

## Sewing Pattern — Dress 4225

Recommendations on fabric: thin costume fabric of natural or mixed fibers.

You will also need: lining, blind zipper, fusing, 10 buttons

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: all seams 1 cm; on hem of the dress – 2.0 cm, along vent – 6 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.

ATTENTION: Lining details are cut as main fabric details except for the width of back part neckline facing and buttonstand correspondingly.

### **CUTTING:**

#### Fabric:

1. Central back part - 2 details
2. Side back part - 2 details
3. Side front part – 2 details
4. Right central front part – 1 detail
5. Left central front part - 1 detail
6. Right collar– 2 details
7. Left collar – 2 details
8. Sleeve - 2 details
9. Cuff - 2 details
10. Back neckline facing – 2 details

#### Lining:

1. Front part - 2 details

#### Fusing:

1. Back neckline facing — 2 details
2. Cuff - 2 details



## **INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Apply fusing to facing and cuff details.
2. Sew relieve seams on back part, press seam allowances to middle seam and serge.
3. Cut off 5 cm on left lower back part along longitudinal edge of the vent. Apply fusing to wrong side of the vent on both details of lower back part. Mark middle seam on right side (vent fold line). Press left part along vent foldline, press only seam allowance of right side of the vent (6 cm) on right part onto wrong side. Align details along middle seam and fix on top edge of the vent. Serge middle edge of back part separately on each detail. Serge vent seam allowances. Sew middle edge of back part from closure marker up to vent corner. Slash corner of vent seam allowance on right part. Press allowances of middle seam apart, press seam allowances of the vent and fix them on right side with machine stitch. Sew the zipper in.
4. Overstitch details of collar along outer edge. Slash seam allowances, turn collar onto right side, straighten, press. Make and fasten plaits according to markers.
5. Serge lower edge of lining of front part. Fold lining of front part with central part of front part, insert the collar between them and overstitch the neckline. Slash seam allowances on rounded parts, turn lining onto wrong side, fix along edges to main detail and then sew as one detail.
6. Put right central part of front part onto left and fix along relieve seams. Sew relieve edges of front part, press seam allowances to side edge and serge.
7. Serge outer edge of the back part neckline facing. Fold the facing with neckline right sides together. Leaving 5 mm too zipper edges, turn the facing off and pin to top edge of the dress. Turn seam allowances along zipper onto right side of the dress and pin to neckline edge over the facing. Overstitch back part neckline edge, starting and finishing the stitch exactly near shoulder seam marked line. Slash seam allowances on rounded parts. Turn the facing onto wrong side, straighten and press. Turn middle edge of the facing inside and tack to zipper tape.
8. Sew shoulder seams, inserting front part between back part and facing of back part. Press seam allowances, serge. Turn the facing onto wrong side.
9. Sew side seams, press allowances onto back part and serge.
10. Sew edge of sleeve. Press seam allowances and serge. Sew sleeve into armhole, aligning notches and easing in on rounded part. Press seam allowances and serge.
11. Fold cuff in half lengthwise right sides together and overstitch ends from fold up to marker. Slash away seam allowances in corner, slash near marker. Fold cuff into ring and sew sections from marker up to the edge. Turn cuff onto right side, straighten, press. Insert cuff into the sleeve, align seam on cuff with marker and stitch to lower edge. Serge. Turn cuff onto right side.
12. Serge seam allowance of hem of the dress, press onto wrong side and undersew with invisible stitches. Fasten seam allowance of the vent to hem. **ADVICE:** Dress can be worn with the belt.

**TECHNICAL DRAWING:**

