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.

2781 Dress with Asymmetrical Inset



Recommendations on fabric: well draping natural/mixed knit fabrics of medium or high stretchiness.

You will also need: knit 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 sleeve – 1.5 cm; seam allowance for hem of garment – 2 cm.

<u>Main fabric:</u>
1. Left back – cut 1
2. Right back – cut 1
3. Front – cut 1
4. Inset – cut 1
5. Back neck facing – cut 1
6. Front neck facing – cut 1

Fusible interfacing:
1. Back neck facing – cut 2
2. Front neck facing – cut 1

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. Apply fusible interfacing to the facings.

2. Sew the darts on the back and press the dart excess toward the center.

3. Sew the center back seam. Serge the seam allowances and press them to the left.

4. Sew the darts on the front and press the dart excess upward.

5. Sew the shoulder and side seams. Press the seam allowances toward the back and serge.

6. Sew the inset to the dress. Serge the seam allowances and press them upward.

7. Sew the shoulder seams of the neckline facings and press the seam allowances open. Serge the outer edge. Pin the facing to the garment, right sides together, and sew along the neckline. Clip the seam allowances along the curves. Turn the facing to the wrong side and press. Secure the facing by hand at the shoulder seams and center back seam.

8. Serge the lower edge of the dress, press it to the wrong side, and topstitch.

Congratulations – your dress are finished! :)