

Flared Dress - Sewing Pattern #2509

Recommendations on fabric: natural/mixed fabrics with elastane suitable for dresses.

You will also need: fusible interfacing, dress zipper.

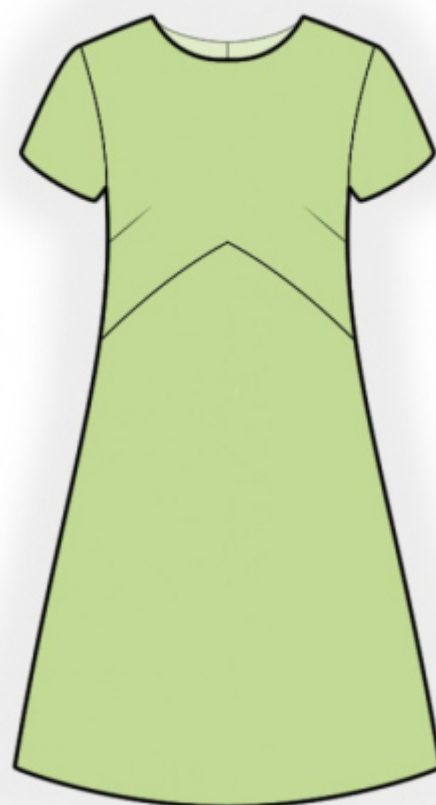
Seam allowances: all seams 1 cm. Seam allowance along lower edge of garment and lower edge of sleeve – 2 cm.

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 2
2. Upper front – cut 1 on fold
3. Lower front – cut 1 on fold
4. Sleeve – cut 2
5. Front neck facing – cut 1
6. Back neck facing – cut 2

Fusible interfacing:

1. Front neck facing – cut 1
2. Back neck facing – cut 2

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Sew darts on back, press bulk towards center. Serge separately center back edges. Sew center back seam from notch for zipper to bottom. Press seam apart. Sew in zipper.
2. Sew darts on front (if the size implies these). Press bulk towards top.
3. Sew upper front to lower front. Serge and press towards bottom.
4. Sew shoulder and side seams. Serge seams and press towards back.
5. Sew shoulder seams of facings. Serge seams and press towards back. Serge outer edge. Pin facing onto main piece, right sides together and sew neckline. Clip seam allowances, fold facings onto wrong side and press. Slipstitch center seam allowances on facing to zipper tape.
6. Sew sleeve seam. Serge and press towards back. Sew sleeves into armholes. Serge and press.
7. Serge hem of garment and lower edge of sleeve. Press onto wrong side and topstitch.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

