

Sewing Pattern — Blouse 5869

Recommended fabric: natural/mixed blouse fabric with lycra.

You will also need: fusible interfacing; 6 buttons, elastic.

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

Seam allowance: all seam allowances - 1 cm; hem of the garment - 1.5 cm; lower part of front neckline and side edges of neckline placket - 1.5 cm; along center edge of one-piece placket - 0 cm.

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

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.

Main fabric:

1. Front – cut 2
2. Back – cut 2
3. Sleeve – cut 2
4. Collar – cut 2
5. Front neck placket (casing) – cut 2

Fusible interfacing: Self-facing button-stand, top collar.

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply interfacing to self-facing button-stand and collar.
2. Sew waist darts on back and on front. Press depths towards center.
3. Sew center back seam. Serge and press seam allowances onto left side.
4. Sew shoulder seams. Serge and press seam allowances toward back.



5. Sew side seams. Serge and press seam allowances toward back. Serge lower edge of the blouse.
6. Cut a cord of 2 – 2.5 cm wide. Fold it in half lengthwise, wrong sides together, and press. Unfold, press side edges towards center and fold in half. Sew at 0.1 cm from the edge.
7. Press front neck placket in half lengthwise wrong sides together. Pin placket to the front neck edge and sew, leaving a slit between notches. Serge seam allowances.
8. Press self button-stand along marked line onto wrong side. Turn button-stand along button-stand line onto right side and sew top and lower corners. Turn button-stand right side side out and press.
9. Press neck placket under and topstitch onto front part at 0.5 cm off the inner edge, making a casing for the cord. Run the cord through the slit.
10. Pin collar, right sides together, and sew along outer edges, starting and finishing the stitch exactly near the line of collar connecting. Trim seam allowances in corners, turn collar right side out, press. Sew outer collar into the neckline, starting from the neckline placket. Turn under edge of inner collar and topstitch into connecting seam, tacking the cord tail with the stitch.
11. Make a gathering stitch along sleeve cap from the notch up to marker and gather fullness. Serge lower edge of sleeve. Turn seam allowance under and sew two parallel stitches, using elastic thread, at 1 cm and 1.5 cm from the edge. snip seam allowances of armholes near notches, sew sleeves into armholes, matching marks, and adjusting gathers. Serge and press seam. Serge seam allowances of lower part of the armhole, turn under, and topstitch.
12. Turn lower edge of the blouse onto wrong side and topstitch.
13. Make buttonholes on right front. Sew buttons on left.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

