Blouse With Short Sleeves - Sewing Pattern #4774

Recommendations on fabric: natural/mixed fabrics suitable for blouses.



You will also need: fusible interfacing; dress zipper; 9 small buttons.

Seam allowances: Seam allowance for hem of garment – 1.5 cm, other seams – 1 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. Back - cut 2
2. Front - cut 1 on fold
3. Inset - cut 2
4. Upper placket - cut 2
5. Back neck facing - cut 4
6. Front neck facing - cut 4

7. Back placket - cut 1
8. Front placket - cut 1
9. Sleeve – cut 2
10. Cuff – cut 2

Fusible interfacing:

1. Back neck facing - cut 2
2. Front neck facing - cut 2
3. Upper placket - cut 2
4. Cuff – cut 2

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply fusible interfacing.

2. Sew waist and shoulder darts on back, press bulk towards center. Sew outer back neck facing to back, press the seam allowances towards the facing.

3. Serge the center back edges separately. Sew the center back seam from notch for zipper to bottom, press the seam apart. Sew in zipper. Sew lower placket to back, press towards top and serge.

4. Upper press plackets in half lengthwise right side out. Sew plackets to insets, press seam allowances towards inset and serge. Sew outer neckline facing to inset, press the seam allowances towards the facing.

5. Sew insets to front, clipping into corners on front. Press towards front and serge. Folded edges of upper plackets meet each other. Sew to front lower placket, press towards top and serge.

6. Sew side and shoulder seams, press towards the back and serge.

7. Sew the shoulder edges of inner neckline facings, press the seam apart. Serge lower edge. Pin together outer facing and outer facing right sides together and sew around neckline and front edge. Clip into curves. Turn the ready facing right side out and press, stitch in the ditch.

8. Sew sleeve seam, serge and press. Sew sleeves into armholes, serge and press.

9. Sew cuff into a ring, press the seam apart. Fold cuff in half lengthwise right side out and press. Sew outer side of cuff to lower edge of sleeve, press towards top. Press seam allowance along inner edge of cuff onto wrong side and topstitch into seam of.

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

11. Sew buttons onto upper plackets, joining them together.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

