

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.

2637 Blouse with V-Neckline and Gathers

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

You will also need: fusible interfacing; 4 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: all seams – 1 cm. Seam allowance along the lower edge of the garment – 1.5 cm.

Main fabric:

1. Back – cut 1 on fold
2. Back yoke – cut 1
3. Front – cut 2
4. Front yoke – cut 2
5. Sleeve – cut 2
6. Stand collar – cut 2
7. Center front facing – cut 2
8. Cuff – cut 2

Fusible interfacing:

1. Stand collar – cut 1
2. Center front facing – cut 2
3. Cuff – cut 2

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply fusible interfacing.
2. Sew the yoke to the back. Press the seam allowances upward and serge.
3. Sew gathering stitches on the front pieces between the markings and gather the fullness. Sew the yoke to the front. Serge the seam allowances and press them upward.
4. Serge the outer edge of the center front facing. Pin the center front facing to the right side of the front and sew the center front edge. Clip the seam allowances, turn the center front facing to the wrong side, and press. Baste the pieces together along the neckline edges.
5. Sew the side and shoulder seams. Press the seam allowances toward the back and serge.
6. Pin the collar stand pieces together, right sides facing, and sew the outer edges. Start and stop stitching exactly at the marked seam lines. Clip into the curves, trim the corners, turn the collar stand right side out, and press.
7. Sew the outer collar stand to the neckline and press the seam allowances toward the collar stand. Fold under the unfinished edge of the inner collar stand and stitch in the ditch.
8. Sew the sleeve seams. Press the seam allowances toward the back and serge. Set the sleeves into the armholes, serge the seam allowances, and press. Sew each cuff into a ring and press the seam allowances open. Fold the cuff in half lengthwise and press. Sew the cuff to the sleeve from the wrong side and serge. Fold the cuff upward and press. Sew the cuff to the sleeve seam by hand.
9. Serge the garment hem allowance, press it to the wrong side, and topstitch.
10. Make buttonholes on the right front and sew the buttons onto the left front.

Congratulations – your blouse are finished! :)