

Blouse With Capelet Flounce Sleeve - Sewing Pattern #2860

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

You will also need: fusible interfacing; dress zipper.

Seam allowances: all seams 1 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. Center back - cut 2
2. Side back - cut 2
3. Center front - cut 1 on fold
4. Side front - cut 2
5. Flounce - cut 1 on fold
6. Sleeve - cut 2
7. Back neck facing - cut 2

8. Front neck facing — cut 1

Fusible interfacing:

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

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply fusible interfacing.
2. Serge the center back edges separately. Sew the center back seam from zipper mark to hem, press the seam apart. Sew in zipper.
3. Sew shoulder seams. Serge seams and press towards back.
4. Cut or use ready-made bias tape, its width should equal 4 cm length should equal the length of armhole + 4 cm. Fold bias tape in half lengthwise right side out and press. Pin bias tape onto armhole edge from the right side and sew, fold the bias tape onto wrong side and topstitch onto main piece along the seam.
5. Serge lower edge of sleeve, press onto wrong side and topstitch. Place the sleeve wrong side to the right side of the side piece, pin together along the princess seams and neckline edges.
6. Sew side backs to center back. Sew side fronts to center front. Press seams towards center and serge.
7. Sew side seams. Press seams towards back and serge.
8. Sew the shoulder seams of the neckline facings, press the seam apart. Serge the outer edge. Pin facing onto garment right side down and sew the neckline. Clip seam allowances, fold facing onto wrong side and press. Slipstitch facing to garment along the shoulder seam and the zipper tape.
9. Sew flounce into ring, press the seam apart, serge. Sew a gathering stitch along the upper edge of the flounce and gather fullness. Sew the flounce to the lower edge of the garment, press towards top and serge.
10. Serge lower edge of flounce, press onto wrong side and topstitch.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

