

## High Waist Skirt - Sewing Pattern #4877

Recommendations on fabric: natural/mixed suiting fabrics.

You will also need: lining, fusible interfacing, dress zipper.

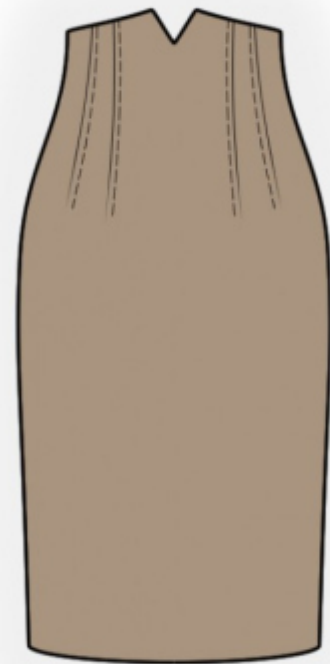
Seam allowances: all seams 1 cm. Seam allowance for hem - 3 cm, seam allowance along lower edge of lining - 2 cm.

### 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. Back - cut 2
2. Front skirt - cut 1 on fold
3. Front facing - cut 1
4. Back facing - cut 2

Lining:

1. Front lining - cut 1 on fold

2. Back lining – cut 2

Fusible interfacing:

1. Back facing – cut 2
2. Front facing - cut 1

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Apply fusible interfacing.
2. Sew darts on back skirts. Press bulk towards center. Serge center edges of the back skirt separately, serging the vent at the same time. Sew center seam from notch for zipper to corner of vent. Seam Allowances  $\frac{1}{2}$ " press apart, pressing the slit for closure at the same time, press seam allowances of the vent towards left side seam. Press right side of vent at 1 cm. Sew together vent seam allowances by machine stitch. Sew in zipper.
3. Sew darts on front skirt from the right side. Press bulk towards center.
4. Sew side seams, press towards the back and serge.
5. Sew darts on lining. Press bulk towards center. Sew side seams of lining. Serge seams and press towards back. Serge the center back edges separately. Sew from notch for zipper to bottom. Press the seam allowances apart. Fold seam allowance for hem under two times by 1 cm and topstitch.
6. Sew side edges of facings. Sew lining to facings. Press seam allowance towards bottom. Pin facing to skirt right sides together and sew upper edge. Clip into curves, trim away corners. Fold the facing onto the wrong side, straighten, press. Fold inside center edges of back facings and sew to zipper tape.
7. Serge lower edge of garment, press onto wrong side and finish with hidden stitches.

**TECHNICAL DRAWING:**

