

Dress With Flared Skirt - Sewing Pattern #4744

Recommendations on fabric: natural/mixed fabric suitable for dresses.

You will also need: lining; fusible interfacing; dress zipper.

Seam allowances: all seams 1 cm; seam allowance for hem of dress — 1.5 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.



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. Upper back - cut 2
2. Lower back - cut 2
3. Upper center front - cut 2
4. Upper side front - cut 2
5. Lower front - cut 1 on fold
6. Center front facing — cut 2
7. Sleeve — cut 2

- 8. Cuff — cut 2
- 9. Strap — cut 1
- 10. Back neck facing — cut 1

Lining:

- 1. Sleeve — cut 2

Fusible interfacing:

- 1. Center front facing — cut 2
- 2. Cuff — cut 2

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply fusible interfacing.
2. Sew darts on upper back, press bulk towards center. Sew upper backs to lower backs, serge seams and press towards top.
3. Serge separately center edge of back. Sew center back seam from neckline edge to first notch, and from second notch to hem, press the seam apart. Sew in zipper.
4. Sew side fronts to front, press towards center and serge.
5. Sew seam on whole cut collar, press the seam apart. Sew shoulder seams, clipping into corner on front, press towards the back and serge. Sew collar into neckline, press seam allowances towards the collar.
6. Sew seam on whole cut collar on center front facings, press the seam apart. Sew shoulder seams of back neckline facing and center front facings, clipping into corners on center front facing, press the seam apart. Sew the collar into the facing's neckline, press seam allowances towards the collar. Serge the outer edge. Pin button stand (center front facing) onto dress right sides together and sew edges of collar and button stand (center front facing). Turn center front facing onto wrong side, straighten, press. Slipstitch shoulder seams on center front facing to shoulder seams on dress. Put right front onto left front and baste together along lower edge.
7. Serge shorter edges on strap, press onto wrong side and topstitch. Fold strap in half, right side out. Sew upper front to lower front, inserting strap, serge seams and press towards top.
8. Sew side seams, press towards the back and serge.
9. Sew sleeve seams main fabric, press towards back and serge. Sew sleeve seams lining, press towards back and serge. Sew a gathering stitch along lower edge of sleeve and gather fullness.
10. Sew cuff into a ring, press the seam apart. Fold cuff in half lengthwise and press right side out. Pin together sleeves from self and lining fabric, alining them along lower edge. Insert cuff between pieces and sew. Turn

right side out sleeve onto right side, align self fabric with lining along sleeve cap and treat as one piece in the future. Sew sleeves into armholes, matching notches. Serge and press.

11. Serge lower edge of garment, press onto wrong side and topstitch.

12. Cut a strap from self fabric, its width should equal 2.5 cm and its length should equal 150 cm. Fold tape in half lengthwise right sides together and sew along long side and one short side. Turn strap right side out, straighten, press. Turn raw edge under and topstitch. Turn the resulting cord into strap.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

