

Blouse With Flounces At The Sleeves - Sewing Pattern #2764

Recommendations on fabric: natural/mixed fabric suitable for dresses.

You will also need: fusible interfacing; dress zipper.

Seam allowances: all seams 1 cm; seam allowance for hem of garment - 2.0 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. Back - cut 2
2. Front - cut 1 on fold
3. Upper sleeve - cut 2
4. Center sleeve 1 - cut 2
5. Center sleeve 2 - cut 2
6. Lower sleeve cut 2
7. Cuff - cut 2

8. Stand collar - cut 2

Fusible interfacing:

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

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply fusible interfacing.
2. Sew darts on front, press bulk towards top.
3. Sew shoulder seams, press towards the back and serge.
4. Pin stand collars together right sides together and sew along the upper edge. Clip seam allowances, turn stand collar right side out, straighten, press. Serge lower edge of inner stand collar.
5. Sew outer stand collar into neckline, press seam allowances towards stand collar.
6. Serge the center back edges separately. Sew the center back seam from zipper mark to hem, press the seam apart. Sew in zipper starting from the upper edge of the stand collar, folding the inner stand collar away. Fold inside the shorter seam allowances of the inner stand collar and sew them to the zipper tape. Topstitch the inner collar in the seam of the outer collar.
7. Sew side seams, press towards the back and serge.
8. Sew seam on upper sleeve, press towards the back and serge. Sew the seam of center sleeve 1, press towards the back and serge. Sew center sleeve 1 to upper sleeve, press seam, serge. Sew a gathering stitch along the lower edge of center sleeve 1 and gather fullness.
9. Sew the seam of center sleeve 2, press towards the back and serge. Sew center sleeve 2 to center sleeve 1, press seam, serge. Sew a gathering stitch along the lower edge of center sleeve 2 and gather fullness.
10. Sew the seam of lower sleeve, press towards the back and serge. Sew the lower sleeve to the center sleeve 2, press seam, serge. Sew a gathering stitch along the lower edge of the lower sleeve and gather fullness.
11. Sew cuff into a ring, press the seam apart. Fold cuff in half lengthwise right side out and press. Sew cuff to lower edge of sleeve, serge and press.
12. Sew sleeves into armholes matching notches and adjusting ease, serge and press.
13. Make pleats on the sleeve, folding the sleeve inside along the marked lines. Fix in place from the wrong side along the sleeve seam and also with several hidden stitches at the middle of the sleeve.

14. Serge bottom edge of garment, press onto wrong side and topstitch.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

