

If the pattern has a double line around it, the seam allowances are included.

**Note:** By default, seam allowances are NOT included (single line) and will need to be added when laying out and cutting details.

Seam Allowance: 1 cm on all seams; hem guidelines are printed on pattern.

**Important!** Please print all the paper patterns and lay them out at the width of fabric you plan to use (usually from 90 to 150 cm) to see how much fabric you will need.

Don't forget to take into account pieces to be duplicated or cut on a fold. When sewing the garment, pay attention to notches. They must match up with corresponding pieces.

## 2580 Jersey dress with slanted waistline

Recommendations on fabric: natural/mixed knit fabric of small stretchiness in contrasting or similar color.

### CUTTING:

The word, “beam” used on some patterns means “straight of grain”. Some pieces will be cut on the fold, this is noted on the pattern piece. Mark all notches and other design features such as darts, pleats etc. from the pattern onto your fabric.



Seam allowances: all seams 1 cm, seam allowance for hem of dress – 2.0 cm.

### Main fabric:

1. Upper back - cut 1
2. Upper front - cut 1
3. Front inset - cut 1
4. Sleeve - cut 2

### Main fabric 1:

1. Lower left back - cut 1
2. Lower right back - cut 1
3. Lower front - cut 1
4. Collar - cut 1

## 5. Cuff - cut 2

### INSTRUCTIONS:

Advice: sew knit pieces with special elastic/zig-zag stitches. If you use an overlock, cut seam allowances to 0.6-0.8 cm width. Topstitch hem allowances with double needle to save elasticity.

1. Sew darts on back and front. Press the bulk of waist darts towards center, press bulk of bust darts towards top.
2. Sew left lower back to right lower back, press the seam allowances towards the left part and serge. Sew upper back to lower back, press towards top and serge.
3. Sew inset to lower front, press seam allowances towards top and serge.
4. Make and baste box pleats on the lower front. Sew upper front to lower front, press towards top and serge.
5. Sew shoulder and side seams, press towards the back and serge.
6. Sew collar into a ring, press the seam apart. Fold collar half lengthwise right side out and press. Sew collar into neckline, slightly stretching it. Serge and press.
7. Sew sleeve seam, press towards the back and serge. Sew sleeves into armholes matching notches and adjusting ease, serge, and press.
8. Sew cuff into a ring, press the seam apart. Fold cuff in half lengthwise right side out and press. Sew cuff to lower edge of sleeve, slightly stretching it. Serge and press.
9. Serge bottom edge of garment, press onto wrong side and topstitch.

Congratulations, your dress is ready! :)