

## Shirt - Sewing Pattern #4725

Recommendations on fabric: thick natural/mixed fabrics suitable for blouses.

You will also need: fusible interfacing; 10 buttons.

Seam allowances: Seam allowance along hem of garment – 1.5 cm.  
Seam allowance along upper edge of pocket – 2.0 cm. Other seams – 1.0 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:

### Note on cutting:

*On the pattern pieces, "beam" means straight of grain. Lay out your pieces accordingly. Some pieces will be cut on the fold. This is noted on the pattern piece. Mark all notches and other design features such as pleats etc. from the pattern onto your fabric.*

*When sewing the garment, pay attention to notches, they must match up.*

Main fabric:

1. Yoke - cut 1
2. Back - cut 1 on fold
3. Front – cut 2

4. Placket – cut 2
5. Pocket – cut 2
6. Flap – cut 4
7. Collar - cut 2
8. Stand collar - cut 2
9. Sleeve - cut 2
10. Cuff - cut 2

Fusible interfacing:

1. Placket – cut 2
2. Collar - cut 1
3. Stand collar - cut 1
4. Flap – cut 2
5. Cuff – cut 2

## **INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Apply fusible interfacing.
2. Make and topstitch pleat on the back, folding the piece wrong sides together. Press the pleat. Sew yoke to back, press towards top, serge and topstitch at 0.1 cm from seam.
3. Sew front darts, press bulk towards top.
4. Serge upper seam allowance on pockets, press onto wrong side and topstitch. Press side and lower seam allowances of pockets onto wrong side. Pin pockets onto fronts according to markings and topstitch.
5. Pin together flaps right sides together and sew. Trim corners on flaps and turn right side out. Straighten seams and press. Sew a decorative stitch at 0.1 cm from edge. Serge the remaining edge on pockets. Sew flaps onto fronts above pockets , fold towards bottom and topstitch.

6. Press placket in half lengthwise right side out. Sew outer edge of placket to blouse, press seam allowances onto placket. Turn edge of inner placket under and stitch-in-the-ditch along seam of outer placket.
7. Sew shoulder and side seams, press seams towards back and serge.
8. Pin upper collar to lower collar, right sides together. Sew ends of collar and collar fall. Trim seam allowances. Collar turn right side out, straighten and press. Pin stand collars together, right sides together, put ready collar between them, adjust notches and sew, sewing ends of stand collar at the same time. Start and stop sewing exactly at the marked line of seam between stand collar and garment. Turn finished collar right side out and press.
9. Sew outer stand collar with collar into neckline, fold inside open edge of internal stand collar and stitch in the ditch. Sew a decorative stitch along collar and stand collar at 0.1 cm.
10. Serge sleeve edges. Sew sleeve seam from notch upwards, press seam apart. Sew a fixing stitch along fold at 0.2 cm from edge. Sew sleeves into armholes. Serge and press to sleeve.
11. Fold cuff in half lengthwise, right sides together and sew side seams. Turn the piece right side out, press. Sew outer side of cuff to sleeve, turn seam allowance of inner cuff under and stitch-in-the ditch into seam of outer cuff.
12. Serge lower edge of garment, press onto wrong side and topstitch.
13. Make buttonholes on right front, sew on buttons on left front. Make button holes and sew on buttons on stand collar and cuffs.

## TECHNICAL DRAWING:

