

## **COMMUNITY SEWING CLEAUHN2011**

### **CONSTRUCTING THE LEGGINGS BLOCK**

**Hips..... Rise.....Waist to floor.....High ankle.....**

#### **FRONT**

Square a line across and a line down at top of paper

0-1 = body rise minus 1cm. square across

0-2 = to floor minus 8cm. square across

1-3 = half the measurement of 1-2. Square across

1-4 = quarter hip measurement minus 2cm. square up to 5

5-6 = 1cm

4-7 = quarter the measurement of 4-5

4-8 = one sixth the measurement of 1-4

Join 6-7 and 7-8 with a curve touching a point of 2.25cm from 4.

2-9 = half high ankle measurement minus 0.5cm

3-10 = two thirds the measurement of 1-4, minus 0.5cm

Draw inside leg seam. Join 9-10 with a straight line. Join 8-10 curving the line inwards 0.75cm.

#### **BACK**

5-11 = 4cm

11-12 = 3cm, Join 12-0

4-13 = one third measurement of 4-5

8-14 = one fifth measurement of 1-4

Join 12-13 and 13-14 with a curve touching a point of 3.75cm from 4

9-15 = 2cm

10-16 = 3cm

Draw inside leg seam. Join 15-16 with a straight line. Join 14-16 curving the line inwards by 0.75cm

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### **Creating a One-Piece Pattern**

Trace round back section. Trace round front section. Mirror the front and place the side seams together.

Add 2.5cm facing at the top and 2cm facing at the hem.

**To find  $\frac{2}{3}$  (two thirds) of a number on calculator:**

**Type in 2 divided by 3 and press the = sign. Press the multiply (x) sign and type in the number, then press the equal (=) sign**