

Sleeveless Blouse With Collar - Sewing Pattern #2730

Recommendations on fabric: natural/mixed fabrics suitable for blouses.

You will also need: fusible interfacing; 6 buttons.

Seam allowances: Seam allowance for hem of garment - 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.



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. Center back - cut 1 on fold
2. Side back - cut 2
3. Center front - cut 2
4. Side front - cut 2
5. Collar - cut 4
6. Center front facing - cut 2
7. Back neck facing - cut 1

Fusible interfacing:

1. Collar - cut 2
2. Center front facing - cut 2
3. Back neck facing - cut 1

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply fusible interfacing.
2. Sew side backs to center back, press seams towards center and serge. Sew side fronts to front, press seams towards center and serge.
3. Sew shoulder seams, press towards the back and serge.
4. Pin collars together pairwise, right sides together, and sew, press the seam apart. Pin upper collar to lower collar right sides together and sew collar end and collar fall. Clip seam allowances, trim away corners, turn the collar right side out, straighten and press. Sew collar into neckline.
5. Sew side seams of back neckline facing and central front facings, press seam apart. Serge the outer edge. Pin the central front facings and the facings onto front, right sides together and sew center front facings and neckline (the collar is placed in between the pieces). Clip into curves, turn the center front edges onto the right side, straighten, press.
6. Cut or use ready-made bias tape, its width should equal 4 cm and length should equal the length of armhole + 4 cm. Fold bias tape in half lengthwise right side out and press. Pin bias tape to armhole edge from the right side and sew. Clip into seam allowances. Fold bias tape onto wrong side and topstitch onto main piece along the seam. Press seam.
7. Sew side seams, press towards the back and serge.
8. Turn hem under inside at 1 cm, then again at 1 cm and topstitch.
9. Make buttonholes on right front, sew on buttons on the left one.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

