

# **Estimating Manhour Manual**

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**SCAFFOLDING - THE HANDBOOK FOR ESTIMATING and PRODUCT KNOWLEDGE Jan 24 2020 Scaffolding is used in many industries every day, all over the world, in the construction industry; for commercial and industrial maintenance; the staging and entertainment markets; the shipbuilding industry; mining; industrial plants, including power plants; hydro and nuclear power facilities; pulp and paper plants; petrochemical plants; oil refineries; and offshore drilling rigs. This book serves as a guide to any person involved with scaffolding in any way so that they will have a training and reference book that they can refer to for both scaffolding product knowledge and for estimating. The first ten chapters of this book include historical data and background information including product knowledge on all types of built-up scaffolding, suspended cradles, and swingstages. The eleventh chapter of this book is dedicated to the procedures that are used for estimating; preparing proposals, bids, and contracts, including systematic instructions on how to calculate the formulas that are most**

**commonly used for estimating materials and labour outputs for scaffolding. Additionally, there are several sections of this book dedicated to temporary enclosures, built-up shoring and falsework, as well as manual and motorized suspended swingstages and cradles. There are very few books available on these topics. To my knowledge there are none dedicated to product knowledge and the estimating of built-up scaffolding systems. No book can be all-inclusive, and this handbook does not claim to be. Much time and research has been put into this book to ensure that as many of the proven estimating methods and design concepts for all types of built-up and suspended scaffolding have been covered. Since one of our greatest assets in any business are our employees, the proper training of all craft and support staff within an industry is of primary importance. Additionally, the continuity in the training given to staff should always be kept up to a measurable standard and continually maintained to an acceptable level.**

**Estimator's General Construction Man-hour Manual Aug 31 2020**

**2017 National Plumbing & HVAC Estimator Dec 23 2019 Manhours, labor and material costs for all common plumbing and HVAC work in residential, commercial, and industrial buildings. You can quickly work up a reliable estimate based on the pipe, fittings and equipment required. Every plumbing and HVAC estimator can use the cost estimates in this practical manual. Sample estimating and bidding forms and contracts also included. Explains how to handle change orders, letters of intent, and warranties. Describes the right way to process submittals, deal with suppliers and subcontract specialty work. Included in this edition: costs for ASME "H" or "U" stamped, LFUE certified 90% or better green certified boilers, costs for emission sensing and recording equipment for boilers, costs for self-contained roof-top DX air conditioning units, costs for heat recovery ventilators, roof exhaust fans, makeup air units, ventilation exhausters, energy-efficient exhauster arrays, air balance software, LEED certified boilers, residential heat pumps, LEED ce**

**Industrial Construction Estimating Manual Jan 16 2022 Industrial Construction Estimating Manual focuses on industrial process plants and enables the contractor, subcontractor, and engineer to use methods, models, procedures, formats, and technical data for developing industrial process plant construction estimates. The manual begins with an introduction devoted to labor, data collection, verification of data, coding, productivity measurement, the unit quantity model, and computer-aided cost estimating. It goes on to provide information on construction materials, database systems, work estimating, computer-aided estimating, detailed labor estimates, bid assurance, and detailed applications to construction. Practical examples based on historical data collected from past installations are also included as well as a detailed glossary, Excel and mathematical formulas, metric/standard conversions, area and volume formulas, and boiler man-hour tables. Industrial Construction Estimating Manual aids contractors, subcontractors, and engineers with a balance-detailed estimating method using the unit quantity model and is an excellent resource for those involved in engineering, technology, and construction estimating. Provides a detailed estimating method using the unit-quantity model to prepare construction estimates Delivers information on construction materials, databases, labor estimates, computer-aided estimating, bid assurance, and applications to construction. Utilizes historical data, from a database of previous similar work, calculates material cost and labor by category, and produces both summary and detailed man-hour and cost estimates.**

**Roofing Construction & Estimating Apr 26 2020**

**Estimator's Piping Man-Hour Manual Sep 24 2022 In addition to the solid estimating data this manual has provided for years, this new edition is expanded and updated to include installation of pneumatic mechanical instrumentation, which is used in monitoring various process systems.**

**Estimator's Piping Man-hours Tool Mar 18 2022 Estimator's Piping Man-hours Tool (Process Piping, #1) Estimating Man-hours for Carbon Steel Process Piping Projects. Manual of Man-hours, examples. This publication is a very useful tool for company**

**owners, Piping Contractors and in general for all the members of an organization who perform tasks related to the estimation of direct man-hours in tenders or price contests, for the control of deviations with respect to the consumption of hours planned during the execution of the Work and also to optimize the budgetary planning and the review of contracts both in the Contractor and in the Client. This book is intended for you too easily and quickly learn or reinforce your knowledge about how to reliably estimate the number of man-hours consumed during steel carbon process piping assembly. The content of the book is the result of the Author's work experience and details a calculation procedure that will help you to accurately estimate the direct labor required for the assembly of process piping on site, including its support for the transmission of loads to the support structures and its protection against corrosion. A meticulous estimate is essential for the proper functioning of any Company and for the future monitoring of the use of man-hours in the course of the Project, in order to detect and correct deviations. Estimating man-hours for Process Piping Installations - Man hours Manual for Piping Contractors, examples. The author of this Manual, has an expertise of more than 40 years in his professional work as Head of Work, Project Manager and finally as president of a Company of Constructions and Industrial Assemblies in different plants of Chemical Processes, Refineries, Pipelines, Gas Compressors and Thermal Power plants, exercising the direction of the works and the control of the resources used for their execution, particularly in the case of installation of piping. This Manual that gives the Reader is the fruit of that Technical Expertise. Tables for calculating manpower in piping. The direct man-hours indicated in the 14 (fourteen) tables of this Manual have been verified by the author during the Piping assemblies of the different installations. Examples of calculating Piping Installations. In the Manual, the author presents complete calculation examples of Piping installations, based on the man-hours indicated by the tables to later apply the corrections or adjustments needed for each Project.**

**Estimator's Electrical Man-Hour Manual Jul 22 2022 This manual's latest edition continues to be the best source available for making accurate, reliable man-hour estimates for electrical installation. This new edition is revised and expanded to include installation of electrical instrumentation, which is used in monitoring various process systems.**

**Industrial Process Plant Construction Estimating and Man-Hour Analysis Jan 04 2021 Industrial Process Plant Construction Estimating and Man-Hour Analysis focuses on industrial process plants and enables the estimator to apply statistical applications, estimate data tables, and estimate sheets to use methods for collecting, organizing, summarizing, presenting, and analyzing historical man-hour data. The book begins with an introduction devoted to labor, productivity measurement, collection of historical data, verification of data, estimating methods, and factors affecting construction labor productivity and impacts of data. It goes on to explore construction statistics and mathematical spreadsheets, followed by detailed scopes of work ranging from coal-fired power plants to oil refineries and solar plants, among others. Man-hour schedules based on historical data collected from past installations in industrial process plants are also included as well as a detailed glossary, Excel and mathematical formulas, area and volume formulas, metric/standard conversions, and boiler man-hour tables. Industrial Process Plant Construction Estimating and Man-Hour Analysis aids industrial project managers, estimators, and engineers with the level of detail and practical utility for today's industrial operations and is an ideal resource for those involved in engineering, technology, or construction estimation. Identify quantity differences with the comparison method and eliminate impacts between proposed and previously installed equipment Understand how to implement statistical and estimating methods, scopes of work, man-hour tables and estimate sheets to produce direct craft man-hour estimates, RFPs, and field change orders Set up and utilize Excel templates to automate statistical functions that will perform mathematical applications key to process plant construction**  
**RSMean Plumbing Estimating Methods Sep 19 2019 Now in its third edition, this**

**estimating guide offers comprehensive coverage of all aspects of plumbing: Residential, commercial, industrial, and medical systems The most common plumbing materials and methods, subsystems and components Pricing quantities for an estimate and calculating markup Preparing bids Best techniques for using Means Plumbing Cost Data Sample takeoff and estimate forms Includes special sections on change order analysis, estimating for additions, and alterations to existing systems. Also covers budget and assemblies estimating. A complete sample estimate shows you how to perform each step in the estimating process, making it easy to follow the authors' methods.**

**Excavation & Grading Handbook Oct 21 2019 It includes hundreds of tips, pictures, diagrams and tables that every excavation contractor and supervisor can use This revised edition explains how to handle all types of excavation, grading, paving, pipeline and compaction jobs -- whether it's a highway, subdivision, commercial, or trenching job. This edition has been completely rewritten to cover new materials, equipment and techniques.It includes hundreds of tips, pictures, diagrams and tables.**

**Mechanical Estimating Manual Jun 09 2021 First published in 2006. Clear, practical and comprehensive, this mechanical estimating manual provides an indispensable resource for contractors, estimators, owners and anyone involved with estimating mechanical costs on construction projects, including a wealth of labor and price data, formulas, charts and graphs. Covering timeproven methodologies and procedures, it offers the user a full range of readytouse forms, detailed estimating guidelines, and numerous completed examples. You'll learn from leading experts how to produce complete and accurate sheet metal, piping and plumbing estimates both quickly and easily. The manual will also be of value to supervisors, mechanics, builders, general contractors, engineers and architects for use in planning and scheduling work, budget estimating, cost control, cost accounting, checking change orders and various other aspects of mechanical estimating.**

**Estimating Excavation Dec 03 2020 This manual shows you, in simple, easy -to-understand language, how to calculate the amount of dirt you'll have to move, the cost of owning and operating the machines you'll do it with, and finally, how to assign bid prices to each part of the job. Using clear, detailed illustrations and examples, the author makes it easy to follow and duplicate his system. The book ends with a complete sample estimate, from the take-off to completing the bid sheet.Included in this book: -- How to set up & use an organized & logical estimating system -- How to read plans & specs -- Why a site visit is mandatory -- How to assess accessibility & job difficulty -- How soil haracteristics can affect your estimate -- The best ways to evaluate subsurface conditions -- Figuring your overhead -- How to get the information you need from contour maps -- When you have to undercut -- Dealing with irregular regions and odd areas -- Factors for estimating swell and shrinkage -- Balancing the job: spoil & borrow -- Calculating machine owning & operating costs -- The two common methods of estimating earthwork quantities**

**Pipefitter Estimator Man-Hour Manual Jul 10 2021**

**Cost Estimating Manual for Pipelines and Marine Structures Apr 19 2022 From the Book - Preface: This manual has been compiled to provide time frames, labor crews and equipment spreads to assist the estimator in capsulizing an estimate for the installation of cross-country pipelines, marshland pipelines, nearshore and surf zone pipelines, submerged pipelines, wharfs, jetties, dock facilities, single-point morring terminals, offshore drilling and production platforms and equipment and appurtenances installed thereon. The time frames and labor and equipment spreads which appear throughout this manual are the result of many time and method studies conducted under varied conditions and at locations throughout the world; these time frames and labor and equipment spreads reflect a complete, unbiased view of all operations involved. When one is engaged in compiling an estimate from any information furnished by others, as is the case with this manual, he should view it in an objective light, giving due consideration to the nature of the project at hand and evaluating all items that may affect the productivity of labor and all other elements involved.**

**Cost Estimating for the Handyman Business Mar 26 2020** The Cost Estimating for the Handyman Business manual by RemodelMAX contains 128 pages of material costs and manhours for over 3000 items for small jobs.

**Estimator's Electrical Man-hour Manual** Sep 12 2021

**Estimator's Man-Hour Manual on Heating, Air Conditioning, Ventilating, and Plumbing** May 20 2022 The author has had wide experience in cost and labour estimating, having worked for some of the largest construction firms in the world. He has made and assembled numerous types of estimates including lump-sum, hard-priced, and scope, and has conducted many time and method studies in the field and in fabricating shops. John S. Page has received the Award of Merit from the American Association of Cost Engineers in recognition of outstanding service and cost engineering

**Industrial Piping and Equipment Estimating Manual** Dec 15 2021 Industrial Piping and Equipment Estimation Manual delivers an invaluable resource for day-to-day operations. Packed full of worksheets covering combined and simple cycle power plants, refineries, compressor stations, ethanol, hydrogen and biomass plants, this reference helps the construction engineer and estimator learn how to create bids where scope and quantity differences can be identified and project impacts estimated. Beginning with an introduction devoted to labor, productivity measurement, estimating methods, and factors affecting construction labor productivity and impacts of overtime, the author then explores equipment through hands-on estimation tables, including sample estimates and statistical applications. The book rounds out with a glossary, abbreviations list, formulas, and metric/standard conversions, and is an ideal reference for estimators, engineers and managers with the level of detail and equipment breakdown necessary for today's industrial operations. Includes day-to-day worksheets to help users estimate equipment and piping for any plant or refinery project Presents the comparison method to estimate similarities and differences between proposed and previously installed equipment Helps users understand and produce more accurate direct costs with sample estimates

**Means Mechanical Estimating Methods: Takeoff & Pricing for HVAC & Plumbing, Updated 4th Edition** Oct 01 2020 An easy-to-use tool for estimating heating, ventilating, and air conditioning systems, with up-to-date cost data and estimating examples. This all-in-one reference gives you the accepted standards and procedures for takeoff and pricing HVAC systems, as well as piping, plumbing, and fire protection. Includes all of the major mechanical systems in new building construction. The book will show you how to: Evaluate mechanical plans and specs so you can estimate all cost components Measure, quantify, and perform takeoffs for materials, labor, and equipment Identify and correctly apply direct and indirect costs, including overhead and profit Use forms to improve accuracy and efficiency - with electronic forms now available on the book's own website Compare materials and methods and select the most cost-effective way to get the job done Train new estimators with clear instructions for estimating the mechanical trades Make the best use of RSMeans Mechanical Cost Data and RSMeans Plumbing Cost Data Organized for easy reference, the book gives you quick access to whatever aspect of mechanical estimating you need. It includes a glossary of mechanical terms and definitions - plus symbols used on mechanical plans, useful formulas, checklists, and conversion tables.

**National Electrical Estimator** 2018 Jul 30 2020 "Current labor and material cost estimates for residential, commercial, and industrial electrical work"--Cover.

**Estimator's Piping Man-hours Tool** Aug 11 2021 This publication is an extremely useful tool to budget the amount of man hours to consume in the process pipe assemblies. I argue that a reliable estimate of the number of man-hours required for the execution of a project is an essential need for the optimum functioning of any construction or Installation Company. Use this Tool to budget the amount of man hours direct to consume in your offers

**Estimator's General Construction Manhour Manual** Jun 21 2022 This manual provides the reader with an accurate and convenient method for estimating direct labor for

**general construction work for any given system, plant, or location. Though this book, the reader has a reliable process of obtaining and streamlining an efficient model of operation.**

**Estimator's Piping Man-Hour Manual Nov 14 2021 This reference provides reliable piping estimating data including installation of pneumatic mechanical instrumentation used in monitoring various process systems. This new edition has been expanded and updated to include installation of pneumatic mechanical instrumentation, which is used in monitoring various process systems.**

**Construction Estimating Reference Data May 08 2021 Provides the 300 most useful manhour tables for practically every item of construction. Labor requirements are listed for sitework, concrete work, masonry, steel, carpentry, thermal and moisture protection, doors and windows, finishes, mechanical, and electrical. Each section details the work being estimated and gives appropriate crew size and equipment needed. This new revised edition contains National Estimator, a computer estimating program. This fast, powerful program and complete instructions are yours free on high-density 3 1/2" disk when you buy the book.**

**The Engineer's Cost Handbook Nov 02 2020 Offers coverage of each important step in engineering cost control process, from project justification to life-cycle costs. The book describes cost control systems and shows how to apply the principles of value engineering. It explains estimating methodology and the estimation of engineering, engineering equipment, and construction and labour costs**

**2005 National Electrical Estimator Mar 06 2021 If you need to estimate the cost of electrical systems in buildings, this book will be your most reliable guide to selecting the right material, figuring the labor time required for installation, and totaling the installation cost and material price. Ed Tyler was named "National Estimator of the Year" by the American Society of Professional Estimators. His depth and breadth of knowledge make him one of the nation's foremost authorities on electrical estimating. Book jacket.**

**Threaded Piping Aug 19 2019 Threaded Piping. Carbon Steel Threaded Piping. Calculation of Man Hours with Examples. In this book, you will find precise information about the different types of carbon steel threaded joints used in industry and home installations. The first part of the book details the thread profiles commonly used in pipes, the types of standardized fittings and the manual and electric tools used on the construction site to execute the threaded piping. Next, the tables are reproduced, which record the man-hours required to execute the threaded piping assembly tasks when manually operated tools are used. The tables in this book are those used by the author throughout his work career. Examples. Finally, two application examples are presented where the assembly times of threaded piping are calculated.**

**Occupational Outlook Handbook May 28 2020**

**Cost Estimator's Reference Manual Feb 05 2021 In today's hypercompetitive global marketplace, accurate costestimating is crucial to bottom-line results. Nowhere is this moreevident than in the design and development of new products andservices. Among managing engineers responsible for developingrealistic cost estimates for new product designs, the number-onesource of information and guidance has been the Cost Estimator'sReference Manual. Comprehensive, authoritative, and practical, the Manual instructsreaders in the full range of cost estimating techniques andprocedures currently used in the fields of development, testing,manufacturing, production, construction, software, generalservices, government contracting, engineering services, scientificprojects, and proposal preparation. The authors clearly explain howto go about gathering the data essential to preparing a realisticestimate of costs and guide the reader step by step through eachprocedure. This new Second Edition incorporates a decade of progress in themethods, procedures, and strategies of cost estimating. All thematerial has been updated and five new chapters have been added toreflect the most recent information on such increasingly importanttopics as activity-based costing, software estimating,design-to-cost techniques, and cost implications of new concurrentengineering and systems engineering approaches to projects. Indispensable**

**to virtually anyone whose work requires accurate cost estimates, the Cost Estimator's Reference Manual will be especially valuable to engineers, estimators, accountants, and contractors of products, projects, processes, and services to both government and industry. The essential ready-reference for the techniques, methods, and procedures of cost estimating COST ESTIMATOR'S REFERENCE MANUAL Second Edition Indispensable for anyone who depends on accurate cost estimates for engineering projects, the Cost Estimator's Reference Manual guides the user through both the basic and more sophisticated aspects of the estimating process. Authoritative and comprehensive, the Manual seamlessly integrates the many functions--accounting, financial, statistical, and management--of modern cost estimating practice. Its broad coverage includes estimating procedures applied to such areas as: \* Production \* Software \* Development \* General services \* Testing \* Government contracting \* Manufacturing \* Engineering \* Proposal preparation \* Scientific projects \* Construction This updated and expanded Second Edition incorporates all the most important recent developments in cost estimating, such as activity-based costing, software estimating, design-to-cost techniques, computer-aided estimating tools, concurrent engineering, and life cycle costing. For engineers, estimators, accountants, planners, and others who are involved in the cost aspects of projects, the Cost Estimator's Reference Manual is an invaluable information source that will pay for itself many times over.**

**Estimator's Piping Man-Hours Tool Aug 23 2022 Estimator's Piping Man-hours Tool Estimating Man-hours for Process Piping Project - Manual of man-hours, Examples The author of this Manual, has an expertise of 45 years in his professional work as Head of Work, Project Manager and finally as president of a Company of Constructions and Industrial Assemblies in different plants of Chemical Processes, Refineries, Pipelines, Gas Compressors and Thermal Power plants of their country and abroad, exercising the direction of the works and the control of the resources used for their execution, particularly in the case of installation of piping. This Manual that gives the Reader is the fruit of that Technical Expertise. Tables for calculating manpower in Piping The direct man hours indicated in the 14 (fourteen) tables of this Manual have been verified by the Author during the course of the Piping assemblies of the different installations. Estimating Man hours for piping installation It is important to understand that there are no identical projects or jobs in this business and that it is not possible to automate or copy. The approach to respect is that any estimate work should be serious and professional, this Manual provides the Reader with a precise and convenient method to estimate the direct work in Piping installations for each specific project. In the content of this book, the Reader will access simple and reliable procedures to realize the estimates. Examples of calculating Piping installations In the Manual the author presents complete calculation examples of Piping installations, based on the man hours indicated by the tables to later apply the corrections or adjustments needed for each Project. Estimators and Proprietors of Companies The purpose of this publication is to give the estimator and the business owner a reliable instrument for the unique task of estimating man hours with precision.**

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**A Guide to Ship Repair Estimates in Man-hours Apr 07 2021 Expert ship surveyor Don Butler shares a lifetime's ship repair costing experience in this unique resource for accurate cost estimation and planning Includes hard to come by information on typical ship repair labor expectations for accurate man-hour forecasting and cost estimation Produced for marine engineers and marine industry professionals to aid with repair specification and negotiation, helping you to plan work and budgets more reliably Uses man-hours as opposed to particular rates or currencies, providing a long-term model for pricing regardless of location, rate fluctuation or inflation Bringing together otherwise**

**scattered details on specific repair and dry-docking activities, this invaluable guide will save you time and improve the accuracy of your ship repair estimates. Don't plan or commission work without it! Don Butler is a fellow of the Institute of Marine Engineers and a member of Society of Consulting Marine Engineers and Ship Surveyors, UK. Made up of very hard to come by information on typical ship repair labor expectations for accurate man-hour forecasting and cost estimation Produced for marine engineers and marine industry professionals to save time, aid in repair negotiation and help companies to plan more reliably Man-hour listings assist in long-term pricing, meaning the book content remains valid regardless of currency, rate fluctuation or inflation**

**Unit Price Standards Handbook Jun 16 2019**

**Estimating and Tendering for Construction Work Jul 18 2019 Estimators need to understand the consequences of entering into a contract, often defined by complex conditions and documents, as well as to appreciate the technical requirements of the project. Estimating and Tendering for Construction Work, 5th edition, explains the job of the estimator through every stage, from early cost studies to the creation of budgets for successful tenders. This new edition reflects recent developments in the field and covers: new tendering and procurement methods the move from basic estimating to cost-planning and the greater emphasis placed on partnering and collaborative working the New Rules of Measurement (NRM1 and 2), and examines ways in which practicing estimators are implementing the guidance emerging technologies such as BIM (Building Information Modelling) and estimating systems which can interact with 3D design models With the majority of projects procured using design-and-build contracts, this edition explains the contractor's role in setting costs, and design statements, to inform and control the development of a project's design. Clearly-written and illustrated with examples, notes and technical documentation, this book is ideal for students on construction-related courses at HNC/HND and Degree levels. It is also an important source for associated professions and estimators at the outset of their careers.**

**Conceptual Cost Estimating Manual Feb 17 2022**

**Estimator's Equipment Installation Man-Hour Manual Oct 25 2022 : Production and composite rate. Boilers and heaters. Classification equipment. Compressors and air dryers. Conveyors and bucket elevators. Crystallizers. Dow therm units. Dry material blenders and feeders. Dryers and flakers. Dust collectors. Ejectors. Extractors. Fans and blowers. Filters. Flotation machines. Gas holders. Generators. Heat exchangers, evaporators, and condensers. Heating, ventilating, air-conditioning, and air-handling units. Hoist-overhead electric. Mixers and blenders. Pumps. Scales. Separators. Size reduction equipment. Thickeners. Vessels, reactors, and tanks. Waste treating equipment. Water treating equipment. Plate welding. Insulation and waterproofing. Supports. Pipe connections. Earthwork. Concrete. Scaffolding. Weight tables. Sample estimating form.**

**RSMeans Estimating Handbook Jun 28 2020 This comprehensive reference covers the full spectrum of technical data required to estimate costs for major construction projects. Widely used in the industry for tasks ranging from routine estimates to special cost analysis projects, the book has been completely updated and reorganized with new and expanded technical information. RSMeans Estimating Handbook will help construction professionals: Evaluate architectural plans and specifications Prepare accurate quantity takeoffs Compare design alternatives and costs Perform value engineering Double-check estimates and quotes Estimate change orders FEATURES: This new edition includes expanded coverage of: Construction specialties—green building, metal decking, plastic pipe, demolition items, and more Preliminary or square foot estimating tools Updated city cost indexes to adjust costs—by trade—for 30 major cities Historic indexes to factor costs for economic effects over time Complete reorganization to the newest CSI MasterFormat classification system**

**Painter's Handbook Feb 23 2020 This complete guide explains what painters and paint contractors need to know to thrive in the paint contracting business. It's loaded with how-to information you'll use every day when preparing surfaces for coating, applying**

**paints, bidding jobs and running your paint contracting company: Doing Professional Quality Work: Selecting the right tools, preparing all types of surfaces. Tips for repainting kitchens, bathrooms, cabinets, eaves and porches, handling new construction, getting good results from your airless spray rig, and much more Paint Problems and Their Cure: Why coatings fail, testing for blisters, chalking, poor adhesion and condensation, removing all types of stains, what to do about voids, skips, holidays, pulls, wrinkles, color changes, gloss spots, streaks, yellowing, peeling, alligating, powdering, chipping, checking, cracking, fish eyes, graining, roller stipple, water stains and fire damage. Using the Right Paint and Color: Avoiding paint oxidation, chalking, and fading, creating special effects, using stains, varnishes, lacquer, shellac, plastics, preservatives and primers, avoiding customer complaints about color match, tried and true color schemes for every job, cutting costs by mixing your own colors, making touch-ups blend in perfectly. Setting Up Your Business: Selecting your area and specialty, where to get start-up cash and how much you need, protecting yourself with insurance, controlling expenses, staying legal, getting top value for your advertising dollar, typical budgets for paint contractors, keeping your paperwork straight, tracking job expenses. Finding Your Gravy Train: Over 30 profitable specialty painting businesses you should consider, how to sell the job, estimating areas, material quantities and labor costs for walls, overhangs, gables, molding, trim doors and windows.**

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