# Basic raglan hoodie
# size 80-164 tutorial

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## About the pattern:

The pattern comes in sizes 80-164 (European sizes). There are several options to choose from: Color blocked front/back, hood, neck-cowl, neck binding and for pockets there are 2 options.

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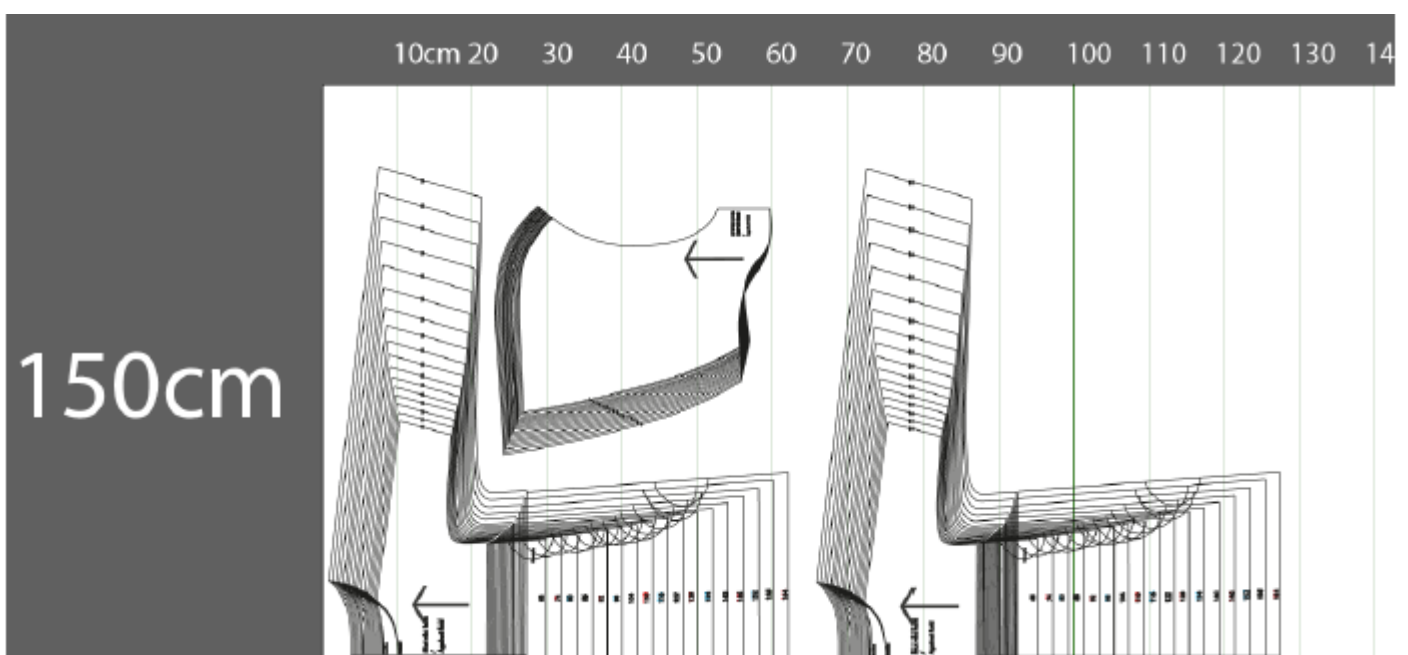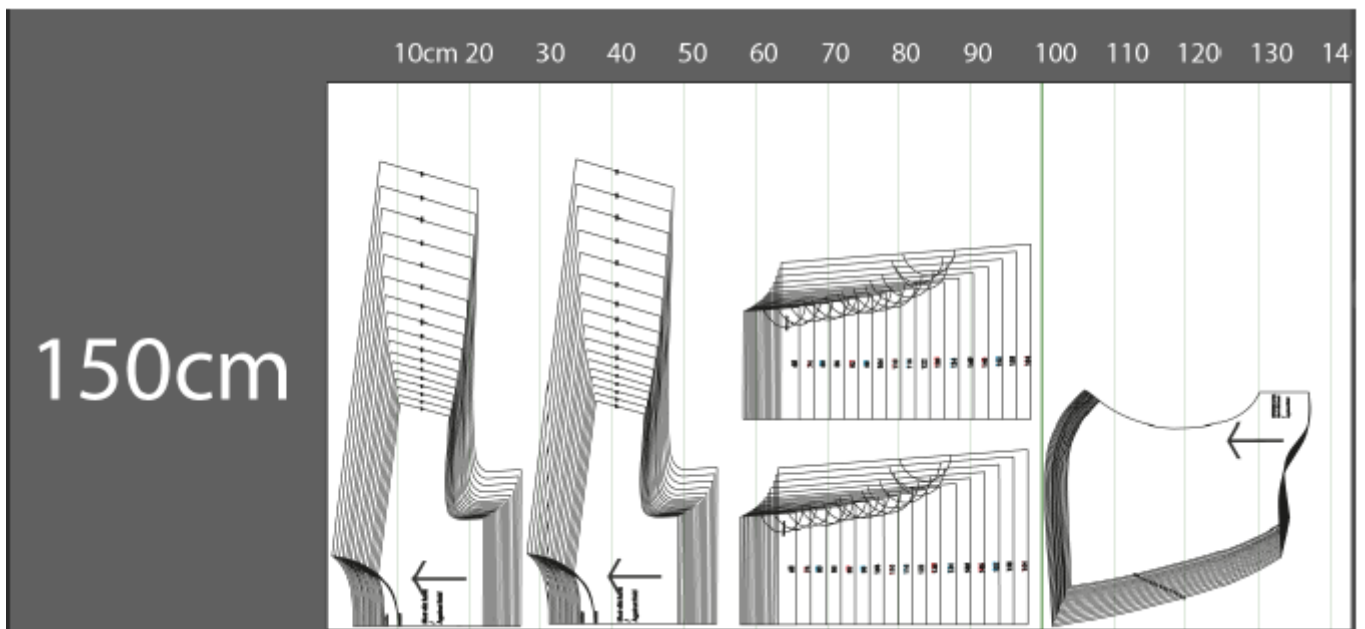
## Material:

I recommend using cotton knit for this pattern.

It's possible to use interlock or french terry as well, but the pattern is made for cotton knit primarily so you may have to adjust accordingly.

## Material usage:

The pattern does not include seam allowance and in the illustration below you see the pattern parts on folded fabric with a total width of 150 cm. Do not forget to add seam allowance and shrinkage of the fabric if you order fabric according to these measurements. Besides this you need fabric for cuffs, waistband and lining for hood/neck-cowl.

Here you can see all the different parts and the size they are in centimeters.

## Printing:

Print the document in actual size and check so that the control square is the correct size. There are marked cut lines that should align against each other so that the pattern lines meet. Tape the pattern as shown in the picture below. Each size has its own color and "pattern" on the line so it's ok to print in black and white too, but it's easier to print in color.

## Getting started:

Start with tracing the size you're going to sew. Since people vary in the ammount of seam allowance they are comfortable with, I've chosen not to include any in the pattern and let you decide. Add seam allowance where you will sew together two pieces. Do not add allowance where you're going to add binding.
I usually have a seam allowance of 0.6 cm since I use a serger with a seam that's 0.5cm wide.

## Cutting:

Start by cutting out all the parts you need for the option you have chosen. In this tutorial I will show the basics on how to sew the sweater, there is a seperate tutorial for adding a hood/neck-cowl.
I will do a color blocked sweater just to be able to show that step as well.



## Sewing:

I always start with the pockets. I glue them in place instead of using pins. Then I sew them on and add binding to the pocket openings.



You should now have something like this. (I have changed the pockets a bit since this photo was taken)

Place the top piece right sides together with the bottom piece and sew together.
Do this for both front and back if you decided to color block.
You can topstitch the seam if you want.



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I love to add lace at the seam. You can find a step by step tutorial on http://www.patterns-byruni.wordpress.com/



Place the back and front pieces right sides together and sew the shoulder seams and then the side seams.
If you want to use neck binding I sew that on before sewing the second shoulder seam together.

I now sew the hood/neck-cowl on(steps in a seperate tutorial).
Sew the cuffs and waistband on and you are done :)

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