

# Cotton (Thread)

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Cotton thread should be used with fabric made from yarn of plant origin, such as cotton and linen, and for rayon (made from a plant substance), because it has similar shrinkage characteristics. It is not suitable for most synthetics, which do not shrink.

The cotton will take lots of heat which is really important when you are pressing seams. Many cotton threads are mercerised which means they have a smooth covering to make them easier to dye and give them a lustrous, smooth, finish.



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