

# **Dress With Wrap - Sewing Pattern #4788**

Recommendations on fabric: natural/mixed fabric suitable for dresses.

You will also need: fusible interfacing; grommet.

Seam allowances: all seams 1 cm; seam allowance for hem of dress -1.2 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. Upper center back cut 2
- 2. Upper side back cut 2
- 3. Lower back cut 2
- 4. Upper center front cut 2
- 5. Upper side front cut 2
- 6. Lower front cut 2
- 7. Center front facing cut 2



- 8. Back neck facing cut 1
- 9. Belt cut 2

### Fusible interfacing:

- 1. Center front facing cut 2
- 2. Back neck facing cut 1

#### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- 1. Apply fusible interfacing to center front facings and to facings. Apply fusible interfacing to the area for grommet on the right front, and the area for button on the left front.
- 2. Sew princess seams on upper back, press towards center and serge. Sew center seam of upper back, press towards left and serge.
- 3. Sew side fronts to front, press towards center and serge.
- 4. Sew shoulder seams, clip into curves, press apart and serge.
- 5. Sew back neckline facing to center front facings, clip into curves and press apart. Serge outer edges.
- 6. Sew center seam on lower back, press towards left and serge. Sew upper back to lower back, serge seams and press towards top. Sew upper front to lower front, serge seams and press towards top.
- 7. Fold belts in half lengthwise right sides together and sew along long side and one short side. Turn belt right side out, straighten and press. Pin belts together and baste together along the raw edge.
- 8. Sew side seams, inserting belt into left seam near waist according to the markings, press towards the back and serge.
- 9. Serge lower edges and center edge of lower front, press onto wrong side and topstitch.
- 10. Pin back neckline facing and center front facing onto upper back and sew neckline and center front edges. Clip seam allowances, turn facing right side out and center front facings onto wrong side, press. Topstitch lower edge of center front facing into seam between upper and lower parts.
- 11. Cut or use ready-made bias tape, its width should equal 4 cm and length should equal the length of armhole + 5 cm. Fold bias tape in half lengthwise right side out and press. Pin bias tape onto edge of armhole from the right side and sew. Clip into seam allowances. Fold bias tape onto wrong side and topstitch onto main piece along the seam. Press seam.
- 12. Install grommet on the right front. Serge buttonhole on the left front, sew on hidden button.



# **TECHNICAL DRAWING:**

