

Size Chart

Two size ranges are available
Sizes 30-52 (Includes youth sizes 30-34)

Sizes 46-66

There is a generous overlap between sizes 46-52 so you can choose which size range best suits your measurements, while still allowing for blending between sizes.

Size		30*	32*	34*	36	38	40	42	44	46	48	50	52	54	56	58	60	63	66
Choose between two size ranges		Sizes 30-52												Sizes 46-66					
Chest	inches	30	32	34	36	38	40	42	44	46	48	50	52	54	56	58	60	63	66
	cm	76.2	81.3	86.4	91.4	96.5	101.6	106.7	111.8	116.8	121.9	127.0	132.1	137.2	142.2	147.3	152.4	160	167.6
Waist	inches	24	26	28	30	32	34	36	38	40.5	43	45.5	48	51	54	58	62	65	68
	cm	61	66	71.1	76.2	81.3	86.4	91.4	96.5	102.9	109.2	115.6	121.9	129.5	137.2	147.3	157.5	165.1	172.7
Hip	inches	30	32	34	36	38	40	42	44	46	48	50	52	54	56	58	60	63	66
	cm	76.2	81.3	86.4	91.4	96.5	101.6	106.7	111.8	116.8	121.9	127	132.1	137.2	142.2	147.3	152.4	160	167.6
Shoulder Width	inches	13.4	15	16.5	16.8	17	17.5	18	18.5	19	19.5	20.1	20.5	20.9	21.3	21.7	22	22.4	22.8
	cm	34	38	42	42.6	43.2	44.5	45.7	47	48.3	49.5	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58
Upper Arm	inches	10.2	10.8	11.4	12	12.6	13.2	13.8	14.2	14.6	15	15.7	16.5	17.1	17.7	18.3	18.9	19.7	20.5
	cm	26	27.5	29	30.5	32	33.5	35	36	37	38	40	42	43.5	45	46.5	48	50	52
Height	inches	4' 10"	5' 1"	5' 5"											5' 10"				
	cm	152	157	167											177				

* **Youth sizes.** Sizes 30, 32, 34 carry on directly from the child sizes, and bridge the gap into adult sizes.

The sewing instructions in this tutorial are relevant for all sizes 30-66.



Finished Garment Measurements

Sometimes it is handy to know how much “ease” there is in a pattern if trying to decide between sizes.

The following chart details the measurements of the finished garment.

Finished Garment Size		30	32	34	36	38	40	42	44	46	48	50	52	54	56	58	60	63	66
Chest (at underarm) EASE: 8" (20.5cm)	inches	39.2	41.1	42.9	44.9	46.7	48.4	50.2	52	53.3	55.3	57.5	59.4	61.4	63.6	65.6	67.7	70.9	74
	cm	99.5	104.5	109	114	118.5	123	127.5	132	135.5	140.5	146	151	156	161.5	166.5	172	180	188
Waist EASE: 10 ¼" (26cm)	inches	37	38.8	40.6	42.5	44.3	46.1	47.8	49.6	51	53	55.1	57.5	59.6	61.8	64.6	66.7	69.9	73
	cm	94	98.5	103	108	112.5	117	121.5	126	129.5	134.5	140	146	151.5	157	164	169.5	177.5	185.5
Hip (at hem) EASE: 4 ½" (11.5cm)	inches	36.6	38.6	40.4	42.1	43.9	45.7	47.6	49.4	50.6	52.6	54.7	56.7	58.9	60.6	63	65.2	68.3	71.3
	cm	93	98	102.5	107	111.5	116	121	125.5	128.5	133.5	139	144	149.5	154	160	165.5	173.5	181
Centre Back Neck Seam to Hem	inches	24	25.2	27.2	29.7	29.9	30.1	30.3	30.7	30.9	31.1	31.7	32.3	32.7	33.3	33.9	34.4	35	35.4
	cm	61	64	69	75.5	76	76.5	77	78	78.5	79	80.5	82	83	84.5	86	87.5	89	90
Short Sleeve Length	inches	15.2	16.1	18.3	18.1	18.5	19.1	19.5	19.9	20.5	20.9	21.7	22	22.4	22.8	23.2	23.6	24.2	24.6
	cm	38.5	41	46.5	46	47	48.5	49.5	50.5	52	53	55	56	57	58	59	60	61.5	62.5
Long Sleeve Length (From base of neck, over shoulder to wrist)	inches	27.8	29.3	30.9	32.5	32.9	33.3	33.9	34.3	34.6	35.2	35.6	36	36.4	36.8	37.2	37.4	37.8	38.2
	cm	70.5	74.5	78.5	82.5	83.5	84.5	86	87	88	89.5	90.5	91.5	92.5	93.5	94.5	95	96	97
Shoulder Width	inches	15.6	16.7	17.9	18.9	19.5	19.9	20.5	20.9	21.5	22	22.4	22.8	23.2	23.6	24	24.2	24.6	24.8
	cm	39.5	42.5	45.5	48	49.5	50.5	52	53	54.5	56	57	58	59	60	61	61.5	62.5	63
Upper Arm (at underarm)	inches	15.4	15.7	16.1	16.5	17.1	17.7	18.1	18.7	18.9	19.7	19.7	20.5	21.1	21.9	22.4	23.0	24	24.8
	cm	39	40	41	42	43.5	45	46	47.5	48	50	50	52	53.5	55.5	57	58.5	61	63



Gather Supplies

Suggested Fabrics

The Ridgeway Top works best with lightweight, stable woven fabrics such as lightweight linen, cotton shirting, poplin, chambray.

Fabrics **NOT** suitable: Stretch wovens, knits or woven fabrics with a textured or open weave (such as muslin or double gauze) will be very hard to handle when it comes to sewing the front overlap detail, and are not recommended.

Fabric Requirement Chart

You will need the following amounts. You may need more if matching plaids/checks or if you have a directional fabric.

SHORT SLEEVE VERSION

Fabric Width		30	32	34	36	38	40	42	44	46	48	50	52	54	56	58	60	63	66
110cm / 43"	inches	55.1	55.1	63	70.9	70.9	78.7	78.7	86.6	86.6	98.4	98.4	98.4	114.2	114.2	114.2	118.1	129.9	129.9
	cm	140	140	160	180	180	200	200	220	220	250	250	250	290	290	290	300	330	330
130cm / 51"	inches	43.3	43.3	55.1	55.1	55.1	59.1	70.9	70.9	70.9	78.7	82.7	82.7	94.5	94.5	94.5	106.3	118.1	118.1
	cm	110	110	140	140	140	150	180	180	180	200	210	210	240	240	240	270	300	300
150cm / 59"	inches	39.4	39.4	55.1	55.1	55.1	59.1	59.1	59.1	66.9	70.9	70.9	70.9	78.7	78.7	78.7	94.5	102.4	102.4
	cm	100	100	140	140	140	150	150	150	170	180	180	180	200	200	200	240	260	260

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ADDITIONAL FABRIC FOR TAB LONG SLEEVE

Fabric Width		30	32	34	36	38	40	42	44	46	48	50	52	54	56	58	60	63	66
110cm / 43"	inches	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	15.7	15.7	15.7	15.7	15.7	23.6	23.6	23.6
	cm	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	40	40	40	40	40	60	60	60
130cm / 51"	inches	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	15.7	15.7	15.7
	cm	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	40	40	40
150cm / 59"	inches	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.8	15.7	15.7	15.7	15.7	15.7	15.7
	cm	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	40	40	40	40	40	40

Other Supplies & Notions

- Spool of coordinating thread.
- 7.9" (20cm) piece of lightweight interfacing to stabilise the facing and collar - knit or woven are the preferred choices, but non-woven would be OK.
- 2 small buttons or 2 sets of snaps if adding the optional sleeve tabs. Though you can use any size you desire, a 1/2" - 5/8" (1.3cm - 1.5cm) button will nicely fit the 1" (2.5cm) wide button tab.



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