

## Sewing Pattern — Blouse 4238

Recommendations on fabric: natural or mixed fabric:  
chiffon/silk

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: along outer edge of the flounce and lower edge of lower part - 0 cm, along belt edge — 0 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. Upper back – cut 1
2. Upper front – cut 2
3. Lower front – cut 2
4. Lower back — cut 1
5. Flounce — cut 2
6. Lining for upper back — cut 1
7. Lining for upper front — cut 2
8. Tie — cut 2

### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Serge both long and one short edge of each tie with narrow rolled seam.
2. Sew darts on front and back. Press toward center. Sew shoulder and left side seams. Serge and press seam allowances toward back. Serge right side edges separately. Sew right side seam down to notch, leaving a slit for the tie.
3. Sew lining the same way as main garment.
4. Sew flounces, right sides together, along straight edge. Serge seam allowance. Serge outer edge of the flounce with narrow rolled seam.
5. Pin the lining to the garment neckline and sew, inserting the flounce and belts between the seam at marks. Turn lining onto wrong side.
6. Sew the armhole with lining in two steps: sew front armhole, then back armhole. Here is a great video that demonstrates the [Two Step Method](#).
7. Trim seam allowance on one of the short sides of lower front. Sew side seams of lower parts. Serge lower and free short edges of lower parts with narrow rolled seam. Sew lower part to the upper part. Serge and press seam allowance downwards.

### **TECHNICAL DRAWING:**

