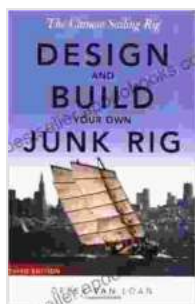


# The Chinese Sailing Rig: Unveiling the Timeless Art of Junk Rig Design and Construction

Embark on an extraordinary journey into the captivating world of Chinese sailing with "The Chinese Sailing Rig: Design and Build Your Own Junk Rig." This seminal work, meticulously crafted by renowned maritime historian and boatbuilder H.G. Hasler, unveils the secrets of designing and constructing your own authentic junk rig. Immerse yourself in the rich tapestry of maritime tradition and experience the unparalleled joy of sailing a vessel shaped by centuries of wisdom and ingenuity.



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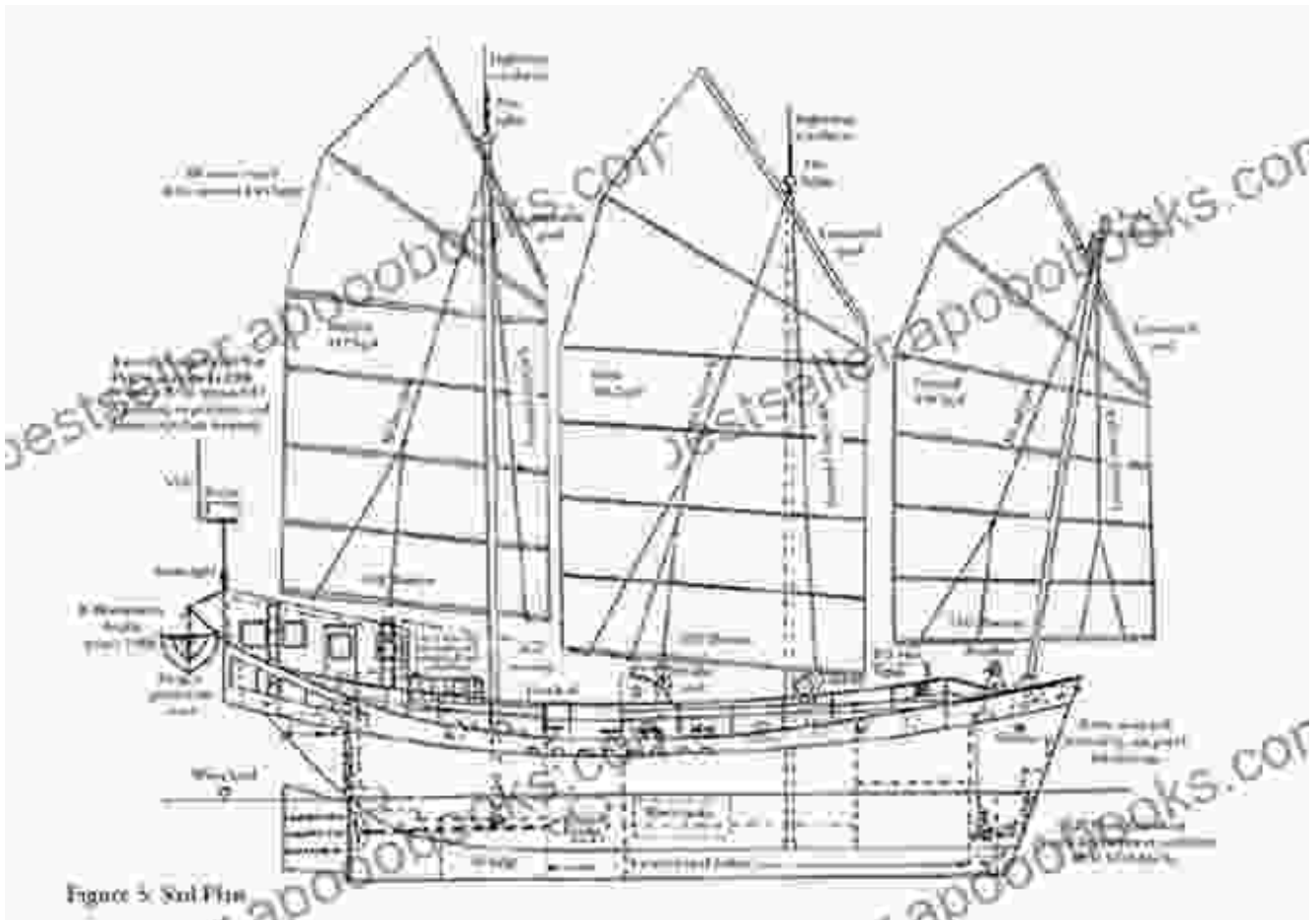
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## Delving into Junk Rig Design



At the heart of "The Chinese Sailing Rig" lies an in-depth exploration of the unique design principles behind junk rigs. Hasler meticulously guides you through the intricacies of spar selection, sailmaking, and rigging techniques. Whether you're an aspiring boatbuilder or a seasoned sailor seeking to expand your knowledge, this book equips you with the essential principles to design a junk rig that meets your specific requirements.

### **Step-by-Step Rig Construction**



Witness the meticulous craftsmanship involved in junk rig construction.

Beyond design theory, "The Chinese Sailing Rig" embarks on a practical journey, providing step-by-step instructions for constructing every component of a junk rig. With Hasler's expert guidance, you'll learn the art of shaping and fitting spars, sewing and setting sails, and rigging the entire assembly. Each stage is meticulously documented with clear illustrations

and detailed explanations, empowering you to build a seaworthy junk rig with confidence and precision.

## **Historical Roots and Cultural Significance**



"The Chinese Sailing Rig" not only imparts technical knowledge but also delves into the fascinating historical roots and cultural significance of this remarkable sailing system. Hasler traces the evolution of junk rigs from their ancient origins to their pivotal role in Chinese maritime exploration and trade. Explore the connections between junk rig design and Chinese philosophy, art, and shipbuilding traditions, gaining a deeper appreciation for the cultural context that shaped this unique sailing craft.

## **Practical Applications and Sailing Adventures**



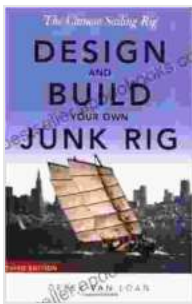
Embarking on unforgettable sailing adventures with a junk rig.

Beyond the workshop, "The Chinese Sailing Rig" inspires you to embark on your own sailing adventures. Hasler shares practical advice on selecting and equipping a boat for junk rig sailing, including recommendations for hulls, rudders, and deck layouts. Whether you dream of exploring coastal waters or navigating open seas, this book provides the essential knowledge to equip your vessel with a reliable and efficient junk rig.

"The Chinese Sailing Rig: Design and Build Your Own Junk Rig" is an indispensable resource for anyone captivated by the allure of traditional sailing. With its comprehensive coverage of design principles, step-by-step

construction guides, and exploration of historical and cultural significance, this book empowers you to build your own junk rig and experience the timeless beauty and adventure of this ancient sailing system. Join the ranks of discerning sailors and boatbuilders who have embraced the Chinese sailing rig and discover the joy of sailing in harmony with tradition.

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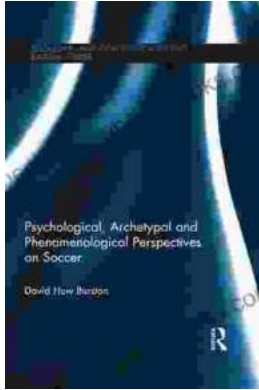
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