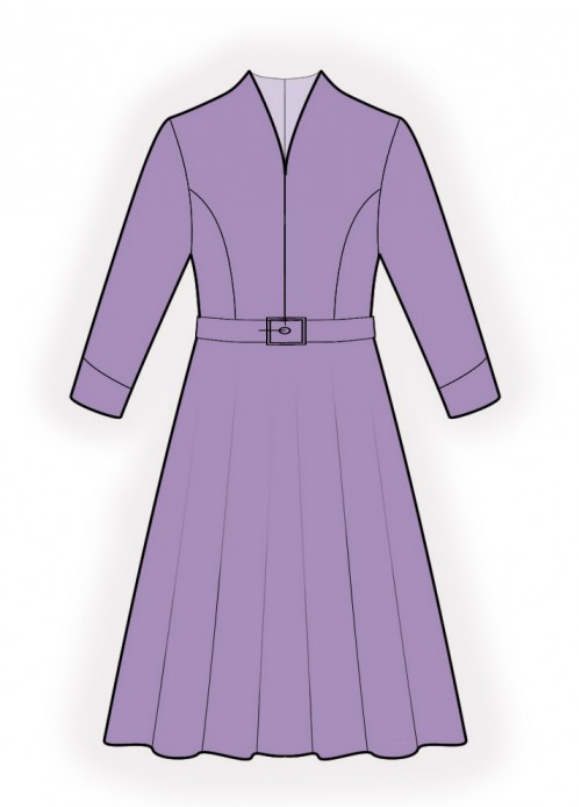
Dress - Sewing Pattern #4800

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



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

Seam allowances: all seams 1 cm; seam allowance for hem of dress — 1.2 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.

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

8. Cuff – cut 4
9. Center front facing — cut 2
10. Back neck facing — cut 1
11. Belt — cut 1

Fusible interfacing:
1. Center front facing — cut 2
2. Back neck facing — cut 1
3. Cuff – cut 2

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply fusible interfacing.

2. Sew princess seams on upper back, press towards center and serge. Sew upper back to lower back, press towards top and serge.

3. Serge the center back edges separately. Sew the center back seam from zipper mark to hem, press the seam apart. Sew in zipper.

4. Sew side fronts to front, press towards center and serge. Sew center front seam from notch to bottom, press the seam apart and serge.

5. Sew shoulder seams, clip into curves, press apart and serge.

6. Sew center edge of center front facings from notch to bottom, press the seam apart. Sew shoulder edges of center front facings and back neckline facing, clip into curves and press apart. Serge outer edges.

7. Pin back neckline facing and center front facing onto self right sides together, and sew back neckline and front neckline edge. Clip seam allowances, turn facing right side out and center front facings onto wrong side, press.

8. Sew upper front to lower front, serge and press towards bottom.

9. Sew side seams, press towards the back and serge.

10. Sew outer cuff to sleeve, press the seam allowances towards bottom. Sew sleeve edges, serge and press. Sew sleeves into armholes, serge and press.

11. Sew inner cuff into ring, serge upper edge. Pin inner cuff to sleeve and sew lower edge. Fold inner cuff onto wrong side, straighten, press and topstitch into the seam of outer cuff.

12. Serge lower edge, press onto wrong side and topstitch.

13. Fold belt in half lengthwise right sides together and sew along longer and one shorter sides. Turn belt right side out, press. Serge the shorter side. Sew a decorative stitch around the contour at 0.7 cm. Thread in and fix buckle on the serged side of the belt. Make holes.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

