

## Sewing Pattern — Dress 5247

Recommendations on fabric: silk or silk-like material

You will also need: contrasting fabric for trim

If the pattern has a double line around it, the seam allowances are included.

**Note:** By default, seam allowances are NOT included (single line) and will need to be added when laying out and cutting details.

Attention! First of all please print all the paper patterns and lay them out at the width of fabric you plan to use (usually from 90 to 150 cm) to see how much fabric you will need. Don't forget to take into account pieces to be duplicated or cut on a fold.

When sewing the garment, pay attention to notches, they must match up with corresponding pieces.



### **CUTTING:**

(On the pattern pieces, “beam” means straight of grain. Lay out your pieces accordingly. Some pieces will be cut on the fold. This is noted on the pattern piece. Mark all notches and other design features such as darts, pleats etc. from the pattern onto your fabric.)

#### Main fabric:

1. Back - cut 1 (cut one on fold if pattern is printed as such)
2. Front – cut 2
3. Sleeve – cut 2

#### Trimming fabric:

4. Belt – cut 1
5. Front facing - cut 2
6. Sleeve facing – cut 2
7. Carriers – cut 3
8. Tie – cut 2

## **INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Sew the shoulder seams. Serge and press toward back. Sew the sleeves to the armholes. Serge and press seam toward hem.
2. Sew the garment/sleeve side edges together in one continuous seam. Serge and press toward back.
3. Serge the bottom edge. Press the hem allowance to the wrong side and topstitch. Sew the front facing pieces together and press the seam open. Press in half lengthwise. With right sides together, pin the facing to the garment. Sew along the center and neck edges. Fold the front facing in half lengthways, right sides together, and sew across the short ends at the hem. Turn the facing right side out and topstitch to the garment.
4. Sew the sleeve facing side edges. Press in half lengthwise. Sew the facing to the sleeve. Turn under along crease. Turn under inside seam allowance and topstitch.
5. Fold each tie strip in half lengthways and sew, leaving one end open. Turn the ties right side out and press. Sew one tie to the left front center, sew the second to the right side seam.
6. Fold the belt in half lengthways and sew, leaving an opening in long edge for turning. Turn the belt right side out and topstitch.
7. Fold carrier long edges under and press. Fold the carriers, wrong sides together, and topstitch. Sew the carriers to the side seams and the back center.

## **TECHNICAL DRAWING:**

