

# Virgin Anchorages



## Synopsis

The 2012 edition includes new anchorages, new photography, and updated information. Virgin Anchorages features stunning color aerial photography of 46 of the most popular anchorages in the Virgin Islands. Graphic overlays aid in navigating to safe anchorages. This is an excellent companion to Cruising Guide to the Virgin Islands. --This text refers to the Spiral-bound edition.

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## Customer Reviews

Cruising Guide Publications was created by Simon and Nancy Scott while living aboard their sailboat in the British Virgin Islands, and later, working in the bareboat charter industry for twenty years. There was a need for comprehensive guides to aid cruisers and charterers exploring the Caribbean island chain. These guides include not only navigational information, but also the rich history of the Caribbean islands, folklore, the flora and fauna, as well as where to go for diving, snorkeling and shore side entertainment and of course, what to do in an emergency. We have made it our mission to answer all the questions we had from charterers and cruisers and to add details and background about the islands to enhance the cruising experience. --This text refers to the Spiral-bound edition.

We first saw this book in the nav station on a Moorings boat that we chartered in the British Virgin Islands. We looked it over and thought "These pictures are gorgeous. Why do they include it? Maybe they want to sell it to us." The Moorings doesn't sell it and, as of Summer 2004, they are not including new copies on boats because too many people took them home. It is a gorgeous picture book of anchorages in the Virgin Islands. It is not just a pretty picture book though. Overleaf from

every photograph is a copy of the picture with lines to show reefs and the passage into the harbor. In our two trips to the British Virgin Islands, these pictures have been extremely helpful more than once to get a picture of what we were doing. While text descriptions are helpful, sometimes a picture is worth a thousand words when you are looking for a bouy, and you sure don't have time to read a thousand words. This is a great supplement to the Cruising Guide to the Virgin Islands and I wouldn't go to the BVI without it. Postscript added August 2014. I had to buy the new edition because we were going to sail in the BVI and our older version is in storage. As expected, I was glad to have overview pictures of even familiar anchorages. The new version includes some extra harbors but I wouldn't have bought the new edition if the old one had been available and I would have been right.

If you have the Cruising guide of the Virgin Islands by the same author, this is a waste of money. Most of these photos are in the cruising guide, as are a more comprehensive description of how to enter the harbors and what to do when you get there. We were disappointed in this purchase.

Like the book because it gives a birds eye view of approaches. Nice write up repeated in the cruising guide but who cares. It is a great supplement for anyone cruising the islands. I would buy it. The updates are normally not significant. If you have an old one it will serve the purpose.

Used this every day to help navigate anchorages during our recent vacation.

This is our second purchase of this product - after 10 years, the prior edition perished in a squall. This is an essential complement to the cruising guide. Suggest a gallon ziplock to save it from those sudden downpours.

Poor quality. Basically just photos taken from the BVI Cruising guide. Would not even give to someone for free.

Excellent pictures and markings for the different anchorages. We have always had it as an additional guide for our trips.

This is the best reference for cursing the BVI, highly recommended

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