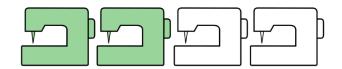
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Reversible Jacket Charly

for babies and toddlers

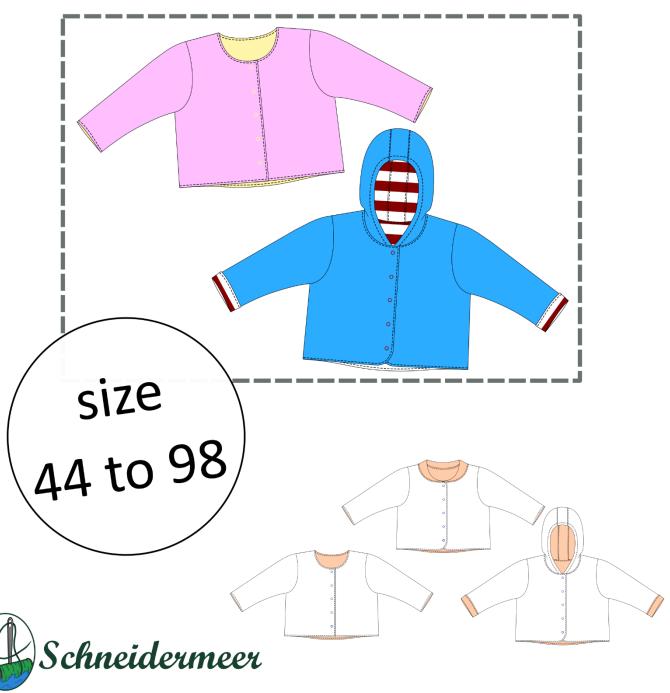




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Introduction

Charly is a reversible jacket for babies and toddlers. You can sew it using woven fabric or jersey. The jacket is fastened with snap buttons and can be worn from both sides. The Charly pattern includes various collar options: jacket without a collar, turned-down collar, sailor collar, or a hood. This allows you to customize the jacket according to your preferences. Additionally, the sleeves can also be made with or without a fold-up. The reversible jacket is suitable for all seasons. For spring and summer evenings, lightweight to medium-weight fabrics are ideal, while for autumn, fabrics such as quilted jersey or plush are suitable.

In addition to the single-size and multi-size patterns ranging from size 44 to 98, there is a brief introduction to sewing with jersey fabric. This will ensure that you are well-prepared for your project. Beginners may want to start with the jacket using woven fabric.

Please note that this translation is provided to the best of my abilities, and some terms may vary depending on the context or region.

Please read through the instructions completely first. If you have any questions, feel free to email me at pattern@schneidermeer.de. If you have specific questions, you can also include a picture, and I'll be able to provide more precise answers. I'll respond to you as soon as possible. Of course, you're also welcome to share suggestions or requests. If you'd like to express praise or criticism, I would appreciate it.

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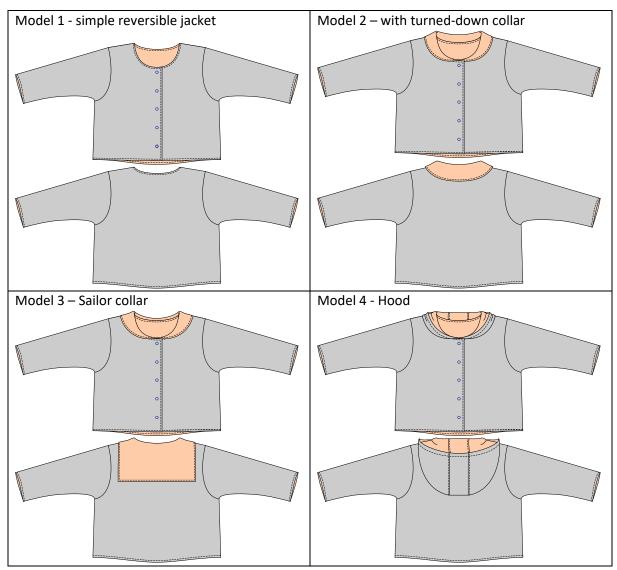


Thank you for choosing this pattern. I wish you a lot of fun sewing!

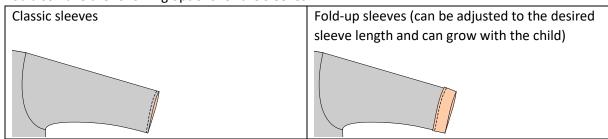
Best regards, Claudia



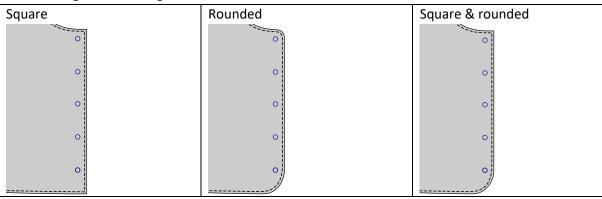
The following models are included in the pattern



You also have the following options for the sleeves:



The front edge can be designed as follows:





Pattern Information

Multi-Size Pattern:

This pattern includes all pattern pieces from size 44 to 98 with seam allowances included.

Trace the individual pieces in your size.

Cut out all pattern pieces from paper.

The following seam allowances are included in the pattern:

- 0.7 cm (0.3 inch)

Pay attention to the fabric fold when cutting the fabric!

<u>Single-Size Pattern:</u>

This pattern includes all pattern pieces in a single size with seam allowances included.

The dotted line next to the cutting edge indicates the seam line on the pattern.

The following seam allowances are included in the pattern:

- 0.7 cm (0.3 inch)

Pay attention to the fabric fold when cutting the fabric!

Representation:

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Outer fabric - right side
Outer fabric - wrong side
Lining/Outer fabric 2 - right side
Lining/Outer fabric 2 - wrong side
Seam being described in the step
 Stitching

Processing note:

If no specific stitch type is mentioned, sew your **jersey pieces** as described on <u>page 30</u>. Close the **woven fabric** using a straight stitch with a stitch length of 2.2 to 2.5 mm.

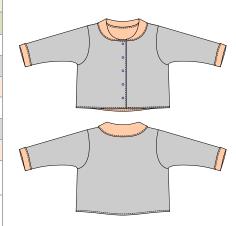
For jersey or knit fabric, use a jersey needle (size 70 to 80), and for woven fabric, a universal needle (size 70 to 80) is suitable.



Step 3: Cutting

You can sew the jacket using woven fabric or knit fabric/jersey. For spring and cooler summer evenings, lightweight to medium-weight fabrics are suitable. For autumn, fabrics such as quilted jersey or velour plush are a good choice. You can also sew the jacket using wool walk fabric. In that case, it is important to use a skin-friendly fabric for the jacket lining and upper collar.

	44 to 62	68 to 80	86 to 98					
Fabric consumption (145 cm wide) (in cm)								
Jacket without collar								
Outer fabric	41	45	49					
lining	41	45	49					
Jacket with collar								
Outer fabric	65	71	77					
lining	65	71	77					
Additionally, you will need:								
Snap fasteners or color snaps:	4 pairs (sizes 44 to 68) / 5 pairs (sizes 74 to 98) (Ø 8 to 10 mm)							



Information about the measurements:

- The fabric length includes an additional 10 cm. Fabrics may shrink when washed, so it's
 always recommended to wash them before sewing to ensure you have enough fabric for
 your jacket.
- Lining = Outer fabric 2 for reversible jacket/ If you don't intend to make the jacket reversible, choose a lightweight to medium-weight jersey or woven fabric for the lining.

Wash your fabric before cutting. Washing the fabric may cause it to shrink. This will prevent your reversible jacket from becoming too tight after the first wash. Additionally, washing the fabric helps remove any chemicals used during production.

Place the pattern pieces on the wrong side of the fabric and cut out the pieces, taking note of the markings and grainline.

To differentiate between the fabrics more easily, the second outer fabric is referred to as the lining. If you intend to make the jacket reversible, using two outer fabrics is recommended. For a non-reversible jacket, choose a lightweight cotton fabric or a lightweight cotton jersey. This will prevent the child from sweating excessively.

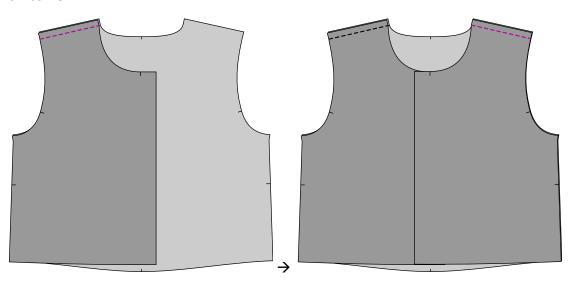


Step 5:

Take the front pieces (No. 1) and the back piece (No. 2) from the main fabric.

Place the front piece with the shoulder edge right sides together on the corresponding shoulder of the back piece. Stitch both layers of fabric together at 0.7 cm. For woven fabric, use a straight stitch, and for jersey, use a stretch stitch or an overlock stitch. If using an overlock machine, place the front piece on top while sewing.

Then, place the other front piece on the corresponding shoulder and stitch it to the back piece at 0.7 cm as well.

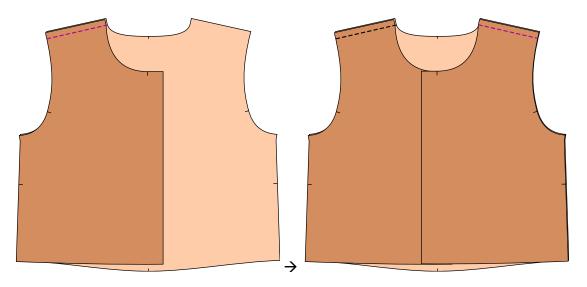


<u>Step 6:</u>

Take the front pieces (No. 1) and the back piece (No. 2) from the lining or a second main fabric. Proceed as before with the main fabric.

If you are using an overlock machine, place the back piece on top while sewing.

Note: In principle, it doesn't matter which layer is on top since everything will be enclosed later and the sides of the overlock seams will not be visible. However, for the understanding of which side is up at each step to see the nice side later, I will provide this note.

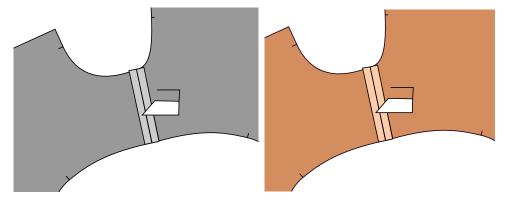




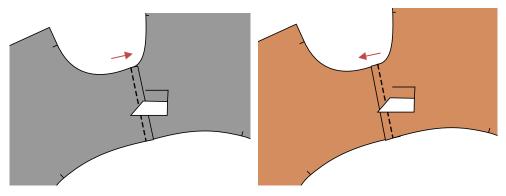
Step 7:

The shoulder seams are now pressed.

For woven fabric, they are pressed open. You can also press them to one side, as described below, for example, when working with jeans/denim and if you want to topstitch the shoulder seam.



For jersey fabric, the seam allowance on the outer fabric is pressed towards the back piece. For the lining, the seam allowance is pressed towards the front piece.



<u>Step 8:</u>

You can topstitch the shoulder seam. This is especially suitable for thicker fabrics or denim/jeans. Stitch closely or at a distance of 0.5 cm (or both) along the shoulder edge where the seam allowance is located.

