

# Pocket and Patch Top 04/2012

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This boy's top is made in jersey for a comfy every-day shirt. With a front pocket and cool elbow patches, this top will be a staple in any little boy's wardrobe. You could even crop the sleeves for the perfect little tee-shirt ! Or make the pocket and patches in a contrast fabric for a splash of colour.

## Materials

Height 110, 116, 122, 128, 134 cm Back length 40 42 44 46 48 cm (15 3/4 16 1/2 17 1/4 18 1/8 19 ins)

NOTE: This pattern does not include seam allowance. See the sewing instructions for more information.

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## Step 1 — Preparations



This pattern is printed on 8.5 × 11 sheets of plain paper. Do not scale or center pages before printing. Wait until all sheets are printed out before beginning to tape them together. **Do not cut out pattern pieces yet**— Arrange the sheets on a large, hard, flat surface so that they fit together, matching up like numbers and letters (i.e. 6A to 6A). To tape pattern together, fold under the margin of one piece (6A) and tape right against the line of it's matching number/letter (6A).

Trace the pattern pieces from the pattern sheet following the lines and markings for the correct size. Trace the elbow patch from piece 24 as a separate pattern piece.

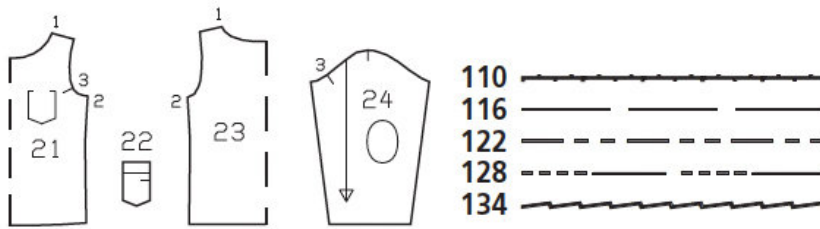
**burda style magazine pattern do not have seam allowance included.**

Seam and hem allowances to be added: Seams and edges 1.5 cm (5/8 in), hem 4.5 cm (17/8 ins) (flare sleeve hem allowances). Cut pocket and elbow patches without allowances.

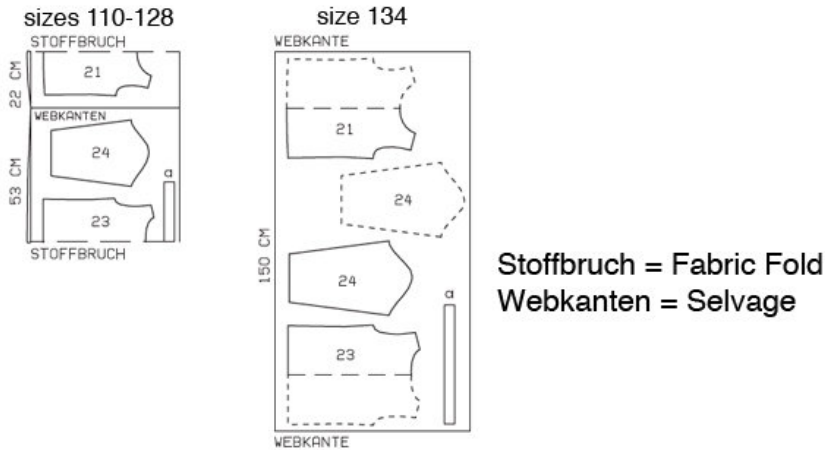
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## Step 2 — Cutting Out

### Pattern pieces 21 to 24



Cut the pieces as in this diagram with a fabric width of 150 cm



Jersey:

- 21 front, on a fold 1x
- 23 back, on a fold 1x
- 24 sleeve 2x

Also draft and cut the following pieces, not included in the pattern sheet

- a) facing strip for neck edge, 50 cm (19 3/4 ins) long, 4 cm (1 5/8 ins) wide (incl. allowances).

Fabric piece:

- 22 upper left pocket 1x
- 24 elbow patch 2x

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## Step 3 — Sewing



Note on stretch fabrics:

Stitch seams on stretch fabrics with a special stretch stitch or at a narrow zigzag setting. Stitch hems with a twin machine needle to keep them elastic.

Patch pocket: Press self-facing on upper pocket edge to inside. Use twin needle to topstitch upper pocket edge as marked. Edgestitch pocket in place on front piece.

Stitch right shoulder seam. Press seam allowances open.

Fold facing strip for neck edge lengthwise, right side facing out, and press. Pin folded facing strip to neck edge so that fold edge of strip lies on garment, 1 cm (3/8 in) past seam line. Stitch along marked neck edge. Trim seam allowances. Turn facing strip to inside.

Stitch left shoulder seam, turning facing strip up again and stitching ends of strip together. Press seam allowances open. Turn facing strip to inside. Use the twin needle to topstitch 7 mm (1/4 in) from neck edge.

Stitch side seams together.

Edgestitch elbow patches to sleeves. Stitch sleeve seams.

Set in sleeves matching up underarm points and top sleeve with shoulder seam.

Turn hem allowances on T-shirt and sleeves, to inside. Work from right side of garment and use the twin needle to stitch hems, 3.5 cm (1 1/2 ins) from lower edges of T-shirt and sleeves.

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