HOW TO MEASURE GUIDE FOR APPAREL VENDORS

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How to Measure - T- Shirt

1 Chest - 1" below armhole measure straight across, edge to edge.

2 Waist - At point specified below HPS (High Point Shoulder) or SNP (Side Neck Point). Measurement taken straight across, edge to edge.

3 Hem - Measured straight or curved along bottom edge, side seam to side seam (whichever is specified on the measurement chart).

4 Shoulder Seam - From HPS/SNP measure along the seam to the outer shoulder edge.

5 Cross Shoulder Seam - From outer shoulder edge to outer shoulder edge.

6 Sleeve Over arm - From outer shoulder edge, measure along fold to the sleeve opening.

7 Armhole Straight - Measure straight from outer shoulder edge to bottom of armhole. Armhole Curved - Measure from outer shoulder edge along curve to bottom of armhole.

8 Bicep - 1" below armhole, measure straight across edge to edge parallel to the sleeve opening.

9 Sleeve Opening - Measure along sleeve opening, edge to edge.

10 Across Front - From specified point below HPS/SNP, measure straight across, edge to edge of armhole.

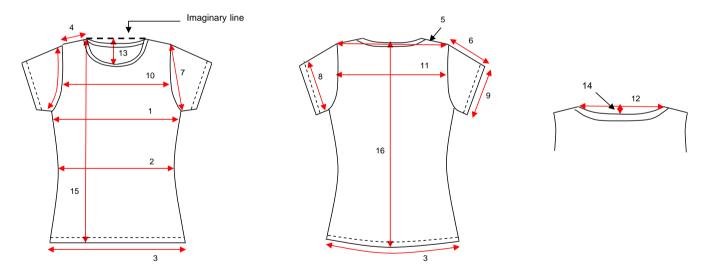
11 Across Back - From specified point below HPS/SNP, measure straight across, edge to edge of armhole.

12 Back Neck Width - Edge to edge, seam to seam or inside binding (whichever is specified on the measurement chart).

13 Front Neck Drop - From imaginary line to top edge of front neck.

14 **Back Neck Drop -** From imaginary line to top edge of back neck.

15 Front Length - Measurement taken from HPS/SNP straight down to the hem.



How to Measure - Vest

1 **Chest** - 1" below armhole measure straight across, edge to edge.

2 Waist - At point specified below HPS (High Point Shoulder) or SNP (Side Neck Point). Measurement taken straight across, edge to edge.

3 Hem - Measured straight across or along the curve at bottom edge, side seam to side seam (whichever is specified on the measurement chart).

4 Shoulder Seam - From HPS/SNP measure along the seam to the outer shoulder edge.

5 Armhole Straight - Measure straight from outer shoulder edge to bottom of armhole. Armhole Curved - Measure from outer shoulder edge alon

6 Across Front - From specified point below HPS/SNP, measure straight across, edge to edge of armhole.

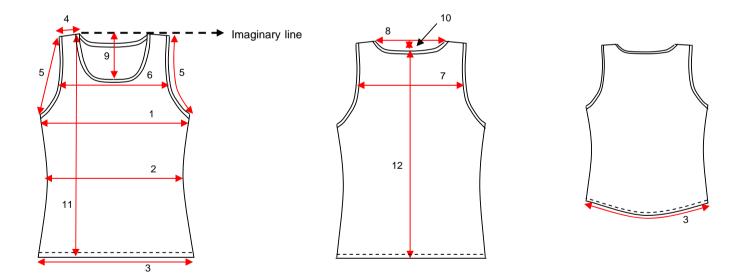
7 Across Back - From specified point below HPS/SNP, measure straight across, edge to edge of armhole.

8 Back Neck Width - Edge to edge, seam to seam or inside binding (whichever is specified on the measurement chart).

9 Front Neck Drop - From imaginary line to top edge of front neck.

10 Back Neck Drop - From imaginary line to top edge of back neck.

11 Front Length - Measurement taken from HPS/SNP straight down to the hem.



How to Measure - Cami Vest

1 Chest - 1" below armhole measure straight across, edge to edge.

2 Waist - At point specified below centre front neck. Measurement taken straight across, edge to edge.

3 Hem - Measured straight across or curved along bottom edge, side seam to side seam (whichever is specified on the measurement chart).

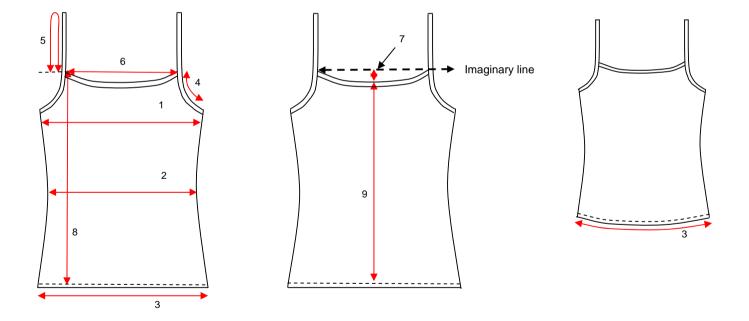
4 Armhole Curved - Measure from the apex along the curve to underarm.

5 Total Strap Length - Measure from the front apex to the back apex.

6 Front/Back Neck Width - Measure straight across between straps.

7 Front/Back Neck Drop - From imaginary line to top edge of neckline.

8 Front Length - Measure from the apex straight down to the hem.



How to Measure - Shirts & Blouses

1 Chest - 1" below armhole measure straight across, edge to edge.

2 Waist - At point specified below HPS (High Point Shoulder) or SNP (Side Neck Point). Measurement taken straight across, edge to edge.

3 Hem - Measured straight or curved along bottom edge, side seam to side seam (whichever is specified on the measurement chart).

4 Shoulder Seam - From HPS/SNP measure along the seam or along the natural fold line to the outer shoulder edge.

5 Across Shoulder - Outer shoulder edge to outer shoulder edge

6 Sleeve Over arm - From outer shoulder edge measure along fold to the edge of cuff.

7 Armhole Straight - Measure straight from outer shoulder edge to bottom of armhole. Armhole Curved - Measure from outer shoulder edge along curve to bottom of armhol

8 Bicep - 1" below armhole, measure straight across edge to edge parallel to the sleeve opening.

9 Cuff/Sleeve Opening - Measure along cuff/sleeve opening, edge to edge.

10 Cuff Depth - Measure from the seam to edge of cuff.

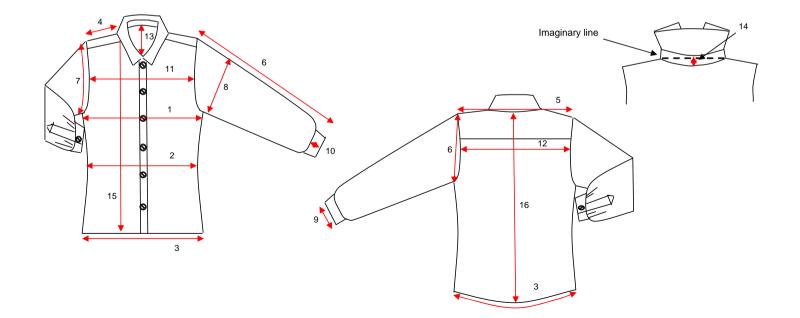
11 Across Front - From specified point below HPS/SNP, measure straight across, edge to edge of armhole.

12 Across Back - From specified point below HPS/SNP, measure straight across, edge to edge of armhole.

13 Front Neck Drop - From back neck seam to top edge of front neck.

14 Back Neck Drop - From imaginary line to top edge of back neck seam.

15 Front Length - Measurement taken from HPS/SNP straight down to the hem, staying parallel to the centre front.



How to Measure - Waistcoat

1 Chest - 1" below armhole measure straight across, edge to edge.

2 Waist - At point specified below HPS (High Point Shoulder) or SNP (Side Neck Point). Measurement taken straight across, edge to edge.

3 Hem - Measured straight across or along the bottom edge at back.

4 Shoulder Seam - From HPS/SNP measure along the seam to the outer shoulder edge.

5 Armhole Straight - Measure straight from outer shoulder edge to bottom of armhole. Armhole Curved - Measure from outer shoulder edge along curve to bottom of armhole.

6 Across Front - From specified point below HPS/SNP, measure straight across, edge to edge of armhole.

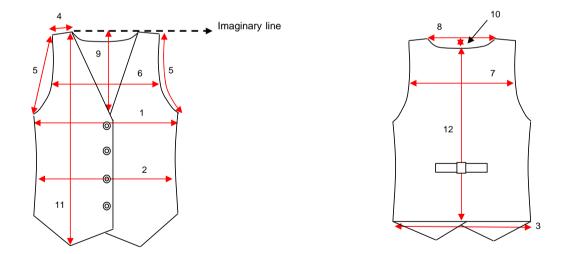
7 Across Back - From specified point below HPS/SNP, measure straight across, edge to edge of armhole.

8 Back Neck Width - Edge to edge or seam to seam.

9 Front Neck Drop - From imaginary line to break point.

10 Back Neck Drop - From imaginary line to top edge of back neck.

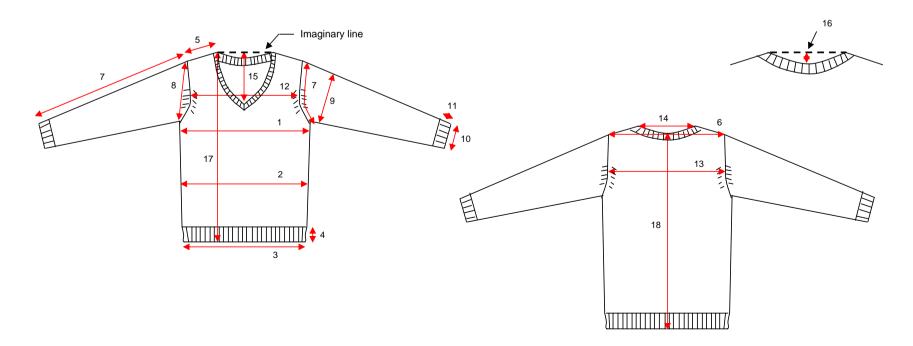
11 Front Length - Measurement taken from HPS/SNP straight down to hem at longest point.



How to Measure - Jumper

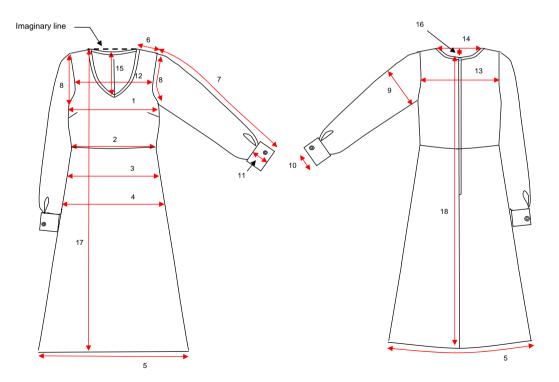
1 **Chest** - 1" below armhole measure straight across, edge to edge.

- 2 Waist At point specified below HPS (High Point Shoulder) or SNP (Side Neck Point). Measurement taken straight across, edge to edge.
- 3 Hem Width Measured straight along bottom edge, side seam to side seam.
- 4 Hem Rib Depth Measure from the top edge of the rib to the bottom edge at hem
- 5 Shoulder Seam From HPS/SNP measure along the seam to the outer shoulder edge.
- 6 Across Shoulder Outer shoulder edge to outer shoulder edge
- 7 Sleeve Over arm From outer shoulder edge, measure along fold to the sleeve opening.
- 8 Armhole Straight Measure straight from outer shoulder edge to bottom of armhole. Armhole Curved Measure from outer shoulder edge along curve to bottom of armhol
- 9 Bicep 1" below armhole, measure straight across edge to edge parallel to the sleeve opening.
- 10 Sleeve Opening Measure along sleeve opening, edge to edge.
- 11 Sleeve Rib Depth Measure from the top edge of the sleeve rib to the bottom edge of sleeve opening.
- 12 Across Front From specified point below HPS/SNP, measure straight across, edge to edge of armhole.
- 13 Across Back From specified point below HPS/SNP, measure straight across, edge to edge of armhole.
- 14 Back Neck Width Edge to edge, seam to seam or inside binding (whichever is specified on point of measure chart).
- 15 **Front Neck Drop -** From imaginary line to top edge of front neck.
- 16 Back Neck Drop From imaginary line to top edge of back neck.
- 17 Front Length Measurement taken from HPS/SNP straight down to the hem.
- 18 Centre Back Length From the centre back neck, measure straight down to the hem.



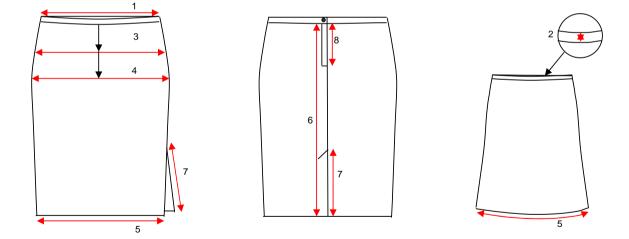
How to Measure - Dress

- 1 Chest 1" below armhole measure straight across, edge to edge.
- 2 Waist At point specified below HPS (High Point Shoulder) or SNP (Side Neck Point). Measurement taken straight across, edge to edge
- 3 High Hip 4" below waist, measure straight across, edge to edge.
- 4 Low Hip 8" below waist, measure straight across, edge to edge.
- 5 Hem Measured straight or curved along bottom edge, side seam to side seam (whichever is specified on the measurement chart)
- 6 Shoulder Seam From HPS/SNP measure along the seam to the outer shoulder edge.
- 7 Sleeve Over arm From outer shoulder edge measure along fold to the sleeve opening.
- 8 Armhole Straight Measure straight from outer shoulder edge to bottom of armhole. Armhole Curved Measure from outer shoulder edge along curve to bottom of armhole.
- 9 Bicep 1" below armhole, measure straight across edge to edge parallel to the sleeve opening.
- 10 Cuff/Sleeve Opening Measure along cuff/sleeve opening, edge to edge.
- 11 Cuff Depth Measure from seam to end of sleeve opening.
- 12 Across Front From specified point below HPS/SNP, measure straight across, edge to edge of armhole.
- 13 Across Back From specified point below HPS/SNP, measure straight across, edge to edge of armhole.
- 14 Back Neck Width Edge to edge, seam to seam or inside binding (whichever is specified on the measurement chart)
- 15 Front Neck Drop From imaginary line to top edge of front neck.
- 16 Back Neck Drop From imaginary line to top edge of back neck.
- 17 Front Length Measurement taken from HPS/SNP straight down to the hem.
- 18 Centre Back Length From the centre back neck, measure straight down to the hem.



How to Measure - Skirt

- 1 Waist Measured straight along top edge
- 2 Waistband Depth From top edge of waistband to bottom edge of waistband.
- 3 Top Hip Measure down 4" below waistband (or top edge if no waistband) and straight across edge to edge.
- 4 Lower Hip Measure down 8" below waistband (or top edge if no waistband) and straight across edge to edge.
- 5 Hem Measured straight or curved along bottom edge, side seam to side seam (whichever is specified on the measurement chart).
- 6 Centre Back Length Excluding waistband, measure straight down to hem (if no waistband, measure from the top edge).
- 7 Vent/Split Length Measure from top of vent/split to hem.
- 8 Zip Length Measure from below waistband (or top edge if no waistband) to base of zip



How to Measure - Trousers & Shorts

1 Waist - Measured straight along top edge

2 Waistband Depth - From top edge of waistband to bottom edge of waistband.

3 Top Hip - Measure down 4" below waistband (or top edge if no waistband) and straight across edge to edge.

4 Lower Hip - Measure down 8" below waistband (or top edge if no waistband) and straight across edge to edge.

5 Leg Opening - Measure from inner edge to outer edge straight across bottom opening.

6 Thigh - From 1" below crotch, measure from inner edge to outer edge straight across parallel to leg opening.

7 Knee - At halfway point between the crotch & leg opening, measure the knee width edge to edge parallel to leg opening.

8 Front Rise - Straighten rise without stretching and measure from below waistband (or top edge if no waistband) to crotch join.

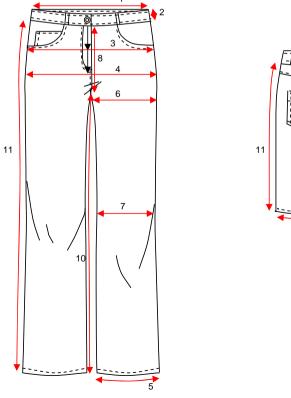
9 Back Rise - Straighten rise without stretching and measure from below waistband (or top edge if no waistband) to crotch join.

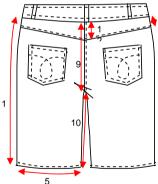
10 Inside Leg - Measure from crotch join seam straight down to hem.

11 Outside Leg - Measure from below waistband at side seam straight down to hem.

12 Yoke Depth at centre back - Measure from below waistband/top edge straight down to longest point.

13 Yoke Depth at side seam - Measure from below waistband straight down along side seam.





How to Measure - Coats, Jackets & Blazers

1 Chest - 1" below armhole measure straight across, edge to edge.

2 Waist - At point specified below HPS (High Point Shoulder) or SNP (Side Neck Point). Measurement taken straight across, edge to edge.

3 Lower Hip - 8" below waist, measure straight across, edge to edge.

4 Hem - Measured straight or curved along bottom edge, side seam to side seam (whichever is specified on the measurement chart).

5 Shoulder Seam - From HPS/SNP measure along the seam to the outer shoulder edge.

6 Sleeve Over arm - From outer shoulder edge measure along fold to the sleeve opening.

7 Armhole Straight - Measure straight from outer shoulder edge to bottom of armhole. Armhole Curved - Measure from outer shoulder edge along curve to bottom of armhole.

8 Bicep - 1" below armhole, measure straight across edge to edge parallel to the sleeve opening.

9 Cuff/Sleeve Opening - Measure along cuff/sleeve opening, edge to edge.

10 Cuff Depth - Measure from seam to end of sleeve opening.

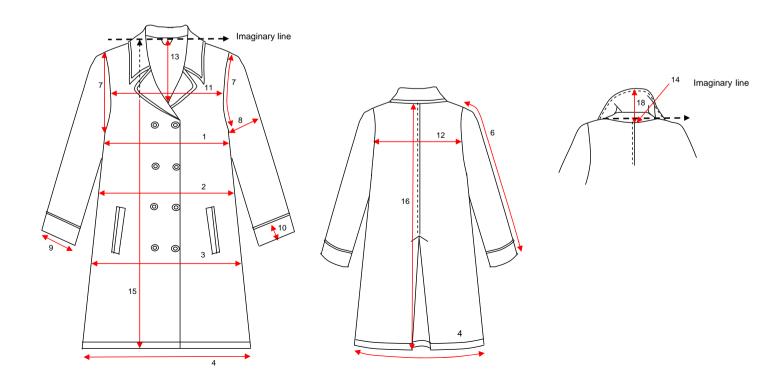
11 Across Front - From specified point below HPS/SNP, measure straight across, edge to edge of armhole.

12 Across Back - From specified point below HPS/SNP, measure straight across, edge to edge of armhole.

13 Front Neck Drop - From back neck seam to break point.

14 Back Neck Drop - From imaginary line to back neck seam.

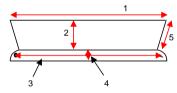
15 Front Length - Measurement taken from HPS/SNP straight down to the hem, staying parallel to the centre front.

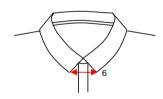


How to Measure the following:

<u>Collars</u>

- 1 Collar Leaf edge
- 2 Collar Depth
- 3 Collar Neck circumference
- 4 Collar Stand depth
- 5 Collar Point
- 6 Collar Spread



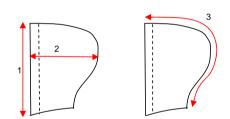


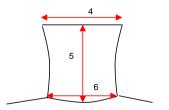
Hoods & Roll necks

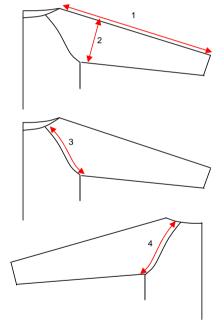
- Hood Opening At c/front
 Hood Width At widest
 Hood Overhead
 Roll Neck Width Top edge
- 5 Roll Neck Depth
- 6 Roll Neck Width Neck seam

<u>Raglan</u>

Sleeve - Over arm
 Bicep - Width
 Front - Raglan seam
 Back - Raglan seam







How to Measure the following:

Waistband, zips & belts

- 1 Waistband/Belt Depth 2 Belt Loop - Length
- 3 Belt Loop Width4 Drawstring Length
- 5 Zip Length
- 6 Belt Length

Pockets

Pocket - Width
 Pocket - Depth
 Pocket Flap - Width
 Pocket Flap - Depth
 Pocket Opening - Straight
 Pocket Opening - Along Curve

