# FUNKY FRIENDS FACT®RY



An original design created by Pauline McArthur 2014

#### Hi there!

Welcome to the Funky Friends Factory.

*This is the latest addition to my 'Fun Stuff from Scraps Patterns'.* 

I found the cutest sock monkey fabric and knew that Mitch would look awesome in it.

The tie doesn't use too much fabric so you can use up your fabric scraps from your other craft projects

Hope you like it as much as he does!!!

Happy sewing! Pauline



#### Sizing:

Soft Toys you'll love to make!

This tie is designed to fit Mitch the Monkey.



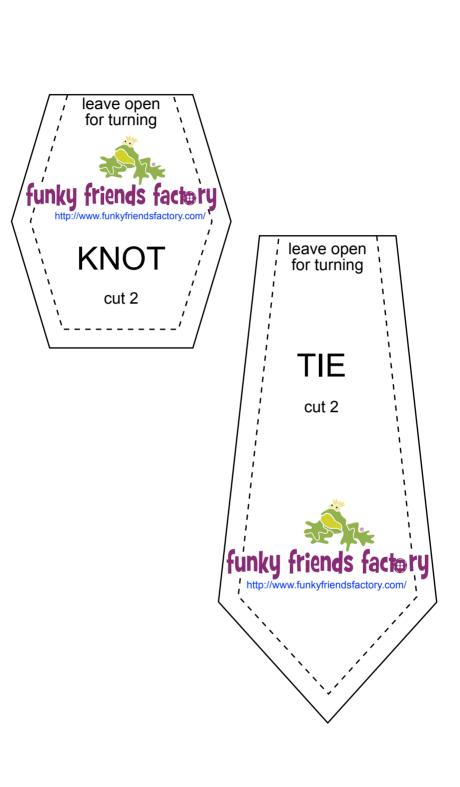
### **Recommended Fabric:**

The tie is made from quilting cotton fabric.



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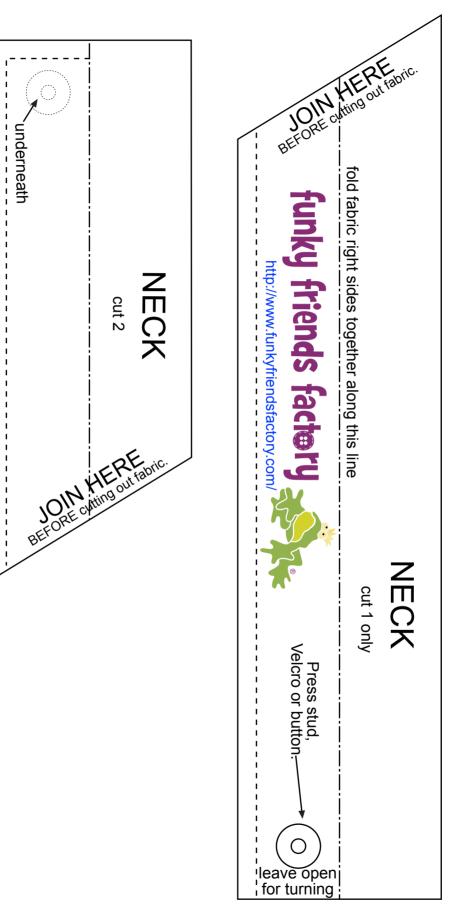
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### **STEP 1**

- Sew the KNOT PIECES and TIE PIECES togetherin pairs.
- Fold and sew the NECK PIECES as shown on the pattern markings, leaving it open on one of the short ends for turning.



### **STEP 2**

Clip the seams at the corners, and turn the pieces right sides out.

**TIP:** I like to use a chopstick to poke into the corners to make sure the corners are turned nicely and then press them with a cool iron so they are nice and flat.



### **STEP 3**

Pin the TIE PIECES to the NECK PIECES, roughly in the middle.



#### **STEP 4**

Pin the KNOT PIECES on top of the TIE PIECES, I have highlighted the KNOT PIECES in yellow.

\* Always sew fabric pieces with right sides together.

\* Use a 5mm/1/4 inch seam unless stated otherwise.



### **STEP 5**

Sew the KNOT and TIE PIECES to the NECK PIECES.

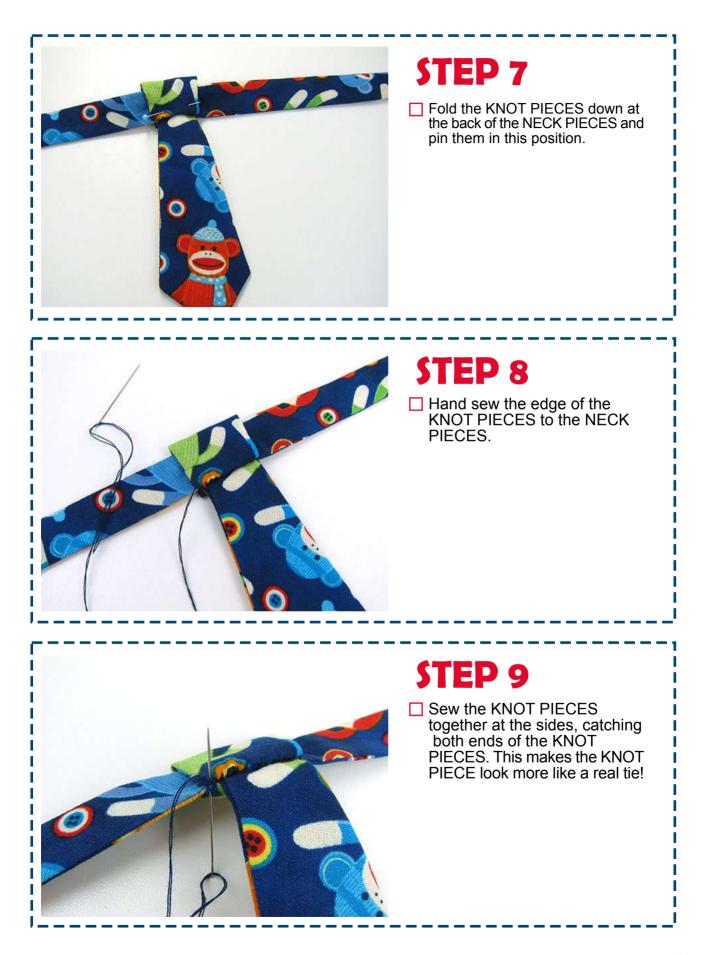
**TIP:** Sew as close to the edge of the NECK PIECE as you can. (I sewed a second line of stitching as my first wasn't close enough!)

Zig-zag across the open seams to stop them from fraying.

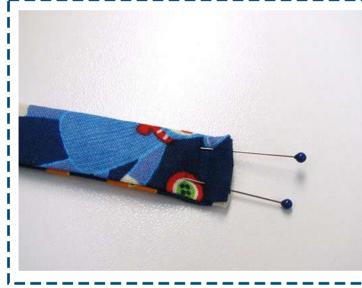


### **STEP 6**

Fold the KNOT PIECES up and pin them to hold the KNOT straight.







#### **STEP 11**

☐ Turn under a 5mm/¼inch seam at the other end of the NECK PIECES and sew it closed.



## **STEP 12**

Fit the tie to Mitch's neck to see where to sew the other half of the press stud (snap or poppers.)





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I have faith that you will respect the long hours and creative energy that have gone into producing the Funky Friends Factory patterns. Thank you, Pauline.