

# **Shirt - Sewing Pattern #4989**

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

You will also need: fusible interfacing; 10 buttons.

Seam allowances: Seam allowance for hem of garment and hem of sleeve – 1.5 cm; upper seam allowance of pocket – 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.



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. Center back cut 1
- 2. Side back cut 2
- 3. Back yoke cut 1
- 4. Front cut 1
- 5. Front inset cut 2
- 6. Front yoke cut 2



- 7. Placket cut 2
- 8. Sleeve cut 2
- 9. Sleeve decorative tab cut 2
- 10. Stand collar cut 2
- 11. Collar cut 2
- 12. Flap cut 4

## Fusible interfacing:

- 1. Stand collar cut 1
- 2. Placket cut 2
- 3. Collar cut 1
- 4. Flap cut 2

# **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- 1. Apply fusible interfacing.
- 2. Sew side backs to center back, serge seams and press towards center. Sew back yoke to yoke. Press seam towards yoke and serge. Serge hem of sleeve. Fold inside the seam allowance and topstitch.
- 3. Serge the upper edge of pocket. Fold seam allowance under and topstitch it along side edges. Fold inside side seam allowances inside and press. Pin pocket onto front according to markings and topstitch. Pin flaps together, right sides together, and sew along side and lower edges. Flap turn right side out and press. Pin flap onto front inset, right sides together (lower edge of flap is directed from the edge) and baste together along princess seam. Sew side front to front. Serge seam and press towards center.
- 4. Sew yoke to front. Serge and press onto yoke. Serge lower edge of front. Fold inside the seam allowance and topstitch.
- 5. Sew shoulder and side seams, press towards the back and serge.
- 6. Fold plackets in half lengthwise wrong sides together and press. Make buttonholes on right placket. Sew plackets to right side of front along longer edge, stop at 1 cm from the bottom. Snip into seam allowance on front, leaving 1 mm to the stitch line. Thread the ends of plackets inside and sew, fastening the lower edge. Serge seam allowances.
- 7. Pin upper collar to lower collar, right sides together. Sew ends of collar and collar fall. Trim seam allowances. Turn the collar right side out, straighten and press. Pin stand collars together, right sides together, put ready collar between them, adjust notches and sew, sewing ends of stand collar at the same time. Start and stop sewing exactly at the marked line of seam between stand collar and garment. Turn finished collar right side out and press. Sew upper stand collar into neckline. Turn inside the seam allowance of lower stand collar and stitch-in-the-ditch.

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- 8. Fold decorative tabs in half lengthwise right sides together and sew along longer and one shorter edge. Turn right side out, slashing seam allowances in corners, straighten and press. Serge raw shorter edge. Topstitch decorative tabs according to the markings onto the wrong side of sleeves.
- 9. Sew sleeve seams, press towards back and serge. Sew sleeves into armholes, serge and press.
- 10. Hem of sleeve serge, turn inside and topstitch.
- 11. Sew on buttons onto left front. Make buttonholes on decorative tabs, on stand collars, on flap. Sew on buttons on sleeves, stand collar, flap, placket.

# **TECHNICAL DRAWING:**



