

La Pointe

LA POINTE TAPER

by Wear Moi

The La Pointe Taper is ideally suited for the **Egyptian or Greek-Taper foot**, where the first toe (big toe) predominates, and all other phalanges reduce in length, with the fifth toe (little toe) being the shortest. The last of La Pointe Taper provides a tapered fit on the inside of the shoe for **maximum support**.

The **U throat shape** contain a cotton drawstring encased in a cotton binding.

The construction of La Pointe Taper is in the **turned method** and offers pleats on the bottom front of the shoe and contains a standard crown height with traditional side and heel measurements. The platform's durability is extended by a **reinforcement lining** placed within the box during construction.

An **embossed leather outsole** marked with a decorative design, including the size, width, and shank strength, provides traction.

La Pointe Taper is available with pre-stitched, high-quality **satin or cotton ribbons** free of charge.

La Pointe's Taper sizing follows the **UK sizing system**.



Greek-Taper Egyptian

LA POINTE TAPER EXTRA SOFT

The La Pointe Taper Extra Soft shank provides minimal support to the arch and is ideal for dancers transitioning from a demi-pointe shoe to their first pair of pointe shoes. Additionally, this shank is suited for dancers with tight ligaments or an underdeveloped arch.

SALMON

SIZE	WIDTH	FREE RIBBONS
3 to 7	medium wide extra wide x extra wide	X XX XXX XXXX satin or cotton




STANDARD WINGS

EXTRA SOFT

BOX TAPER



TEXON




LEATHER

LA POINTE TAPER SOFT

The La Pointe Taper Soft shank provides light support to the arch and is ideal for dancers with tight ligaments or an underdeveloped arch. In most cases, a “beginner” who is starting pointe work will be best served with a soft shank. The minimal support provided by a soft shank will allow the dancer to stretch their ligaments to enable the dancer to stand fully “on top” of their platform. In other cases, a “seasoned” dancer with very tight ligaments may continue to wear a soft shank.

SALMON

SIZE	WIDTH	FREE RIBBONS
3 to 7	medium wide extra wide x extra wide	X XX XXX XXXX satin or cotton

STANDARD WINGS

SOFT

FULL SHANK

BOX TAPER




TEXON

TEXON

LEATHER


LA POINTE TAPER MEDIUM

The La Pointe Taper Medium shank provides ample support to the arch for most dancers. For dancers with pliable ligaments, a medium shank allows them to stand “on top” of their platform with great ease.




SALMON


SIZE	WIDTH	FREE RIBBONS
3 to 7	medium X wide XX extra wide XXX x extra wide XXXX	satin or cotton



→ STANDARD WINGS





→ MEDIUM




→ FULL SHANK

BOX TAPER






TEXON




CARDBOARD FIBER 2.0



LEATHER


LA POINTE TAPER HARD

The La Pointe Taper Hard shank supports a malleable arch with stretched ligaments. For the best support for this type of arch, a hard shank will provide the most significant support. In addition, the shank must conform to the foot’s arch. A three-quarter cut shank provides the utmost contact to the arch for maximum support while “en pointe.”




SALMON


SIZE	WIDTH	FREE RIBBONS
3 to 7	medium X wide XX extra wide XXX x extra wide XXXX	satin or cotton



→ STANDARD WINGS



→ MEDIUM



→ 3/4 SHANK

BOX TAPER





TEXON



CARDBOARD FIBER 2.5






LEATHER

LA POINTE TAPER REINFORCED HARD

The La Pointe Taper Reinforced Hard shank supports a highly flexible foot with stretched ligaments - either through the development of the arch or born with loose ligaments. A reinforced hard shank will provide the ultimate support to the arch. A half shank is best suited for this type of arch to ensure that the shank will conform entirely to the arch.

SALMON

SIZE	WIDTH	FREE RIBBONS
3 to 7	medium X wide XX extra wide XXX x extra wide XXXX	satin or cotton

	→	STANDARD WINGS
	→	REINFORCED HARD
	→	1/2 SHANK

BOX TAPER	
	TEXON POLYCARBONATE LEATHER



MORE OPTIONS

If your ideal combination is not displayed in stock on the previous pages, we have other options on demand. Here's all the pre-defined combinations that you can choose from for the La Pointe Square and the La Pointe Taper models.

01 COLOR

The Salmon, Walnut and Carmel colors will match your skin tone. The White and Black colors will be more adapted to the needs of your dance performances.



02 SIZE

If your size does not match our core sizing, you have more size options to order, ranging from 13 to 9.

	MORE OPTIONS					STOCK ITEMS										MORE OPTIONS			
SIZE UK	13	1	1.5	2	2.5	3	3.5	4	4.5	5	5.5	6	6.5	7		7.5	8	8.5	9
SIZE EUR	32	33	33.5	34	35	35.5	36	36.5	37	38	39	39.5	40	41		41.5	42	42.5	43
SIZE JAPAN	19.8	20.4	20.8	21.1	21.8	22.1	22.4	22.8	23.1	24.2	24.9	25.5	25.8	26.4		26.8	27.2	27.5	27.8
SIZE US	1	3.5	4	4.5	5	5.5	6	6.5	7	7.5	8	8.5	9	9.5		10	10.5	11	11.5

03 VAMPS



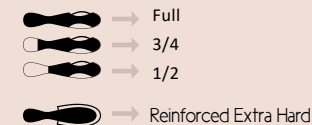
Our La Pointe models have a traditional U-cut vamp. If you prefer to opt for a different line where your foot will be less exposed, you can choose the V-cut option on demand.

04 WIDTH

narrow (N)
medium (X)
wide (XX)
extra wide (XXX)
x extra wide (XXXX)

We offer two additional widths on demand.
XXXXX width only available in La Pointe Square.

05 LENGTH & SHANK



Shank and length can be adapted according to your needs.

Extra Soft shank only available in full length

RH and RXH shanks only available in 1/2 length

MADE TO MEASURE

MAKING YOUR OWN CUSTOM-TAILORED SHOES

Wear Moi addresses dancers' individual needs through its Made to Measure department. Be it structural needs of the foot or esthetic preferences visually, "Custom-tailored" pointe shoes can make all the difference. Many dancers from pre-professional to ballerinas of renowned ballet companies, already benefit from this service.

The most requested alterations to the upper include **higher or lower vamp, side, and or heel measurements**. **Bindings** can be produced with an elasticized casing, or a cotton drawstring encased in a cotton binding- the **drawstring may be placed on inside** if requested. For dancers with a narrower heel in proportion to the ball of the foot, a **pin heel** may be beneficial. Shanks may be modified at the back of the shank. Lateral support at the ball of the foot may be adjusted with **lower, higher, firmer, or lighter wings**.

For your total satisfaction, we will work with you to find the pointe shoes that best meet your needs. And we are at your side to support you as you pursue our shared passion, dancing without limits...

Wear Moi

Custom Tailored Pointe Shoes

Date : ... / ... / ...

Fitter's name : _____

Name : _____

Address : _____

Phone : _____

E-Mail : _____

La Pointe TAPPER ☐ ALFA ☐

La Pointe SQUARE ☐ OMEGA ☐

SHOE SIZE	
WIDTH	N X XX XXX XXXX XXXXX
SHANK	XS S M H RH RXH
INSOLE	F 3/4 1/2
DRAWSTRING	ELASTIC COTTON
BORDER**	ELASTICATED*** CLASSIC
RIBBON	SATIN COTTON NO
VAMP*	
CUT**	U V
HEEL*	
SIDE*	
WINGS**	STANDARD HIGH
PLATFORM*	

Comments : _____

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cm

WIDTH

N → Narrow

X → Medium

XX → Wide

XXX → Extra Wide

XXXX → X Extra Wide

XXXXX → XX Extra Wide***

SHANK

XS → Extra Soft*

S → Soft

M → Medium

H → Hard

RH → Reinforced Hard**

RXH → Reinforced Extra Hard**

INSOLE

Full

3/4

1/2

42

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