

If the pattern has a double line around it, the seam allowances are included.

Note: By default, seam allowances are NOT included (single line) and will need to be added when laying out and cutting details.

Seam Allowance: 1 cm on all seams; hem guidelines are printed on pattern.

Important! Please print all the paper patterns and lay them out at the width of fabric you plan to use (usually from 90 to 150 cm) to see how much fabric you will need.

Don't forget to take into account pieces to be duplicated or cut on a fold. When sewing the garment, pay attention to notches. They must match up with corresponding pieces.

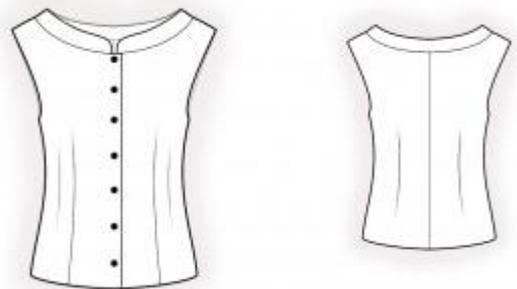
2434 Top with boat neck and mandarin collar

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

You will also need: fusible interfacing, 7 buttons.

CUTTING:

The word, "beam" used on some patterns means "straight of grain". Some pieces will be cut on the fold, this is noted on the pattern piece. Mark all notches and other design features such as darts, pleats etc. from the pattern onto your fabric.



Seam allowances: all seams 1 cm. Seam allowance for hem of garment – 2 cm.

Main fabric:

1. Back – cut 2
2. Front – cut 2
3. Collar – cut 2

Fusible interfacing:

1. Collar – cut 1

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply fusible interfacing to stand collar. Also apply fusible interfacing to the one-piece placket on front.

2. Sew waist darts on backs, press bulk towards center. Sew center back seam, press towards left and serge.
3. Sew princess seams on fronts, press towards center and serge. Sew waist darts on fronts, press bulk towards center.
4. Sew shoulder seams, press seams towards back and serge.
5. Pin stand collars together right sides together and sew outer edges. Clip into curves, turn stand collar right side out and press.
6. Serge the vertical edge of the one-piece front placket. Pin stand collar to neckline, right sides together, wrap the collar with the one-piece front placket and sew. Serge, turn placket onto wrong side, press.
7. Cut or use ready-made bias tape, its width should equal 4 cm and length should equal the length of armhole + 4 cm. Fold bias tape in half lengthwise right side out and press. Pin bias tape to armhole edge 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.
8. Sew side seams, press seams towards back and serge.
9. Serge hem of garment, press onto wrong side and topstitch.
10. Make buttonholes on right front, sew on buttons on left front.

Congratulations, your top is ready! :)