

## Blouse With Ties - Sewing Pattern #4940

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

You will also need: fusible interfacing, 5 buttons.

Seam allowances: all seams 1 cm. Seam allowance for hem of garment and hem of sleeve - 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 back - cut 2 on fold
2. Center back - cut 1 on fold
3. Side back - cut 2
4. Upper front - cut 4
5. Center front - cut 2
6. Side front - cut 2

7. Sleeve - cut 2

## **INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Apply fusible interfacing to the area of center front facing (one-piece with front).
2. Sew side backs to center back, press towards center and serge. Sew upper back to lower part, press towards top and serge.
3. Serge outer edge of center front facing. Fold center front facing onto right side along the marked line and sew upper edge up to notch. Clip into seam allowance near the notch, turn center front facing onto wrong side, straighten, press.
4. Sew side fronts to front, press seams towards center and serge. Sew upper front to lower front, clip into seam allowances near notches, press towards top and serge.
5. Sew side seams, press towards the back and serge. Sew shoulder seams, press the seam apart.
6. Sew shoulder and side edges of inner upper backs and inner upper fronts, press the seam apart. Serge the outer edge. Pin inner pieces to self right sides together and sew edge of back neckline, front neckline and tie. Clip into curves, trim away corners, turn right side out onto wrong side, straighten, press. Topstitch inner part into the seam of outer part. Baste together inner and outer pieces along the armhole edge.
7. Sew sleeve seam, serge and press. Sew sleeves into armholes, serge and press.
8. Serge hem of garment and hem of sleeve, press onto wrong side and topstitch.
9. Make buttonholes on right front, sew on buttons onto left front.

## **TECHNICAL DRAWING:**

