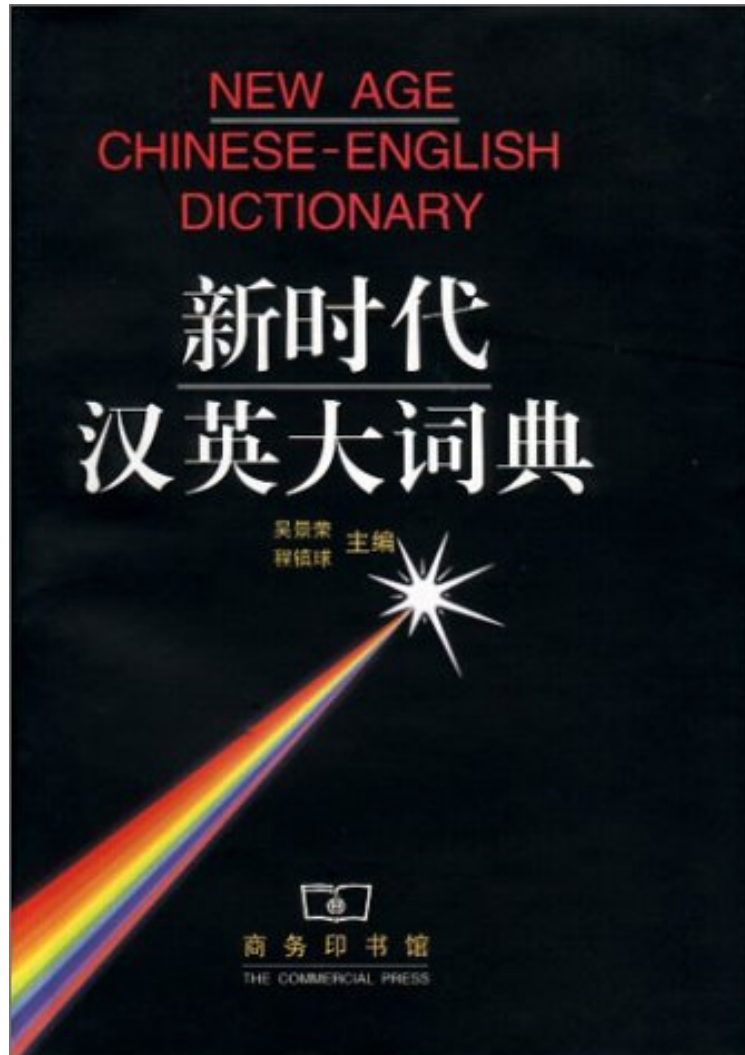


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3 of 3 people found the following review helpful. Most Excellent  
By E. Wieder  
I will not repeat too much what previous reviewers have said. This is indeed the best Chinese English dictionary around, my copy is so worn out I need to get a new one. I will just point out what I think is missing, at least from my edition (the 2000 one I think)- Somebody already mentioned- a table of grammatical functions, not too critical really- The measure word for nouns would be most useful- A section of difficult characters, some characters are hard to look up as their root is not clear, some dictionaries have a special section for these, and this is missing. And last but not least, not really a problem on its own, just my personal preference, I like the traditional characters much much more than the simplified ones, and would have liked them to be used as the 'default', but since this is printed in China, it's probably too much to ask for.

This hefty dictionary contains over 120,000 terms including popular new words in all kinds of areas. Precise explanation and sample of word usage.