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Mark Bellomo : Ultimate Guide to G.I. Joe 1982-1994 before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Ultimate Guide to G.I. Joe 1982-1994:

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Excellent reference guide for 1982-94 3/4" G.I. Joes Accessories!By Chrusher_ComExcellent reference guide for 1982-94 3/4" G.I. Joes Accessories! With a forward and additional notes from Larry Hama, and countless pictures of all of the first generation of 3/4" G.I. Joes, vehicles, play-sets, and accessories, Mark Bellomo does a great job in covering everything with pictures and descriptions. If anything, we could have been treated to a few more pictures: notably better angles of some of the vehicles play-sets and close-ups of the rarer items and/or more shots of the packaging. Perhaps the newer edition has these, but I got this one for the great price in comparison to the revised edition. Makes a great book end for Bellomo's Transformers guide of the same era, which is also very good. Highly recommended books, both!4 of 6 people found the following review helpful. Great

compilation, but missing a few basics

By Chaser892 This is a very good reference book for the Joes of the 80s and 90s. It is very complete as far as items included. What makes this a must buy are the comments about prototype drawings and Larry Hama's own notes. They provide a fascinating insight into the origin of the best toy and comic collection of my generation (imho). Sorry to nitpick, but a few glitches prevented a 5 star rating, for example: the darkness of some of the pictures (three helmets are pictured together and captioned as different shades of green, but all appear black), simple proofreading mistakes, slips such as using the same picture for both Tomax and Xamot (even though they were actually mirror images of each other), and not including more file card info like full name and hometown (which played such a huge part in the character personalities). Don't get me wrong, it's a fun read and I would recommend it to collectors of any degree. I bought it to help with the long procrastinated inventory project of my own childhood GI Joe collection which had been collecting attic dust for over 15 years.

Yo Joe! 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful.

An Ultimate Guide

By A Customer The Ultimate guide is just that. This is a must for any kid that loved playing with G.I. Joe toys. Volume two is an improvement over this book as it has better photo angles but I would say buy both as they each add something!

Introduced in the 1980s, the 3 3/4-inch G.I. Joe became an instant hit. Today, the first run of these action figures (1982 - 1994) has become one of the hottest collectibles in the toy-collecting hobby.

The Ultimate Guide to G.I. Joe 1982 - 1994 is the must-have resource for enthusiasts, with more coverage than any other book available! This comprehensive, full-color reference features 1,000 brilliant photos, identification information and current collector pricing for 350 action figures and 240 vehicles and accessories.