

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.

5793 Wrap-Effect Dress with 3/4 Sleeves

Recommendations on fabric: natural / mixed knit fabric of medium to high stretchiness.

You will also need: fusible interfacing, knit tape (or bias tape) of 4cm wide for trimming the sleeve hem.

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 the dress and hem of sleeve – 0 cm, cross edge of top front part – 2 cm, all other seams – 1 cm.

Main fabric:

1. Upper back bodice – cut 2
2. Lower back skirt – cut 1
3. Inner back skirt – cut 1
4. Upper front bodice – cut 2
5. Inner front skirt – cut 1
6. Lower front skirt – cut 1
7. Front skirt panel – cut 1
8. Front neckline facing – cut 1
9. Back neckline facing – cut 1
10. Sleeve – cut 2



11. Belt (tie) – 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. Apply fusible interfacing to the back piece and the front neckline facing. Serge the outer edge of the facing.
2. Sew the darts on the front bodice and press them toward the hem. Serge the cross edge of the front bodice, turn it under, and topstitch. Form pleats along the top edge according to the marked lines. Sew a gathering stitch along the lower edge to the first notch and gather to the amount indicated on the pattern. Place the right front bodice over the left and baste in place.
3. Sew the center edge of the back piece. Serge and press.
4. Sew the shoulder seams. Serge the seams and press toward the back.
5. Sew the edges of the front and back facings together. Serge and press the seams. Place the facing on the neckline, matching the markings and shoulder seams. Sew, clip the curves, and press the seam toward the facing. Understitch. Turn the facing to the wrong side and press.
6. Serge, turn under, and topstitch the vertical edge of the front skirt panel. Serge the lower edge with a narrow rolled seam. Baste the front skirt panel to the lower front along the waist edge.
7. Fold each belt tie in half lengthwise, right sides together, and sew along two sides. Turn right side out and press.
8. Pin the lower front skirt and back skirt right sides together. Insert one belt tie into each side seam, leaving 1 cm from the top edge, and sew. Serge and press toward the front.
9. Sew the side edges of the back and front inner pieces. Serge the seams and press toward the back.
10. Place the top skirt over the inner skirt, matching the seams, and sew around the waist. Sew the skirt to the bodice. Serge and press the seam toward the bottom.
11. Sew a gathering stitch along the lower edge of the sleeve and gather to the required finished hem circumference. Finish the sleeve hem by encasing the gathered edge with bias tape. Sew the sleeve seams. Serge and press.
12. Sew the sleeves into the armholes, matching the notches. Serge the seams and press.
13. Serge the lower edges of the garment with a narrow rolled seam, slightly stretching the seam to create a wavy effect.

Congratulations – your dress are finished! :)