

MEASUREMENT DIRECTION 9402

HOW TO MEASURE BASIC TANK TOPS

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BEFORE MEASURING: REVIEW FIGURE 3 BEFORE MEASURING

SURFACE USED FOR GARMENT MEASURING SHOULD BE CLEAN AND SMOOTH. DO NOT USE FABRIC COVERED SURFACES FOR GARMENT MEASURING.

LAY GARMENT FLAT ON SURFACE, FACE UP, SMOOTHED WITH NO WRINKLES.
DO NOT STRETCH ANY PART OF THE GARMENT!

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CODE	DIMENSION	MEASUREMENT DIRECTIONS
A.	<u>BODY WIDTH:</u>	MEASURE FROM SIDE-TO-SIDE 1" BELOW BOTTOM OF ARMHOLE SEAM.
B.	<u>BODY LENGTH:</u>	MEASURE FROM HIGH POINT OF SHOULDER STRAP DOWN TO BOTTOM HEM
C.	<u>ARMHOLE LENGTH:**</u>	MEASURE ALONG OUTSIDE CURVE FROM SHOULDER STRAP AT BINDING DOWN TO BOTTOM OF ARMHOLE SEAM.
D.	<u>NECK OPENING:</u>	FOLD GARMENT AT CENTER FRONT AND CENTER BACK MATCHING SHOULDER SEAMS ON TOP OF EACH OTHER. LAY NECK BINDING ON TOP OF EACH OTHER AND SMOOTH TO FORM A STRAIGHT EDGE, NOT STRETCHED. MEASURE FROM CENTER BACK NECK FOLD TO CENTER FRONT NECK FOLD AT TOP EDGE OF BINDING. (SEE FIGURE 3 FOR DETAIL) DOUBLE THE MEASUREMENT.
E.	<u>FRONT NECK DROP:</u>	MEASURE FROM CENTER BACK COLLARETTE TO BODY SEAM, TO CENTER FRONT COLLARETTE TO BODY SEAM.
F.	<u>NECK WIDTH:</u>	MEASURE FROM BINDING EDGE TO BINDING EDGE.
F.	<u>BINDING WIDTH:</u>	MEASURE FROM FOLD EDGE OF BINDING AT BINDING TO BODY SEAM. SEVERAL MEASUREMENTS SHOULD BE TAKEN AROUND THE NECK TO VERIFY UNIFORMITY OF BINDING. CHECK NECK AND ARMHOLE BINDING.
G.	<u>ACROSS SHOULDERS:</u>	MEASURE IN A STRAIGHT LINE FROM STRAP-TO-STRAP AT OUTER BINDING EDGES.
H.	<u>SHOULDER WIDTH:</u>	MEASURE IN A STRAIGHT LINE FROM STRAP EDGE TO STRAP EDGE AT TOP
H1	<u>BOTTOM HEM:</u>	MEASURE FROM FOLD EDGE OF HEM TO 1ST STITCH LINE. MEASURE SEVERAL TIMES
I.	<u>ACROSS FRONT:</u>	MEASURE 7" DOWN FROM SHOULDER SEAM. MEASURE HORIZONTALLY ACROSS THE FRONT CHEST OF THE GARMENT.
J.	<u>ACROSS BACK:</u>	TURN GARMENT FACE DOWN. MEASURE 7" DOWN FROM SHOULDER SEAM. MEASURE HORIZONTALLY ACROSS THE BACK OF THE GARMENT.
*	CHECK THE SPECIAL INSTRUCTION SECTION OF THE PRODUCTION/QUALITY SPECIFICATIONS. SOME BODY LENGTH MEASUREMENTS ARE TAKEN FROM CENTER BACK NECK.	
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NOTE: ALWAYS CHECK THE SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS SECTION OF THE PROD./QUALITY SPEC. BEFORE MEASURING. SPECIAL DIRECTIONS ARE LISTED FOR ANY DEVIATIONS FROM THE ABOVE STANDING DIRECTIONS.