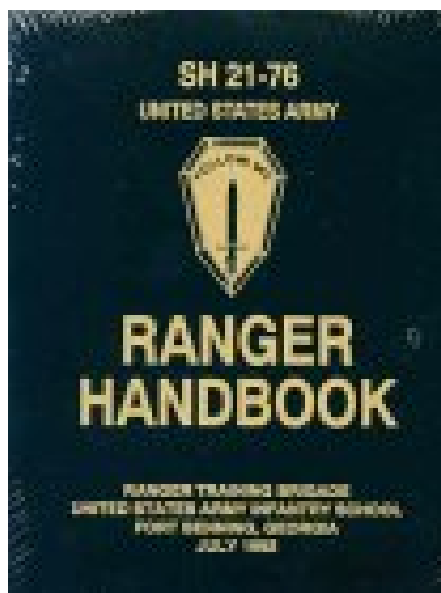




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This February 2011 edition is the most current, fully revised and is currently in use. In this handbook you will find tactics and techniques used by Army Rangers. This handbook offers the techniques and tactics that make U.S. Army Rangers the best soldiers in the world. These highly trained, easily deployable, and widely skilled infantrymen specialize in airborne assault, raids, recovery of personnel and equipment, and airfield seizure, among other difficult and dangerous missions. Now, in this recently revised edition of the U.S. Army Ranger Handbook, you can get the latest info on everything from understanding the basics of Army operations and tactics to discovering what makes a soldier with good leadership qualities and character. Although primarily written for Rangers and other light infantry units, it serves as a handy reference for all military units, covering how infantry squad- and platoon-sized elements conduct combat operations in varied terrains. this guide provides modern soldiers with best training possible and effectively combines the lessons of the past with important insights for the future to help make army leaders the absolute best they can be. This handbook provides squad and platoon leaders with the roles, tactics, knowledge, and operational requirements to employ combat multipliers in a combat environment. SH 21-76.

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Matt A says

A memento from the worst 7 days of my life.

Props to the guys who made it through the course - I washed out because I wasn't mentally tough enough to endure the arbitrary sleep deprivation, unprovoked anger of instructors, and menial tasks like guarding trash cans.

Daniel says

learned how guerrilla warfare works, tactics of counter insurgency, learned how to make traps in the woods, effective movement tactics , how to survive if lost or abandoned in a unknown area and much more.

Lusichka Enna says

a great book

Shayne Lee Charlesworth says

Awesome

If I had to choose one guide to carry with me everywhere this is the one. And I do have one in my ruck at all times

Peter says

Got my tab.

Fredrick Danysh says

A pocket guide [SH 21-76] to basic Army Ranger skills relating to survival and combat. Smaller type size is used to conserve space. The book contains useful information for the outdoors man or just anyone interested in the military arts.

Deallyllama says

Heavy focus on ranged weapons and very large parties. Little to no discussion of melee attacks, dual wielding etc. The author also focused very heavily on humanoid opponents with no real discussion of abilities vs. giants etc.

Most battle strategies required a great deal of planning and organization which is likely best suited to a heavily tabletop style of gameplay.

Overall an interesting approach but many players will find this style of play incompatible with their current parties and may need to create house rules to handle some of the tactics.

(On a more serious note, the Kindle version has some trouble patches where the OCR seems to have screwed up and dropped words and letters. Table formatting and many figures appeared to be missing but overall seemed pretty good).

Jordan Falcon says

WARNING: This book deals heavily with real life tactics and survival methods. You will probably have to look up what some of the abbreviations mean if you have no military experience.

David Jaquith says

Many well-worn pages with frantic notes scribbled in the margins. A good tactical handbook that I still use today.
