

# 10/2011 Dress with Peter Pan collar

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## Materials

Wool crpe

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### Step 1 — Preparation



Paper cut for ANSI A (German DIN A4) prints:

This pattern is printed on 8.5 × 11 sheets of plain paper. Do not scale or center pages before printing. Wait until all sheets are printed out before beginning to tape them together. **Do not cut out pattern pieces yet**— Arrange the sheets on a large, hard, flat surface so that they fit together, matching up like numbers and letters (i.e. 6A to 6A). To tape pattern together, fold under the margin of one piece (6A) and tape right against the line of it's matching number/letter (6A).

Trace the pattern pieces from the pattern sheet following the lines and markings for model 115 and the right size. This pattern runs in the sizes 36, 38, 40, 42, 44.

The pattern for this dress can also be used to make [model 114](#) and [model 115](#)

Please note that pattern pieces 1 is not needed for this project as it is the center front piece for model 114 and 115.

**burda style magazine pattern do not have seam allowance included.**  
Seam and hem allowances to be added: Seams and edges 1.5 cm (5/8 in).

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### Step 2 — Cutting out



Main fabric:

Pattern piece 2 – Center front piece, cut on fold x1

Pattern piece 3 – Side front piece, cut x2

Pattern piece 4 – Back piece, cut x2

Pattern piece 5 – Sleeve piece, cut x2

Pattern piece 6 – Collar, cut x4

Pattern piece 7 – Front neck facing, cut on fold x1

Pattern piece 8 – Back neck facing, cut x2

Also draft and cut the following pieces, not on the pattern sheet:

a) 2 sleeve cuff bands, cut in the following dimensions: (plus seam allowance)

size 36: 28,5 cm x 4 cm (11 1/4 in x 1 1/2 in)

size 38: 29,5 cm x 4 cm (11 3/4 in x 1 1/2 in)

size 40: 30,5 cm x 4 cm (12 in x 1 1/2 in)

size 42: 31,5 cm x 4 cm (12 1/2 in x 1 1/2 in)

size 44: 32,5 cm x 4 cm (12 7/8 in x 1 1/2 in)

Finished width 2 cm (3/4 in)

b) Hem band, 2 pieces in the dimensions: (plus seam allowance)

size 36: 55,5 cm x 4 cm (11 1/4 in x 1 1/2 in)

size 38: 57,5 cm x 4 cm (11 3/4 in x 1 1/2 in)

size 40: 59,5 cm x 4 cm (12 in x 1 1/2 in)

size 42: 61,5 cm x 4 cm (12 1/2 in x 1 1/2 in)

size 44: 63,5 cm x 4 cm (12 7/8 in x 1 1/2 in)  
Finished width 2 cm (3/4 in)

c) Back half belt, cut x1 in the following dimensions:  
19 cm x 13 cm (7 1/2 in x 5 1/4 in), finished width 6,5 cm (2 3/8 in)

For the Burda style magazine project, they cut some of the pieces in black and some in white. The white pieces were the collar pieces, the hem band and the sleeve cuff bands.

Interfacing:

Cut interfacing for and iron onto wrong sides of collar, facing, sleeve cuffs and hem band pieces.

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### **Step 3 — Darts and center front**

Sew the darts from the inside of the garment. Press the bust darts down and press the back darts toward the center back.

Lay side front pieces on the center front piece, right sides facing, and line up the seams (seam 3). Pin in place and sew. Trim and neaten seam allowance and press toward center front.

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### **Step 4 — Zipper**

Sew the invisible zipper to the back opening edges. Stitch the center back seam from the lower edge to the zipper.

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### **Step 5 — Hem band, side, shoulder and facing seams**

Pin and stitch the hem bands to the lower edges of front and back pieces, right sides facing. Press the seam allowances open and trim to 7 mm (1/4 in).

Line up, pin and stitch the side and shoulder seams (right sides facing). Trim the seam allowance and either neaten together and press onto back or press open.

Stitch the shoulder seams on the facing pieces together with right sides facing in.  
Press the seam allowance open.

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### **Step 6 — Collar**

For each collar half, Lay two collar pieces together, pin and sew together along outer edges. Trim seam allowances to about half the width. Turn collar halves right sides out and press. Tack joining edges together. Tack each collar half to neck edge, starting from center back and then meeting at center front.

Stitch the back corners of collar in place with a few stitches by hand.

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## Step 7 — Facing neck edge

Line up and pin the facing right sides together with the neck edge, catching the collar between the two.

At the zipper opening, turn ends of facing back, approx. 5 mm (3/16 in) before the marked seam line, and pin to neck edge. At opening edges of dress, turn allowances to outside and pin in place, over facing. Stitch along the neck edge.

Turn facing up and top stitch together with the seam allowance, on the right side of the facing, along the joining seam, as close to seam as possible. Turn the facing and opening edges to inside. Sew facing to zipper tapes and to shoulder seams.

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## Step 8 — Sleeves

Stitch the sleeve bands to the lower sleeve edges, right sides facing. Trim the seam allowances to 7 mm (1/4 in) and press open.

Line up the sleeve seams with right side of fabric facing in, pin and stitch the sleeve seams. Trim and neaten allowance together and press onto back.

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## Step 9 — Hem

Fold the hem bands, both the dress hem and sleeve hem, to inside, 2 cm (3/4 in) below joining seam and press. Sew the inside edges in place by hand.

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## Step 10 — Sleeve caps

To ease each sleeve cap, stitch two lines of machine tacking (longest stitch setting) to each side of the marked seam line. From  $\hat{a}-\phi$  to  $\hat{a}-\phi$ . Do not yet pull bobbin thread. Turn the garment inside out and set in sleeves in each armhole, right sides facing each other. Ease the sleeve cap by pulling the bobbin thread on the long stitch until it fits the sleeve opening. Make sure to match up the markings. Pin down and stitch around the armhole opening. Trim allowances to 7 mm (1/4 in) and neaten together. Turn garment back to the right side and press the armhole seam, pressing the allowance out into the sleeve.

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## Step 11 — Half-belt

Fold back half-belt lengthwise, right sides facing in. Stitch along long edge and across ends, leaving a section of the seam open, for turning. Turn half-belt right side out. Sew opening closed. Lay half-belt on dress back, at abutting lines. Sew ends of half-belt in place, with one button on each side.

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