

10 Fashion Forward Facts About NECKTIES

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Americans spend
\$1 BILLION
or more on
100 MILLION
TIES a year

There are
177,147
ways to
tie a necktie

1864:

The first mass-produced ready-made tie was patented and became widely popular in the United States and Germany

113 AD:

Early Roman orators wore **NECKERCHIEFS** to keep their vocal cords warm

IN THE

17th CENTURY

neckties were not used for fashion; they were thick so a sword could not penetrate

GRABATOLOGISTS:

people who are in a hobby of collecting ties

Stripes on
AMERICAN TIES
run from top right
to bottom left

Stripes on
BRITISH TIES
run from top left
to bottom right

1936:

The **Duke of Windsor** invented the Windsor, a wide, triangular knot placed on shirt collars

It takes about

110 SILK WORMS
to make one silk necktie

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enlarge
with the
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