

Blouse With Flared Sleeves - Sewing Pattern #4781

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

You will also need: fusible interfacing; dress zipper; 2 hooks and eyes.

Seam allowances: Seam allowance for hem of garment - 2.0 cm, seam allowance for hem of sleeve - 1.2 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. Upper front - cut 1 on fold
3. Lower front - cut 1 on fold
4. Stand collar - cut 1
5. Upper sleeve - cut 2
6. Upper sleeve - cut 2

Fusible interfacing:

1. Stand collar - cut 1

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply fusible interfacing to stand collar.
2. Sew waist and shoulder darts on back, press bulk towards center.
3. Serge the center back edges separately. Sew the center back seam from notch for zipper to bottom, press the seam apart. Sew in zipper.
4. Make pleats on upper front. Sew upper front to lower front, press towards top and serge.
5. Sew side and shoulder seams, press towards the back and serge.
6. Fold stand collar in half lengthwise and sew short edges, inserting hooks. Trim away corners, turn stand collar right side out, press. Sew outer stand collar into neckline, press seam allowances at stand collar. Turn edge of inner stand collar under and topstitch into seam of.
7. Sew upper sleeve to lower sleeve, press seam towards upper sleeve and serge. Sew sleeve seams, serge and press. Sew sleeves into armholes.
8. Press lower edge of garment onto wrong side two times by 1 cm and topstitch. Hem of sleeve serge, press onto wrong side and topstitch.
9. Sew eyes onto stand collar, matching hooks.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

