

Blouse With Trimming - Sewing Pattern #2493

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

You will also need: fusible interfacing.

Seam allowances: all seams 1 cm. Seam allowance along the lower edge of the 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

Main fabric 1:

1. Neckline facing - cut 4
2. Cuff - cut 2

Fusible interfacing:

1. Neckline facing — cut 2

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply fusible interfacing.
2. Sew shoulder seams. Serge seams and press towards back.
3. Sew center edges of neckline facings together, pairwise. Press seam apart. Pin neckline facings together, right sides together and sew outer edge. Clip seam allowances, fold inner facing onto wrong side and press.
4. Pin facing onto the main piece and sew along center front edge and neckline. Clip into curves and serge. Press towards the main piece.
5. Sew side seams and sleeve seams. Serge seams and press towards back.
6. Sew cuff into a ring. Press seam apart. 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. Serge lower edge of garment. Press onto wrong side and topstitch.
8. Connect center front facings from notch to bottom using slip stitches or hem stitches as desired.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

