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Founded by Queen Victoria in 1879, the *Torchwood Institute* has been defending Great Britain from the alien hordes for 130 years. Though London's *Torchwood One* was destroyed during the Battle of Canary Wharf, the small team at *Torchwood Three* have continued to monitor the space-time Rift that runs through Cardiff, saving the world and battling for the future of the human race.

Now you can discover every fact and figure, explore every crack in time and encounter every creature that *Torchwood* have dealt with. Included here are details of:

- The secret of the Children of Earth
- Operatives from Alice Guppy to Gwen Cooper
- Extraterrestrial visitors from Arcateenians to Weevils
- The life and deaths of Captain Jack Harkness

and much more. Illustrated throughout with photos and artwork from all three series, this A-Z provides everything you need to know about *Torchwood*.

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### Weasel says

Not great - it's interesting for what has been chosen, like almost all the songs and the artists, and here are some less used pictures, but the actual content isn't amazing.

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### Brian says

lots of trivia....but not enough 'meat' on the important characters or events.

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### Madeleine Kooyman says

Very thorough, and cleared up a few references I didn't get.

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### Jaq says

As a Torchwood addict - this little beauty helped me remember some of the characters and plots that made this television series so special.

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### Lizabeth Tucker says

Available from Amazon.UK, this is a great collection of everyone and everything that might have been on the Brit series Torchwood, from A from Andromeda (borrowed by Eugene Jones from the DVD rental store) to Zenegon Rain (A movie for rent in Josh's DVD store). It also references the radio broadcasts "Lost Souls", "Asylum", "Golden Age", and "The Dead Line", but doesn't include the books.

Covering all three Series to date, but not Captain Jack's appearances on Doctor Who, this is a great collection of information that should appeal to both the die-hard fan as well as the people who might have missed an episode or two. Definitely a great aide to fanfiction writers as well.

Naturally with a book like this, spoilers abound.

It is hardback and chock-full of lovely photographs. On the front cover you have the trio of Ianto, Jack, and Gwen. In a lovely tribute to those others who have mattered in the series, the back has photographs of Tosh, Owen, PC Andy, Rhys, Martha, and Susie.

Without a doubt, I was very pleased with what Gary did with this collection of facts.

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**Kris Russel says**

Very informative. But sometimes a bit too repetitive. Perfect for fans of the show though.

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