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The America's Test Kitchen Family Cookbook Simon and Schuster Eat your way to better health with this New York Times bestseller on food's ability to help the body heal itself from cancer, dementia, and dozens of other avoidable diseases. Forget everything you think you know about your body and food, and discover the new science of how the body heals itself. Learn how to identify the strategies and dosages for using food to transform your resilience and health in Eat to Beat Disease. We have radically underestimated our body's power to transform and restore our health. Pioneering physician scientist, Dr. William Li, empowers readers by showing them the evidence behind over 200 health-boosting foods that can starve cancer, reduce your risk of dementia, and beat dozens of avoidable diseases. Eat to Beat Disease isn't about what foods to avoid, but rather is a life-changing guide to the

hundreds of healing foods to add to your meals that support the body's defense systems, including: Plums Cinnamon Jasmine tea Red wine and beer Black Beans San Marzano tomatoes Olive oil Pacific oysters Cheeses like Jarlsberg, Camembert and cheddar Sourdough bread The book's plan shows you how to integrate the foods you already love into any diet or health plan to activate your body's health defense systems- Angiogenesis, Regeneration, Microbiome, DNA Protection, and Immunity-to fight cancer, diabetes, cardiovascular, neurodegenerative autoimmune diseases, and other debilitating conditions. Both informative and practical, Eat to Beat Disease explains the science of healing and prevention, the strategies for using food to actively transform health, and points the science of wellbeing and disease prevention in an exhilarating new direction.

**The New Best Recipe** Appetite by Random House

Everyone can enjoy another great new year of the best new recipes, tastings, and testings handpicked by the editors at America's Test Kitchen This annual best-of-the-best collection of recipes, tastings, and testings has once again been carefully

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selected from the hundreds of recipes developed throughout the last year by the editors of *Cook's Illustrated* and *Cook's Country* magazines and from the new cookbooks *The Perfect Pie*, *The Ultimate Burger*, *How to Cocktail*, *Bowls*, *Mediterranean Instant Pot*, *Everything Chocolate*, and *Easy Everyday Keto*. The 2021 edition offers a wide array of everyday-to-sophisticated foolproof recipes ranging from *Double-Decker Drive-Thru Burgers*, *Sweet Potato Crunch*, and *Eggplant Pecorino* to *Roasted Beef Chuck Roast with Horserdsh-Parsley Sauce*, *Oven-Steamed Fish with Scallions and Ginger*, and *Whole Roast Ducks with Cherry Sauce*. The book ends with a chapter of impressive desserts including *Fresh Plum-Ginger Pie*, *Chocolate Pavlova*, and *Caramel-Espresso Yule Log*. All of the year's top ingredient tastings and equipment testings are also included.

*Ruhlman's Twenty* Abrams

"A whole new way to celebrate ingredients that have long been wasted. Lindsay-Jean is a master of efficiency and we're inspired to follow her lead!" —Amanda Hesser and Merrill Stubbs, cofounders of Food52 In 85 innovative recipes, Lindsay-Jean Hard—who writes the "Cooking with Scraps" column for Food52—shows just how delicious and surprising the all-too-often-discarded parts of food can be, transforming what might be considered trash into culinary treasure. Here's how to put those seeds, stems, tops, rinds to good use for more delicious (and more frugal) cooking: Carrot greens—bright, fresh, and packed with flavor—make a zesty pesto. Water from canned beans behaves just like egg whites, perfect for vegan mayonnaise that even non-vegans

will love. And serve broccoli stems olive-oil poached on lemony ricotta toast. It's pure food genius, all the while critically reducing waste one dish at a time. "I love this book because the recipes matter...show[ing] us how to utilize the whole plant, to the betterment of our palate, our pocketbook, and our place."

—Eugenia Bone, author of *The Kitchen Ecosystem* "Packed with smart, approachable recipes for beautiful food made with ingredients that you used to throw in the compost bin!" —Cara Mangini, author of *The Vegetable Butcher Kitchen Mysteries* HarperCollins

Eminently practical and truly trustworthy, *The Cook's Illustrated Meat Book* is the only resource you'll need for great results every time you cook meat. Whether you have burgers, steak, ribs, or roast chicken on the menu shopping for and cooking meat can be confusing, and mistakes can be costly. After 20-plus years of purchasing and cooking beef, pork, lamb, veal, chicken, and turkey, the editors of *Cook's Illustrated* understand that preparing meat doesn't start at the stove it starts at the store. *The Cook's Illustrated Meat Book* begins with a 27-page master class in meat cookery, which covers shopping (what's the difference between natural and organic labels?), storing (just how long should you really refrigerate meat and does the duration vary if the meat is cooked or raw?), and seasoning meat (marinating, salting, and brining). Matching cut to cooking method is another key to success, so our guide includes fully illustrated pages devoted to all of the major cooking methods: sautéing, pan-searing, pan-roasting, roasting, grilling, barbecuing, and more. We identify the best cuts for these methods and explain point by point how and why you should follow our steps and what may happen if you don't. 425 Bulletproof and rigorously tested recipes for beef, pork, lamb, veal, and poultry provide plenty of options for everyday meals and

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special occasion dinners and you'll learn new and better ways to cook favorites such as Pan-Seared Thick-Cut Steak, Juicy Pub-Style Burgers, Weeknight Roast Chicken, Barbecued Pulled Pork, and more. The Cook's Illustrated Meat Book also includes equipment recommendations (what should you look for in a good roasting pan and is it worth spending extra bucks on a pricey nonstick skillet?). In addition, hundreds of step-by-step illustrations guide you through our core techniques so whether you're slicing a chicken breast into cutlets or getting ready to carve prime rib the Cook's Illustrated Meat Book covers all the bases

### The Food Lab: Better Home Cooking

#### Through Science America's Test Kitchen

Over 1 Million Copies Sold A New York Times Bestseller Winner of the James Beard Award for General Cooking and the IACP Cookbook of the Year Award "The one book you must have, no matter what you're planning to cook or where your skill level falls."—New York Times Book Review Ever wondered how to pan-fry a steak with a charred crust and an interior that's perfectly medium-rare from edge to edge when you cut into it? How to make homemade mac 'n' cheese that is as satisfyingly gooey and velvety-smooth as the blue box stuff, but far tastier? How to roast a succulent, moist turkey (forget about brining!)—and use a foolproof method that works every time? As Serious Eats's culinary nerd-in-residence, J. Kenji López-Alt has pondered all these questions and more. In *The Food Lab*, Kenji focuses on the science behind beloved American dishes, delving into the interactions between heat, energy, and molecules that create great food. Kenji shows that often, conventional methods don't work that well, and home cooks can achieve far better results using new—but simple—techniques. In hundreds of easy-to-make recipes with over 1,000 full-color images, you will find

out how to make foolproof Hollandaise sauce in just two minutes, how to transform one simple tomato sauce into a half dozen dishes, how to make the crispiest, creamiest potato casserole ever conceived, and much more.

*Cook, Taste, Learn* W. W. Norton & Company

A highly original collection of high magnification photographs that unlock the hidden beauty of seeds and fruit, from the author of *Microsculpture* *The Hidden Beauty of Seeds & Fruits* is a photographic study that celebrates the wonders of nature and science in mind-blowing magnification. Levon Biss' striking photography captures the breathtaking and beautiful details of the world of carpology, the study of seeds and fruits. Each picture reveals minute features and textures that are normally invisible to the naked eye, providing the audience with an insight into strange and often bizarre adaptations that have evolved over thousands of years. After spending months searching through the carpological collection at the Royal Botanic Garden Edinburgh, Biss selected over a hundred striking samples to be featured in this book.

Captioned with scientific text that provides the backstory for each specimen, *The Hidden Beauty of Seeds & Fruits* is guaranteed to amaze, entertain, and educate.

*Science in the Kitchen and the Art of Eating Well* W. W. Norton & Company

*The Flavor Equation* is a first-of-its-kind accessible guide to elevating elemental ingredients to make delicious dishes that hit all the right notes, every time.

Author Nik Sharma dives deep into the

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most basic of our pantry items - salts, oils, sugars, vinegars, citrus, peppers, and so on - and other approachable spices and herbs, and demonstrates how to convert them into tasty, simple dishes. In that, he provides inspiration and knowledge to both home cooks and seasoned chefs. This book is an in-depth exploration into the science of taste, with about 100 recipes to try in your kitchen.

Sous Vide John Wiley & Sons

Rare is the cookbook that redefines how we cook. And rare is the author who can do so with the ease and expertise of acclaimed writer and culinary authority Michael Ruhlman.

On Food and Cooking America's Test Kitchen

Just as Hugh Acheson brought a chef's mind to the slow cooker in *The Chef and the Slow Cooker*, so he brings a home cook's perspective to sous vide, with 90 recipes that demystify the technology for readers and unlock all of its potential. NAMED ONE OF FALL'S BEST COOKBOOKS BY FOOD & WINE Whether he's working with fire and a pan, your grandpa's slow cooker, or a cutting-edge sous vide setup, Hugh Acheson wants to make your cooking life easier, more fun, and more delicious. And while cooking sous vide—a method where food is sealed in plastic bags or glass jars, then cooked in a precise, temperature-controlled water bath—used to be for chefs in high-end restaurants, Hugh is here to help home cooks bring this rather friendly piece of technology into their kitchens. The beauty of sous vide is its ease and consistency—it can cook a steak

medium-rare, or a piece of fish to tender, just-doneness every single time . . . and hold it there until you're ready to eat, whether dinner is in ten minutes or eight hours away. But to unlock the method's creative secrets, Hugh shows you how to get the best sear on that steak after it comes out of the bath, demonstrates which dishes play best with extra-long, extra-slow cooking, and opens up the whole world of vegetables to a technology most known for cooking meat and fish. Praise for *Sous Vide* "High-end cooking comes to the home kitchen in this fun, clear approach to a gourmet technique. . . . [Hugh] Acheson writes with such charm that he can make warm water

interesting."—Publishers Weekly

**Keys to Good Cooking** America's Test Kitchen

Learn how to cook just about anything with this easy-to-follow cookbook for beginners—featuring 80 themed courses, 400 recipes, and 200+ kitchen hacks and skills for cooking at home! Go to cooking school in your own kitchen! In this cookbook for beginners and experienced cooks, America's Test Kitchen teaches you cooking basics, from poaching the perfect egg to making Italian pasta from scratch. Learn how to cook with:

- 80+ focused courses, from Pizza and Fried Rice to Fish on the Grill
- Insights on cooking techniques, key takeaways, and the food science of each course
- Demonstrations of a wide range of skills, progressing from basic to more advanced
- Easy-to-digest sections, so you can stop reading and start cooking!
- Infographic pages that dive deeper

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into each recipe and their ingredients. Why should you salt food at multiple stages during the cooking process? How is olive oil really produced, and why do mushrooms benefit from water when sauteing? Come learn all this and more with *The New Cooking School*—your ultimate guide to cooking basics and kitchen hacks for cooking at home.

### **The New Cooking School Cookbook**

America's Test Kitchen

Finalist for the James Beard Foundation

Book Award and the IACP Cookbook

Award "[A]s good a read on the science of cooking as there is." —Mark Bittman, author

of *How to Cook Everything* "Wolke, longtime professor of chemistry and author

of the Washington Post column Food 101,

turns his hand to a Cecil Adams style compendium of questions and answers on

food chemistry. Is there really a difference between supermarket and sea salt? How is

sugar made? Should cooks avoid

aluminum pans? Interspersed throughout

Wolke's accessible and humorous

answers to these and other mysteries are

recipes demonstrating scientific principles.

There is gravy that avoids lumps and

grease; Portuguese Poached Meringue

that demonstrates cream of tartar at work;

and juicy Salt-Seared Burgers...With its zest

for the truth, this book will help cooks learn

how to make more intelligent choices."

—Publishers Weekly

*Pete's Guide to Good Cooking* America's

Test Kitchen

MEAT EATERS, REJOICE: Increase your

meat counter confidence with this award-

winning meat cookbook that shows you

how to cook 72 cuts of meat in 300+

kitchen-tested recipes! With chapters

organized by animal and its primal cuts,

Meat Illustrated is the meat eater's go-to

meat cookbook and handbook! Discover

essential information and techniques that will empower you to make steakhouse-worthy meals and explore everything your butcher shop has to offer. Inside you'll find:

- 300+ recipes covering 72 cuts of meat—including beef, pork, lamb, and veal
- Cut-specific guidance on buying, prepping, storing, cooking, and more
- Step-by-step photos, break-out tutorials, and hundreds of hand-drawn illustrations
- Need-to-know techniques, from smoking and grilling to braising and curing

Learn the best methods for center-of-the-plate meats like Butter-Basted Rib Steaks (spooning hot butter cooks the steaks from both sides so they come to temperature as they acquire a deep crust), and meltingly tender Chinese Barbecued Roast Pork Shoulder (cook for 6 hours so the collagen melts to lubricate the meat). And get ideas on how to complete your meals with delicious sides like Fried Brown Rice with Pork and Shrimp or Libyan-style chickpea and orzo soup! So, don't just go to the butcher—become the butcher. Full of comprehensive, hands-on guidance, this ultimate meat cookbook takes the mystery out of buying and cooking meat like a pro.

### Cooking for Geeks America's Test Kitchen

A landmark book from the test kitchen that has been teaching America how to cook for 20 years. We launched the America's Test Kitchen Cooking School two years ago to teach home cooks how to cook the test kitchen way, and since then thousands of students have taken our interactive video-based online courses. The America's Test Kitchen Cooking School Cookbook shares the same goal as our online school and brings all our best practices—along with 600 all-time favorite recipes—into one place so that you can become a better,

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more confident cook. There is no better way to learn than seeing an expert in action, so we've included over 2,500 color photos that bring you into the test kitchen so you can see how to prepare recipes step-by-step. The book starts off with an exhaustive 46-page Cooking Basics chapter that covers everything from what equipment you need (and how to care for it) to test-kitchen tricks for how to make food taste better. Then we move on to cover all the major cooking and baking categories, from meat, poultry, and pasta to breads, cakes, and pies. Illustrated Core Techniques, like how to whip egg whites, roast a chicken, or bake flawless pie dough, focus on the building block recipes everyone should know. Recipe Tutorials that each feature 20-35 color photos then walk readers through recipes that are either more complicated or simply benefit from the visual clues of step photography, like Extra-Crunchy Fried Chicken, Sticky Buns with Pecans, and Deep-Dish Apple Pie. Every chapter ends with a library of the test kitchen's all-time favorite recipes, such as Pan-Seared Steaks with Red Wine Pan Sauce, Meatballs and Marinara, Best Vegetarian Chili, Memphis-Style Barbecued Ribs, and New York-Style Cheesecake—more than 600 in total—that will allow home cooks to expand their repertoire. The America's Test Kitchen Cooking School Cookbook is a how-to-cook book that also explains why recipes succeed or fail, which makes it the ideal book for anyone looking to cook better.

Salt, Fat, Acid, Heat Workman Publishing  
International celebrity and co-founder of

molecular gastronomy Herve This answers such fundamental questions as what causes vegetables to change color when cooked and how to keep a souffle from falling. Sharing the empirical principles chefs have valued for generations, he shows how to adapt recipes to available ingredients and how to modify proposed methods to the utensils at hand. His revelations make difficult recipes easier and allow for even more creativity and experimentation in the kitchen.

Cook's Illustrated Baking Book America's Test Kitchen

An award-winning kitchen classic for over 35 years, and hailed by Time magazine as "a minor masterpiece" when it first appeared in 1984, On Food and Cooking is the bible which food lovers and professional chefs worldwide turn to for an understanding of where our foods come from, what exactly they're made of, and how cooking transforms them into something new and delicious. For its twentieth anniversary, Harold McGee prepared a new, fully revised and updated edition of On Food and Cooking. He has rewritten the text almost completely, expanded it by two-thirds, and commissioned more than 100 new illustrations. As compulsively readable and engaging as ever, the new On Food and Cooking provides countless eye-opening insights into food, its preparation, and its enjoyment. On Food and Cooking pioneered the translation of technical food science into cook-friendly kitchen science and helped birth the inventive culinary movement known as "molecular gastronomy." Though other books have been written about kitchen science, On Food and Cooking remains unmatched in the accuracy, clarity, and thoroughness of its explanations, and the intriguing way in which it blends science with the historical

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evolution of foods and cooking techniques. Among the major themes addressed throughout the new edition are: · Traditional and modern methods of food production and their influences on food quality · The great diversity of methods by which people in different places and times have prepared the same ingredients · Tips for selecting the best ingredients and preparing them successfully · The particular substances that give foods their flavors, and that give us pleasure · Our evolving knowledge of the health benefits and risks of foods On Food and Cooking is an invaluable and monumental compendium of basic information about ingredients, cooking methods, and the pleasures of eating. It will delight and fascinate anyone who has ever cooked, savored, or wondered about food.

### **America's Test Kitchen Twentieth**

**Anniversary TV Show Cookbook** Springer  
The ultimate recipe resource: an indispensable treasury of more than 2,000 foolproof recipes and 150 test kitchen discoveries from the pages of Cook's Illustrated magazine. There is a lot to know about cooking, more than can be learned in a lifetime, and for the last 20 years we have been eager to share our discoveries with you, our friends and readers. The Cook's Illustrated Cookbook represents the fruit of that labor. It contains 2,000 recipes, representing almost our entire repertoire. Looking back over this work as we edited this volume, we were reminded of some of our greatest hits, from Foolproof Pie Dough (we add vodka for an easy-to-roll-out but flaky crust), innumerable recipes based on brining and salting meats (our Brined Thanksgiving Turkey in 1993 launched a nationwide trend), Slow-Roasted Beef (we salt a roast a day in advance and then use a very low oven to promote a tender, juicy result), Poached Salmon (a very shallow poaching liquid steams the fish instead of simmering it in water and robbing it of flavor), and the Ultimate Chocolate Chip Cookies (we brown the butter for better flavor). Our editors handpicked more

than 2,000 recipes from the pages of the magazine to form this wide-ranging compendium of our greatest hits. More than just a great collection of foolproof recipes, The Cook's Illustrated Cookbook is also an authoritative cooking reference with clear hand-drawn illustrations for preparing the perfect omelet, carving a turkey, removing meat from lobsters, frosting a layer cake, shaping sandwich bread, and more. 150 test kitchen tips throughout the book solve real home-cooking problems such as how to revive tired herbs, why you shouldn't buy trimmed leeks, what you need to know about freezing and thawing chicken, when to rinse rice, and the best method for seasoning cast-iron (you can even run it through the dishwasher). An essential collection for fans of Cook's Illustrated (and any discerning cook), The Cook's Illustrated Cookbook will keep you cooking for a lifetime - and guarantees impeccable results.

### **The Blue Apron Cookbook** Columbia University Press

Guy Crosby offers a lively tour of the history and science behind the art of cooking, with a focus on achieving a healthy daily diet. He traces the evolution of cooking from its earliest origins, recounting the innovations that have unraveled the mysteries of health and taste.

### **The Science of Cooking** America's Test Kitchen

The only one-pot cookbook you'll ever need! Simplify dinner and eat well with hundreds of meals that take full advantage of your favorite pans. Today's one-pot recipes are more varied than ever. From sheet-pan suppers to no-boil pastas, these flavorful recipes represent the test kitchen's best strategies for successful single-pan cooking, including staggering cooking times so everything finishes at once and developing an arsenal of no-cook sauces to dress up Instant Pot and slow

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cooker meals. ATK flips the lid on several one-pot cooking assumptions; first, that it's always slow. More than 130 of the 400+ recipes can be made in 45 minutes or less. Next, that the recipes serve an army: We paid attention to smaller family sizes by adding scaled-down recipes serving two throughout the book. And we made some of the all-time best recipes more flexible with choose-your-own pan options such as Classic Chicken Soup that can be made in a Dutch oven, slow cooker, or pressure cooker. Finally, we realized that decluttering dinner didn't stop with using just one pot but also meant limiting the number of bowls. Skip takeout with Sheet Pan Veggie Pizza. Make date-night Classic Arroz Con Pollo for Two in a saucepan. Cook for a crowd using a roasting-pan for Herbed Lamb Shoulder with Fingerling Potatoes and Asparagus. Set and forget Slow Cooker Spiced Pork Tenderloin with Raisin-Almond Couscous, or get dinner on the table fast using an Instant Pot to make Cod with Warm Tabbouleh Salad.

#### The America's Test Kitchen Cooking School

Cookbook W. W. Norton & Company Presents advice on cooking techniques, equipment, food preparation, and selection of ingredients, along with recipes for appetizers, soups, meats, fish, vegetables, sauces, breads, and desserts.

#### **The Science of Cooking** America's Test Kitchen

In *Cook's Science*, the all-new companion to the New York Times-bestselling *The Science of Good Cooking*, America's Test Kitchen deep dives into the surprising science behind 50 of our favorite ingredients--and uses that science to make them taste their best. From the editors of *Cook's Illustrated*, and the best-selling *The Science of Good Cooking*, comes an all-new companion book highlighting 50 of our favorite ingredients and the (sometimes surprising) science behind them: *Cook's*

*Science*. Each chapter explains the science behind one of the 50 ingredients in a short, informative essay--topics ranging from pork shoulder to apples to quinoa to dark chocolate--before moving onto an original (and sometimes quirky) experiment, performed in our test kitchen and designed to show how the science works. The book includes 50 dynamic, full-page color illustrations, giving in-depth looks at individual ingredients, "family trees" of ingredients, and cooking techniques like sous vide, dehydrating, and fermentation. The 400+ foolproof recipes included take the science into the kitchen, and range from crispy fried chicken wings to meaty-tasting vegetarian chili, coconut layer cake to strawberry rhubarb pie.