

Sewing Pattern — Dress with Drape 5525

Recommendations on fabric: natural/mixed fabric.

You will also need: fusing, zipper of 25 cm length, piping.

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:

Fabric:

1. Upper front part – 1 piece
2. Front facing – 1 piece
3. Lower front part – 2 pieces
4. Front yoke – 2 pieces
5. Center front part – 1 piece
6. Side front gusset – 2 pieces
7. Upper back part – 2 pieces
8. Lower back part – 2 pieces
9. Back yoke – 2 pieces
10. Side back gusset – 2 pieces
11. Center back gusset – 2 pieces
12. Front drape – 2 pieces
13. Back drape – 2 pieces
14. Wing – 2 pieces

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Make pleats into upper front part. Fold lower edge of front facing and press it. Topstitch facing pressed edge on upper front part at 0.2 cm from bending.
2. Lay the drape on lower front/back parts adjusting edges. Fix pleats into draping (by hand).
3. Stitch front yoke to side gusset. Neaten joining seam and press it towards the gusset. Stitch back yoke to side gusset. Neaten joining seam and press it towards the gusset.

4. Stitch side back gusset to center gusset. Neaten joining seam and press it towards center gusset.
5. Stitch lower back part with drape to back panel; neaten joining seam and press backwards.
6. Stitch lower front part to front yoke upper edge; neaten joining seam and press towards the yoke.
7. Stitch front relieve seam, neaten joining seam and press it towards front center.
8. Stitch upper front part to upper edge of gathered lower front part. Neaten joining seam and press it towards drape.
9. Stitch upper back part to lower back part. Neaten joining seam and press towards drape.
10. Stitch side edges and neaten them. Press side seams backwards.
11. Make a stitch with easy loops along front décolleté at 0.5 cm from edge, then gather as wished. Press the piping along the center. Overstitch front/back décolleté edges as well as front armholes making straps of piping.
12. Neaten wing's outer edge, press into wrong side and topstitch at 0.5 cm from edge. Press piping along the center and overstitch wing inner edge making straps of piping.
13. Neaten middle back edge. Stitch middle back seam up to closure notch. Press middle seam apart pressing slits. Stitch the zipper in.
14. Put the dress on, adjust straps' length and sew back ends to back part. Adjust wings and sew them.
15. Neaten dress hem, fold it under and topstitch at 0.5 cm form hem.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

