

## Sewing Pattern — Dress with Decorative Sleeves 5516

Recommendations on fabric: natural/mixed fabric, chiffon, zipper, piping.

You will also need: chiffon, zipper, 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, 2 cm for garment hem, 0 cm for sleeve hems.

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. Back part – 2 pieces
2. Front part – 2 pieces

#### Chiffon:

1. Back part – 2 pieces
2. Front part – 2 pieces
3. Sleeve\_1 – 2 pieces
4. Sleeve\_2 – 2 pieces
5. Sleeve\_3 – 2 pieces

### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Stitch bust darts into fabric and chiffon pieces, press them downwards. Stitch front/band waist darts into fabric and chiffon pieces. Press front darts towards front center, press back darts towards back center.
2. Stitch middle front seam into fabric and chiffon, neaten it and press it.

3. Stitch side/shoulder seams. Press side seams backwards (fabric and chiffon).
4. Lay both layers together and overstretch front/back neckline. Topstitch overstretching on dress inner layer at 0.2 cm from overstretching seam.
5. Neaten middle back edge (fabric and chiffon). Stitch middle seam up to closure notch. Press middle back seam apart pressing closure slit. Stitch the zipper into outer layer. Fold middle edge of inner dress and stitch it to allowance of outer dress at closure segment.
6. Neaten sleeve hems (sleeve\_1, sleeve\_2, sleeve\_3) with roll stitch. Stitch sleeve seams (sleeve\_1, sleeve\_2, sleeve\_3) and neaten them. Press sleeve seams. Lay sleeve one into another and fix them together along sleeve caps at 0.5 cm from edge.
7. Stitch sleeves into armholes according to notches.
8. Press the piping along the center and overstretch front neckline between notches leaving piping straps. Try the dress, adjust straps length and sew back ends on back part.
9. Neaten dress hem (fabric and chiffon), fold it under and topstitch at 1.5 cm from lower edge.

### **TECHNICAL DRAWING:**

