

# **Dress With Wrap - Sewing Pattern #4925**

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

You will also need: fusible interfacing; 1 button.

Seam allowances: all seams 1 cm; seam allowance for hem of dress – 2.0 cm; seam allowance for 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. Back cut 2
- 2. Back side cut 2
- 3. Front cut 2
- 4. Front side cut 2
- 5. Lower side part cut 2
- 6. Belt cut 2
- 7. Back neck facing cut 1



- 8. Center front facing cut 2
- 9. Sleeve cut 2

#### Fusible interfacing:

- 1. Back neck facing cut 1
- 2. Center front facing cut 2

#### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- 1. Apply fusible interfacing.
- 2. Fold belt right sides together and sew along long side and one short side. Seam Allowance trim away corners, belt turn right side out and press.
- 3. Sew and serge center back edges. Seam Allowance press towards left.
- 4. Sew side edges of side front and side back, inserting belt into left side seam. Serge seams and press towards back. Sew a gathering stitch along upper edge of lower side part and gather fullness or make pleats as desired. Sew upper side part to lower side part. Serge and press towards top.
- 5. Sew side backs to center back. Serge seams and press towards center.
- 6. Sew side fronts to front. Serge seams and press towards center.
- 7. Sew shoulder seams, press towards the back and serge.
- 8. Sew shoulder seams facings and center front facings, press the seam apart. Serge the outer edge. Pin facing and center front facing (button stand) onto right side of dress and sew along the center front edge and neckline, inserting the second part of the belt. Trim seam allowances, clip into corners of seam allowances, fold facing and center front facing onto wrong side and press.
- 9. Serge lower edge of sleeve. Fold inside the seam allowance and topstitch. Sew sleeves into armholes. Serge the seam allowances.
- 10. Cut (or take ready) bias tape, its width should equal 4 cm and length should equal the length of lower armhole + 6 cm. Fold bias tape in half lengthwise right side out and press. Pin bias tape to armhole edge from the right side and sew. Fold bias tape onto wrong side, clip into seam allowances and topstitch onto main piece along the seam. Press seam.
- 11. Serge bottom edge of dress, press onto wrong side and topstitch.
- 12. Make a button hole on left center front facing (button stand). Sew on hidden button.



## **TECHNICAL DRAWING:**

