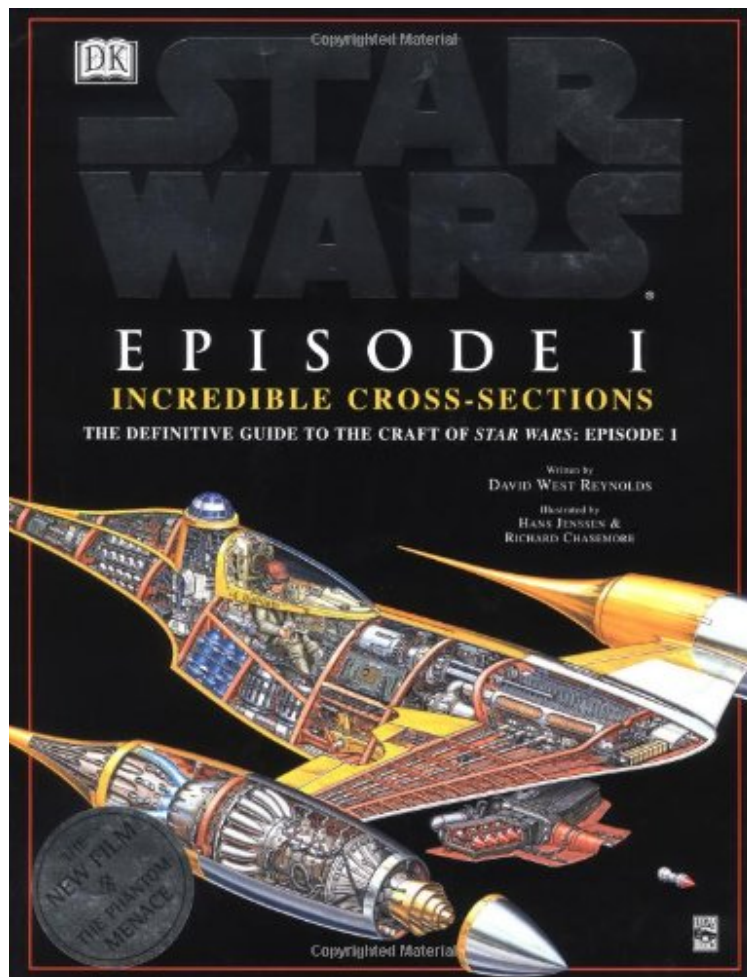


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Radiant VII. The Trade Federation Landing ship. The Trade Federation MTT (multi troop transport). The Gungan sub. The royal starship of Queen Amidala. The podracers (only Teemto's, Anakin's and Sebulba's podracers are cross sectioned). Darth Maul's Sith Infiltrator. The Trade Federation droid starfighter. The Trade Federation droid control ship (displayed on the fold out pages). The Naboo Royal N-1 starfighter. The Trade Federation AAT (armored assault tank). The Naboo speeder. The Corusant Taxi. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Book great! Seller not great!!! By Renaldy Seller is utterly ridiculous!! This book had no dust cover with scratches on the spine and cover so I would hardly call it new!!!! 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Great illustrations to help you imagine what it would really look like if these vehicles were real. We donated this copy to our school library, but wish we bought one for ourselves!

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.com Want to get a battle-droid's-eye view of the inside of an AAT battle tank? Care to see what Darth Maul's hiding in the trunk of his sinister-looking Sith Infiltrator? You're in luck: the crew that brought us the super-cool Star Wars Visual Dictionary and the Incredible Cross-Sections for the first movie trilogy is back. Boy wonder archaeologist-author David West Reynolds has put together another Incredible Cross-Sections guide, this time pulling apart the vehicles and vessels in Episode I: The Phantom Menace. DK has mastered the art of making Star Wars fans drool, and this latest guide is definitely state of the art, opening up everything from Naboo starfighters to Trade Federation transports. As always, Reynolds approaches the Star Wars universe with the respect and love of a fan, putting each ship in context with his characteristic friendly but scientific style. The clean chromium lines and meticulous wiring of Queen Amidala's Royal Starship reflect the order and honor of Naboo royalty; the flowing, shell-like details on a tribubble bongo sub show off the Gungans' organic aesthetic. The best ships, of course, belong to the bad guys: you can check out the secret weapons and cloak field generator packed aboard Maul's Infiltrator (which, we learn, has an "experimental" ion engine that will later put the I-E in TIE fighters), and the Trade Federation's droid starfighter and control ship get a full giant fold-out. From the "bunker-buster" high explosive shells spit out by an AAT to the flame emitter weapon on Sebulba's podracer, this inside-out tour makes all the stops you want it to. --Paul Hughes
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