

Sewing Pattern — Dress 4224

Recommendations on fabric: natural or mixed, medium to high stretch double-sided knit fabric

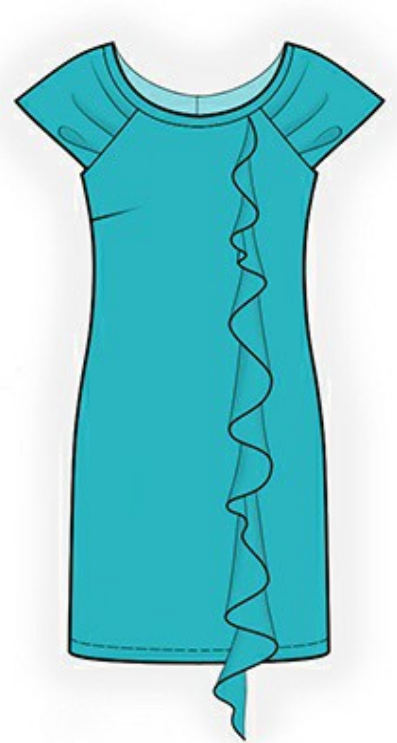
If the pattern has a double line around it, the seam allowances are included.

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

Seam allowances: on hem and lower edge of sleeve – 1.5 cm, all other seams - 0.7 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.

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 – 2 details
2. Left part of front – 1 detail
3. Right part of front – 1 detail
4. Sleeve – 2 details
5. Flounce – 1 detail
6. Placket - 1 detail

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Overstitch outer edge of the flounce with thin rolled seam. Serge straight edge of the flounce, turn inside at 1 cm and topstitch.
2. On right part of front mark and sew the dart. Cut depth off with serger. Sew fronts, inserting flounce into seam. Press seam.
3. Sew center edge of back. Press seam.
4. On sleeve make soft pleats according to marks. Depths of pleats are directed downwards. Fasten pleats along the armhole. Serge lower seam allowance of sleeve, turn inside and topstitch. Trim seam allowance on back and front armhole near the notch. Stitch sleeve to back and to front. Press seam to back / front.
5. Sew side seams, serge and press seam toward back.
6. Serge hem of garment and lower edge of the armhole. Turn onto wrong side, press and topstitch.
7. Fold placket right sides together and sew into ring. Turn detail out, fold in half lengthwise and press. Stitch placket to neckline, stretching edge and matching notches. Placket seam is near center back seam.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

