

# Batwing mask

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with Jersey knit earloops  
and toggle bead cinch

## PATTERN

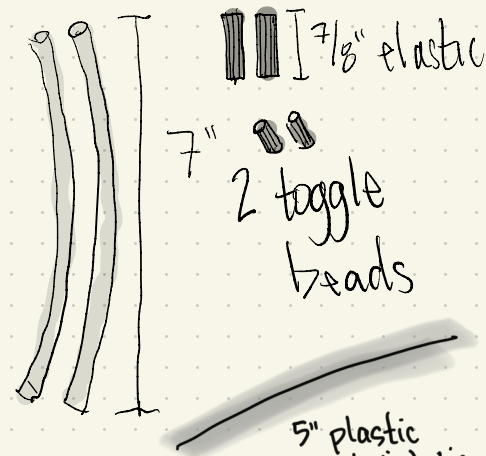
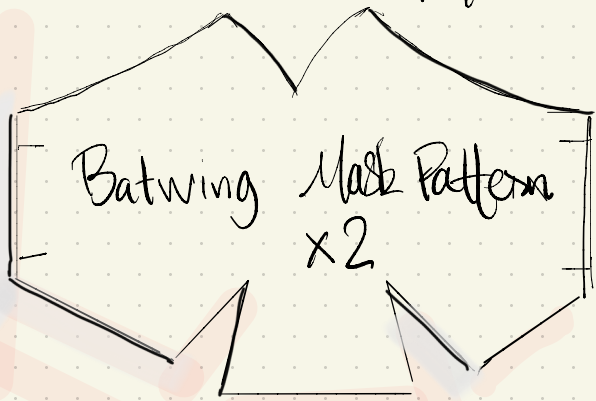
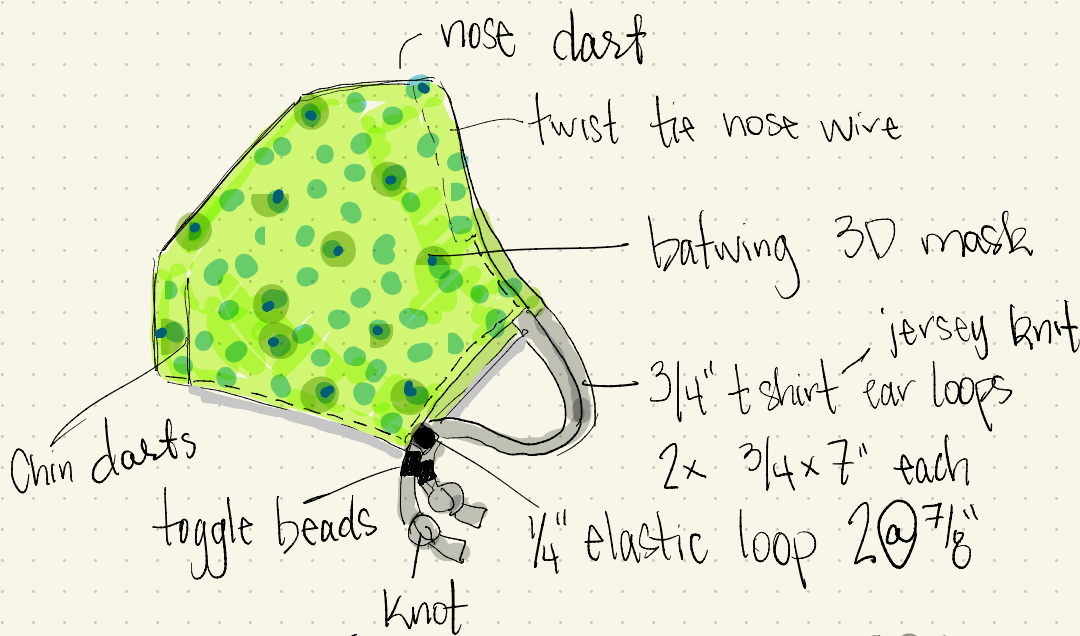
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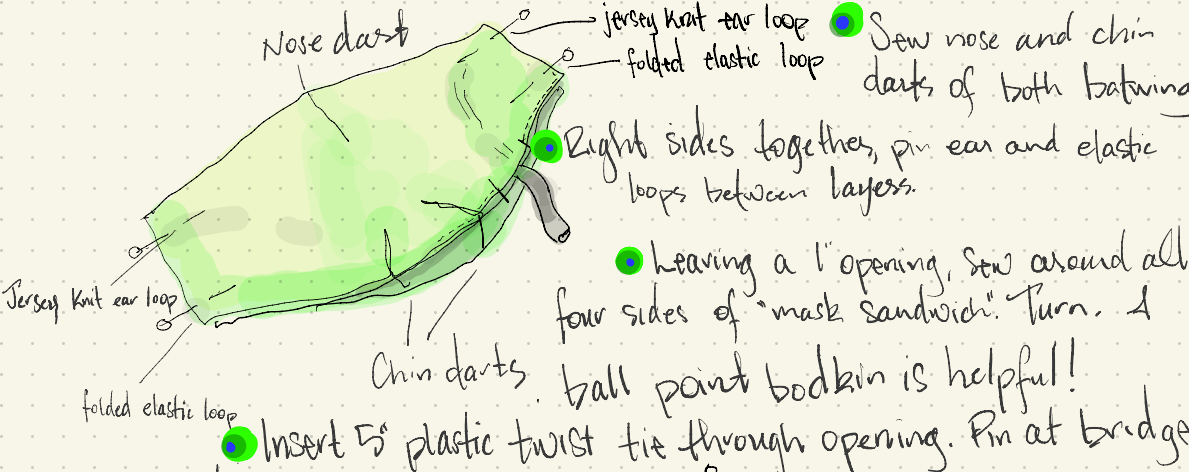


you will need:

- ② Batwings
- ② 3/4 x 7" Jersey knit
- ② pieces 1/4" elastic @ 7/8" long

if using a t-shirt, cut 3/4" strips across the width of the shirt. Take loop and stretch it out before cutting. 2 pieces, 7" in length. This will make the strip curl up on itself, a useful attribute to this mask's styling.

Pins, top stitch thread, bodkin, toggle beads, sewing machine

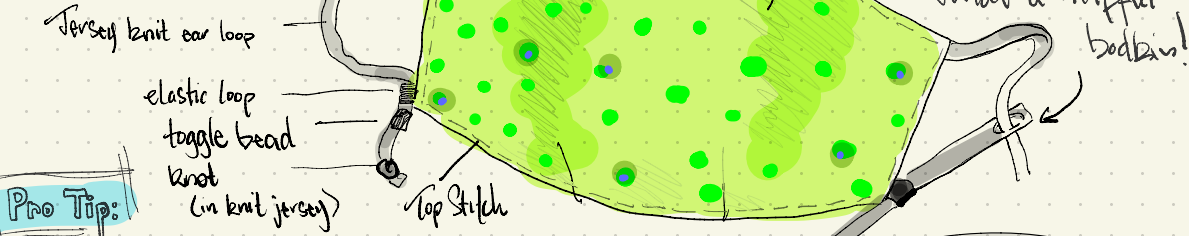


Sew nose and chin darts of both batting

leaving a 1" opening, sew around all four sides of "mask sandwich". Turn. A ball point bodkin is helpful!

Insert 5' plastic twist tie through opening. Pin at bridge

of nose dart.  
Top Stitch closed.



Pro Tip:

Find your mask. Maybe it's a batting, maybe it's a 3D Origami style mask. A comfortable mask is easier to wear. Then make as many as you earloop through the 1/4" elastic loop.

A ball point bodkin serves to thread the knit jersey

Can we all say the words: 'Ball Point Bodkin', again? Can we all say the words: 'Ball Point Bodkin', again? Can we all say the words: 'Ball Point Bodkin', again?

Useful notions and tools for mask making.

**Bodkin** - What a great word! this tool threads, pokes and transfers toggle beads!

Machine or Hand Wash. Drip dry. For further wash instruction visit:

**Toggle beads** Can be bought in bulk. I am using silicone.

**1/4" elastic** - elastic is widely variable. explore 1/4" elastic in your stash. Mine is tightly woven, melts when ironed and lasts through 3 month wicking washings.

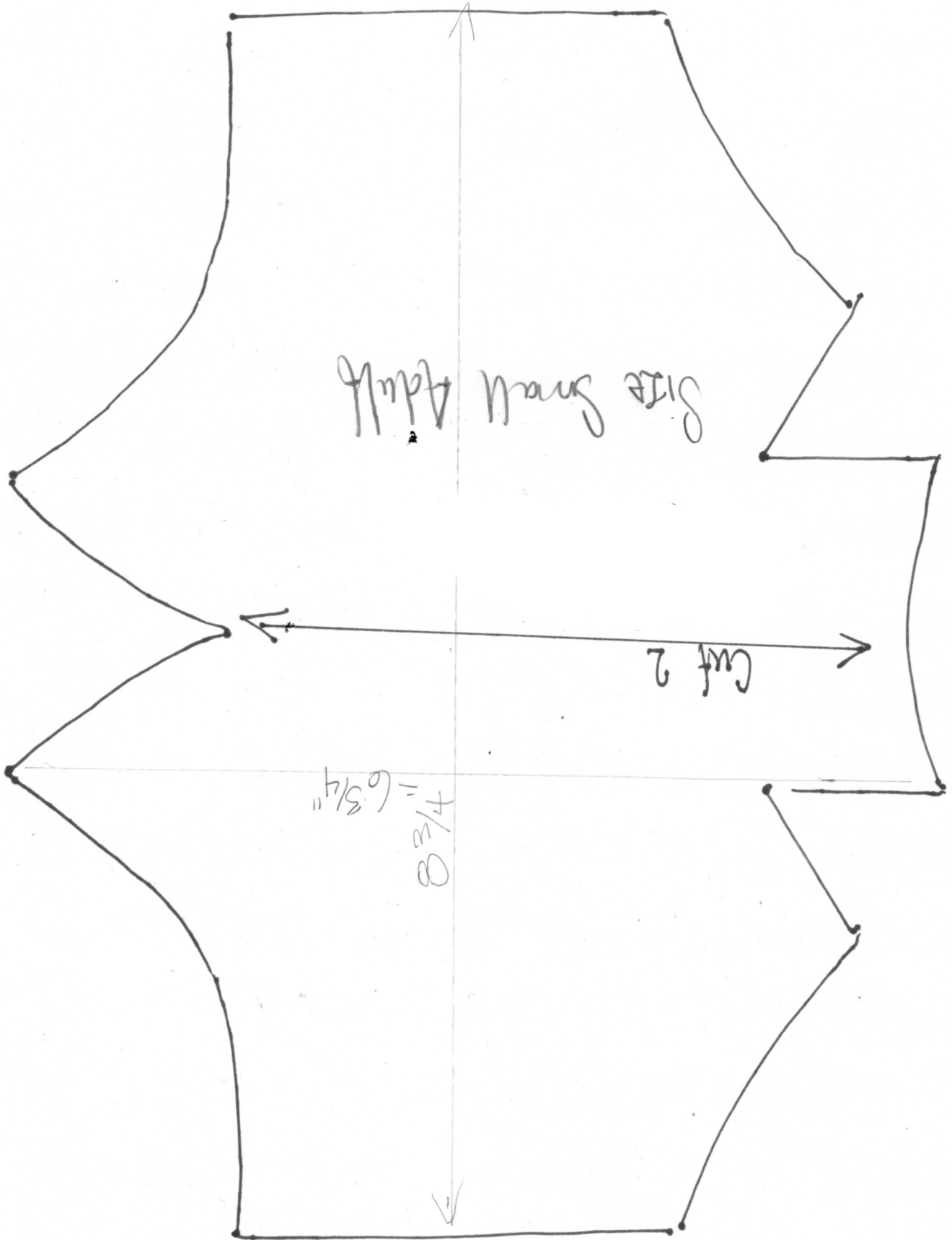
There are several types on the market. I use a ball point bodkin and like it!

I am interested in try glass ponybeads. Have you?

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-Sarah Eganaga  
Cornell Alliance for  
Science





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