

## How to distinguish between a “Regular” (Sharp) Point needle and a “Ball” Point needle

A “Regular” (Sharp) Point needle has a point that is considerably *sharp*.

A “Ball” Point needle has a more rounded, blunt shape.



ball point    sharp point  
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With just the weight of the needle, hold the needle perpendicular to your finger nail. Move the needle on your finger nail.

A sharp Point needle will score the surface of your finger nail.

A ball point needle will roll over the surface of your finger nail without any scoring.

The usual default point on sewing machine needles is the “Regular” (sharp) point.

Packages of ORGAN brand needles will indicate “Ball” Point showing the designation for “Ball” point after the size (thickness) of the needle as follows:

B, BP, SES, SUK, J, B

*Example:* 90/14BP, 90/14J, 90/14SES, 90/14SUK