

Sewing Pattern — Dress 5039

Recommended fabric: silk/sateen/satin.

You will also need: long invisible zipper; fusible interfacing; lining.

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

Seam allowance: 2 cm on hem; 1 cm on all other seams.

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 front – cut 1
2. Side front – cut 2
3. Back – cut 2
4. Sleeve – cut 2
5. Back neck facing – cut 2
6. Front neck facing – cut 2
7. Back skirt – cut 2
8. Front skirt – cut 1

Fusible interfacing: Back neck facing – cut 2; Front neck facing – cut 1

Lining:

1. Center front – cut 1
2. Side front – cut 2

3. Back –cut 2
4. Sleeve – cut 2 (optional, depending on fabric)
5. Back skirt – cut 2
6. Front skirt – cut 1

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Sew neck facings to front/back necklines.
2. Sew fabric/lining back darts, press toward center.
3. Sew side fronts to center front and side backs to center backs on fabric and lining. Press seams open.
4. Sew side seams and shoulder seams of fabric and lining, press seams open.
5. Sew fabric to lining along upper contour, right sides together. Turn right side out and press. Baste armhole edges.
6. Sew sleeve seam. Make a gathering stitch along sleeve cap for ease. Sew sleeve to armhole, matching notches and adjusting ease. Serge lower edge of sleeve, turn onto wrong side and topstitch or sew by hand.
7. Fold center back seam allowances onto wrong side, sew in zipper.
8. Sew side seams of skirt fabric and skirt lining. Sew fabric skirt to fabric upper part, sew lining skirt to lining upper part. Press seam allowances apart and tack lining to fabric skirt along waist seam allowance.
9. Serge lower edge of garment. Turn onto wrong side and topstitch or sew by hand.