

## Dress With Godet Skirt - Sewing Pattern #2892

Recommendations on fabric: soft 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 - 1.2 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. Upper back - cut 2
2. Lower side back - cut 2
3. Lower center back - cut 2
4. Upper center front - cut 1
5. Upper side front - cut 2
6. Lower side front - cut 2
7. Lower center front - cut 1

8. Sleeve - cut 2
9. Back facing - cut 2
10. Front facing - cut 1

Fusible interfacing:

1. Back facing - cut 2
2. Front facing - cut 1

## **INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Apply fusible interfacing.
2. Sew darts on upper back, press bulk towards center. Sew the princess seams of the lower back part, press towards center, serge. Sew upper back to lower back, press towards top and serge.
3. Serge center back edges separately on each piece. Sew the center seam from the zipper mark to the lower edge, press the seam apart. Sew in zipper.
4. Sew princess seams on upper front, press seam allowances towards center, serge. Sew princess seams on lower front, press towards center, serge. Sew upper front to lower front, press towards top and serge.
5. Sew side and shoulder seams, press towards the back and serge.
6. Sew the shoulder and side edges of the back and front facings, press the seam apart. Serge the outer edge. Pin facing to garment right sides together and sew the neckline. Clip into curves, trim away corners. Facings turn right side out onto wrong side, straighten and press. Secure to the armhole edges and the zipper tape.
7. Serge lower edge of sleeve, press onto wrong side and topstitch. Sew sleeves into armholes, serge and press.
8. Cut or use ready-made bias tape, its width should equal 4 cm and length should equal the length of lower 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 bias tape onto wrong side and topstitch onto main piece along the fold. Press seam.
9. Serge bottom edge of garment, press onto wrong side and topstitch.

## **TECHNICAL DRAWING:**

