

# Sewing Pattern — Trunks 6134

Recommendations on fabric: cotton with lycra, or medium stretch- knit fabric

You will also need: fusible interfacing; elastic of 2.5 cm wide, the length is equal to waist circumference, 2 buttons

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: along the lower edge -2.0 cm, all other seams -0.7 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.

# Advice:

Knit fabric pieces are sewn together with special stretch-stitch or narrow zig-zag stitch. Seam allowance on hem is stitched with twin needles to save stretchiness. Pieces can also be sewn together with 3 or 4 – thread serger. When serging, cut seam allowances to 0.6 – 0.8 cm.

### Fabric:

- 1. Front cut 2
- 2. Back cut 2



#### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- 1. Apply interfacing to fly-piece on left and right fronts.
- 2. Serge front center edge and edge of fly-piece separately on left and right fronts. Press fly-piece edge on right half, leaving 1.5 cm to center seam line. Topstitch onto main detail along the serged edge.
- 3. Sew center front seam, starting the stitch near the notch. Press fly-piece of left half onto wrong side. Topstitch along marked line on left half. Make buttonholes according to marks. Place left half onto right half, matching center lines. Make perpendicular barred end, leaving 2 cm to lower edge of fly-piece. Topstitch left half onto right along the fly-piece fold from top edge down at 5 cm.
- 4. Sew side seams, serge and press toward back. Sew center back seam. Serge and press toward left. Serge lower edge of leg opening, press onto wrong side, and topstitch.
- 5. Serge upper edge, press onto wrong side and topstitch, leaving an opening for elastic. Run the elastic into the casing, adjust to fit, sew ends together, and sew opening closed.
- 6. Sew buttons according to buttonholes.

### **TECHNICAL DRAWING:**



