

Shirt With Decorative Front - Sewing Pattern #2836

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

You will also need: fusible interfacing, 3 buttons.

Seam allowances: all seams 1 cm. Allowance for hemming the lower edge of the back and the lower edge of the left front - 2.0 cm. Hem allowance for the vertical edge of the left front - 2.0 cm. Seam allowance for hem of sleeve - 2.5 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.

Attention! Pattern pieces are drafted as seen from the right side, when cutting, please place them with the text and markings down onto the fabric!

Main fabric:

1. Back yoke - cut 1 on fold
2. Back - cut 1 on fold

3. Left front – cut 1
4. Right front – cut 1
5. Front inset – cut 2
6. Stand collar – cut 2
7. Collar – cut 2
8. Sleeve - cut 2
9. Placket – cut 2
10. Facing of the right front – cut 1

Fusible interfacing:

1. Stand collar – cut 1
2. Collar – cut 1
3. Placket – cut 2
4. Facing of the right front – cut 1

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply fusible interfacing.
2. Sew yoke to back, press seam allowances down, serge.
3. Press plackets in half lengthwise right side out. Pin the plackets, wrong side down, onto the right side of the right front and sew. Make diagonal slashes in corners on front. Fold away plackets onto wrong side and straighten. Pin right placket onto left placket, fix the lower corner with double stitch line from the wrong side. Serge and press.
4. Pin right front to the facing and sew the front and the lower edges. Clip seam allowances, trim away corner, turn the piece right side out, straighten, press. Sew a decorative stitch along edge at 0.7 cm.
5. Fold under the vertical edge of the left front by 1 cm, iron, then fold under by 1 cm and iron again and topstitch. .
6. Pin insets together, right sides together, and sew the front and the lower edges. Trim away corners, turn the piece right side out, straighten, press. Sew a decorative stitch along edge at 0.7 cm.
7. Place left front onto the facing of the right front, right sides together, insert the front inset in between these pieces, pin together and sew. Press seam, serge. Topstitch the facing of the right front onto the front along the marked line.
8. Sew shoulder seams, press towards the back, serge.
9. Pin upper collar to lower collar right sides together, sew ends and collar fall. Clip into curves, trim away

corners. Turn collar right side out, straighten and press. Pin stand collars together, right sides together, put ready collar between them, adjust notches and sew, sewing 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. Sew upper stand collar with collar into neckline, fold raw edge of lower stand collar and stitch-in-the-ditch along seam of upper stand collar.

10. Sew sleeves to garment, press seam allowances towards sleeve and serge.
11. Sew side seam, and continue sewing the sleeve seam, press towards the back and serge.
12. Fold under the lower edge of the back piece by 1 cm, iron, fold under by 1 cm and iron again and topstitch. Serge lower edge of sleeve, press onto wrong side and topstitch.
13. Make buttonholes on the placket and on the stand collar, sew on buttons correspondingly.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

