# Tunic From Knit Fabric - Sewing Pattern #4412



Recommendations on fabric: natural/mixed knit fabric of small/medium stretchiness.

Seam allowances: all seam allowances – 0.7 cm, seam allowance for hem of garment and seam allowance for hem of sleeve – 2 cm.

**Note on seam allowances:**
*- If the pattern has double contour the seam allowances are included. They are 1 cm unless specified otherwise.*
*- If the pattern has single contour, the seam allowances are NOT included and need to be added when laying out the pattern.*

**Note on length of fabric:**
*Attention! The amount of fabric needed for your pattern is not included. It will depend on the selected pattern size, the width, and design of the fabric you plan to use. First, print all the paper patterns and lay them out at the width of fabric you plan to use (usually from 90 to 150 cm). Measure how much fabric you will need. Don't forget to account for pieces that need to be cut multiple times and pieces that are cut on the fold.*

**Note on working with stretchy fabric:**
*Knitted fabric pieces are sewn together with special elastic or narrow zig-zag stitch. Seam allowance on hems can be stitched with twin needles to save stretchiness. Pieces can also be sewn together with a serger. When serging, cut seam allowances to 0.6 – 0.8 cm.*

## CUTTING:

**Note on 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 pleats etc. from the pattern onto your fabric.*
*When sewing the garment, pay attention to notches, they must match up.*

Main fabric:
1. Back – cut 2
2. Lower back – cut 1
3. Front – cut 2
4. Lower front – cut 1
5. Back sleeve – cut 2
6. Front sleeve – cut 2

7. Collar – cut 1

## INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Sew front darts. Trim bulk with serger and press.

2. Sew back sleeves to back, serge and press. Sew center back seam, serge and press. Sew upper back to lower back, serge and press.

3. Sew front sleeves to fronts, serge and press. Sew center front seam, serge and press. Sew upper front to lower front, serge and press.

4. Sew upper edge of sleeve, serge and press. Sew side seams and sleeve seams. Serge and press.

5. Sew collar into a ring. Press collar in half lengthwise wrong sides together. Sew collar into neckline. Collar seam is next to left shoulder seam. Serge and press.

6. Serge bottom edge of garment. Serge bottom edge of sleeve. press onto wrong side and finish with hidden stitches.

## TECHNICAL DRAWING:

