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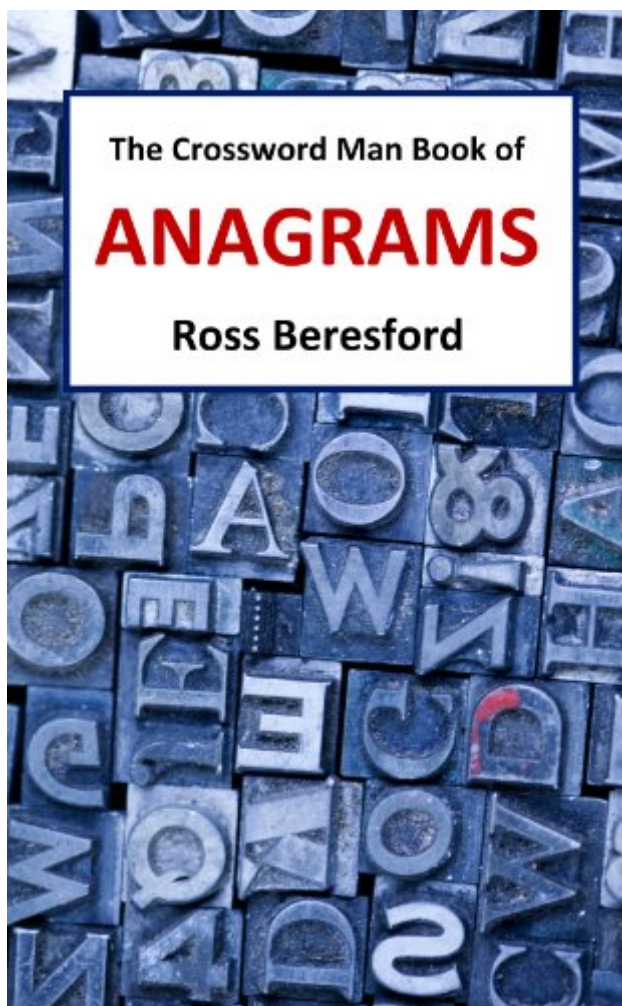
Anagrams

The Crossword Man Book of

ANAGRAMS

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Synopsis

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A short portion of this book reads as follows:RSSTU rusts trussRSSUU UrsusRSTTU strut sturt trustRSTTY trystRSTUW wurstIf given a set of letters, it's easy to navigate to the length of the letters, and then to the section that will contain those letters. Of course, there are several sites and programs that can do the same thing. Crossword Compiler and wolframalpha are two of the tools I use when I make puzzles. CC only allows one instance, though, so this is useful for me as a second item. That lets me make anagrams like the following:'"Dream is Collapsing" from the movie Inception == Time for (Van (In a (microcosm) hotel) dip) sleeping.Scare the living daylights out of = Dogfight overenthusiastically.Entry of the Gladiators = Target day for the lions.Petroleum's prices = Complete surprise.Marco Pischorn = Capricorn shmo.Recommended. Wordplay is fun.

I love this but have found an error in the indexing.For example, on the 7-letter Alphagram index, you can select ADA-ADD but cannot select the subsequent ADEA-ADEJ.I think the problem has to do with ADA-ADD as when you click on this you only start on ADD.Please fix any similar problems and allow me to download an amended copy.

It is a bit complicated to enter the required letters, but does work quite well.

this book is not very comprehensive. I find it easier to look up on google. would not recommend this book

If your the type person who can gather data from simply the written word it's ok, but this book supposes that is all there is to understanding Anagrams. My High IQ 15 year old gets it, but I never will. I have to say its not for the closer to average IQ.Tess

I haven't had a chance to "play" with this book very much, but from the little I've "played", I like it!

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