent. Pictoral examples of how to use them aren't consistant. Painting instruction and how to achieve a quality finish and polish that finish is good. The text areas are a bit too dense and the pictures, while outstanding in size and quality, are in large groupings. Captions should be more in-depth and instructional - what tools were used, tricks, short-cuts and other examples/variations would have made a good book great. One thing that stood out - Clay Kemp's Dodge Craftsmen truck series section. Outstanding example of research, detailing, and execution. The Photos are excellent. I actually thought the pics on Pages 84-85 were 1:1 scale research photos! Outstanding Mr. Kemp! 2 of 2 people found

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Very few hobbies offer more ways to gratify their devotees than car modeling. Many do it for the simple fact that they enjoy working with their hands. Some prefer to build a model replica of a car they own or have owned in the past. Others desire building certain types of cars because they dream of owning one, driving one, or being able to admire the car at any given time. Modelers can take time out to dream any time by simply walking over to the display shelf and letting a model car transport them to automotive Valhalla.The act of building a model car requires strategic planning, mental preparation, hand-to-eye coordination, and the determination to achieve an end goal. Building and Detailing Scale Model Cars reveals the fundamentals of building, painting, and detailing model cars. Author Pat Covert has left no stone unturned. He uses over 300 detailed color photographs to illustrate techniques, tools, adhesives, paint, polish, masking and decals, weathering, fine detailing, and more.

Modeling Madness, January 2006, reviewed by Scott Van Aken "Overall, a really excellent book and in today's market, a real value for the money. It is one that I can highly recommend to the car modeler and anyone else who wants to improve their modeling skills."