

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.

## 2851 Blouse with Faux Belt

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

You will also need: fusible interfacing, 11 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 for hem of blouse – 2 cm.

### Main fabric:

1. Upper back – cut 2
2. Lower back – cut 2
3. Upper front – cut 2
4. Lower front – cut 2
5. Sleeve – cut 2
6. Collar – cut 2
7. Stand collar – cut 2
8. Cuff – cut 2

9. Placket – cut 2
10. Front belt – cut 4
11. Back belt – cut 2

Fusible interfacing:

1. Collar – cut 1
2. Stand collar – cut 1
3. Cuff - cut 2
4. Placket – cut 2
5. Front belt – cut 2
6. Back belt – cut 1

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply fusible interfacing.
2. Sew a gathering stitch along the lower edge of the upper back and gather the fullness. Sew the upper back to the lower back, press upward, and serge. Sew the center back seam, press toward the left, and serge.
3. Pin the waistband pieces together, right sides together, and sew the upper and lower edges. Turn the belt right side out and press. Pin the belt to the back and baste along the side edges.
4. Sew a gathering stitch along the lower edge of the upper front and gather the fullness. Sew the upper front to the lower front, press upward, and serge.
5. Pin the belt pieces together in pairs, right sides together, and sew the upper and lower edges. Turn the belts right side out and press. Pin the belt to the front and baste along the side and center edges.
6. Sew the shoulder and side seams, press toward the back, and serge.
7. Pin the placket to the right front and sew. Press the seam allowances toward the placket. Fold the placket to the wrong side along the marked center-front facing line and press. Turn under the inner placket edge and stitch in the ditch.
8. Pin the collar pieces right sides together and sew the ends and outer edge. Trim the corners. Turn the collar right side out, shape, and press. Pin the stand collar pieces right sides together, insert the prepared collar between them, and sew, stitching the stand collar ends at the same time. Start and stop stitching exactly at the marked collar seam line. Clip the curves, turn the finished collar right side out, and press.
9. Sew the upper stand collar to the neckline. Fold under the raw edge of the lower stand collar and stitch in the ditch along the upper stand collar seam.
10. Serge the sleeve edges separately. Sew the sleeve seam from the armhole to the slit marking and press the seam open. Sew a reinforcing stitch along the slit, 0.3 cm from the edge. Sew the sleeves into the armholes, serge, and press. Sew a gathering stitch along the lower edge of the sleeves and gather the fullness.

11. Fold the cuffs in half lengthwise, right sides together, and sew the side edges, starting and stopping exactly at the marked cuff seam line. Turn right side out and press. Sew the outer edge of the cuff to the sleeve. Fold under the inner cuff seam allowance and stitch in the ditch along the outer cuff seam.
12. Serge the hem allowance, turn it to the wrong side, and topstitch.
13. Make buttonholes on the right front and sew buttons on the left front. Make buttonholes and sew buttons on the cuffs and on the stand collar.

Congratulations – your blouse are finished! :)