

Sewing Pattern — Blouse with lace sleeves 4496

Recommendations on fabric: medium stretch knit fabric, guipure with lycra.

You will also need: knit bias tape.

Seam allowances: all seams - 1 cm, on hem – 1.5 cm, lower edge of sleeve and neckline – 0 cm.

Note on seam allowances:

- If the pattern has double contour the seam allowances are included. They are 1 cm unless specified otherwise.
- If the pattern has single contour, the seam allowances are NOT included and need to be added when laying out the pattern.



Note on length of fabric:

Attention! The amount of fabric needed for your pattern is not included. It will depend on the selected pattern size, the width, and design of the fabric you plan to use. First, print all the paper patterns and lay them out at the width of fabric you plan to use (usually from 90 to 150 cm). Measure how much fabric you will need. Don't forget to account for pieces that need to be cut multiple times and pieces that are cut on the fold.

CUTTING:

Main fabric:

1. Back – cut 2
2. Front – cut 1 on fold
3. Neck trimming – cut 1

Guipure:

1. Back sleeve – cut 2
2. Front sleeve – cut 2

Attention: Neck trimming pattern piece is necessary for leveling neck length.

Advice: Knit fabric pieces are sewn together with special elastic 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.

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Sew darts on backs. Press darts toward center seam. Sew back center seam. Serge seam and press it to left side.
2. Sew sleeve to back. Serge seam and press it onto back. Sew sleeve to front. Serge seam and press onto back.
3. Sew upper edges of sleeves. Serge seams and press to back. Sew side edges and sleeve edges together.
4. Make gathering stitch on front neckline between notches. Gather ruffles on that section. Trim neckline with bias tape.
5. Make gathering stitch on lower edge of sleeve and gather ruffles. Trim edge with bias tape.
6. Serge hem of the blouse, press to wrong side and topstitch.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

