

Peasant Blouse YASMINA



Cut all pattern pieces according to the piece list, adding a seam allowance. Finish all edges.



Stitch the shoulder seams, right sides together. Fold the seam allowance toward the front piece and topstitch from the right side.

Close the shoulder seams of the neckline facings.



Attach the neckline facing to the neckline, right sides together and trim the seam allowance.

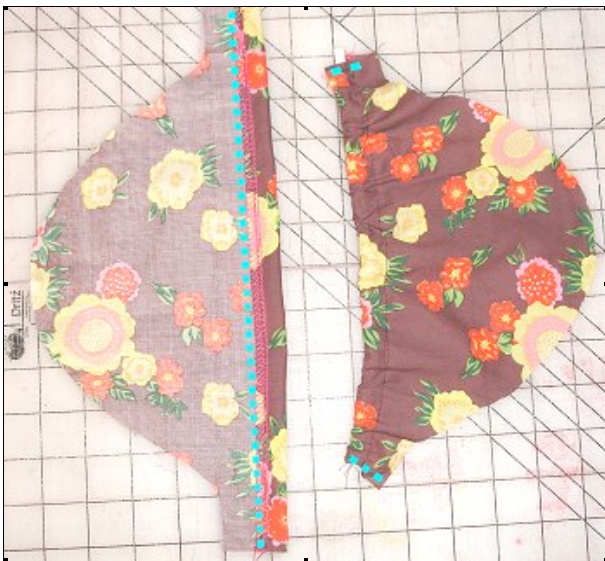


Pin the middle front edges one on top of the other and stitch to the mark, starting at the raw bottom edge.



Fold the seam allowance, incl. the facings, towards the fabric and topstitch at a distance of approx. 0.5 cm (1/4 in.).

Secure the slit end with a small bar tack at the base of the slit.



Fold the raw bottom edge of the sleeve inside and topstitch to form a casing at a distance of 1 cm (1/2 in.). Insert the elastic, such that the sleeve hem is slightly cinched and stitch the elastic ends to the seam allowance.



Stitch the sleeves.



Turn the neckline facing inside and stitch a casing at a distance of approx. 1.5 cm (5/8 in.).



Stitch the sleeve and side seam in one continuous motion.



Press the seam allowance of the narrow edges and upper edge of the casing strip to the fabric wrong side and stitch the narrow edges.



Pin the casing, flush with the bottom edge, to the upper piece.

In this casing will be inserted a tie. Decide where you would like the tie to show, in the front, in the back or at both the left and right sides.



Topstitch the upper edge of the casing and stitch the lower seam allowances one on top of the other.



As an alternative, instead of the casing you may want to attach a rectangular piece of fabric to afix the ties/ribbons.



Stitch the side seams of the lower blouse pieces right sides together. Gather the upper and ease to fit the upper bodice.

Hem the bottom edge. Alternatively, you might want to attach a second gathered flounce, such that the blouse becomes a dress 😊



Pin the lower part to the upper part, right sides together and stitch.



Insert the ribbons and embellish with beads if desired.



All done!