

# easy wrap skirt - make your own pattern

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easiest way to make a pattern for wrap skirts.

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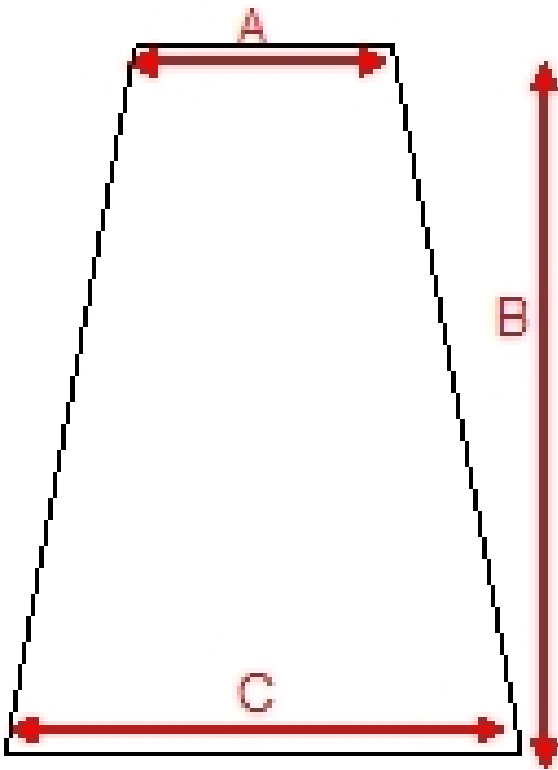
## Step 1 — measure



measure around your waist (or hips - wherever you want the waistband to sit) and call this measurement  $\hat{x}$

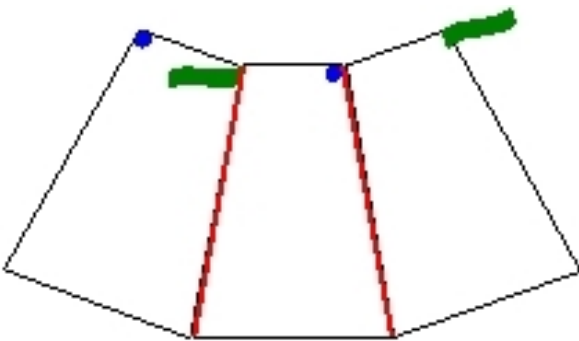
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## Step 2 — calculate



Add 3 (for seam allowances) to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  times  $x$ , then multiply by 30% to get figure  $A = (1.5x+3) * .3 = A$  for example 36 hips  $A = (54+3) * .3 = 17$  Add 2 (for seams) to the desired finished length to get figure  $B$  Add 3 (for seams) to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  times  $x$ , then multiply by 40% to get figure  $C = (1.5x+3) * .4 = C$  for example 36 hips  $C = (54+3) * .4 = 23$  Cut out 3 of these trapezoids

### Step 3 — sew



Sew the length of the trapezoids together along the two red lines in the diagram Finish the top and bottom (waist and hem) as desired Add a button and buttonhole at the blue dots, the one shown at left should be the hole, the one shown in the middle panel should be the button (sew it on the wrong side of the fabric the inside of the skirt) Add two ties as shown in green, both on the right side of fabric outside of skirt

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