Dress With Flounces - Sewing Pattern #4847

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



You will also need: dress zipper.

Seam allowances: all seams 1 cm; seam allowance for hem of garment and hem of sleeve – 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. Upper side front — cut 2
4. Upper center front - cut 1
5. Lower front – cut 1 on fold
6. Lower back – cut 2
7. Sleeve – cut 2

8. Flounce - cut 2
9. Collar – cut 1

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Cut (or take ready) bias tape, its width should equal 4 cm and its length should equal the length of the slit on upper center front + 4 cm. Fold bias tape in half lengthwise right side out and press. Pin bias tape onto the slit from the right side, leaving loose ends, and sew. Fold bias tape onto wrong side, clip into seam allowances and topstitch onto main piece along the fold, press.

2. Sew shoulder seams of upper parts, press towards the back and serge.

3. Serge lower edge of flounce, press onto wrong side and topstitch. (You may also finish the lower edge with thin rolled hem, in this way you need to trim away the seam allowance along the lower edge волана). Pin flounce onto upper Shell and baste together along princess seams and armhole edge.

4. Sew side backs to center back. Sew side fronts to center front, press towards center and serge.

5. Sew lower parts of dress to upper parts, press towards top and serge.

6. Serge center back edges separately. Sew center back seam from neckline edge to first notch, and from second notch to hem. Press apart center seam. Sew in zipper.

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

8. Fold collar in half lengthwise right sides together and sew corners and ties up to the first notch. Clip into seam allowances near notches, trim away corners. Turn collar right side out, straighten, press. Sew outer collar into neckline. Fold inside seam allowance of inner collar and topstitch into seam of outer collar.

9. Sew sleeve seam, serge and press. Sew sleeves into armholes, matching notches. Serge and press.

10. Seam allowance along hem of garment and hem of sleeve serge, press onto wrong side and topstitch.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

