

Sewing Pattern — Dress 4148

<u>Recommended fabric:</u> well draping, medium stretch-knit fabric.

You will also need: elastic - 2 cm width, elastic - 0.5 cm width.

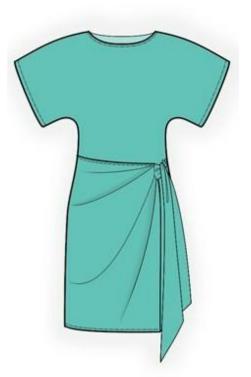
If the pattern has a double line around it, the seam allowances are included.

<u>Seam allowance:</u> hem of sleeve and hem of the dress - 2 cm, neckline – 1.5 cm, upper seam allowance of facing – 1.5 cm, all other seams – 0.7 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 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.)

Advice:

Knit fabric pieces are sewn together with special stretch-stitch or narrow zig-zag stitch. Seam allowance on hem is stitched with twin needles to save stretchiness. Pieces can also be sewn together with 3 or 4 – thread serger. When serging, cut seam allowances to 0.6 – 0.8 cm.

Main fabric:

- 1. Front cut 1 on fold
- 2. Back cut 2
- 3. Front panel cut 1
- 4. Tie-belt cut 2

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Fold both tie-belts in half lengthwise, right sides together, and sew on long and bias edge. Turn tie-belts onto right side and press.
- 2. Sew center back seam. Serge and press toward left.
- 3. Sew shoulder seams. Serge and press toward back.
- 4. Serge, turn under, and topstitch top and lower seam allowance of front panel. Make pleats on panel and baste with temporary stitch at 0.5 cm from edges. Pin a tie-belt on panel and serge vertical edge. Turn seam allowance inside and tack in place.



- 5. Sew right side seam, inserting panel between front and back. Serge and press seam toward back. Sew left side seam, inserting a tie-belt between front and back. Serge and press toward back
- 6. Serge neckline edge, turn under and topstitch.
- 7. Serge bottom edge of sleeve, turn under and topstitch.
- 8. Serge bottom edge of garment. Turn under and topstitch, starting and finishing the stitch near right side seam.
- 9. Tie the tie-belt.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

