

## Sewing Pattern — Tunic 5801

Recommendations on fabric: natural / mixed, light to medium stretch-knit fabric

If the pattern has a double line around it, the seam allowances are included.

Note: By default, seam allowances are NOT included (single line) and will need to be added when laying out and cutting details.

Seam allowance: all seams -1 cm

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 take into account pieces to be duplicated or cut on a fold.

When sewing the garment, pay attention to notches, they must match up with corresponding pieces.



### **CUTTING:**

The word, “beam” used on some patterns means “straight of grain”. 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.

Darts: The fold of the dart is always pressed toward the center of your garment, or down toward the hem.

### **Advice:**

Knit fabric pieces are sewn together with special stretch-stitch 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.

### **Fabric:**

1. Back– cut 1 on fold
2. Lower back – cut 1
3. Front – cut 1 on fold
4. Lower front – cut 1
5. Sleeve – cut 2
6. Cuff – cut 2
7. Collar – cut 1

## **INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Sew bust darts on front. Press toward hem.
2. Make pleats according to markers, Sew them from neckline to mark, press pleats toward right side seam and topstitch from the right side.
3. Sew sleeve to back, serge and press seam allowances. Sew sleeve to front, serge and press seam allowances. Sew side edge and sleeve edge with one seam. Serge and press seam allowance toward back.
4. Sew collar into ring. Press collar in half lengthwise, wrong sides together, and sew into the neckline of back and front parts. Collar seam is on the left, near shoulder seam. Serge and press seam allowances.
5. Sew cuff into ring, press in half lengthwise, wrong sides together, and sew to lower edge of sleeve. Serge and press seam allowances.
6. Sew lower back and lower front together into ring. Press in half lengthwise, wrong sides together, and sew to lower edge. Serge and press seam allowances.

## **TECHNICAL DRAWING:**

