

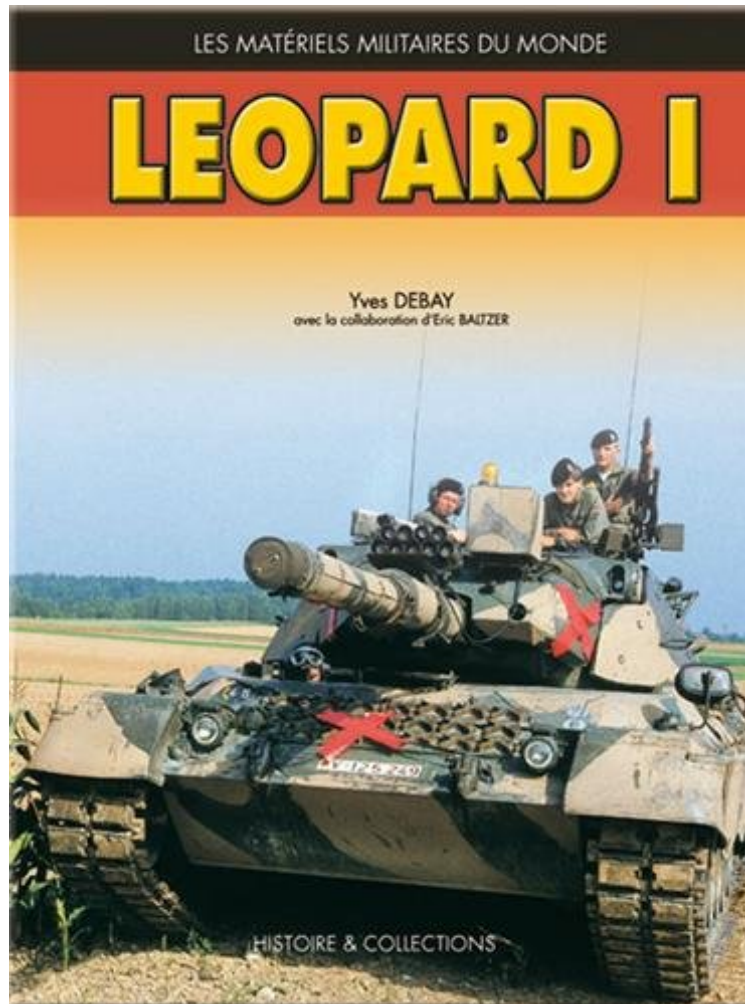
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that's another story. This book is the story of the Leopard I, from its design to actual use. It covers the various models that were built to come up with the final design, the optional features that various countries have used, and finally a summary of all of the countries that have used the tank. The book is beautifully printed, with probably a couple of hundred color photographs. I wish I read French better than I do. I must say that the book I have has a different front cover than the one pictured at [\[link\]](#), but it has the same ISBN.

French Text At its peak, the Leopard 1 was considered as the best MBT in the world. It also was the symbol of the new rise of German tank industry. This book covers every nation which have used or are still servicing the Leopard 1.