

Sewing Pattern — Dress 5197

Recommendations on fabric: sateen of 150 cm width.

You will also need: decorative fabric with beads and sequins; lining; fusing; 1 zipper; 2 buttons.

If the pattern has double contour the seam allowances are included.

If the pattern has single contour, the seam allowances are NOT included and need to be added when laying out and cutting details.

Attention! First of all 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 count pair parts and symmetrical parts.

When sewing the garment, pay attention to notches, they must coincide.



CUTTING:

Fabric:

1. Middle lower back part – 2 pieces
2. Side lower back part – 2 pieces
4. Back strap – 4 pieces
5. Side lower front part – 2 pieces
6. Middle lower front part – 1 folded piece
9. Front strap – 4 pieces

Decorative fabric:

3. Upper back part – 2 pieces
7. Side upper front part – 2 pieces
8. Middle upper front part – 2 pieces

Lining:

3. Upper back part – 2 pieces
7. Side upper front part – 2 pieces
8. Middle upper front part – 2 pieces

Fusing: upper back part, side upper front part, middle upper front part, back strap, front strap.

INSTRUCTIONS:

ADVICE ON HOW TO PROCESS WITH SEQUIN FABRIC.

Before sewing seams, remove sequins on seam allowance up to seam lines. Reinforce sequins near seam line with one or two stitches to prevent their unpicking. We also advice you to set special sewing machine foot to sew the zipper, so that the foot goes along seam allowance where sequins are unpicked. You can also sew these seams by hand, with close back stitches; in this case, you do not need to unpick sequins.

1. Apply the fusing to wrong side of upper back part, side upper front part, middle upper front part, back strap, front strap.
2. Stitch upper front relieves. Stitch upper back parts to upper front parts.
3. Stitch lining details. Lay the lining on fabric details right sides together and stitch them together along front neckline edge. Fold the lining out and topstitch it on allowance at 1 mm from seam. Press the neckline, tack the lining details to fabric ones along edges.
4. Make a narrow roll of the piping. Cut the roll into 2 pieces and make two button loops. Tack loops to end of left front strap; loop's bending must be on the strap, loop's ends must be on edge allowance. Loops' size depends on button's diameter.
5. Stitch back straps and front straps in pairs. Stitch outer straps to garment upper part along middle upper back/front parts to the mark. Stitch inner straps to outer ones along outer edge and strap end up to the mark. Cut allowance, cut corners diagonally, make several slashes into seam allowance at roundings, perpendicular to seam; stop slashing at 1 mm. Turn straps right side out. Fold the rest segment of strap under and topstitch it along joining seam (right side). Press the strap.
6. Lay right upper front part on the left one coinciding middle lines, and tack them together along lower edge.
7. Stitch middle back edge into lower parts leaving a slit for zipper. Stitch back/front relieve seams, leave a slit into left front relieve. Stitch side seams.
8. Stitch dress lower part to upper one.
9. Press closure allowance into wrong side. Stitch the zipper folding braid's upper corners to hide teeth.
10. Press slit allowance into wrong side. Neaten hem allowance, press it into wrong side and sew with blind stitches.
11. Sew buttons to right straps according to button loops.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

