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## New lower pricing on The Bali Collection patterns

The pricing on the Bali Collection patterns has been reduced from \$17.99 to \$14.00 each. The continuing strength of the Canadian dollar has allowed us to lower the price on these patterns to be on par with U.S. pricing.

The Bali collection patterns all work together to help you create a very wearable and flattering wardrobe. The newest version of Cool Touch tunic BC No. 106 shows possible collar variations; wing, stand-up and folded. The Kusamba pants BC No. 102 are a comfortable co-ordinate to Cool Touch.



Cool Touch & Kusamba

## Islander Sewing Systems books & DVDs now available online



A complete selection of Islander Sewing Systems™ books and DVDs are now available for purchase online. The Islander sewing methods are based on ready-to-wear techniques from the garment industry. They will help you create professional quality results and speed up your sewing. These books and DVDs are of excellent quality because you get precise instructions with full colour

pictures and step-by-step details. It's like having your own personal teacher whenever you need her. You will be amazed at the results you can achieve without pins or basting!

## More Siltex Bare Knits® have arrived—new colours

This high end, designer quality, tightly knitted (28 stitches on each side per inch) interlock is created from combed ring spun yarn (a most excellent yarn). Bare Knits® interlock weighs about 10 ounces per linear yard. By using only reactive dyes colourfastness is assured with machine washing (on gentle) or dry cleaning. Not only is this medium weight interlock the crème de la crème of knitted fabrics, it works with many of our other knits, wovens, and printed fashion fabrics. Use it for garments that call for a moderate amount of stretch such as T-shirts, tank tops, lounge pants and sleepwear. The Hudson top from the Sewing Workshop made in Bare Knits is classy and becoming on many figures types.



Siltex Bare Knits®

## New Tiger Camo—Grrrr!



Tiger Camo  
Twill

Here's something new for you to try out for a handbag or tote like the Daily News Bag; or a garment such as the Ondé Jacket, both from the Sewing Workshop collection. How about a Camo BBQ apron for someone special? This is a heavier weight, durable, 150 cm / 60 in wide cotton/poly twill.

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