

Flying Changes Measuring Guide for Short Jacket

Measurements from existing garment

Simply follow the form step by step, filling in the measurements as you go. Then send it back to us along with any photos you have taken.

Please do not worry if it doesn't fit you exactly. Simply tell us the measurements, send some simple photos of you standing in it (front, back and side) and tell us what you would like altered. Our tailor is amazingly good at reading photos!



Lay your jacket flat on a large table with it completely buttoned up. Then just fill the form in as you go:

BUST: Lift the sleeves away and measure in inches from just under the arm. Pull the fabric to its maximum width (without stretching) and measure to the outer edges.

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WAIST: This is usually across the middle button, but you will see where the fabric begins to narrow. Again pull the fabric flat and measure to the outer edges.

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Now put the jacket on and button it up (ideally with your competition breeches on), so you can take some photos too. You will now need some help!

SLEEVE LENGTH: measure from the shoulder seam down to the edge of the sleeve cuff. Don't pull the tape tight - just allow it to follow the fabric.

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Now for the back:

NECK TO WAIST: Lift the collar at the back and measure from the seam where the collar fabric meets the main fabric to your waist. (this is approximately level with your navel).

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NECK TO HEM: Lift the collar at the back and measure from the seam where the collar fabric meets the main fabric to the hem of the jacket or if this is not correct tell us the exact length you require.

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6) **BACK WIDTH (Shoulder)**: Spread the jacket flat and measure the width of the back of the jacket, from seam to seam across the shoulders.

Nearly there! Just some body measurements please, to finish off!

1) Bust. Measure the widest part and keep the tape fairly firm.

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2) Waist. This is your actual waist, level with your navel, again keep the tape fairly firm.

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4) Hips. Just measure around the widest part.

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Notes: If there is anything else you need to tell us, please use this space. For example if most of your off the pegs garments are too big or too small on the shoulders, tell us and we may just ask for a further measurement from you.