

Blouse With Pointed Collar - Sewing Pattern #2817

Recommendations on fabric: natural/mixed fabrics suitable for blouses with elastane, silk.

You will also need: fusible interfacing; 9 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 1 on fold
2. Front - cut 2
3. Sleeve - cut 2
4. Center front facing - cut 2
5. Collar - cut 2
6. Stand collar - cut 2
7. Cuff - cut 2

Fusible interfacing:

1. Center front facing – cut 2
2. Collar – cut 1
3. Stand collar – cut 1
4. Cuff – cut 2

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply fusible interfacing.
2. Make and baste pleats on the shoulder edge of the front. Fold bulk towards center.
3. Pin the center front facing to the front right sides together and sew center front edge and neckline edge. Clip seam allowances, fold center front facings onto wrong side, straighten, press.
4. Sew shoulder seams. The seam allowance of the shoulder edge on the back protrudes by 1 cm. Press seams towards back and serge.
5. Sew side seams. Serge seams and press towards back.
6. 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. Turn finished collar right side out and press. Sew outer stand collar into back neckline. Fold under the seam allowance of the inner stand collar and stitch in the ditch. Fold inside the unfinished seam allowance of the stand collar and sew together.
7. Serge the sleeve edges separately. Sew the sleeve seam from the top up to the mark for slit. Press the seam allowances apart. Sew a fastening stitch along the slit at 0.3 cm. from the edge. Sew sleeves into armholes. Serge and press. Sew a gathering stitch along the lower edge of sleeve and gather fullness.
7. Fold cuff in half lengthwise, right sides together and sew short sides. Turn cuff right side out, straighten and press. Sew outer side of cuff to sleeve, fold inside the seam allowance of the inner cuff and topstitch into the seam of the outer cuff.
9. Serge the lower edge of garment. Press the seam allowance onto wrong side and topstitch.
10. Make buttonholes and sew on buttons on front and on cuffs. Make a buttonhole and sew on a button at stand collar.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

