



Spring, A Lady's Nightie

Inspired by beautiful Victorian corset covers, this nightgown offers a challenge to heirloom sewers and smockers alike. You will work with beautiful laces and exquisite Swiss insertion to create a gown of quiet elegance in fine batiste, luxurious silk or fine handkerchief linen. Tucks, gathers, entredeux and reverse shaped French Val laces are all used in this design which allows you to create a custom fit. Suggested stock numbers for laces are listed inside. Three smocking plates included.

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High Bust measure	30"-31"	32"-34"	36"-38"	40"-42"	44"-46"
	76 - 78 cm	81-86 cm	91-96 cm	101 -106 cm	111 - 116 cm
Bk Nk to Hem - Approx.	44"	45"	46"	46.5"	47"
	111.8 cm	114.3 cm	116.8 cm	118 cm	119 cm
Hem Circumference Approx.	52"	54.75"	61"	64"	70"
	132 cm	139 cm	154 cm	162 cm	178 cm
Fabric based on 45" (2x Bk Nk length)					
Approximate amount for Waltz Length	2.5 yd	2.5 yd	2.6 yd	2.6 yd	2.75 yd
	2.3 m	2.3 m	2.4 m	2.4 m	2.5 m
Yardages including ease for all sizes					
5/8" French Val Lace Edge	2 3/8 yd	2 3/8 yd	2 3/4 yd	2 7/8 yd	3 yd
	2.4 m	2.4 m	2.5 m	2.6 m	2.75 m
1/2" Swiss Beaded Insertion	1 1/2 yd	1 1/2 yd	1 1/2 yd	1 1/2 yd	1 3/4 yd
	1.2 m	1.2 m	1.4 m	1.4 m	1.6 m
1" French Val Lace Insertion	1 5/8 yd	1 3/4 yd	1 3/4 yd	1 3/4 yd	1 3/4 yd
	1.45 m	1.5 m	1.5 m	1.6 m	1.6 m
Entredeux	1 1/2 yd	1 1/2 yd	1 3/8 yd	1 1/2 yd	1 5/8 yd
	1.2 m	1.2 m	1.35 m	1.35 m	1.45 m

Additional Supplies: Ribbon to fit the beading; sufficient yardage for neckline and to tie a generous bow; flat bodkin; #70 sewing machine needle, #100 wing or # 120 jeans for pin stitching; 1 pkg. Sulky® Fabri-Solvy™, firm, wash-away stabilizer (or equivalent); fine-point air-soluble marker, Frixion® marker pen or quilters' chalk pencil; pins; paper and pencil to trace cutting guide; 18" quilting ruler; a hand-sewing needle; *unwaxed* fine dental floss (waxed will stick); embroidery floss; sprays starch, clean steam iron, a clean ironing board cover. A sheet of foam board works well for shaping lace. Ironing boards are just too narrow.

Machine Feet: embroidery ft., edge/joining (#10 or ditch quilting) ft., 1/4" quilting ft. Sewing machine with "Point de Paris", pin stitch or simple blanket stitch would be preferable but zigzag stitching is essential.

Suggested fabrics:

Imperial batiste, Swiss petticoat batiste, fine lawn, handkerchief linen, even fine silk.

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