

The book was found

Making Jet Engines In World War II: Britain, Germany, And The United States



Synopsis

Our stories of industrial innovation tend to focus on individual initiative and breakthroughs. With *Making Jet Engines in World War II*, Hermione Giffard uses the case of the development of jet engines to offer a different way of understanding technological innovation, revealing the complicated mix of factors that go into any decision to pursue an innovative, and therefore risky technology. Giffard compares the approaches of Britain, Germany, and the United States. Each approached jet engines in different ways because of its own war aims and industrial expertise. Germany, which produced more jet engines than the others, did so largely as replacements for more expensive piston engines. Britain, on the other hand, produced relatively few engines "but, by shifting emphasis to design rather than production, found itself at war's end holding an unrivaled range of designs. The US emphasis on development, meanwhile, built an institutional basis for postwar production. Taken together, Giffard's work makes a powerful case for a more nuanced understanding of technological innovation, one that takes into account the influence of the many organizational factors that play a part in the journey from idea to finished product.

Book Information

File Size: 3657 KB

Print Length: 336 pages

Publisher: University of Chicago Press (October 10, 2016)

Publication Date: October 10, 2016

Sold by: Digital Services LLC

Language: English

ASIN: B01KHRXGCO

Text-to-Speech: Enabled

X-Ray: Not Enabled

Word Wise: Enabled

Lending: Enabled

Enhanced Typesetting: Not Enabled

Best Sellers Rank: #672,169 Paid in Kindle Store (See Top 100 Paid in Kindle Store) #103

in Books > Engineering & Transportation > Engineering > Aerospace > Propulsion Technology

#303 in Kindle Store > Kindle eBooks > Nonfiction > Science > Astronomy & Space Science >

Aeronautics & Astronautics #460 in Kindle Store > Kindle eBooks > History > Military > Military

Science

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Making Jet Engines in World War II: Britain, Germany, and the United States Allied Aircraft Piston Engines of World War II: History and Development of Frontline Aircraft Piston Engines Produced by Great Britain and the United (Premiere Series Books) Soap Making: 365 Days of Soap Making: 365 Soap Making Recipes for 365 Days (Soap Making, Soap Making Books, Soap Making for Beginners, Soap Making Guide, ... Making, Soap Making Supplies, Crafting) Soap Making: 365 Days of Soap Making (Soap Making, Soap Making Books, Soap Making for Beginners, Soap Making Guide, Soap Making Recipes, Soap Making Supplies): Soap Making Recipes for 365 Days Jet Propulsion: A Simple Guide to the Aerodynamics and Thermodynamic Design and Performance of Jet Engines World War 2 Historyâ™s 10 Most Incredible Women: World War II True Accounts Of Remarkable Women Heroes (WWII history, WW2, War books, world war 2 books, war history, World war 2 women) Let's Explore Germany (Most Famous Attractions in Germany): Germany Travel Guide (Children's Explore the World Books) Great Britain: A Travelerâ™s Guide to the Must-See Cities in Great Britain (London, Edinburgh, Glasgow, Birmingham, Liverpool, Bath, Manchester, York, Cardiff, Leeds, Great Britain Travel Guide) Great Britain: Where To Go, What To See - A Great Britain Travel Guide (Great Britain, London, Birmingham, Glasgow, Liverpool, Bristol, Manchester) (Volume 1) Great Britain: Where To Go, What To See - A Great Britain Travel Guide (Great Britain, London, Birmingham, Glasgow, Liverpool, Bristol, Manchester Book 1) Great Britain Travel Guide: 101 Coolest Things to Do in Great Britain (UK Travel Guide, England Travel Guide, Wales Travel Guide, Scotland Travel Guide, Travel to Britain) Violence against Prisoners of War in the First World War: Britain, France and Germany, 1914-1920 (Studies in the Social and Cultural History of Modern Warfare) Germany: Germany Travel Guide: 101 Coolest Things to Do in Germany (Berlin Travel Guide, Cologne, Munich, Frankfurt, Dusseldorf, Hamburg, Hanover, Dresden, Stuttgart) Berlin 2017: A Travel Guide to the Top 25 Things to Do in Berlin, Germany: Best of Berlin, Germany, Berlin Travel Guide, Germany Travel Book Germany: Where To Go, What To See - A Germany Travel Guide (Germany, Berlin, Munich, Hamburg, Frankfurt, Cologne, Stuttgart Book 1) Germany: Where To Go, What To See - A Germany Travel Guide (Germany, Berlin, Munich, Hamburg, Frankfurt, Cologne, Stuttgart) (Volume 1) The Ultimate Soap Making Guide: Unique Soap Making Recipes & Complete Soap Making Guide for Beginners (Soap Making at Home, Soapmaking Guide, Soap Making Recipes, Soap Making Book) History and Culture of Dominican Republic, Government, Politics Economy, Tourism: Migration, The First Colony, Occupation by the United States 1916-24, Civil War and United States Intervention, 1965

World War 1: Soldier Stories: The Untold Soldier Stories on the Battlefields of WWI (World War I, WWI, World War One, Great War, First World War, Soldier Stories) Sunken Ships, World War II: U.S. Naval Chronology Including Submarine Losses of the United States, England, Germany, Japan, Italy

[Contact Us](#)

[DMCA](#)

[Privacy](#)

[FAQ & Help](#)