

A STEP-BY-STEP SEWING GUIDE

Velvet Fabric Collar

SOFT. ELEGANT. HANDMADE FOR YOUR DOG.

SMALL

10–14 inch neck category

FINISHED INSIDE CIRCUMFERENCE

12 in

MEDIUM

14–18 inch neck category

FINISHED INSIDE CIRCUMFERENCE

16 in

LARGE

18–22 inch neck category

FINISHED INSIDE CIRCUMFERENCE

20 in



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What Makes It Velvet



Outer velvet fabric



Smooth cotton lining



Fusible interfacing for structure



Hidden webbing core for strength

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Size Chart

3 STOCK SIZES FOR A VELVET FABRIC COLLAR

Because this is a fixed-size collar,
the finished inside circumference is the true collar size.

Size	Neck Category	Finished Inside Circumference	Collar Width
Small	10–14 in neck category	12 in	1 in
Medium	14–18 in neck category	16 in	1 in
Large	18–22 in neck category	20 in	1 in

Flat Open View



- Top strip shows the velvet outer face.
- Bottom strip shows the smooth inner lining.

Closed View (Measure Here)



Measure the inside of the closed collar
following the path shown.



SELLER TIP — Label and sell your collars by
finished inside size: 12 in, 16 in, and 20 in.

Materials + Cutting Chart

USE 1-INCH HARDWARE AND 1-INCH WEBBING FOR ALL 3 SIZES.

Materials Checklist

-  Outer velvet fabric
-  Cotton lining fabric
-  Lightweight woven fusible interfacing
-  1 in nylon webbing
-  1 in side-release buckle set
-  1 in welded D-ring
-  Matching thread
-  Fabric clips or pins
-  Press cloth / iron / ruler / fabric marker / scissors
-  Sewing machine



Size	Webbing	Outer Velvet Strip	Lining Strip	Fusible Interfacing
Small	16 in x 1 in	17 in x 2.5 in	17 in x 2.5 in	17 in x 2.5 in
Medium	20 in x 1 in	21 in x 2.5 in	21 in x 2.5 in	21 in x 2.5 in
Large	24 in x 1 in	25 in x 2.5 in	25 in x 2.5 in	25 in x 2.5 in

Why the fabric is 1 inch longer

The extra 1 inch allows both short ends to turn inward by 1/2 inch. This creates clean, finished ends with no raw edges showing.

Stitching

Use a 3.0 mm straight stitch and reinforce both hardware attachment points with strong 1 in x 1 in box-X stitches.

Stabilize the Velvet Outer Strip

FUSE INTERFACING TO THE VELVET BEFORE SEWING THE COLLAR TUBE.



1
Cut the velvet strip and matching fusible interfacing to the size from the cutting chart.



2
Place the interfacing adhesive side down on the wrong side of the velvet strip.



3
Fuse from the wrong side using a press cloth and light steam until the interfacing is fully bonded.



4
Let the strip cool flat, then trim any uneven edges.

Result: Stabilized Velvet Outer Strip



Reduced stretch



Smooth support



Ready to join with lining



TIP — Protect the pile with a press cloth and avoid crushing the velvet surface while pressing.



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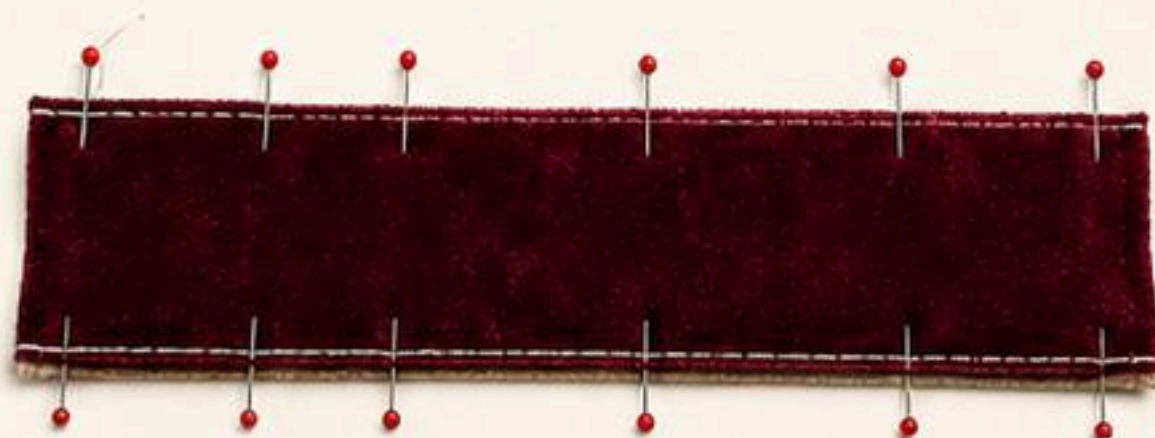
Sew the Tube

JOIN THE VELVET OUTER STRIP AND THE LINING RIGHT SIDES TOGETHER.

- 1** Place the velvet outer strip and the lining strip right sides together, aligned edge to edge.



- 2** Clip or pin the two strips together along both long edges.



- 3** Sew both long edges with a 1/4 in seam allowance. Leave both short ends open.



- 4** This is your inside-out tube with both long seams sewn and open ends.



Tube Cross-Section



TIP — Keep both long edges aligned so the finished collar stays even after turning.



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Turn + Press + Insert Webbing

TURN THE TUBE RIGHT SIDE OUT, FOLD THE SHORT ENDS, THEN INSERT THE WEBBING.

1



Turn the tube right side out and lightly press it flat.

2



Fold both short ends inward by 1/2 inch and press the turned-in ends flat using a press cloth.

3

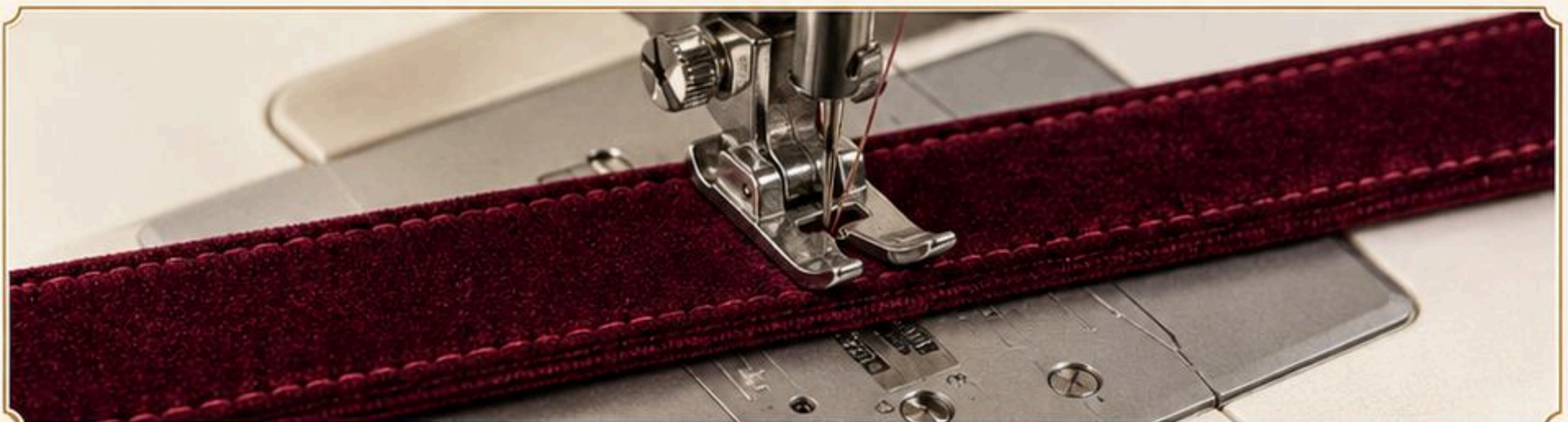


Slide the 1 in webbing inside the pressed tube and center it evenly.

4



Topstitch both long edges about 1/8 in from the edge to secure the tube around the webbing.



Webbing centered inside



Velvet outer face



Neat double topstitching



Result: Velvet Collar Strap



The webbing provides strength while the velvet outer and cotton lining create a clean finished collar strap.

Attach the Male Buckle

SECURE ONE END WITH A STRONG BOX-X STITCH.

STEP 1

Slide one end of the velvet-covered strap through the male buckle slot.



STEP 2

Fold the tail back by 1.5 in.



STEP 3

Clip or hold the fold flat.



STEP 4

Sew a 1 in x 1 in box with an X through all layers.



Keep the strap flat — no twist



Keep the velvet outer face on the same side of the buckle.

Attach the Female Buckle + D-Ring

THREAD THE LAST END CORRECTLY BEFORE SEWING THE FINAL BOX-X.

STEP 1

Slide the gold welded D-ring onto the strap end.



STEP 2

Pass the strap end through the female buckle slot.



STEP 3

Fold the tail back by 2.25 in so the D-ring sits inside the loop.



STEP 4

Sew a 1 in x 1 in box-X through the folded tail.



Checkpoint

Snap both buckle halves together and confirm the collar is not twisted.



KEEP ALL HARDWARE FACING THE SAME DIRECTION.



Assembly Check + Final Measurements

CHECK THE VELVET FINISH, HARDWARE, AND INSIDE SIZE.

OUTER VELVET VIEW



INSIDE VIEW

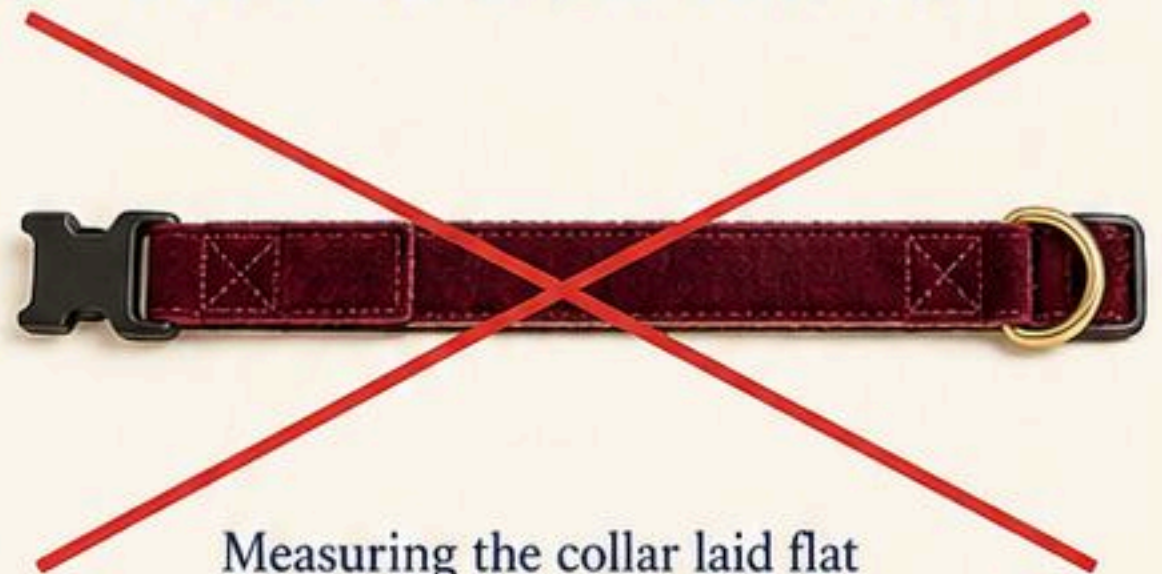


HOW TO MEASURE (CLOSED COLLAR)



Measure inside circumference along the inside edge.

DON'T MEASURE THIS WAY



Measuring the collar laid flat does not give the correct inside size.

TARGET FINISHED INSIDE CIRCUMFERENCE

Small	12 in $\pm$ 1/4 in
Medium	16 in $\pm$ 1/4 in
Large	20 in $\pm$ 1/4 in

QC CHECKLIST

- ☐ Buckle closes securely
- ☐ No twist in the strap
- ☐ Topstitching is even
- ☐ Both box-X seams are secure
- ☐ D-ring moves freely
- ☐ Inside circumference matches the size chart

NOTES

Finished Product + QC

YOUR VELVET FABRIC COLLAR IS READY.

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- ☐ Box-X stitched at both hardware points
- ☐ Buckle snaps open and closed cleanly
- ☐ D-ring is welded and secure
- ☐ Inside circumference matches the size chart
- ☐ Velvet lies smooth
- ☐ Topstitching is neat and even
- ☐ No raw edges visible

Seller Notes

- Stock this pattern in 3 finished sizes: 12 in, 16 in, and 20 in.
- List it as a velvet fabric collar.
- Mention the soft velvet outer and smooth cotton lining.
- Show close-up velvet texture photos in listing images.



CARE

Spot clean or gentle hand wash. Air dry flat.

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