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

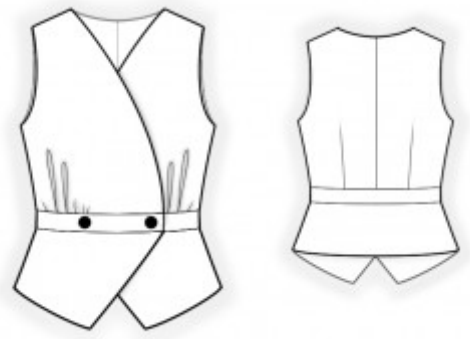
Note: By default, seam allowances are NOT included (single line) and will need to be added when laying out and cutting details.

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.

2592 Double-breasted vest with waistband



Recommendations on fabric: natural/mixed dress fabrics or thin suiting fabrics.

You will also need: fusible interfacing, 3 buttons.

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: seam allowance for hem of garment — 2.0 cm, other seams 1 cm.

Main fabric:
1. Upper back – cut 2
2. Back belt — cut 1
3. Lower back — cut 1
4. Upper front — cut 2
5. Front belt — cut 2
6. Lower front — cut 2
7. Center front facing — cut 2
8. Back neck facing — cut 1

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

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply fusible interfacing.

2. Sew darts on upper backs, press bulk towards center. Sew the center seam on upper backs, press towards left and serge.

3. Sew back belt to upper back, press seam allowances towards belt, serge. Sew upper back to lower back, press seam allowances towards belt, serge.

4. Sew a gathering stitch along the lower edge of upper front and gather fullness. Sew front belt to upper front, press seam allowances towards belt, serge. Sew upper front to lower front, press seam allowances towards belt, serge.

5. Sew shoulder seams, press seam allowances towards back and serge.

6. Sew shoulder edges of center front facings and back neckline facing, press the seam apart. Serge the outer edge. Pin center front facings onto garment right sides together and sew center front facings, neckline, and lower edge. Clip into curves, trim away corners. Turn garment right side out. Sew the back neckline facing to the shoulder seam and to the center seam by hand.

7. Cut (or take ready) bias tape, its width should equal 4 cm and length should equal the length of armhole + 4 cm. Fold bias tape in half lengthwise right side out and press. Pin bias tape onto armhole edge 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 seam. Press seam.

8. Sew side seams, press seam allowances towards back and serge.

9. Serge the lower edge of garment, press onto wrong side and finish with hidden stitches.

10. Make buttonhole on right front, on left front sew on button. Make an inner buttonhole on left front, sew on hidden button. Sew on decorative button onto the right front.

Congratulations, your vest is ready! :)