

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Print the first page of the pattern (the one that contains the test squares and measure the square. It should match the size exactly. If it doesn't, play with the printer settings until it does. Once you find the right settings, save them or write them down and use them to print the rest of the pages.
2. Cut away the overlap strips and tape the pages together.
3. Cut the pattern pieces. If the model calls for neckline facing, choose between 4A and 4B based on the needed size.
For A1 - pieces 1, 2, 3A, 4(A or B) and 5.
For A2 - pieces 1, 2, 3A and binding tape of your choice (use the same fabric or tape with similar stretch and width of 2-3cm or about 1").
For B1 - pieces 1, 2, 3B, 4(A or B) and 5.
For B2 - pieces 1, 2, 3 and binding tape of your choice (use the same fabric or tape with similar stretch and width of 2-3cm or about 1").
4. Lay the pattern pieces on the fabric, adding 1.5cm (5/8") seam allowance to all pieces, except the hems - 2.5 cm (1") and the neckline facing (no allowance on one side).
5. Stitch the front bodice (2) to the back bodice (1) along the shoulder seams (right sides together). Serge the seam allowances and press the shoulder seams to the back.
6. Top stitch along the shoulder seams.
7. Stitch the sleeves (3) to the bodice (right sides together). Serge the seam allowances and press them to the bodice. Top stitch along the seam.
8. Close the side seams and sleeves at the same time. Serge the seam allowances and press them to the back.

NECKLINE A1 and B1

- 9.1. Attach the two neckline facing pieces (4 and 5) to each other along the shoulder lines (right sides together). Press the seam allowances open.
- 10.1. Stitch the neckline facing to the bodice neckline (matching shoulder seams).
Trim the seam allowance, clip the curves, flip the facing and press the neckline.
- 11.1. Cover stitch or top stitch (choose a stitch that allows some stretching) along the neckline to secure the facing.

NECKLINE A2 and B2

- 9.2. Stitch one side of the binding tape along the neckline (right side of the tape to wrong side of the bodice). At this point the binding tape is left on the inside of the garment.
- 10.2. Flip and press the binding tape towards the raw edge of the neckline and over it to the right side of the garment. Fold the raw edge of the tape to the inside and press it at the same time.
- 11.2. Chain stitch, top stitch or cover stitch the binding tape to close it.

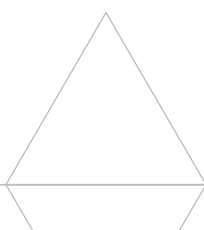
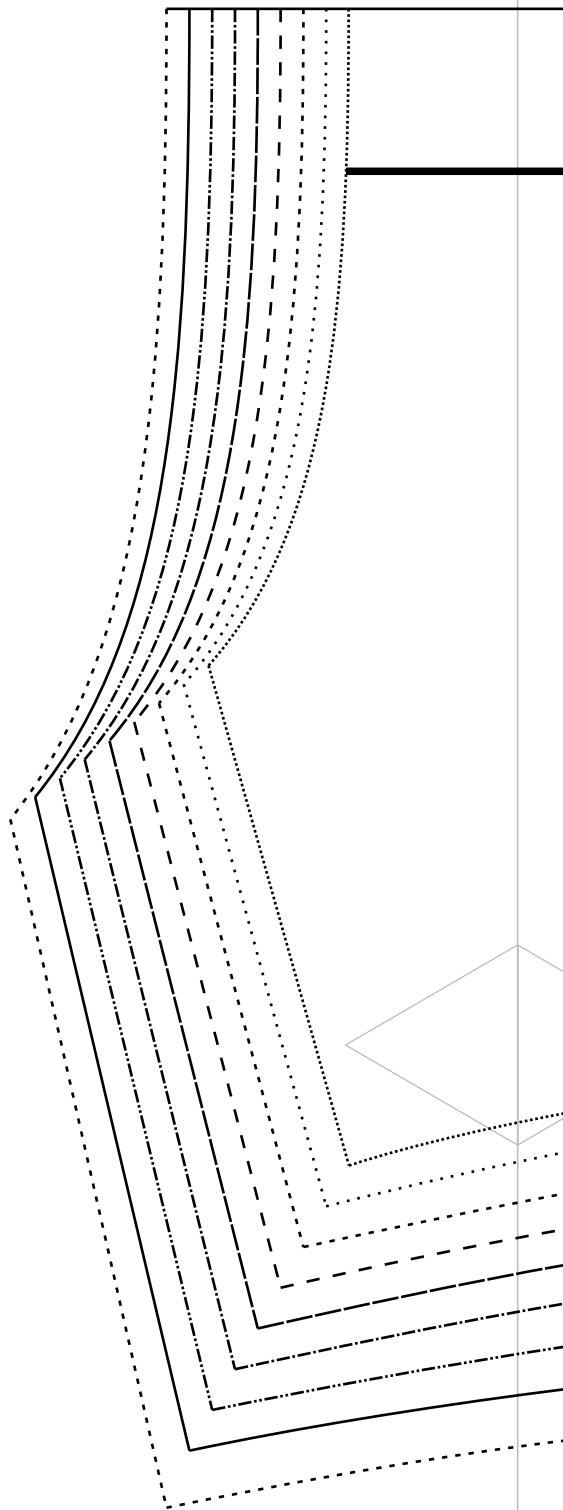
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12. Press the bodice and sleeve hems and cover stitch or top stitch them (choose a stitch that allows some stretching).

TEST SQUARE
10x10 cm

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TEST SQUARE
3x3"

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