

Blouse With Guipure Inset - Sewing Pattern #2111

Recommendations on fabric: Natural/mixed fabrics with elastane suitable for dresses, guipure with elastane.

You will also need: dress zipper.

Seam allowances: seam allowance for hem of garment and hem of sleeve — 2 cm, other seams 1 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.

Note on working with stretchy fabric:

Knitted fabric pieces are sewn together with special elastic or narrow zig-zag stitch. Seam allowance on hems can be stitched with twin needles to save stretchiness. Pieces can also be sewn together with a serger. When serging, cut seam allowances to 0.6 – 0.8 cm.



CUTTING:

Note on cutting:

On the pattern pieces, "beam" means straight of grain. Lay out your pieces accordingly. Some pieces will be cut on the fold. This is noted on the pattern piece. Mark all notches and other design features such as pleats etc. from the pattern onto your fabric.

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

Main fabric:

1. Upper back – cut 2
2. Center back – cut 2

3. Center front — cut 1
4. Front neckline - cut 1
5. Side back - cut 2
6. Side front - cut 2

Guipure:

1. Upper front trimming — cut 1
2. Upper back trimming — cut 2
3. Sleeve — cut 2

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Sew shoulder seams of front trimming and back trimming. Press seams towards back and serge.
2. Sew side parts to front and to back, clipping into seam allowance near corner. Serge and press horizontal edge towards top, serge and press vertical edge towards center.
3. Sew upper front trimming to center part. Serge and press towards bottom.
4. Sew shoulder edges of upper back and front neckline. Press seams towards back. Pin guipure, wrong side down, onto right side of the upper part. Sew neckline. Clip seam allowances, fold away guipure onto wrong side and press.
5. Fold under upper edges of upper back and of the front neckline and press. Topstitch upper backs onto guipure inset according to markings at 0.1 - 0.2 from the edge. Topstitch front neckline onto guipure inset and onto central part according to markings at 0.1 - 0.2 from the edge
6. Sew upper back to center back.
7. Sew center back seam from closure notch down to hem. Press apart center seam. Sew in zipper.
8. Sew side seams. Serge seams and press towards back.
9. Sew sleeve seam. Serge and press towards back. Sew sleeve into armhole, matching notches. Serge. Hem of sleeve fold inside two times by 1 cm and topstitch.
10. Serge lower edge of garment. Fold seam allowance onto wrong side, press and topstitch.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

