

# Sewing Pattern — Dress 4232

Recommendations on fabric: fabric suitable for dresses

You will also need: blind zipper, fusing.

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 allowance: hem of the dress and hem of sleeve – 2 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 count pair parts and symmetrical parts.

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



#### **CUTTING**:

### Main fabric:

- 1. Central upper back part 2 details
- 2. Central upper front part 2 details
- 3. Side upper back part 2 details
- 4. Side upper front part 2 details
- 5. Lower front part 2 details
- 6. Lower back part 2 details
- 7. Basque 2 details
- 8. Sleeve 2 details
- 9. Front neckline facing 2 details
- 10. Back neckline facing 2 details

## **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- 1. Apply fusing to facing.
- 2. Sew relieve/princess edges on front part and back part. Serge and press the seam towards center of front part and of back part correspondingly.
- 3. Sew darts on lower parts. Press seam allowances towards center.
- 4. Sew side seams of upper and lower parts. Serge and press towards back part.
- 5. Serge center edges of front part and of back part.
- 6. Fold basque in half lengthwise right sides together and overstitch side sides. Slash corners and turn onto right side. Make 4 counter pleats according to markers, and fix them with machine stitch along top edge. Sew upper and lower parts of the dress together, inserting the basque between them.



- 7. Sew center edge of front part. Press seam allowance apart. Sew center edge of back part from zipper marker up to hem. Sew zipper in to back part.
- 8. Sew shoulder seams. Serge and press towards back part.
- 9. Sew shoulder seams of the facing. Press the seam apart. Serge facings along outer edge. Overstitch the neckline with facing. Slash seam allowances, slash corner on front part. Turn facings onto right side and press. Fasten facings to shoulder seams by hand. Tack ends of the facing to zipper.
- 10. Sew sleeve seam. Serge and press onto back part. Slash the slit of sleeve according to marker. Cut bias tape of 4 cm wide, and as long as double slit double length + 4 cm. Press bias tape in half lengthwise, turn outer edges inside towards center and press again. Overstitch the slit with bias tape. Sew sleeve into the armhole, aligning notches.
- 11. Serge lower edge of the dress and of sleeve. Turn onto wrong side, press and topstitch.

## **TECHNICAL DRAWING:**

