

FROM THE FOUNDER OF THE #VIKISEWS BRAND



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 — we are always there to help.



SORA PATTERN DESCRIPTION

Sora is a voluminous, one handle hobo bag fully finished with a lining. It features one zipper pocket on the inside and fastens with a magnetic snap. The bag can additionally be stiffened with foam and a detachable bottom.



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BAG DIMENSIONS

	Bag bottom length	Bag bottom width	Bag height at center	Bag height from bottom to handle top at side
cm	48	16	29	74.5
inches	18 7/8	6 1/4	11 3/8	29 3/8

SUGGESTED FABRIC

To sew this bag, choose heavyweight or medium weight fabrics with no stretch or with very little stretch. The fiber content can include natural or artificial fibers, blends and synthetics.

The following fabrics are recommended: faux leather, faux fur.

For the lining, choose lining fabrics made of artificial fibers (viscose), blends (viscose + elastane, viscose + polyester), or synthetics (polyester, polyester + elastane).

Attention! We do not recommend lightweight and very stretchy fabrics.

The bag in the photo is made of faux fur. The fabric is medium-weight, soft, and low-stretch. The fiber content is 100% polyester. The fabric weight is 495 g/m².

The lining is a blend of polyester (55%) and viscose (45%). The fabric weight is 100 g/m².

The bag is interfaced with fusible 2 mm thick MTP foam with density 70 kg/m³ (D70).

The detachable bottom is made of 2 mm thick leather board. The fiber content is 100% leather fibers.

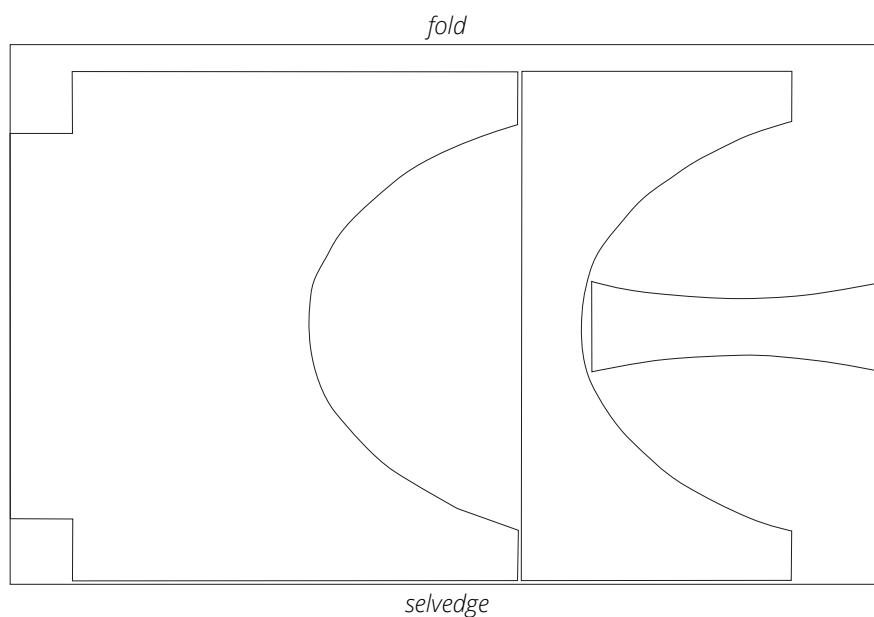
FABRIC AND NOTIONS REQUIREMENTS

1. Main fabric, 140 cm (55") wide, with a directional print/nap — 1.2 m (1 1/4 yd).
2. Lining fabric, 140 cm (55") wide, with a directional print — 0.85 m (7/8 yd).

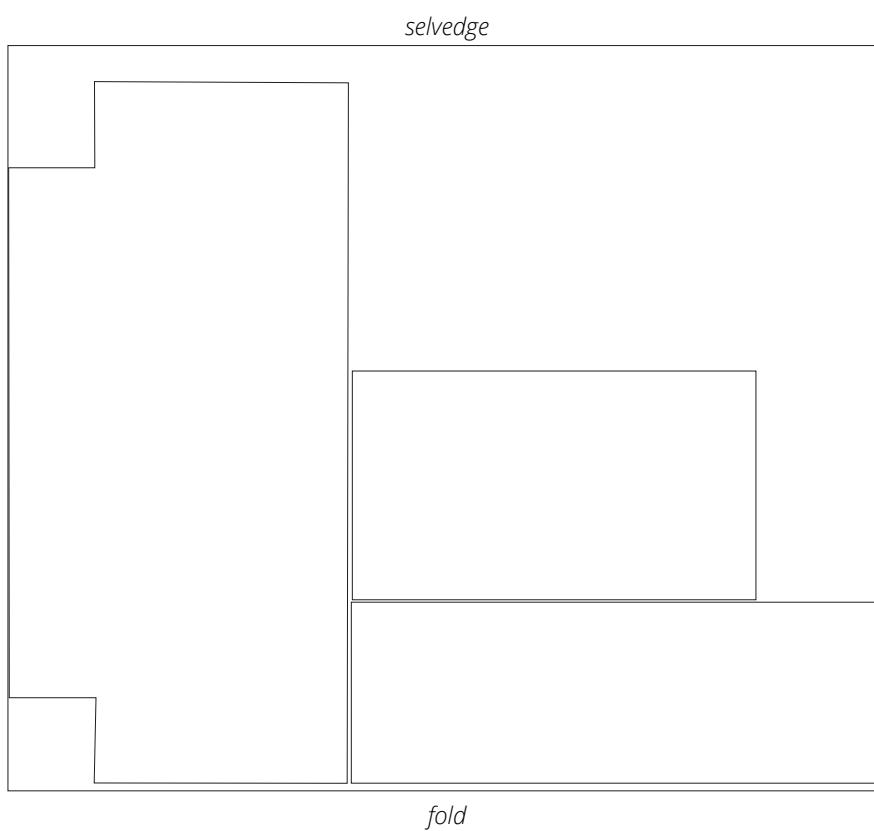
IMPORTANT! When purchasing fabric, please account for shrinkage and buy 5% more than required.

CUTTING LAYOUT

Main fabric, 140 cm (55") wide, with a directional print/nap, cut on fold; interfacing, 140 cm (55") wide, cut on fold and in one direction



Lining fabric, 140 cm (55") wide, with a directional print, cut on fold



Attention! Cut only one pocket lining piece.



Place the front and back panel pieces right sides together, align the side and bottom edges. Match the notches and pin.



Stitch on the sewing machine, backstitching at the beginning and end of the seam. Press the seam flat.



Trim the seam allowances at the intersections down to 2 mm from the seam.