

# FROM THE FOUNDER OF THE #VIKISEWS BRAND

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Back in 2016, when I was working on my first set of sewing instructions, I was trying to write them in such a way that even a complete beginner could easily understand and use them to create their very first garment. These instructions laid the foundation for the Vikisews brand, its vision and its mission. I wanted to create modern patterns with the utmost detailed and clear instructions.

Now, with each new collection we are constantly improving our instructions, amending them and adding more relevant details. By the time the final product reaches you, our drafters, correctors, and editors would have spent weeks perfecting every word and every photograph. If you compile a few of our instructions together, you will get a sewing manual that will assist you in sewing all kinds of garments at any difficulty level.

And I would be very happy if these instructions helped you to turn your hobby into a lifelong passion... Enjoy the process! Create your ultimate dream wardrobe! Wear your garments proudly for years to come!

If you have any questions, please contact us at [info@vikisews.com](mailto:info@vikisews.com) — we are always there to help.



## FAYTHE PATTERN DESCRIPTION

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Faythe is a pair of loose-fitting, straight-cut pants. The upper edge of the grown-on elasticated waistband sits at the natural waistline. The waistband features a casing formed by topstitching lines and a cord threaded through it. The side seams have pockets in them and are decorated with piping and topstitching. An elastic cord with a stopper is threaded through the casing at the garment hem. The pants are ankle-length.



## IMPORTANT!

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# TOTAL EASE ALLOWANCE

	Waistline ease	Hipline ease
cm	29	12.7–17.7
inches	11 3/8	5–7

# GARMENT LENGTH

Height, cm	Side seam length including waistband, cm	Height, ft	Side seam length including waistband, in
1 (154–160)	109.8–110.8	1 (5'1"–5'3")	43 1/4–43 5/8
2 (162–168)	113.8–114.8	2 (5'4"–5'6")	44 3/4–45 1/4
3 (170–176)	117.9–118.9	3 (5'7"–5'9")	46 3/8–46 3/4
4 (178–184)	121.8–122.8	4 (5'10"–6'1")	48–48 3/8

# FINISHED HEM WIDTH FOR ALL HEIGHTS

Size	34	36	38	40	42	44	46	48	50	52
Width, cm	32.8	33.3	33.7	34.2	34.7	35.1	35.6	36.1	36.6	37
Width, in	12 7/8	13 1/8	13 1/4	13 1/2	13 5/8	13 7/8	14	14 1/4	14 3/8	14 5/8

# SUGGESTED FABRIC

To sew these pants, choose medium-weight, non-stretch or low-stretch fabrics made of natural fibers, artificial fibers, blends, or synthetics.

The following fabrics are recommended: outerwear fabrics, thick French terry, thick sweatshirt fleece.

The pants in the photo are made of outerwear fabric. The fabric is medium weight and has very little stretch. The fiber content is 100% polyester. The fabric weight is 280 g/m<sup>2</sup>.

# FABRIC AND NOTIONS REQUIREMENTS

1. Main fabric, 140 cm wide, with a directional print/nap, in meters:

Height, cm	Size						
	34-38	40-42	44	46	48	50	52
1 (154-160)	2	2.05	2.1	2.15	2.25	2.35	2.45
2 (162-168)	2.1	2.1	2.15	2.25	2.35	2.4	2.55
3 (170-176)	2.15	2.2	2.25	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.6
4 (178-184)	2.25	2.25	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.7

Main fabric, 150 cm wide, with a directional print/nap, in meters:

Height, cm	Size			
	34-44	46-48	50	52
1 (154-160)	2	2.05	2.05	2.1
2 (162-168)	2.1	2.1	2.15	2.2
3 (170-176)	2.15	2.2	2.2	2.3
4 (178-184)	2.25	2.25	2.3	2.35

Main fabric, 180 cm wide, with a directional print/nap, in meters:

Height, cm	Size				
	34-36	38-42	44	46	48-52
1 (154-160)	1.25	1.25	1.3	1.7	2
2 (162-168)	1.25	1.3	1.4	1.8	2.05
3 (170-176)	1.3	1.3	1.45	1.9	2.15
4 (178-184)	1.35	1.35	1.5	2.1	2.2

Main fabric, 55" wide, with a directional print/nap, in yards:

Height, ft	Size						
	34-38	40-42	44	46	48	50	52
1 (5'1"-5'3")	2 1/8	2 1/4	2 1/4	2 3/8	2 1/2	2 5/8	2 5/8
2 (5'4"-5'6")	2 1/4	2 1/4	2 3/8	2 1/2	2 5/8	2 5/8	2 3/4
3 (5'7"-5'9")	2 3/8	2 3/8	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 5/8	2 3/4	2 7/8
4 (5'10"-6'1")	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 5/8	2 3/4	2 7/8	3

Main fabric, 59" wide, with a directional print/nap, in yards:

Height, ft	Size			
	34-44	46-48	50	52
1 (5'1"-5'3")	2 1/8	2 1/4	2 1/4	2 1/4
2 (5'4"-5'6")	2 1/4	2 1/4	2 3/8	2 3/8
3 (5'7"-5'9")	2 3/8	2 3/8	2 3/8	2 1/2
4 (5'10"-6'1")	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 5/8

Main fabric, 71" wide, with a directional print/nap, in yards:

Height, ft	Size				
	34-36	38-42	44	46	48-52
1 (5'1"-5'3")	1 3/8	1 3/8	1 3/8	1 7/8	2 1/8
2 (5'4"-5'6")	1 3/8	1 3/8	1 1/2	2	2 1/4
3 (5'7"-5'9")	1 3/8	1 3/8	1 5/8	2 1/8	2 3/8
4 (5'10"-6'1")	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 5/8	2 1/4	2 3/8

**IMPORTANT!** When purchasing fabric, please account for shrinkage and buy 5% more than required.

2. Lightweight knit or woven interfacing, 140 cm (55") wide, for all sizes in all heights — 3 cm (1 1/8")

3. Stitched bias-cut fusible stay tape with stitch reinforcement, 1.5 cm (5/8") wide — 0.4 m (3/8 yd)

4. Elastic, 4 cm (1 5/8") wide, for all heights (including seam allowances):

Size	34	36	38	40	42	44	46	48	50	52
cm	60	64	68	72	76	80	84	88	92	96
inches	23 5/8	25 1/4	26 3/4	28 3/8	29 7/8	31 1/2	33 1/8	34 5/8	36 1/4	37 3/4

5. Elastic cord, 3 mm (1/8") in diameter, for all heights (including seam allowances):

Size	34	36	38	40	42	44	46	48	50	52
For hem casing (cut into 2 equal pieces), cm	147	149	151	153	155	157	158.5	160.5	162	164
For hem casing (cut into 2 equal pieces), inches	57 7/8	58 5/8	59 1/2	60 1/4	61	61 3/4	62 3/8	63 1/4	63 3/4	64 5/8

6. Two double-hole stoppers for the elastic cord

7. Drawstring cord for the waistband casing, 5–7 mm (1/4") wide, for all heights:

Size	34–42	44–52
meters	1.5–1.6	1.7–1.8
yards	1 5/8–1 3/4	1 7/8–2

8. Decorative satin piping, 1.2 cm wide, for all sizes, in meters:

Height, cm	Total length (cut into 2 equal pieces)
1 (154–160)	2.5
2 (162–168)	2.6
3 (170–176)	2.7
4 (178–184)	2.8

Decorative satin piping, 1/2" wide, for all sizes, in yards:

Height, ft	Total length (cut into 2 equal pieces)
1 (5'1"–5'3")	2 3/4
2 (5'4"–5'6")	2 7/8
3 (5'7"–5'9")	3
4 (5'10"–6'1")	3

9. Matching thread — 5 spools (1 spool for the sewing machine + 4 spools for the overlocker)

# TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT

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- sewing machine for construction
- overlocker for finishing raw edges. This may be replaced with a stretch overlock stitch or a zigzag stitch on the sewing machine (overlock or zigzag stitch width 2–3 mm, stitch length 2.5 mm)
- buttonhole foot for the sewing machine
- one-sided foot for the sewing machine to attach the piping
- elastic threader (may be replaced with a safety pin)

## PATTERN PIECES LIST

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### 1. From main fabric:

- back leg — cut 2
- front leg — cut 2
- pocket lining — cut 4
- loop — cut 1

### Cut the following from interfacing:

- six 3×3 cm (1 1/8×1 1/8") square pieces to interface the buttonhole areas on the front and back leg pieces.

***IMPORTANT!** Don't forget to transfer all pattern markings and notches onto the fabric.*

## SEAM ALLOWANCES

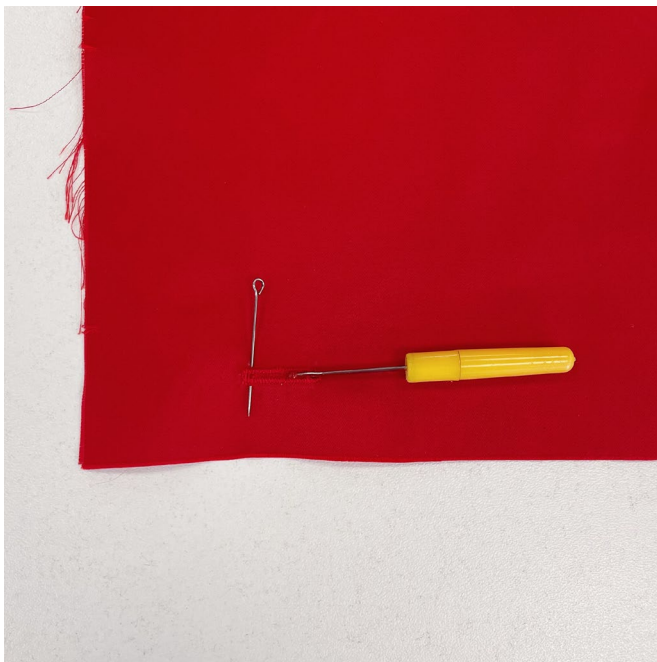
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All pattern pieces include seam allowances as follows:

- garment hem allowance — 3 cm (1 1/8")
- all other edges — 1 cm (3/8")

Take this into account when laying out pattern pieces on the fabric.





Insert a pin at the end of each buttonhole to protect the edge from being cut and then carefully cut the buttonholes open with a seam ripper.



Press the finished buttonholes.



Press and steam the piping in order to prevent its shrinkage in the finished garment.