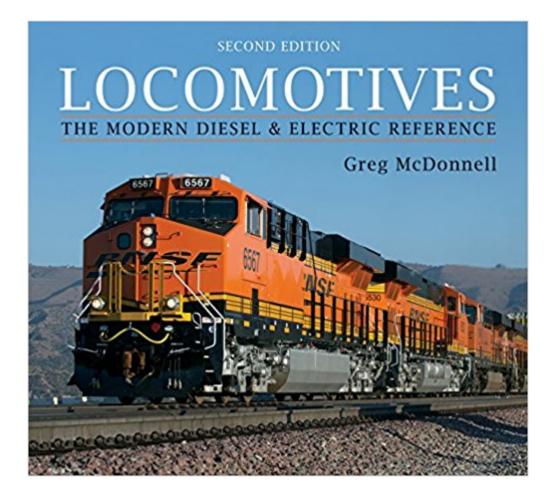
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A very detailed and well written description of all the main locomotive manufacturers in the US. It updates the previous edition with many photos and technical information on the latest technology being employed across the nation's rail systems. I am very pleased with this version as I thought the first edition was outstanding. This follows with the same quality and level of detail

This is a very well written, high-quality book filled with top-class pictures illustrating all locomotive

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EXCELLENT BOOK. RECOMMENDED FOR ALL TRAIN BUFFS. I was really pleased with the excellent photography and all the reference materials contained.

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Great book

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