

Sewing Pattern — Dress 5593

Recommendations on fabric: natural/mixed fabric.

You will also need: trimming fabric; concealed zip; fusing; lining

If the pattern has double contour the seam allowances are included.

Seam allowances are NOT included by default and need to be added when laying out and cutting details if your pattern has single contour.

Seam allowance: 1 cm for all seams

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 count pair parts and symmetrical parts.

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



CUTTING:

Main fabric:

- 1. Back part 1 piece
- 2. Center front part 1 piece
- 3. Side front part 2 pieces
- 4. Strap 2 pieces
- 5. Front skirt 1 piece
- 6. Back skirt 1 piece

Trimming:

- 1. Middle front part 2 pieces
- 2. Back facing 1 piece
- 3. Front facing 2 pieces

Lining:

- 1. Back part 1 piece
- 2. Center front part 1 piece
- 3. Side front part 2 pieces
- 4. Middle front part 2 pieces
- 5. Back facing 1 piece
- 6. Front facing 2 pieces

You can use the fabric as lining.



NB: model with empire silhouette.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Apply the fusing to wrong side of bodice.
- 2. Stitch side front part to middle front part. Neaten the seam and press it towards middle part. Stitch front facing to details. Neaten the seam and press it toward the facing.
- 3. Stitch center front part to middle front part. Neaten the seam and press it toward middle part.
- 4. Stitch back facing to back part. Neaten seams and press them toward the facing.
- 5. Fold straps along the center wrong side out and make a stitch at 0.5 cm from bending. Turn straps right side out and press. Sew straps to front neckline.
- 6. Stitch front lining details and back lining details separately. Neaten seams and press them. Stitch right side seam into lining. Neaten the seam and press it. Neaten lining hem.
- 7. Stitch skirt side seams leaving a segment for zipper into left seam unstitched. Neaten seams and press them apart pressing closure slit.
- 8. Stitch right side seam of the bodice.
- 9. Stitch the bodice to the skirt. Neaten the seam and press it frontward. Stitch the zipper in. Press the seam.
- 10. Try the garment on, adjust straps' lengths, then sew straps to back part.
- 11. Lay the bodice on the lining right sides together. 5 mm before the zipper: fold the lining out and pin it to dress's upper edge. Fold closure allowances into right side and pin them to upper edge (over the facing). Stitch upper edges together. Fold closure allowances into wrong side. Fold the lining upwards and topstitch on the seam allowance at 1-2 mm from the seam. Fold the lining into wrong side and fix it to zipper braid. Press details.
- 12. Topstitch lining hem along the seam joining the bodice and the skirt.
- 13. Neaten dress hem, fold it under and topstitch at 1.5 cm from lower edge.



TECHNICAL DRAWING:

