# **Cuffs re-do**

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if you have an bad cuffs on your favorite jacket and you still want to wear it there is an easy way to fix them. you need a scissors, piece of stretchy fabric, sewing machine and a thread!

#### Step 1 — Cut-off the cuffs



cut then on the place you want to cut them, be sure not to cut them too short. Put the jacket on, mark the place where you want to cut it, but be sure you have enough of fabric you want to put on your cuffs. Remove the jacket, check if everything is well measured, to be sure, and you can cut them off!

### Step 2 — New cuff

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Cut out from your material that you want to use as a cuff, two pieces of same size!but carefully, the piece should be two times longer than you want the cuff to be, cause you have to fold them afterwards. before sewing the cuffs ends, you can try it on your hand to see how tight you want the cuffs to be! when you do that, sew your cuff length wise, so when you sew them on your jacket you have a well done cuff. after that, fold the cuff on half!

Step 3 — Fold the cuff...



...on half and even it nicely. Fold it so that right side is outside, like it is on this photo

Step 4 — Pin the cuff

Step 2 — New cuff 2



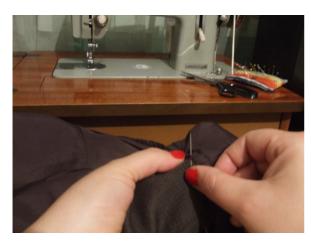
...on the sleeve! both jacket and cuff need to be on a right side (face to face)!

## Step 5 — Sew it on



if your jacket has lining, sew in the lining as well, but leave some material (about 1,5 cm of lining to have enough of fabric) to hand stitch! leave it, cause you can have nicer finish later, and it will be nice done from inside as well as outside.

## Step 6 — Stitch your lining...



...by hand so that it doesn't show on right side or inside! be sure, that you folded some of fabric inside so that the rough edge does not show!

#### Step 7 — This is how it looks from inside



nice... and it's done! you can wear it again and again!

### Step 8 — Finished re-do



i'm happy with the result! i love this jacket and it was really easy to fix it.... hope i helped someone, if you have "?" ask me....

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