

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.

5329 White Tie Dress for Women

Recommendations on fabric: wool or semi-wool; sateen or velvet.

You will also need: fusing, 12 buttons; smaller buttons (for sleeve vents); lining.

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.

Main fabric:

1. Centre back – 2 pieces
2. Side back – 2 pieces
3. Side front – 2 pieces
4. Back neck facing – 1 piece
5. Tail – 2 pieces
6. Under collar – 1 piece
7. Top collar – 1 piece
8. Centre front – 2 pieces
9. Front facing – 2 pieces
10. Flap – 4 pieces
11. Pocket facing – 4 pieces
12. Upper sleeve – 2 pieces
13. Lower sleeve – 2 pieces

Lining:



1. Centre back – 2 pieces
2. Side back – 2 pieces
3. Side front – 2 pieces
4. Centre front – 2 pieces
5. Upper sleeve – 2 pieces
6. Lower sleeve – 2 pieces
7. Tail – 2 pieces

Fusing: front facing, back facing, reinforce piece, centre front, side front armholes, side back armholes, vent segment, under collar, hem allowances.

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply fusible interfacing to the wrong side of the front facing, back facing, center front, reinforcement piece, side front armholes, side back armholes, vent segment, undercollar, and hem allowances.
2. Assemble and shape the collar.
3. Stitch the tail to the side back. Press the joining seam open.
4. Stitch the front and back curved edges; press the seams open.
5. Assemble and shape the flaps.
6. Mark the pocket entrance on the front. Check the pocket position. With right side out, press the pocket facings in half lengthwise. Mark auxiliary lines on the facings and on the pocket flaps, parallel to the pocket entrance. Topstitch the facing to the side front. Cut the pocket entrance. Make diagonal slits 1–1.5 cm before the entrance ends. Turn the facings to the wrong side. Secure the pocket ends with double reverse stitching along the corner base. Stitch the reinforcement to the flap; attach it to the upper pocket facing. Close the pocket entrance by stitching through the lower facing seam.
7. Overstitch the front center and lower edges with the front facing up to the notches showing the collar position. Trim the seam allowances at the corners. Understitch the seam allowances as follows: at the closure segment – to the front facing, at the lapel segments – to the front piece, stitching 0.2 cm in. Turn the front openings right side out.
8. Stitch the back center edges. Press the lower vent edge under by 1 cm. Press the back center seam. Press the vent towards the back center. Topstitch diagonally at the vent

upper end according to the marking (through all layers).

9. Stitch and press open the side and shoulder seams.
10. Join the front and back facings across the shoulder seams. Press them open.
11. Stitch the sleeve elbow seams and the vent ends. Press the elbow seams open, slash, and press the vents.
12. Stitch the sleeve front seams and press them open. Press the sleeve hems to the wrong side.
13. Stitch the sleeves to the armholes according to the notches. Sew shoulder pads and sleeve heads to the garment.
14. Stitch the undercollar to the neckline; stitch the top collar to the front and neck facings.
15. Stitch the lining pieces together, leaving a slit in the front seam of the right sleeve. Press the lining. Stitch the lining to the front and back facing raw edges. Press the seam allowances of the seams joining the collar open and secure them close to the seams.
16. Overstitch the front hem with the lining.
17. Stitch the lining sleeve hems to the garment sleeve hems. Turn the garment right side out. Pin the lining tail edges to the garment tail edges and cut the lining neatly along the vent, moving 1 cm toward the center seam. Stop 1 cm before the vent top and make diagonal slits in both directions. Fold the new slits under and pin them to the vent edges. Pull the pinned edges right side out one by one, then stitch. Correct the vent edges. Fold the lining corners on the vent upper edge and sew them to the vent allowance. Overstitch the unstitched segment of the tail side edge with the lining.
18. Turn the garment right side out through the sleeve slit. Press the side seams of the tails. Stitch the sleeve slit closed.
19. Make buttonholes on the right front piece, sew buttons to the left front piece, and attach buttons to the sleeve vents.

Congratulations – your white tie dress are finished! :)