How to Measure: Jackets

< 0 > BUST DART: For women, measure from the top shoulder seam to the fullest part of the bust.

< 1 > CHEST: Measure around the chest, making sure the tape does not slide down the back.
< 2 > WAIST: Measure around the largest part of the stomach in the front, with the tape near the smallest part of your back.

< 3 > HIPS: Measure around the hips one inch below the pants band.
< 4 > FRONT LENGTH: Measure from the base of the neck to one inch below your pants band.

< 5 > ARM LENGTH: Measure from the shoulder bone to the elbow, then holding the tape at the elbow, drop the top of the tape at the shoulder bone and continue measuring (after making a slight bend at the elbow) to the smallest part of the wrist.

< 6 > WRIST: Measure around the smallest part of the wrist just below the wrist bone.
< 7 > **SHOULDERS:** Locate the edge of the shoulder bones with your fingers and then measure the distance from one side to the other while slightly arching the tape upwards near the base of the neck.

< 8 > **BACK LENGTH:** Measure from the base of the neck in the back to the bottom of the pants band. Add 5 inches to that measurement (picture on the right) to determine the proper length of the back of the jacket.
< 9 > UNDERARM LENGTH:
From the armpit, measure to the smallest part of the wrist.

< 10 > NECK:
Measure around at the base of the neck.

< 11 > FOREARM:
Measure around the largest part of the forearm.
< 12 > **BICEPS:**
Measure around the largest part of the biceps when they are in a relaxed position.

**SHOULDER SLOPE:**
Match the slope of the shoulders to the sketch on the measurement chart. (This fellow has a regular slope.)

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