

## Sewing Pattern — Skirt 5123

Recommended fabric: wool or semi-wool, bottom weight fabric

You will also need: fusible interfacing, 1 zipper 20 cm length, 1 button, an embroidery pattern

Seam allowances are provided if the pattern has double contour. Seam allowances are NOT included if the pattern has single contour and need to be added when laying out and cutting details.

Seam Allowance: hem and slit edges -4 cm, all other seams 1 cm

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 count pair parts and symmetrical parts.

When sewing the garment, pay attention to notches, they must coincide.



### **CUTTING:**

The word, “beam” used on some patterns means “straight of grain”. 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.

#### Fabric:

1. Front right panel – cut 1
2. Front left panel - cut 1
2. Back panel -cut 2
3. Waistband – cut 1 and cut 1 of fusible interfacing

### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Embroidery: Cut the front right panel with a little bigger seam allowances. Using carbon paper or your favorite method, transfer your embroidery design to the fabric. Hand embroider or embroider with your machine, using colors of your choice.
2. Apply interfacing to wrong side of the waistband.
3. Sew center back seam from zipper mark to slit mark. Press seam apart, including opening for zipper.
4. Sew in zipper.
5. Sew darts and press toward center.
6. Sew left and right front panels to slit mark. Serge the edges of slit separately and press along fold line.

7. Sew side seams, press seams apart.
8. Place waistband onto upper edge of the skirt, right sides together, and sew, leaving zipper allowance on back right edge of the waistband extended for button. Sew the ends of the waistband. Turn inner seam allowance of the waistband under, and topstitch from right side into connecting seam. Make buttonhole on left end of the waistband, sew a button on right end.
9. Slip-stitch hem of the skirt. Sew seam allowances of slits to hem.

**TECHNICAL DRAWING:**

