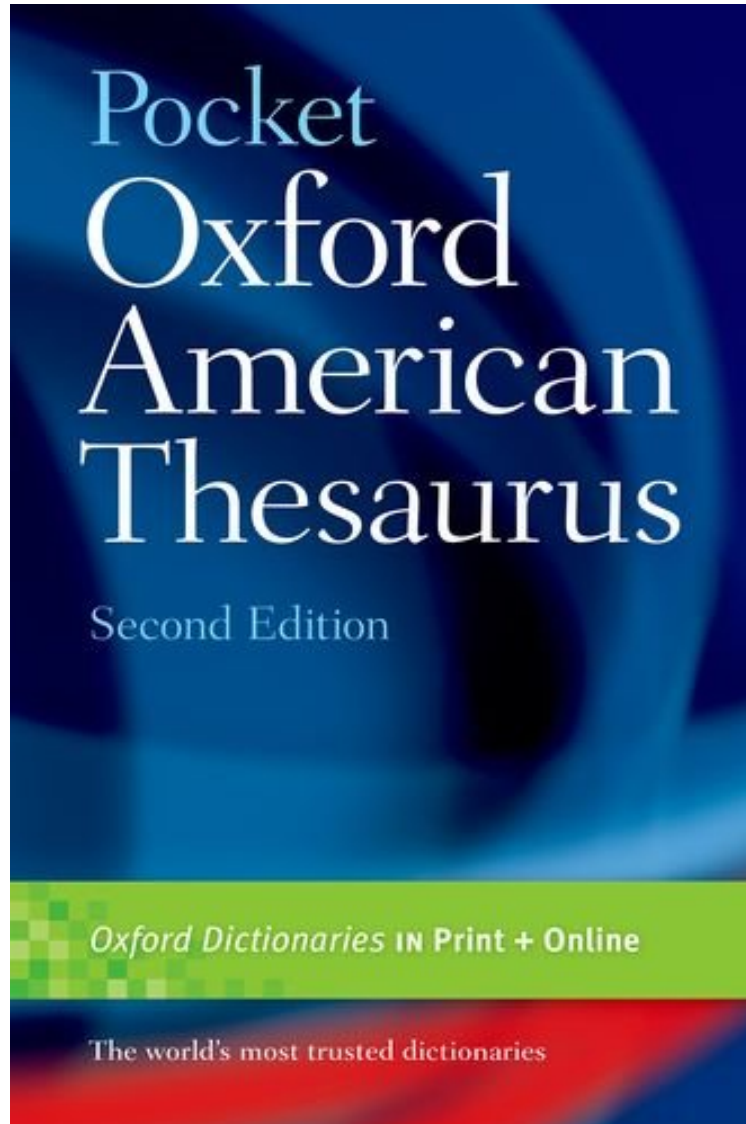


(Download pdf ebook) Pocket Oxford American Thesaurus, 2e

Pocket Oxford American Thesaurus, 2e

From Oxford University Press

**Download PDF | ePub | DOC | audiobook | ebooks*



 Download

 Read Online

#1007158 in Books Oxford University Press 2008-06-06 Original language: English PDF # 1 5.30 x 2.10 x 8.00l, 1.54 #File Name: 0195301692992 pages Pocket Oxford American Thesaurus | File size: 76.Mb

From Oxford University Press : Pocket Oxford American Thesaurus, 2e before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Pocket Oxford American Thesaurus, 2e:

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. No need to wander lost among the multitude of Thesauri anymore...By Just My Opinion....As a keen fan of the Oxford English Thesaurus (the British version), when needing a reliable thesaurus for American English, I was thrilled to find this. An Oxford Thesaurus of American English? Wow. What a find! Personally, I find the American thesaurus market a confusing place: how can you choose between the Merriam-Webster's, the Webster's, the Roget's...? But the Oxford is never in question - maybe because I am more

familiar with it - but either way, it is, and always has been an esteemed work of great reliability (both nationally and internationally). 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. The 'pocket' is misleading
By Rangan Nandakumar
I got this thesaurus for my son in 6th grade as the school recommended it. I haven't used it but browsing it looks quite good. The only feedback I have is that the word 'pocket' in the title is misleading. This will not go into any pocket of any size - it needs a regular backpack to go anywhere. If you are OK with a normal thick paperback sized book you can buy it. If you are looking for something that will fit into a pocket then give this a miss.
0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Sent to Son at ICCC per his selection.
By Dawn Marie Norris
I was thinking pocket size able to put in your pocket but it is a bit bigger than that and my Son is thrilled with the four books he got and the workbook. Although I have to get the book to go with the workbook. Silly mothers need to read more. Fabulous delivery time too. Thank you very much. Dawn M. Norris

A superb resource for writers that packs an extraordinary amount of information in a convenient, affordable paperback format, this second edition of the Pocket Oxford American Thesaurus features a new text with more than 15,000 main entries and more than 350,000 synonyms and antonyms, with sample sentences or phrases for virtually every sense. The new edition makes it easy to find the perfect word, with Oxford's unique arrangement of core senses and subsenses. We draw on the latest evidence from the Oxford English Corpus--a vast database of more than two billion words--to uncover the most common and most important meanings of words and phrases in contemporary American English. We then use these findings to organize the entries in the thesaurus, listing synonyms in order of frequency of use, so that the first choice you see is probably the one you need, and preventing you from inadvertently picking a word that is not in common use. In addition, virtually every sense includes a sample sentence drawn from the Corpus, revealing how the words are used in actual speech. And finally, the thesaurus now boasts a completely new page layout, with a more open and accessible design, with an emphasis on readability. Portable, affordable, reliable, this revolutionary new resource stands on the shoulders of the colossal Oxford English Corpus, providing readers with the clearest vision of American English as it exists today. No other thesaurus on the market has anything like this authority behind it. It is the first choice for writers on the go and for anyone who wants to select words accurately and with confidence.

"The words for this 'pocket' thesaurus were pulled from Oxford's English Corpus, a unique electronic database that makes it possible to see exactly how English is developing. It allows Oxford University Press to create up-to-date resources that reflect how the English language is evolving, making them the most accurate language tools available. This thesaurus is ideal for individual use but would also be useful in school media centers and small libraries needing a basic and current thesaurus."--Shannon Graff Hysell, American Reference Books Annual
"The words for this 'pocket' thesaurus were pulled from Oxford's English Corpus, a unique electronic database that makes it possible to see exactly how English is developing. It allows Oxford University Press to create up-to-date resources that reflect how the English language is evolving, making them the most accurate language tools available. This thesaurus is ideal for individual use but would also be useful in school media centers and small libraries needing a basic and current thesaurus."--Shannon Graff Hysell, American Reference Books Annual
"Terrific reference." -- Book News