

Sewing Pattern — Blouse 5097

Recommended fabric: batiste of 150cm wide (Batiste is a fine cloth made from cotton, wool, polyester, or a blend, and the softest of the lightweight opaque fabrics)

You will also need: 5 buttons.

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

Seam allowance: all seams 1 cm, hem 1.5 cm.

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 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.)

Darts: The fold of the dart is always pressed toward the center of your garment, or down toward the hem.

Main fabric:

1. Center back - cut 1 on fold
2. Side back - cut 2
3. Side front - cut 2
4. Center front and hood - cut 2
5. Sleeve - cut 2

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Sew side backs to center back. Serge and press seams toward center. Sew side fronts to center fronts. Serge and press seams toward center.
2. Sew center seam of hood, serge and press seam allowances toward left hood. Topstitch at 0.5 cm from right side of the hood.

3. Clip seam allowance in corner on each front piece. Sew darts, press toward back. Sew shoulder seams. Sew the hood into the neckline of back. Serge and press seam downward. Press seam allowances of shoulder seams toward front.
4. Turn seam allowance hood edge under twice and topstitch. Turn seam allowances along front self-facing twice onto wrong side to a width of 3.5 cm. Topstitch.
5. Sew side seams. Serge and press seams toward back.
6. Serge lower edge of garment, turn under 1.5 cm, and topstitch.
7. Sew sleeve seams. Serge seam allowances and press. Serge lower edge of sleeve, turn under 1.5 cm, and topstitch.
8. Make a gathering stitch along sleeve caps between notches. Sew sleeves into armholes, matching notches and adjusting ease. Serge and press.
9. Make 5 buttonholes on right front, sew buttons on left.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

