

Knit Dress With Low Neckline - Sewing Pattern #2281

Recommendations on fabric: natural/mixed knit fabric of medium stretchiness.

You will also need: closure (buckle); knit fusible interfacing; knit bias tape.

Seam allowances: seam allowance for hem of garment and hem of sleeve - 2.0 cm, front neckline edge - 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. Front - cut 1 on fold
2. Back - cut 2
3. Front yoke - cut 4
4. Stand collar - cut 2
5. Sleeve - cut 2

Fusible interfacing:

1. Stand collar – cut 1.

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply fusible interfacing to upper stand collar.
2. Sew front darts. Press bulk towards top.
3. Sew center back seam. Serge and press towards left.
4. Finish the slit of front neckline with bias tape. Pin yokes together pairwise right sides together and sew along lower edge, inserting front. Clip seam allowances, fold away yokes towards top and press. Baste yokes together along raw edges, treat as one piece in the future.
5. Sew shoulder and side seams, press seams towards back and serge.
6. Pin stand collars together right sides together and sew along upper edge, inserting the buckle closure. Clip into curves, turn right side out and press. Sew outer stand collar into neckline, press at stand collar. Fold under the seam allowance of the inner side inside at 1 cm and stitch in the ditch.
7. Sew sleeve seam. Serge. Sew sleeve into armhole. Serge and press.
8. Serge hem of garment and lower edge of sleeve, press onto wrong side and topstitch.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

