

Sewing Pattern — Blouse 5065

Recommendations on fabric: gabardine of 150 cm width
You will also need: fusible interfacing, invisible zipper of 22 cm length; 2 eyelets of 0.5 cm inner diameter
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.

Seam Allowance: hem of lower back/front, top and bottom edges of pocket - 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 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:

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 one-piece with a hood – cut 2
2. Back – cut 2
3. Lower front – cut 1 on fold
4. Lower back – cut 1 on fold
5. Flap – cut 1 on fold
6. Armhole facing – cut 2
7. Tie – cut 1

*cut facings a few cm longer so that you have enough to finish edges neatly under the arm

Fusible interfacing: apply the fusing to wrong side of flap's half-width

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Sew center back seam. Press seam allowances toward right, topstitch close to the seam and at 0.75 cm from it.

2. Sewing the hood with a flat felled seam: sew the seam, press seam allowance toward hood's middle part, trim lower allowance close to the stitch, fold upper allowance under and press, (baste in place if necessary) then topstitch at 0.75 cm distance on hood's right side.
3. Trim corner allowances of each front. Sew darts, press toward back. Sew shoulder seams.
4. Sew the hood into back neckline. Serge seam allowance and press downwards. Press shoulder seam allowances forward, topstitch front close to seams.
5. Sew zipper in between front marks, with top of zipper teeth lining up with top mark. Fold upper corners of zipper tape under, and sew them to seam allowances. Sew center front seam between the hem and zipper mark.
6. Fold seam allowances of front edge of hood and front slit onto wrong side, fold again at 1.5 cm width. Topstitch seam allowances along edge, topstitch zipper top diagonally.
7. Sew side seams (including front/back lower parts).
8. Press the lower edge of garment onto wrong side, fold it under to 4 cm width, then topstitch.
9. Press upper edge of pocket self-facing onto wrong side, then topstitch. Press pocket side edges and lower edge onto wrong side. Pin the pocket on lower front along marked line and topstitch along edges at 0.75 cm distance. Fold and press the outer edges of flap and topstitch it. Pierce eyelets into the flap: tack flap's open edges to upper edge of lower front between transverse marks. Sew lower front to upper front catching the flap. Press allowances upwards, topstitch the garment along the seam.
10. Press the armhole facing in half lengthwise. Sew to armhole with right sides together. Start and finish at the underarm seam, leaving tails for finishing neatly. Trim seam, press onto wrong side, and topstitch along folded edge of tape from right side of garment.
11. Press long edges of tie onto wrong side at 0.75 cm width. Fold the tie along the center and sew long edge. Thread the tie through flap eyelets.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

