

Sewing Pattern — Dress 4054

Recommendations on fabric: natural or mixed silk

You will also need: fusible interfacing, invisible zipper, 3 hooks with loops.

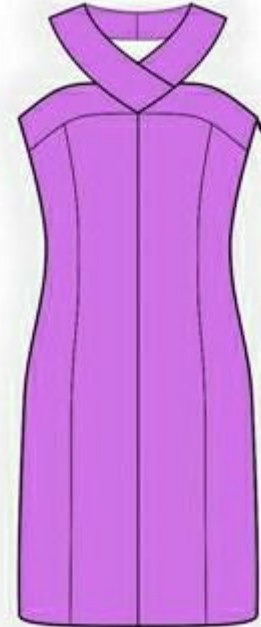
If the pattern has a double line around it, the seam allowances are included.

Note: By default, seam allowances are NOT included (single line) and will need to be added when laying out and cutting details.

Seam allowance: on hem and on center back edge -
1. 5 cm, all other seams - 1 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.

Darts: The fold of the dart is always pressed toward the center of your garment, or down toward the hem.

Fabric:

1. Central back – 2 details
2. Side back – 2 details
3. Central front – 2 details
4. Side front – 2 details
5. Front facing – 4 details
6. Back facing – 2 details
7. Right strap – 2 details
8. Left strap – 2 details

Interfacing:

1. Back facing – 1 detail
2. Front facing – 2 details
3. Right strap – 1 detail
4. Left strap – 1 detail

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply interfacing to straps as well as back and front facings.
2. Serge middle edge of central back. Sew middle seam back from top down to the notch. Press seam allowances apart, pressing the slit.
3. Sew side and central fronts; side and central backs. Serge and press the seam toward center.
4. Stitch fused back facing to top edge of back. Press seam allowances onto the facing. Stitch fused front facing to top edge of front. Press seam allowances onto the facing.
5. Serge left side edges. Sew left side seam from zipper notch down to hem. Press apart the seam, pressing the zipper slit. Sew in zipper. Sew right side edge, serge and press toward back.
6. Stitch left strap on three sides: neckline edge, middle edge, outer edge, inserting loops for hooks into middle edge. Clip seam on curves, turn strap right side out, press. Stitch right strap on contour from mark «o» up to mark «o», inserting hooks into middle edge. Clip seam on curves and near «o» mark, turn strap right side out, press.
7. Stitch right unfused front facing to back facing, press seam allowances apart. Serge lower edge. Place facings onto dress and stitch on upper edge of back and upper edge of right front part. Clip on curves, turn facings right side out. Turn inside seam allowance of the back facing near zipper and tack to zipper tape. Topstitch facing into connecting seam.
8. Serge lower edges of left front facing. Place facing on dress, insert left strap between them and stitch on upper edge. Clip on curves, turn facing right side out. Turn inside seam allowance of facing near zipper and tack to zipper tape. Topstitch facing into connecting seam.
9. Sew middle seam of front, inserting right strap between details. Press and serge seam allowances. Topstitch right strap onto left front on marked line, fold back onto right side and fasten to dress.
10. Serge hem of the dress, turn inside and topstitch. Topstitch slit in center seam at 0.1 cm off the edge.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

