



Resources:

This is a list of my favorite and most often used interfacings for embroidery projects. Of course, I use them for sewing projects as well but that full subject is the topic for another day. Note that there are times when I use the interfacing *in addition to* my commonly used embroidery stabilizers.

- 📌 [Pellon SK135 Sheer Knit](#)- Lightweight fusible tricot with minimal stretch crosswise and no stretch lengthwise. nice for covering stitches on the wrong side of embroidery to prevent "scratches"
- 📌 [Pellon EK130 Easy Knit](#)- Fusible, standard weight tricot. Same characteristics and use as above.

(Tricot interfacing is ideal for use with knits. They will work with some woven as well).

- 📌 [Pellon 460 Stretch Fuse](#) - Very lightweight knit stabilizer with multi-directional stretch. Great for backing sections of fabric such as silk dupioni. Also nice for covering stitches on the wrong side of embroidery to prevent "scratches"
- 📌 [Pellon 950F ShirTailor](#) - Medium weight non-woven firm stabilizer for backing woven fabrics.
- 📌 [Pellon 860F Ultra Weft](#) - Weft style insertion makes it more flexible, adding body without being too stiff.
- 📌 [Pellon 987F - Fusible Fleece](#), primarily for craft and home decor items. Adds a little loft when presses light. Less loft when pressed firmly to the fabric.

I keep all of the above on hand for various projects. My common practice is to test the interfacing on a remnant of the same or similar fabric before using in the project, stitching a sample of the intended embroidery design before committing to using on my actual project. It's always best to test! Launder the piece for a tru test. Try various samples & compare results until you find a winning combination.

Pattern tracing cloth is what I use to trace off pattern sections and make new patterns. I keep the following two types on hand:

- 📌 [Pellon 830](#) Easy Pattern without gridlines.
- 📌 [Pellon 810](#) Tru-Grid with 1-inch grid markings.