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.

4277 Dress with Diagonal Draping

Recommendations on fabric: natural / mixed knitted fabric of medium stretchiness.



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: hem, lower edge of sleeve and neckline – 1.5 cm, all other seams - 0.8 cm .

Main fabric:
1. Back part – 2 details
2. Upper front part – 1 detail
3. Lower front part – 1 detail
4. Front part inset – 1 detail

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

2. Sew the front inset to the upper and lower front sections. Serge the seam allowances and press them downward.

3. Form the pleats on the front inset according to the pattern markings, directing the pleat folds downward. Secure the pleats along the side edge.

4. Sew the shoulder and side seams. Serge the seam allowances and press them toward the back.

5. Serge the neckline edge. Fold the seam allowance to the wrong side, press, and topstitch.

6. Serge the lower edge of the dress and the sleeve edges. Fold the hem allowances to the wrong side, press, and topstitch.

Congratulations – your dress are finished! :)