

Blouse With Slanted Yoke - Sewing Pattern #2131

Recommendations on fabric: natural/mixed fabrics suitable for blouses.

You will also need: fusible interfacing; 5 buttons.

Seam allowances: Seam allowance for hem of garment – 2 cm; other seams – 1 cm.

Note on seam allowances:

- If the pattern has double contour the seam allowances are included. They are 1 cm unless specified otherwise.
- If the pattern has single contour, the seam allowances are NOT included and need to be added when laying out the pattern.

Note on length of fabric:

Attention! The amount of fabric needed for your pattern is not included. It will depend on the selected pattern size, the width, and design of the fabric you plan to use. First, print all the paper patterns and lay them out at the width of fabric you plan to use (usually from 90 to 150 cm). Measure how much fabric you will need. Don't forget to account for pieces that need to be cut multiple times and pieces that are cut on the fold.



CUTTING:

Note on cutting:

On the pattern pieces, "beam" means straight of grain. Lay out your pieces accordingly. Some pieces will be cut on the fold. This is noted on the pattern piece. Mark all notches and other design features such as pleats etc. from the pattern onto your fabric.

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

Main fabric:

- 1. Back cut 2
- 2. Back yoke cut 2
- 3. Front cut 2
- 4. Front yoke cut 2
- 5. Collar cut 2
- 6. Placket cut 4



Fusible interfacing:

- 1. Placket cut 2
- 2. Collar cut 1

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Apply fusible interfacing to plackets and collar.
- 2. Sew center back seam. Serge seam and press towards left. Sew back yokes to back. Serge the seam allowances and press towards yokes.
- 3. Sew darts on front. Press bulk towards top. Sew front yokes to front. Serge the seam allowances and press towards yokes.
- 4. Sew shoulder seams. Serge seams and press towards back.
- 5. Pin collars together right sides together and sew the outer edge and corner. Start and stop stitching exactly at the marked line .
- 6. Pin together plackets right sides together and sew center front facings and upper corners. Clip seam allowances, turn right side out and press.

 Sew collar to placket along the lapel line. Press the seam apart.
- 7. Sew outer plackets and collars to the front and to the back. Fold under the seam allowances of inner pieces and topstitch into seam of. Press plackets and collar.
- 8. Serge side edges separately. Sew side seams from the armhole up to the notch for slit. Press the seam apart. Sew a fastening stitch along the slit at 0.5 cm from the edge.
- 9. Cut (or take ready) bias tape, its width should equal 4 cm and length should equal the length of armhole + 6 cm. Fold bias tape in half lengthwise right side out and press. Pin bias tape onto armhole edge from the right side, leaving loose ends, and sew. Fold bias tape onto wrong side, clip into seam allowances and topstitch onto main piece along the seam. Press seam.
- 10. Serge the lower edge of garment, turn inside and topstitch.
- 11. Make buttonholes and sew on buttons on plackets.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:





