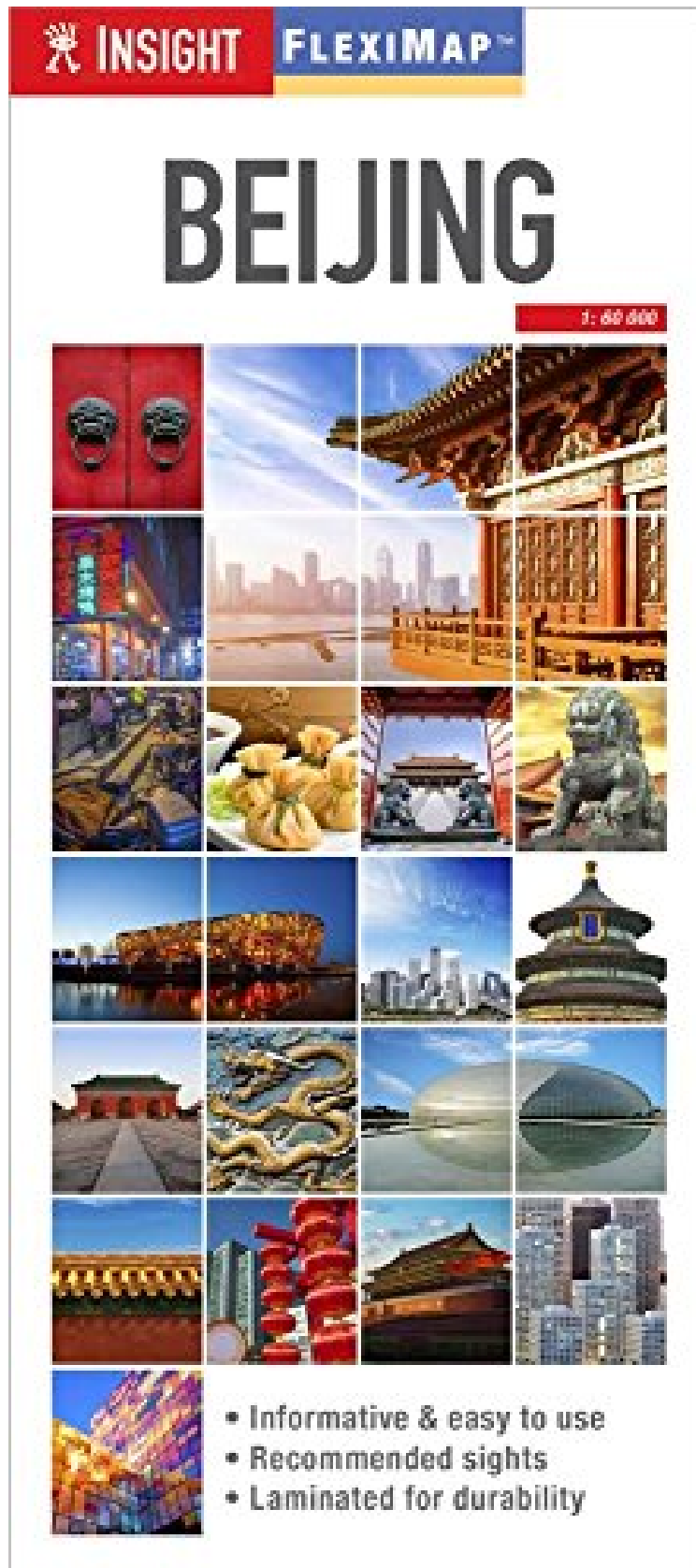


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Insight Guides : Insight FlexiMap: Beijing (Insight Flexi Maps) before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Insight FlexiMap: Beijing (Insight Flexi Maps):

4 of 4 people found the following review helpful. Very good map. By FloridaLawyer The best of the Beijing maps I have seen. Nicely laminated and durable, folded many ways while in Beijing. Good level of street detail and landmarks/sights. Loses a star because the "publication date" is NOT May, 2016--it is June, 2015. Also, the colors for the metro lines do not match the actual colors on the Beijing Metro maps. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Accurate but not durable. By Jeanine Clark Bremer When it arrived, it looked a little worn out. Not used, but definitely flattened (I hope that makes sense). I'm currently in Beijing and the map itself is accurate. However, it has torn already. I probably should have returned it when it arrived and asked for a different one. In any case, if you can find a brand new one, it would probably be good. However, since this is laminated, it should hold up for more than one trip and it did not even make it one trip.

Flexi Map Beijing is much more than just a laminated map. The Tourist Information section includes detailed descriptions and some stunning photographs of a carefully selected number of recommended sights, these sights are linked to the mapping by easy to find numbered markers. There is also an abundance of helpful information on getting around, tipping, opening times, public holidays, emergency telephone numbers and much more. The comprehensive index has been divided into different categories to make locating places as easy as possible. The laminated, tear-resistant finish is tough, weatherproof and can be written on using a non-permanent marker. The main map shows the city at a scale of 1:24 000 (1cm = 0.24km) and highlights numerous places of interest such as public buildings, hotels and parks. The Imperial Palace (also known as the Forbidden City) is shown on a separate map at the more detailed scale of 1:7 500 (1cm = 0.075km). For those wishing to travel further afield there is a map of the area surrounding Beijing, the scale of this map is 1:1 600 000 (1cm = 16km).

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