

Sewing Pattern — T-Shirt with Pleats 5922

Recommendations on fabric: middle/high stretch jersey
(natural or mixed)

If the pattern has double contour the seam allowances are included.

Seam allowances are NOT included by default and need to be added when laying out and cutting details if your pattern has single contour.

Seam allowances: 2 cm for the garment and sleeve hems, 1 cm for other seams.

Attention! First of all please print all the paper patterns and lay them out at the width of fabric you plan to use (usually from 90 to 150 cm) to see how much fabric you will need. Don't forget to count pair parts and symmetrical parts.

When sewing the garment, pay attention to notches, they must coincide.



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 darts, pleats etc. from the pattern onto your fabric.)

Advice:

Knit fabric pieces are sewn together with special elastic or narrow zig-zag stitch. Seam allowance on hem is stitched with twin needles to save stretchiness. Pieces can also be sewn together with 3 or 4 – thread serger. When serging, cut seam allowances to 0.6 – 0.8 cm.

Main fabric:

1. Front – cut 1
2. Back– cut 1
3. Sleeve – cut 2

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Mark and make pleats on the front. Baste to shoulder edge.
2. Sew shoulder seams. Serge and press toward back. Sew sleeves into the armholes. Serge the seams and press toward garment. Sew the side edges and sleeve edges as one. Serge and press toward back.

3. Serge the neckline edge. Fold the seam allowance under and topstitch.
4. Serge sleeve hems. Fold under, press, and topstitch.
5. Check shape of the garment hem (depending on the fabric there is the possibility that the front hem could hang down). Even it out, if necessary. Serge the bottom edge. Fold under and press. Topstitch.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

