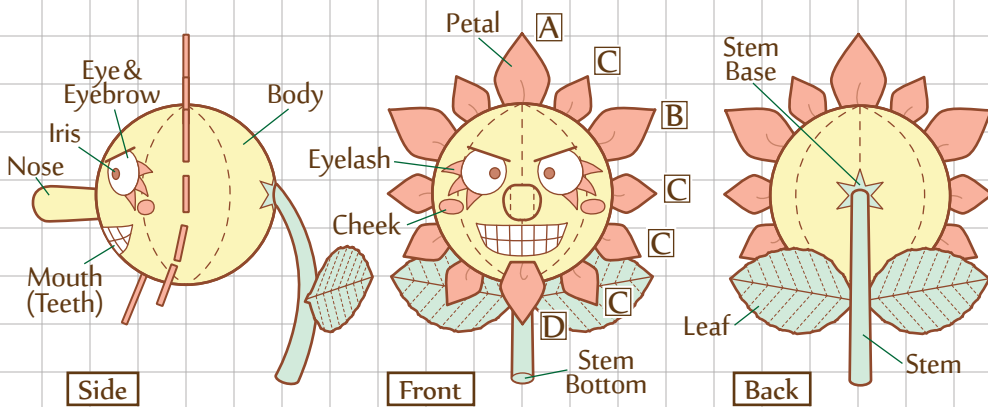


# SEWING INSTRUCTION FOR OTENKO PLUSHIE

## For Manga(ComicBook) Otenko



Height without petals and stem: about 6"(16cm) / Measure around the body: about 22.5"(57cm)

### Making Steps

#### PREPARATION

1. Print out the pattern on a Letter or A4 size paper. For print setting, select [Actual size] option or scale the image to fill the whole page. Check the scale bar is right size.
2. Trace the pattern shapes onto tracing paper, or make copies of the pattern pages and cut them out.
3. Transfer the pattern shapes and guide marks onto back side of the fabric/felt and cut them out. Do not forget to leave 1/2" (1cm) margin of seam allowance for body/nose fabric. Be careful with the number of each cut pieces and their left/right orientation.

#### BACK & STEM

4. Embroider on the leaves. Fold in the center and stitch the back side. Wrap the wire inside if desired. Keep the stem end of the wire out.
5. Insert the leaves into slits on the stem and sew them on from the back side. Make a small loop on the stem wire and fix the leaf wires firmly.
6. Sew on the stem-bottom, sew up the stem while stuffing with cotton, and sew on the stem-base.
7. Sew the two back panels of body together. Sew the stem/stem-base tightly on the center of the back panels.

#### SIDE & PETALS

8. Fold and baste (temporary stitch) edge of the all petals.
9. Insert the petals into slit and sew them on from the back side. Top petal is sewn across the both side panels.

#### FRONT & FACE

10. Embroider teeth on the mouth. Sew the iris on the eyes. Sew up the nose.
11. Sew the two front panels of body together. Insert the petal [D] into the slit and sew on.
12. Sew the mouth and eyes on the face. Embroider the eyebrow, then sew the nose on.

#### ASSEMBLY

13. Sew the [FRONT] and [SIDE] parts together and sew the cheeks and eyelashes on.
14. Sew the body and [BACK] parts together. Before closing the seam, stuff with plenty of cotton.
15. Remove all pins and markings, then hug your Otenko! To remove the lint, gently tap the surface with tape.

### Tools & Materials

- Tracing paper (\*Optional)
- Sewing kit (needle, threads, scissors, etc.)
- Fabric marking tool (Frixion works great)
- Fabric: Yellow for body/nose
- Felts: Red-orange for petals/cheek/eyelash  
Light-green for stem/leaves  
White for eyes/mouth  
Red-brown or your favorite red, for iris
- Embroidery thread for eyebrow/teeth
- Cotton for stuffing
- 12"(30cm) thicker wire for stem and  
8"(20cm) wire for leaves, pliers required  
(\*Optional. Bend the outer ends for safety)



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