

3/2011 High-collared, Short Wedding Dress

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Materials

Duchesse

Step 1 — Preparation

Trace the pattern pieces from the pattern sheet. . Lengthen pieces 9 and 10 as indicated.

Seam and hem allowances:

Seams and edges 1.5 cm (5/8 in), hem 4 cm (15/8 ins), lining 1.5 cm (5/8 in).

Step 2 — Cutting Out



Duchesse:

1— 1centre front, on a fold 1x

2— 2side front 2x

3— 3centre back 2x

4— 4side back 2x

5— 5centre front skirt panel

6— with integrated sash, on a fold 1x

7— 7facing, on a fold 1x

8— 8inside centre front skirt panel,

9— on a fold 1x

10— 10side front skirt panel 2x

11— 11back skirt panel 2x

12— 12sash, on a fold 2x

13— 13standing collar, on a fold 2x

14— 14front armhole band 4x

13back armhole band 4x

Lining: piece 5 to lining line, and -pieces 1 to 4, 8, and 9.

Interfacing: See pattern layout.

Step 3 — Stitch front and back section seams on bodice. Stitch shoulder seams.

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Step 4 — Stitch outer collar piece to neck edge

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Step 5 — Stitch shoulder seams of armhole bands

Stitch shoulder seams of armhole bands. Lay each interfaced band unit on band unit with no interfacing, right sides together. Stitch together along outer (shorter) edge. Trim seam allowances. Turn bands right side out and press. Baste joining edges together edges of armholes, above seam mark.

Step 6 — Stitch section seams and shoulder seams on bodice lining

Stitch section seams and shoulder seams on bodice lining. Pin lining right sides together with front and back pieces. Stitch along edges of armholes, catching bands. Trim seam allowances. Turn bodice right side out by pulling backs through shoulder tunnels, to front. Press edges.

Step 7 — Lay bodice front and back right sides together and turn lining up

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Step 8 — Sash

Fold each sash lengthwise, right side facing in. Stitch along long edges and slanted end. Trim seam allowances. Turn sashes right side out and press. Gather straight ends of sashes to 10 cm (4 ins) wide. Baste sashes to integrated sashes on centre front skirt panel (seam number 10).

Step 9 — Skirt piece

Stitch facing right sides together with centre front skirt panel and integrated sashes. Begin and end stitching at seam mark on section seam edge, leave upper edge of facing open between seam marks, and catch basted sashes in seam. Trim seam allowances and clip at seam marks. Turn facing to inside. Press edges. Lay inside centre front skirt panel on facing side of centre front skirt panel, right fabric side down. Stitch lower edges of facing and inside skirt panel piece together. Stitch each side front skirt panel to inside centre front skirt panel, from upper edge (seam number 7), then stitch to centre front skirt panel, below marking. Press seam allowances open. Stitch side seams.

Step 10 — Stitch skirt to dress bodice

Gather upper edge of side front skirt panels and back skirt panels. Baste open upper edge of centre front skirt panel to upper edge of inside centre front skirt panel. Stitch skirt to dress bodice, not catching lining. Press seam allowances up.

Step 11 — Zipper

Sew invisible zip to back opening edges, beginning at upper edge of collar. Do not catch lining. Stitch centre back seam from lower edge to zip.

Step 12 — Face the collar

Lay inside collar piece right sides together with attached outer collar piece and pin. At zip slit, turn inside collar piece back, 5 mm (3/16 in) before marked seam line, and pin to upper edge. Lay allowances on slit edges of dress to outside and pin in place, over inside collar piece. Stitch along upper edge of collar. Turn inside collar piece and allowances on slit edges to inside.

Step 13 — Stitch seams of skirt lining

Stitch seams of skirt lining, leaving slit open, for zip. Gather upper edge of skirt lining, from front section -seams, leaving centre front piece ungathered. Place skirt lining inside dress, with wrong sides facing, and stitch to seam allowances of skirt joining seam, stitching as far as possible at slit. Turn in edges of skirt -lining and sew to zip tapes. Turn in edges of bodice lining and sew to zip tapes and to skirt joining seam. At neck edge, stitch lining to seam allowance of collar joining seam, without turning in, stitching as far as possible in back.

Step 14 — Collar piece

Turn under edge of inside collar piece and sew to joining seam and to zip tapes.

Step 15 — Hem

Press hem allowance to inside. Sew hem in place by hand. Hem lining so that it is approx. 2 cm (3/4 in) shorter than dress.

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