

Blouse With Seamless Sleeve And Gathers - Sewing Pattern #2660

Recommendations on fabric: natural/mixed fabrics suitable for blouses in contrasting or similar color.

You will also need: fusible interfacing; 8 push buttons.

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 2
2. Front - cut 2

Main fabric 1:

1. Back yoke - cut 1
2. Center front - cut 2

3. Collar - cut 2
4. Stand collar - cut 2
5. Cuff - cut 2

Fusible interfacing:

1. Stand collar - cut 1
2. Collar - cut 1
3. Cuff - cut 2

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply fusible interfacing. Also apply fusible interfacing to the one-piece placket of center front.
2. Sew the center back seam, press seam allowances towards left, serge. Sew a gathering stitch along the upper edge of the back from the shoulder seam up to the mark and gather fullness. Sew yoke to back, press seam allowances towards yoke, serge. Sew a decorative stitch along the seam at 0.1 cm.
3. Sew a gathering stitch along the princess seam edge of the front from the shoulder seam up to the mark and gather fullness. Sew central front to front, press seam allowances onto central part, serge. Sew a decorative stitch along the seam at 0.1 cm.
4. Sew the shoulder seams and sew the upper sleeve seams at the same time, press towards the back, serge.
5. Pin collars together, right sides together, and sew the ends and the outer edge of collar. Trim away corners, turn the collar right side out, straighten and press. Pin stand collars together right sides together, insert the ready collar between them and sew, sewing the 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. Fold the one-piece placket onto wrong side and press. Sew outer stand collar into neckline, fold inside open edge of internal stand collar and stitch in the ditch.
6. Serge the side edges and the sleeve edges separately on each piece. Sew side seams, sewing the sleeve edges at the same time, from the marking for slit down to the lower edge. Press the seam apart. Topstitch slit at 0.1 cm from the edge. Sew a gathering stitch along lower edge of sleeve and gather fullness.
7. Fold cuff in half lengthwise, right sides together and sew side seams. Turn the piece right side out, press. Sew the outer part of the cuff to the sleeve, fold inside the inner side of the cuff, and topstitch into the seam of the outer cuff cuffs.
8. Serge the lower edge of garment, press onto wrong side and topstitch.
9. Sew the upper parts of the push buttons on the inner side of the right front, sew the lower parts of the push buttons to the left front. Sew on push buttons on the cuffs.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

