

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.

4358 Jersey blouse with decorative details

Recommendations on fabric: natural or mixed, medium to high stretch knit fabric.

You will also need: knit bias tape, diamond shape decoration.

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 of blouse – 2.0 cm; front and back neckline – 1.2 cm; upper seam allowance of inner part – 1.2 cm; all other seams – 0.7 cm.

Main fabric:

1. Upper back – cut 1
2. Lower back – cut 1
3. Upper front – cut 2
4. Inner front – cut 1
5. Lower front – cut 1
6. Sleeve – cut 2

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 upper back to the lower back. Serge the seam allowances and press them toward the lower back.
2. Sew the darts on the inner front (optionally trim the dart excess with a serger). Serge the top edge, turn it to the wrong side, and topstitch.
3. Sew the shoulder seams. Serge and press the seam allowances toward the back. Serge the neckline edge, turn it to the wrong side, and topstitch.
4. Sew the center seam of the upper front pieces. Sew a gathering stitch along the seam and gather the fullness. Pin the upper front to the inner front and baste along the lower edge and armhole edge. Sew the lower front to the upper front, forming soft pleats on the lower front. Serge the seam allowances.
5. Sew the side seams. Serge and press the seam allowances toward the back.
6. Finish the sleeve hem with bias tape. Sew the sleeve seam, then serge and press the seam allowances. Set the sleeve into the armhole, matching notches. Serge the seam allowances.
7. Serge the bottom edge of the garment, press it to the wrong side, and topstitch.

Congratulations – your blouse are finished! :)