

Sewing Pattern — Dress 4368

Recommendations on fabric: fabric with lycra, suitable for dresses

You will also need: invisible zipper

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: all seams - 1 cm; on hem of the dress – 2 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.

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

Main fabric:

1. Upper back - cut 2
2. Lower center back- cut 2
3. Lower side back — cut 2
4. Upper front – cut 1
5. Lower center front - cut 1
6. Lower side front — cut 2
7. Collar — cut 1
8. Sleeve — cut 2



INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Sew lower side backs to lower center backs. Serge and press seams toward center. Sew center back seam. Serge and press seam allowances toward left. Sew upper and lower backs. Serge and press seam upwards.
 2. Sew lower side fronts to lower center front. Serge and press seams toward center. Make a gathering stitch between notches on upper front and gather fullness between notches. Sew lower front to upper front. Serge and press seam allowance upwards.
 3. Sew shoulder seams, press seams toward back.
 4. Serge left side edges separately. Sew left side seam from armhole to first notch and from second notch down to hem, press seam allowances open. Sew in zipper. Sew right side seam, serge and press seam toward back.
 5. Sew sleeve seam. Serge and press seam allowance toward back. Make a gathering stitch along sleeve cap for ease. Sew sleeve into armhole, matching notches and adjusting ease. Serge seam allowance.
 6. Clip seam allowance of neckline at notch level. Serge given section. Turn seam allowance under, and topstitch. Fold collar right sides together. Clip seam allowance of collar at end notches level and sew short ends. Turn collar right side out and press. Sew outer collar into the neckline, matching notches. Turn seam allowance of inner collar under, and topstitch into the seam.
 7. Serge lower edge of sleeve, turn seam allowance under, and topstitch.
 8. Serge lower edge of dress, press onto wrong side, and topstitch.
- *Tie collar ends as illustrated in diagram.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

