



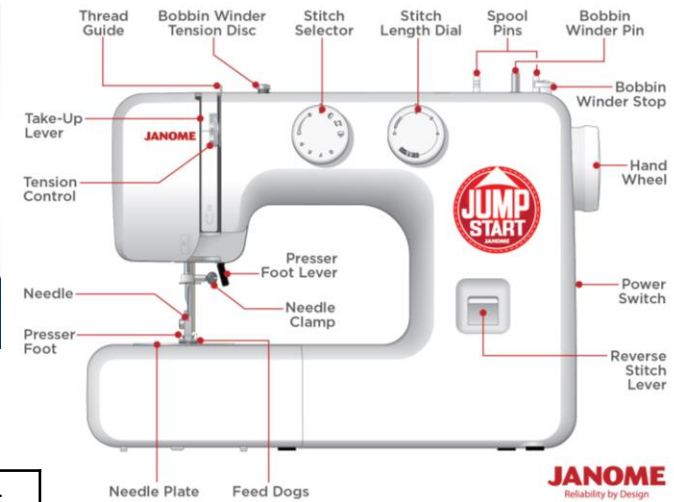
Properties

Physical properties are the traits a material has before it is used, whereas working properties are how the material behaves when it is manipulated.



Natural fabrics		
Name	Properties	Uses
Cotton	Cool to wear, absorbent, comfortable.	Clothing, bedsheets, towels
Wool	Warm and absorbent	Clothing and accessories
Silk	Soft and lightweight	Pyjamas, bedding, clothing



How To Sew A Button



Key words

Bobbin 	The small circular thread holder that goes in the bottom of the sewing machine to stop your stitches coming undone.
Bobbin case 	Holds the bobbin in place in the sewing machine. Must be put in with the arm to the top
Bobbin winder	Located on the top of the sewing machine and used to wind up the bobbin. Will stop the sewing machine sewing.
Foot peddle	Operates the sewing machine, must be out on the floor.
Switch selector	Changes the style of the stitches.



Textile Waste



Technical Textiles

Properties and Industrial Applications



Technical textiles are created with function in mind. Industrial fabrics can be designed to exhibit a broad variety of specific characteristics, making them ideal for use in a comprehensive range of industries and applications.

Fabric Properties:

