

# MAKE YOUR OWN CLOTHES

## TWENTY CUSTOM-FIT PATTERNS TO SEW

PatternMaker with Marie Clayton

### THE BOOK

If only all dressmaking books were as simple to use as this! Learn how to lay out the pattern pieces on the fabric, transfer essential markings and cut with confidence. The teaching project in each section is illustrated with step-by-step photographs featured at key stages. With 20 projects in total, you'll never run short on inspiration.

The accompanying PatternMaker CD (which runs on Windows 95/98/NT/2000/ME/XP) combines easy-to-use pattern drafting software with ready-made computerised pattern collections. A simple step-by-step pattern wizard asks you to select the style and details you want, and let the computer draw the pattern for you – in the perfect size and fit! In addition, the custom measurements of each pattern can be adjusted before it's printed out. Moreover, a useful, ready-reference flaps fold out with information on what the pattern symbols mean and basic hand and machine stitches. (30,000 words).

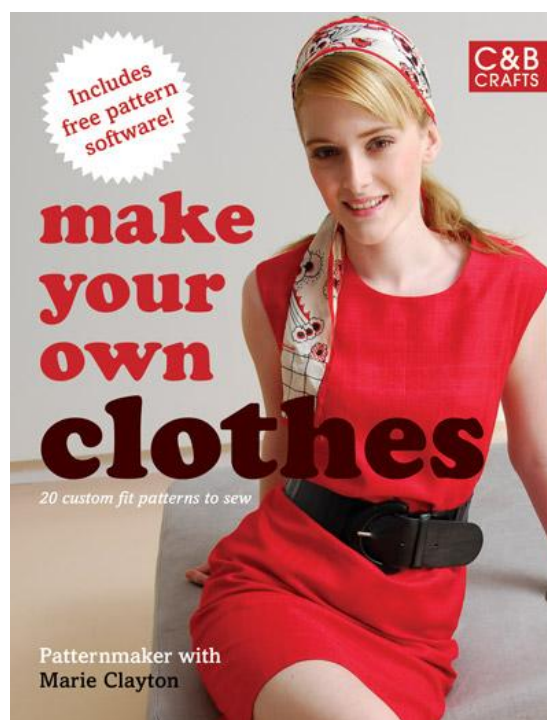
Other books in the series include First Knits (1843401541) and First Crochet (1843402785).

- Includes a CD containing 20 patterns to the exact size you need
- Teaches you everything you need to know to start making your own clothes
- Check your progress against photographs of the key stages of each project
- Fold out flaps to remind you of stitches and sewing terms as you work

### THE AUTHOR

PatternMaker is a global operation providing CAD-based design software for professionals and home sewers. No pattern making experience is necessary.

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