

ABOUT DELAVAN

Blazers can be daunting to purchase, let alone sew up. *Delavan* is one of the simplest, straightforward blazer patterns available. It has all the components of a tailored jacket, including a lapel collar, center back vent, and blind hem finish. With the traditional appearance of a classic blazer, *Delavan* can be paired with just about any other *Seamwork* pattern or ready-to-wear garment. Adding a blazer to your wardrobe adds class and stretches some of your summer clothes into the cooler season. Sew *Delavan* in wool suiting and you have office wear. In a linen blend, *Delavan* is both casual and elegant. Pair it with *Neenah*, and you have yourself a classic outfit that works for office days and evenings out.

Because the construction of the blazer is intended to be simple, this pattern does not include instructions to create a fully lined blazer. If you would like to learn how to add a liner to *Delavan*, the article *A Lesson in Lining* in this issue of *Seamwork* will show you how.

SUPPLIES

All-purpose polyester sewing thread, ⁸⁰/₁₀ sewing machine needle, 1 ¹/₄ yards of lightweight fusible interfacing. Optional: five yards of double fold bias tape for Hong Kong finish.

MAIN FABRIC

Medium weight woven fabrics, such as suiting, cotton, linen and linen blends, poplin, twill, silk dupioni, wool challis, gabardine, crêpe.

IMPERIAL

	0	2	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	24	26
BODY MEASUREMENTS (INCHES)														
BUST	33	34	35	36	37	38 1/2	40	42	44	46	48	50	52	54
HIP	35	36	37	38	39	40 1/2	42	44	46	49	51	53	55	57
FABRIC REQUIRED (YARDS)														
MAIN FABRIC														
45" *	2 3/8	2 3/8	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 5/8	2 3/4	2 3/4	2 3/4	2 3/4	2 7/8	2 7/8
60" *	2 1/4	2 1/4	2 1/4	2 1/4	2 1/4	2 3/8	2 3/8	2 3/8	2 3/8	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
FINISHED GARMENT (INCHES)														
BUST	40	41	42	43	44	45	46 1/2	49	51	53	55	57	59	61
SWEEP **	35	36	37	38	39	41	44	47	50	54	57	60	63	66
BACK	21 1/4	21 1/2	21 3/4	22	22 1/4	22 1/2	22 3/4	23	23 1/4	23 1/2	23 3/4	24	24 1/4	24 1/2

* Pattern layouts are nondirectional. Purchase additional yardage if using napped or printed fabrics.

**The sweep of this garment hits at the natural hip.

***Back length is measured from the back of your neck to the hem.