

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.

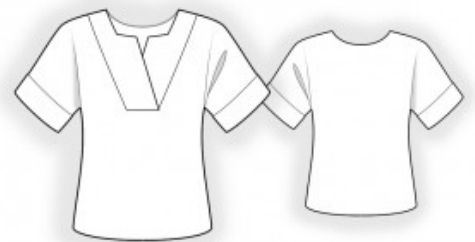
2606 Blouse with Shaped Placket

Recommendations on fabric: natural/mixed fabrics suitable for blouses.

You will also need: fusible interfacing.

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 garment – 1.5 cm.

Main fabric:

1. Back – cut 1 on fold
2. Front – cut 1 on fold
3. Cuff – cut 2
4. Placket – cut 4
5. Back neck facing – cut 1

Fusible interfacing:

1. Cuff – cut 2
2. Placket – cut 2

5. Back neck facing – cut 1

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply fusible interfacing.
2. Pin the placket pieces together in pairs, right sides facing, and sew the outer edge. Trim the corners, turn the plackets right side out, shape, and press. Sew the plackets to the front along the long edge, stopping 1 cm above the hem. Clip into the seam allowance on the front, leaving 1 mm to the stitch line. Place the right placket over the left placket. Sew the placket ends together, folding the front out of the way and securing the lower edge. Serge the seam allowances.
3. Serge the outer edge of the back neckline facing. Pin the neckline facing to the back and sew the neckline exactly to the marked shoulder seam line. Clip the seam allowances, turn the facing to the wrong side, and press.
4. Sew the shoulder seams, placing the front between the back and the facing. Press the seam allowances toward the back and serge.
5. Sew the side seams. Press the seam allowances toward the back and serge.
6. Sew the cuff into a ring and press the seam allowances open. Fold the cuff in half lengthwise, right side out, and press. Sew the outer edge of the cuff to the armhole. Fold the seam allowance of the inner cuff to the inside and stitch in the ditch along the seam of the outer cuff.
7. Serge the lower edge of the garment, press it to the wrong side, and topstitch.

Congratulations – your blouse are finished! :)