Techniques

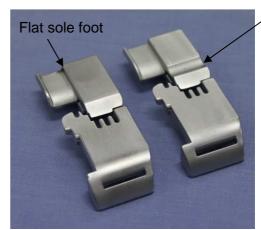
(baby lock)

Gathering a single layer of fabric

Gathering light to medium weight woven fabric on a Baby Lock Overlocker is always very easy.

Here are some tips for great results every time.

- Ensure the fabric is cut selvage to selvage for best results.
- Place the standard or grooved foot on the machine.
- Thread overlocker for a four thread overlock.
- Stitch length 4
- Stitch width 7.5
- Stitch selector A (for Eclipse or Enspire set all tensions to 4)
- Increase differential feed, with light to medium weight fabric the differential feed setting should give a correct ratio for the gather i.e. a setting of 2 will result in a 2 to 1 gather.
- Do not hold the fabric tightly, guide it through the machine,. Holding or controlling the feed will result in uneven gathers and flat spots.
- For increased gathering find the needle threads from where you finished and pull the threads up, sliding the fabric along the needle threads.
- If the looper threads are loose (looping over the edge), adjust the fine adjustment screw towards the + ,this tightens the threads.



Grooved foot





