

## 3/2010 Top with Side Ruffle

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### Materials

Satin with burn-out pattern, and knit tulle

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## Step 1 — Preparation

Trace the pattern pieces from the pattern sheet. Trace the upper and centre flounces from piece 24 each as a separate pattern piece.

Seam and hem allowances:

Seams, edges and hem 1.5 cm (5/8 in).

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## Step 2 — Cutting Out



Outer top

Burn-out satin:

21 bust piece 2x

22 front, on a fold 1x

23 back, on a fold 1x

24 bottom flounce 1x

â— â— middle flounce 1x

â— â— top flounce 1x

a) bias binding strip for neck edge, a total of 109 â— 113 â— 116 â— 119 â— 122 cm (43 â— 44 1/2 â— 45 3/4 â— 47 â— 48 ins) long, 4.5 cm (17/8 ins) wide (incl. allowances),

b) 2 bias binding strips for armholes, 46 â— 47 â— 49 â— 50 â— 52 cm (18 1/8 â— 18 1/2 â— 19 1/4 â— 19 3/4 â— 20 1/2 ins) long, 4.5 cm (17/8 ins) wide (incl. allowances).

Inner top

Burn-out satin:

21 bust piece 2x

c) 2 bias binding strips for front neck edge, 29  $\hat{=}$  30  $\hat{=}$  31  $\hat{=}$  32  $\hat{=}$  33 cm (11 1/2  $\hat{=}$  12  $\hat{=}$  12 1/4  $\hat{=}$  12 3/4  $\hat{=}$  13 ins) long, 4.5 cm (17/8 ins) wide (incl. allowances),

d) 2 bias binding strips for front armhole edges, 23  $\hat{=}$  24  $\hat{=}$  24  $\hat{=}$  25  $\hat{=}$  25 cm (9 1/8  $\hat{=}$  9 1/2  $\hat{=}$  9 1/2  $\hat{=}$  10  $\hat{=}$  10 ins) long, 4.5 cm (17/8 ins) wide (incl. allowances).

Tulle:

22 front, on a fold 1x

23 back, on a fold 1x

e) bias binding strip for back neck edge, 57  $\hat{=}$  58  $\hat{=}$  60  $\hat{=}$  61  $\hat{=}$  62 cm (22 1/2  $\hat{=}$  23  $\hat{=}$  23 1/4  $\hat{=}$  23 3/4  $\hat{=}$  24  $\hat{=}$  24 1/2 ins) long, 4.5 cm (17/8 ins) wide (incl. allowances),

f) 2 bias binding strips for back armhole edges, 25  $\hat{=}$  26  $\hat{=}$  27  $\hat{=}$  28  $\hat{=}$  29 cm (10  $\hat{=}$  10 1/4  $\hat{=}$  10 3/4  $\hat{=}$  11 1/8  $\hat{=}$  11 1/2 ins) long, 4.5 cm (17/8 ins) wide (incl. allowances).

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### Step 3 — OUTER TOP-Bottom Flounce

On bottom flounce, neaten side edge below marking (clip seam allowance at marking), lower edge, and front edge with closely spaced zigzag stitching. Press allowance to wrong side of fabric. Work from right side of garment to stitch along fold edge with short, closely spaced zigzag stitching. On inside, carefully trim allowance close to zigzag stitching. Neaten lower and front edges of middle flounce and side and lower edges of top flounce with closely spaced zigzag stitching.

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### Step 4 — OUTER TOP- Middle and Bottom Flounces

Lay middle flounce on bottom flounce with wrong side facing right side. Baste together along upper and side edges. Gather upper edge to 21.5  $\hat{=}$  22  $\hat{=}$  23  $\hat{=}$  24  $\hat{=}$  25 cm (8 1/2  $\hat{=}$  8 3/4  $\hat{=}$  9 1/8  $\hat{=}$  9 1/2  $\hat{=}$  10 ins) long and gather side edge to 12 cm (4 3/4 ins) long, between asterisks. Lay bottom and middle flounce on right half of front, with wrong side facing right side. Baste to side edge and to upper edge, up to centre front. Gather upper edge of top flounce and baste to front, over middle and bottom flounce. Baste narrow front edge of top flounce to upper edge of left half of front, from centre front.

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### Step 5 — OUTER TOP- Sew shoulder seams as French seams (double seam)

First lay fabric pieces together, wrong sides facing. Stitch the 1.5 cm (5/8 in) -seam allowances together, 7 mm (1/4 in) from edge). Press seam allowances open. Then lay -pieces right sides facing  $\hat{=}$  the seam lies exactly along the fold. Now stitch 8 mm (a generous 1/4 in) from fold edge, along marked seam line. Press seam allowances to one side.

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### Step 6 — OUTER TOP-Bind neck edge

Trim away seam allowance on neck edge. Clip back into point of neck edge, 7 mm (1/4 in) long. Spread back neck edge open to a straight line. Fold binding strip in half lengthwise and press, right side facing out. Pin folded binding strip to neck edge. Stitch strip to neck edge, 7 mm (1/4 in) from edge. Fold binding strip over edge to inside and baste over joining seam. Edgestitch binding in place. At point of neck edge, mitre binding on inside.

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## **Step 7 — OUTER TOP- Armholes**

Bind armhole edges as described for neck edge.

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## **Step 8 — OUTER TOP-Bust pieces**

Fold allowance on upper point of front down horizontally and press. Gather bust pieces between asterisks. Stitch bust pieces to front — neck edges meet at centre front. Press seam allowances of joining seams down.

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## **Step 9 — OUTER TOP-Twisting shoulders**

Twist shoulders of top by pulling lower edge of back through the neck opening, from outside to inside.

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## **Step 10 — OUTER TOP-Sew right side seam as a French seam**

Sew right side seam as a French seam.

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## **Step 11 — OUTER TOP-Zipper**

Sew invisible zip to left side edges, beginning at armhole edge. Turn in top ends of zip tapes and sew in place. Stitch left side seam from hem edge to zip.

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## **Step 12 — OUTER TOP-Hem**

Neaten hem edge with closely spaced zigzag stitching.

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## **Step 13 — INNER TOP**

Sew in same manner as for outer top, omitting flounces. Stitch binding strips for neck edge and armhole edges, of two different fabrics, together so that seams exactly meet shoulder seams of top. Omit zip.

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## **Step 14 — Sew tops together**

Turn finished outer top wrong side out. Pull finished inner top over outer top, with right side facing wrong side. At right armhole edge, sew edges together at top of side seams, with a few stitches. On left side, sew slit edges of inner top to zip tapes.

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