

Sewing Pattern — Dress 5113

Recommendations on fabric: lightweight, well-draping, dress fabric

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 allowances: all seams – 1 cm, on hems and on side slit edges – 4 cm.

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 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.



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.

Main fabric:

1. Front - cut 2
2. Back - cut 2
3. Sleeve - cut 2

Additionally: bias tape for finishing the neckline edge and for ties, the length is approximately 118-122 cm, width is 3 cm, including seam allowances.

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Serge center front edges separately. Sew center front seam from slit mark to hem. Sew center back seam. Serge and press seam toward left. Serge side edges and sleeve edges separately. Sew side seams and sleeve seams, leaving lower slits open. Sew shoulder seams. Serge and press toward back.
2. Press all slits open along seam allowance, topstitch.
3. Make a gathering stitch at 0.5 cm and 1 cm off the edge along neckline edge and gather. Press bias tape in half lengthwise. Fold and press outer edges to center. Insert neckline edge between tape halves, aligning edge to tape fold. Leave a length of tape at both sides of center front opening for ties. Sew bias tape along the edge, catching inner half of the tape. Remove visible threads that form gathering. Sew long edges of ties. Make knots at the ends of the ties.
4. Make a gathering stitch along sleeve cap for ease. Sew in sleeve, matching notches and adjusting ease along cap. Serge seam.
5. Serge bottom edge of garment and sleeve edges. Press onto wrong side and topstitch at 1 cm.

TECHNICAL DRAWING: