If the pattern has a double line around it, the seam allowances are included.

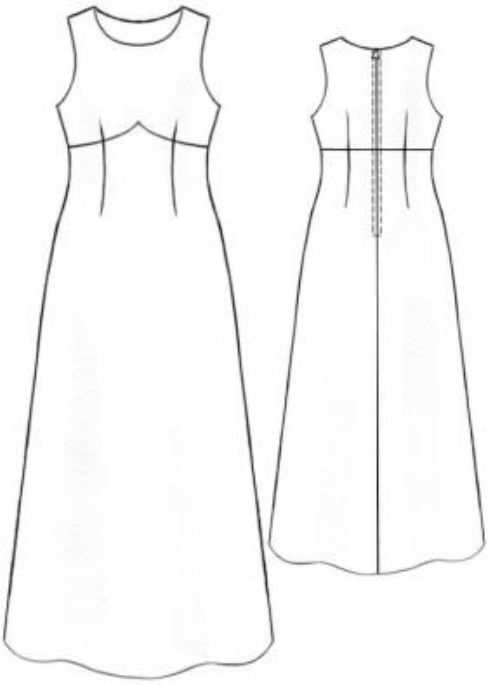
Note: By default, seam allowances are NOT included (single line) and will need to be added when laying out and cutting details.

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.

5191 Long Dress with Fitted Yoke



Recommendations on fabric: crepe-satin of 150 cm width; chiffon.

You will also need: lining; fusible interfacing; zipper.

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, for the hem – 2 cm.

Main fabric:
1. Back bodice – cut 2
2. Back skirt panel – cut 2
3. Front bodice – cut 1 on fold
4. Front skirt panel – cut 1 on fold

Chiffon:
1. Back skirt panel – cut 2
2. Front skirt panel – cut 1 on fold

Lining:
1. Back bodice – cut 2
2. Back skirt panel – cut 2
3. Front bodice – cut 1 on fold
4. Front skirt panel – cut 1 on fold

Fusible interfacing: apply a strip 4 cm width to wrong side along edges of neckline and armhole of lining (use pattern pieces to cut outline of interfacing for neck, and armhole).

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Sew the upper darts on both the main fabric and lining bodice pieces. Press the dart excess toward the center. Sew the shoulder seams of both layers separately and press the seam allowances open.

2. Pin the bodice lining to the main fabric bodice, right sides together. Sew along the neckline and armhole edges. Turn the bodice right side out by pulling the back bodice sections through the shoulder openings. Sew the side seams, joining the main fabric and lining sections in one continuous seam. Understitch the neckline and armhole seam allowances to the lining to keep the edges neatly in place.

3. Sew the darts on the main fabric, lining, and chiffon skirt pieces. Place the chiffon skirt over the main fabric skirt, with the wrong side of the chiffon facing the right side of the main fabric. Baste the layers together and treat them as a single skirt. Sew the center back seam from the marked lower end of the zipper opening to the hem. Sew the side seams. Serge the seam allowances and press them toward the back.

4. Sew the main fabric bodice to the main fabric skirt. Sew the bodice lining to the skirt lining separately, clipping the seam allowances at the center curve where necessary. Press the waist seam allowances of both the dress and lining upward toward the bodice.

5. Insert the zipper into the main fabric layer, taking care not to catch the lining. Fold the lining edges to the wrong side along the zipper opening and secure them to the zipper tape with slip stitches.

6. Fold the lower edge of the dress to the wrong side and hem. Hem the lining separately, making it 2 cm shorter than the outer skirt.

Congratulations – your dress are finished! :)