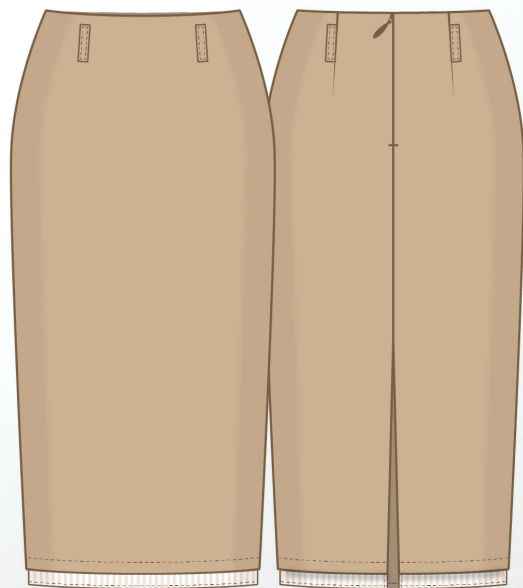


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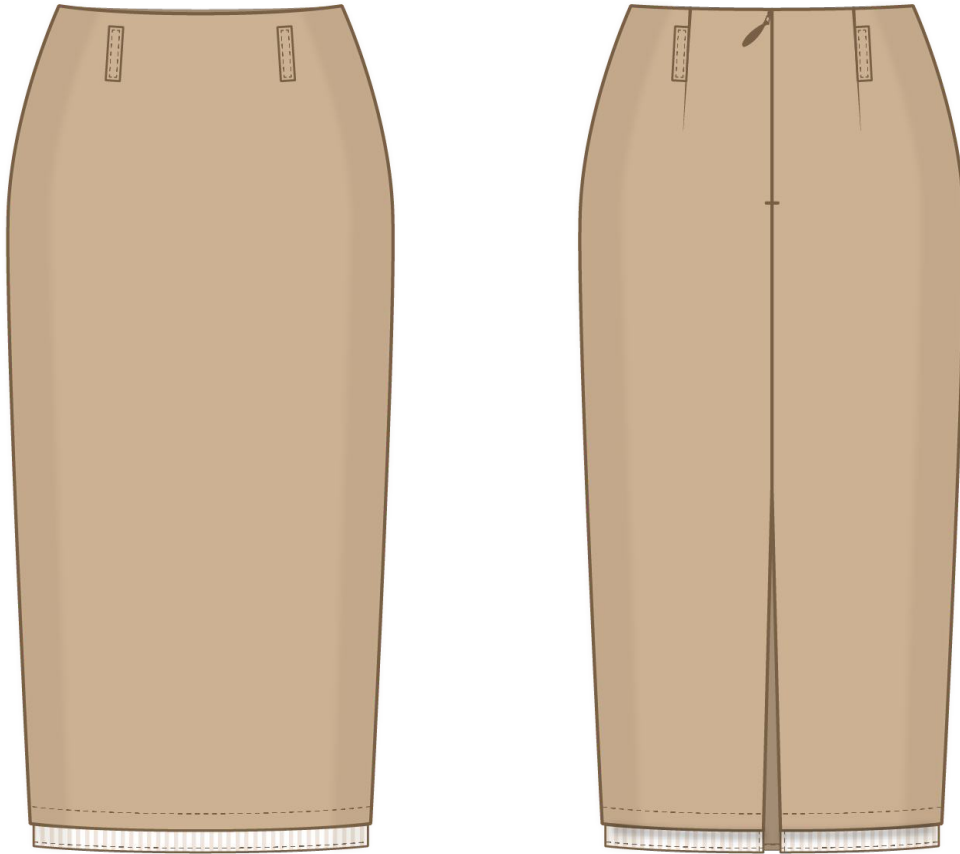


Back in 2016, when I started making my first sewing patterns and instruction manuals, my main goal was to solve the problems I personally faced at the beginning of my sewing journey: the lack of stylish patterns that provide a great fit and contain clear sewing instructions. That's how Vikisews was born—a brand designed to help you create fashionable, on-trend clothing with your own hands.



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AIZA PATTERN DESCRIPTION

Aiza is a semi-fitted skirt with a straight silhouette. The top edge is finished with a lining and grosgrain ribbon and sits 4 cm (1 5/8") below the waistline. The belt loops are topstitched to the top edge. The back is fitted with waist darts and a center seam. The center back seam features an invisible zipper closure and a slit. The free-hanging lining works as a design feature and peeks out from underneath the skirt by 2.5 cm (1"). Aiza is below-knee length.



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TOTAL EASE ALLOWANCE

	Waistline ease (estimated)	Hipline ease
cm	8	2.5
inches	3 1/8	1

GARMENT LENGTH

Height, cm	Lining center back length,cm	Height, ft	Lining center back length, in
1 (154–160)	70.5	1 (5'1"–5'3")	27 3/4
2 (162–168)	73.5	2 (5'4"–5'6")	28 7/8
3 (170–176)	76.5	3 (5'7"–5'9")	30 1/8
4 (178–184)	79.5	4 (5'10"–6'1")	31 1/4

SUGGESTED FABRICS

To sew this skirt, choose medium-weight, non-stretch, structured dress-weight suiting fabrics made of natural, artificial, blended, or synthetic fibers.

The following fabrics are recommended: denim, poplin, sateen, shirting fabric, and cotton.

For the lining, use lining fabrics made of artificial fibers (viscose), blended fibers (viscose + elastane, viscose + polyester), or synthetic fibers (polyester, polyester + elastane).

The skirt in the photo is made of cotton suiting fabric. The fabric is medium weight, low-stretch, and structured. The fiber content is 97% cotton + 3% elastane. The fabric weight is 215 g/m².

The lining is made of shirting fabric. The fiber content is 76% cotton + 22% polyester + 2% elastane. The fabric weight is 130 g/m².

FABRIC AND NOTIONS REQUIREMENTS

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

Height, cm	Size	
	34	36–52
1 (154–160)	0.75	0.8
2 (162–168)	0.8	0.8
3 (170–176)	0.85	0.85
4 (178–184)	0.85	0.85

Main fabric, 55" wide, with a directional print/nap, for all sizes in all heights, in yards – 7/8

2. Lining fabric, 140 cm wide, with a directional print, in meters:

Height, cm	Size	
	34	36–52
1 (154–160)	0.75	0.8
2 (162–168)	0.8	0.8
3 (170–176)	0.85	0.85
4 (178–184)	0.85	0.85

Lining fabric, 55" wide, with a directional print, for all sizes in all heights, in yards – 7/8

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

3. Lightweight interfacing, knit or woven, 140 cm (55") wide, for all sizes in all heights — 0.1 m (4")

4. Stitched straight-grain fusible stay tape, 1 cm (3/8") wide — 1.3 m (1 3/8 yd)

5. Grosgrain ribbon, 2 cm (3/4") wide — 0.8–1.2 m (7/8–1 1/3 yd)

6. One invisible zipper, 20 cm (8") long, for all sizes and heights

7. One hook-and-eye closure, size 1

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

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

TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT

- 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)
- stitch-in-the-ditch foot for the sewing machine (optional)
- invisible zipper foot for the sewing machine
- one-sided foot for attaching the zipper

PATTERN PIECES LIST

1. From main fabric:

- front – cut 1 on fold
- back – cut 2
- belt loops – cut 1 (4 pcs)

2. From lining:

- front lining – cut 1 on fold
- back lining – cut 2

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

3. From interfacing:

- four strips with the width and length according to the pattern to interface the area under the belt loops.

SEAM ALLOWANCES

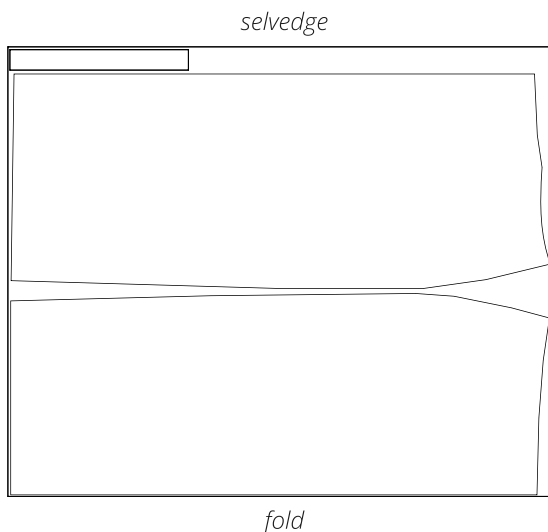
All pattern pieces include seam allowances as follows:

- garment hem allowance — 4 cm (1 5/8")
- side seam allowance of the lining — 1.5 cm (5/8")
- all other edges — 1 cm (3/8")

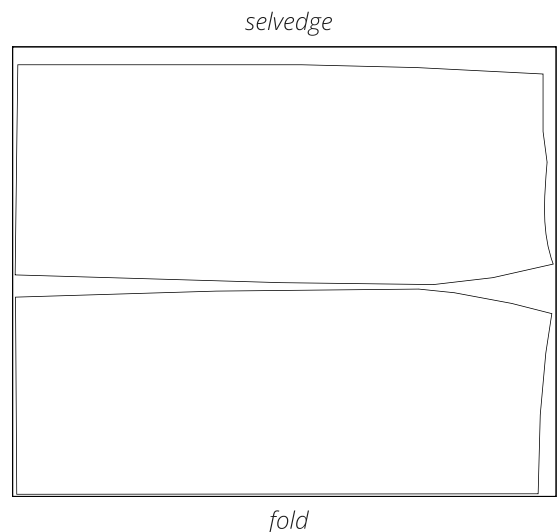
Take this into account when laying out the pattern pieces on the fabric.

CUTTING LAYOUT

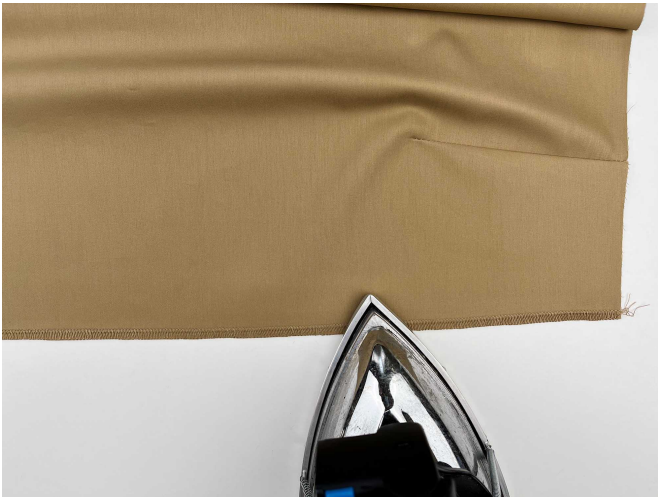
Main fabric, 140 cm (55") wide,
with a directional print/nap, cut on fold,
for all sizes in all heights



Lining fabric, 140 cm (55") wide,
with a directional print, cut on fold,
for all sizes in all heights



READY? LET'S GET SEWING!



10. Overlock the center back edges, with the right side of the back piece facing up.
Press the seam.



11. Place the back pieces right sides together, align the center back edges, match the notches, and pin.



12. Machine-stitch from the zipper notch to the slit notch, backstitching at the beginning and end of the seam.



13. Machine-baste the zipper section and the slit section. Do not backstitch.



14. Press the center back seam allowances open.