

Pinafore Dress With An Insert - Sewing Pattern #2926

Recommendations on fabric: natural/mixed fabric suitable for dresses. Trimming fabric in contrasting or coordinating colors.

You will also need: fusible interfacing; dress zipper.

Seam allowances: all seams 1 cm; seam allowance for hem of 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.

Attention! Pattern blocks have markings and texts from the right side. Take this into account when cutting the fabric-some of the pattern blocks need to be laid onto fabric with their wrong side on top!

Main fabric:

1. Center back - cut 2
2. Side back - cut 2
3. Center front - cut 1

4. Side front - cut 2
5. Inset - cut 1
6. Back facing - cut 2

Decorative fabric:

1. Front facing - cut 1
2. Inset - cut 1
3. Strap right - cut 1
4. Strap right - cut 1

Fusible interfacing:

1. Back facing - cut 2
2. Front facing - cut 1
3. Strap right - cut 1
4. Strap right - cut 1

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply fusible interfacing.
2. Sew side backs to center back, press seam allowances towards center, serge.
3. Serge center back edges separately on each piece. Sew center back seam from marking for zipper to lower edge, press the seam apart. Sew in zipper.
4. Sew left side front to center front, press seam allowances towards center, serge.
5. Place the insert pieces right sides together and stitch the lower edge. Trim the seam allowances at the corner, turn the insert right side out, straighten it, and press. Baste the pieces together along the side edges. Sew the insert to the center front piece (the insert is shorter by the width of the hem allowance). Press the seam allowances and serge them. Sew right side front to center front, press seam allowances towards center, serge.
6. Sew side seams, press towards the back and serge.
7. Fold the straps in half lengthwise with the right sides together and stitch the side edge. Turn the straps right side out, straighten them, and press. Serge the lower edge of the straps. Sew the straps to the shoulder edges of the back.
8. Stitch the side edges of the back and front facings together, press the seam apart. Serge the outer edge. Place the facing and the garment right sides together and stitch the back neckline edge, shoulder edges,

armhole edges, and the upper edge of the front. Clip the seam allowances along the curves and trim them at the corners. Turn the facing to the wrong side and press. Baste it to the zipper tape.

9. Place the lower edges of the straps underneath the front piece and topstitch them along the marked fold line. Turn the upper front piece to the right side.

10. Serge bottom edge of dress, press onto wrong side and topstitch.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

