

Blouse With V-Neckline - Sewing Pattern #4915

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

You will also need: fusible interfacing; 8 buttons.

Seam allowances: all seams 1 cm. Seam allowance along upper edge of pocket - 2 cm. Seam allowance for hem of garment - 2 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. Back - cut 1 on fold
2. Front - cut 2
3. Cuff - cut 2
4. Stand collar - cut 2
5. Center front facing - cut 2
6. Back neck facing - cut 1
7. Pocket - cut 1

Fusible interfacing:

1. Cuff - cut 2
2. Stand collar - cut 1
3. Center front facing - cut 2
4. Back neck facing - cut 1

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply fusible interfacing.
2. Serge upper seam allowance of pocket, press onto wrong side and topstitch. Press side and lower seam allowances of pocket onto wrong side. Pin pocket onto front according to markings and topstitch.
3. Sew shoulder seams, press seams towards back and serge. Sew side seams up to notch on sleeve, press seam apart and serge. Sew a fastening stitch along the slit at 0.1 cm from the edge.
4. Pin stand collars together right sides together and sew the shorter edges. Clip into curves, trim away corners. Turn stand collar right side out and press. Sew the stand collar into neckline.
5. Sew shoulder edges of center front facings and back neckline facing, press seam apart. Serge outer edge. Pin center front facings and facing onto right side of the garment and sew center front and neckline (the stand collar is placed between shell and facing). Clip seam allowances, fold center front facings onto wrong side and press. Slip stitch facing to shoulder seams.
6. 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, fold inside the seam allowance of inner cuff and stitch-in-the ditch into seam of outer cuff.
7. Make buttonholes on right front, sew on buttons on left front. Make buttonholes and sew on buttons onto cuffs.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

