

Sewing Pattern — Top 5656

Recommendations on fabric: natural or mixed medium to high 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: on hem and lower edge of sleeve –1.5 cm, all other 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:

(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.

Fabric:

1. Back – cut 1
2. Front – cut 1
3. Sleeve - cut 2
4. Neck binding – cut 1

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Sew sleeves to fronts and backs. Serge and press toward garment.
2. Sew short ends of neck binding together. Fold along center line, wrong sides together, press. Divide the binding into four sections and mark with pins. Divide neck edge into four sections and mark with pins. With binding seam at center back, match pins. Sew binding to neck edge, stretching gently between sections. Here is a great video for this procedure.
<http://www.threadsmagazine.com/item/3839/video-a-neckline-binding-for-knits>
3. Sew side seam and sleeve seam as one. Serge and press toward back.
4. Serge edges of sleeves and hem. Press edges under and topstitch.

TECHNICAL DRAWING: