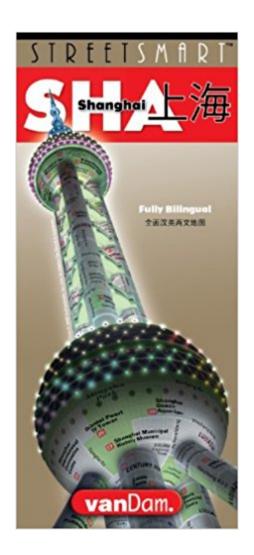


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With the release of StreetSmart Shanghai, New Yorks award-winning mapmaker Stephan Van Dam has achieved both a personal best and a great leap forward in information design of China's most Western-influenced metropolis. This pocket-sized, gloss-laminated, accordion-fold map 4 x 9 closed (9 x 32 open) is a graphic work of art that works. It shows immensely legible cartographic information and diagrammatic 3-D illustrations and is such an advance over what has previously been available that it will be indispensable not only to visitors, but to business and recreational travelers in Shanghai for years to come.

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This map is a bit out of date, but otherwise an OK map. But Shanghai has changed a lot in the last few years and this map just doesn't show certain train lines and areas as it is a few years old.

Do not buy this map. It is woefully out of date, so much so that it is worthless. Entire subway lines have been built since it was published.

This tri-lingual map -- characters, pinyin and English -- is incredibly helpful for any serious traveller to Shanghai. I have used it already and am purchasing again for a gift for a friend. Easy to read, frames the visitor's city well. Because of the characters identifying locations you can hand it to a taxi driver to read the characters of your destination.

When I lived in China 30 years ago, maps were not only scarce, but hid many sensisitive locations. These VanDam maps of Beijing, Shanghai, and Hong Kong are thorough, very useable and all in Mandarin characters, pinyin romanization, and English -- a godsend in that god less country.

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