

Melbourne's **SEWER WORKS**

A guide to Melbourne sewing subculture



ThreadDen

Fabric & Haberdashery within 1km of Thread Den:

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Drapers Fabrics

159 Brunswick St, Fitzroy

Boutique dress fabrics with a focus on natural fabrics.

drapersfabrics.com



The Fabric Store

184 Brunswick St, Fitzroy

Designer end-of-bolt dress fabrics, knit merinos and natural fibres.

thefabricstore.com.au

Fabric Lab

147 Brunswick St, Fitzroy

Premium quality designer dress fabrics.

fabriclab.com.au

ziguzagutextiles

449 Brunswick st, Fitzroy

Handpicked vintage Japanese textiles and kimono.

ziguzagutextiles.com

Jimmy Buttons

37 George St, Fitzroy

Extensive range of buttons and trims.

jimmybuttons.com.au

Darn Cheap Fabrics

161 Smith St, Fitzroy

Fashion fabrics & trims at wholesale prices direct to the public.

darncheapfabrics.com.au

Super Cheap Fabrics

153 Sackville St, Collingwood (warehouse)

Large range of quality and affordable fabrics.

supercheapfabrics.com.au

Tessuti

Upper ground, 141 Flinders Ln, Melbourne

Premium designer & bridal fabrics.

tessuti.com.au

Rathdowne Fabrics

154-158 Victoria St, Brunswick

Dress fabrics, habby & great value remnant bins!

rathdownefabrics.com.au



Fabric stores within 5km of Thread Den:

Tylers Fabrics

58 Cremorne St, Cremorne
Bridal fabrics.
tylersfabrics.com

Cutting Cloth

282 Wingrove St, Fairfield
Quilting fabrics
cuttingcloth.com.au

Astratex

273 Swan St, Richmond
European apparel fabrics.
astratex.com.au

Shine Trimmings & Fabrics

421 Graham St, Port Melbourne
Dance fabrics.
shinetrimmingsfabrics.com.au

GJs Discount Fabrics

31 Steane St, Fairfield
Dance, apparel & quilting fabrics.
gjsdiscountfabrics.com.au

Buttonmania

14A Simpson St, Moorabbin
Buttons!
buttonmania.com.au



Fabric stores within 10km of Thread Den:

The House of Franke Stuart

612 Glenferrie Rd, Hawthorne

Designer fabrics, silk & velvet.

frankestuart.com

The Cloth Shop

47 Lower Heidelberg Rd, Ivanhoe

Apparel fabrics

theclothshop.com.au

The Fabric Re-Store

Lower Heidelberg Rd, Ivanhoe East

Certified social enterprise - a resource recovery centre for fabric and sewing supplies.

Thu & Fri 10am-4pm Sat 10am-2pm - opening May 2025

Vivienna Lorikeet

1037 High St, Armadale

Bridal fabrics & laces.

viviennalorikeet.com.au

Darn Cheap Fabrics

- 55 Nott St, Port Melbourne

- 115 Burgandy St, Heidelberg

- 1188 Glen Huntley Rd, Glen Huntley

Discount apparel fabrics.

darncheapfabrics.com.au

d'italia

62 Glenferrie Rd, Malvern

Premium designer fabrics

ditalia.com.au

Queen of Fabric

387 Bay St, Brighton

Quilting fabrics.

queenoffabric.com.au



Stores within 15km of Thread Den:

The Sourpuss Emporium

63 Beetham Parade, Rosanna
Quilting fabrics and haberdashery
thesourpussemporium.com.au

Eliza Fabrics

23 Sun Crescent, Sunshine
Apparel fabrics
facebook.com/elizafabrics

Big box fabric stores with multiple locations around Melbourne:

Spotlight

spotlightstores.com

Lincraft

lincraft.com.au



Melbourne Online Businesses:

l'uccello

Vintage quilting fabrics, embroidery, hand sewing supplies & haberdashery.
lucello.com.au

Fibresmith

Natural fabrics.
fibresmith.com.au

Melbourne Based Supplies & Accessories:

M.Recht

Bentleigh East
Supplier and wholesaler of trims, zips, thread, elastics, sewing hardware, industrial machine accessories, pattern drafting tools and supplies, and student supplies.
Retail quantities available via the website.
mrecht.com.au

WMC Jackson

443-445 Canterbury Road, Surrey Hills (warehouse)
Tools, machinery, threads, accessories, parts for industrial and domestic sewing machines and machine servicing.
wmcjackson.com.au

Sohmo

Luxe sewing scissors and tools.
sohmo.com.au



Melbourne Sewing Machine Stores:

Statewide Sewing Centre

The machines at Thread Den were supplied by Statewide Sewing Centre

Coburg

statewidesewingcentre.com.au

The Sewing Machine Company

Glen Waverley

sewingmachines.com.au

Mooney Ponds Sewing Centre

Mooney Ponds

mooneypondssewing.com

Echidna Sewing

Glen Waverley

echidnasewing.com.au

Craft and Sewing Centre

Mitcham

craftandsewingcentre.com.au

