

Sewing Pattern — Peplum dress 4501

Recommendations on fabric: natural or mixed dress fabric.

You will also need: invisible zipper, fusible interfacing.

Seam allowances: all seams - 1 cm, on hem – 2 cm, lower edge of sleeve – 1.5cm, lower edge of peplum – 0 cm..

Note on seam allowances:

- If the pattern has double contour the seam allowances are included. They are 1 cm unless specified otherwise.

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

Note on length of fabric:

Attention! The amount of fabric needed for your pattern is not included. It will depend on the selected pattern size, the width, and design of the fabric you plan to use. First, print all the paper patterns and lay them out at the width of fabric you plan to use (usually from 90 to 150 cm). Measure how much fabric you will need. Don't forget to account for pieces that need to be cut multiple times and pieces that are cut on the fold.



CUTTING:

Main fabric:

1. Center upper back – cut 2
2. Side upper back – cut 2
3. Back insert – cut 2
4. Center lower back – cut 2
5. Side lower back – cut 2
6. Center upper front — cut 1
7. Side upper front – cut 2
8. Front insert – cut 1
9. Right lower front – cut 1
10. Left lower front – cut 1
11. Left peplum (basque) – cut 1
12. Right peplum – cut 1
13. Sleeve – cut 2
14. Back neck facing — cut 2
15. Front neck facing — cut 1

Fusible interfacing:

1. Back neck facing – cut 2
2. Front neck facing – cut 1

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply fusible interfacing to neck facings.
2. Sew darts on center upper backs, press darts toward center. Sew upper side and center backs. Press seams toward center and serge. Sew back insert to back. Serge seam and press upward.
3. Sew side and center fronts, serge seams and press toward center. Sew front insert to front. Serge seam and press upwards.
4. Sew shoulder and side edges of upper part, press seams onto back and serge.
5. Sew lower side and center backs. Press seams toward center and serge. Sew dart on right part of front. Sew side edges of lower part, press seams onto back and serge.
6. Serge lower edges of peplums with narrow rolled seam. Place right peplum onto right lower front and pin on fronts connecting seam. Serge fronts connecting seam. Match and pin upper edges on front and back. Do the same with the left side. Sew lower side and center fronts from top down to mark. Press apart seam. Straighten peplum pleats. Press if needed, fastening the pleats. Continue fastening stitch along slit at 0.2 cm from the edge.
7. Sew upper and lower parts of the dress. Serge seam and press upwards.
8. Serge center back edges separately. Sew center edge from zipper mark down to hem. Sew in zipper.
9. Sew shoulder edges of facings. Press apart and serge seams. Serge outer edge of facings. Place dress and facing right sides together matching neckline edges. Leaving 5 mm to zipper tape, turn the facing and pin to upper edge of the dress. Turn seam allowances along zipper onto right side of the dress and pin to neck edge on top of facing. Stitch neck edge. Clip on curves. Turn details out and press. Topstitch seam allowances onto facing. Tack facing to zipper tape.
10. Serge lower edge of sleeve. Press to wrong side and topstitch. Make and fasten pleats on sleeve curve. Sew sleeve into armhole matching notches. Serge seam.
11. Cut a bias tape. Width is 4 cm. Length is equal to lower part of armhole + 6 cm. Fold bias tape in half lengthwise right side out and press. Place bias tape onto armhole edge from the right side, leaving tails, and stitch. Turn bias tape to wrong side, trim seam and topstitch along fold onto main detail. Press the seam.
12. Serge hem of the dress, press to wrong side and slipstitch.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

