

09/2011 Long Skirt Plus Size

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Long Skirt plus size sewing pattern. burda style magazine patterns FAQ

Materials

Washed linen

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).

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).

see example here: <http://www.burdastyle.com/projects/072011-jumpsuit/instructions/1>

Step 2 — Cutting out



21 skirt panel 4x

22 pleat underlay, on a fold 2x

a) waistband with 3 cm (1 1/4 in) underlap, 87 — 91 — 97 — 103 — 109 cm (3 1/4 — 36 — 38 1/4 — 40 3/4 — 43 ins) long, 4 cm (1 1/2 ins) wide, finished width 2 cm (3/4 in).

Interfacing: Iron to wrong side of waistband.

Step 3 — Pleats

Work from inside to stitch pleats in skirt panels, from upper edge to pleat arrow and baste pleats below arrows. Lay pleats in direction of arrows and press. Baste to upper edge. On vertical front edges of skirt, lay integrated pleat fold to inside on fold line and press fold edge. Pin skirt panels to pleat underlay pieces — fold edges meet abutting lines. Stitch vertical edges together on inside, ending stitching approx. approx. 10 cm (4 ins) above hem line. Baste pleat underlays to upper edge of skirt.

Step 4 — Right seams

Stitch right side seam. Press seam allowances open.

Step 5 — Zip

Sew invisible zip to left opening edges. Stitch left side seam from lower edge to zip opening.

Step 6 — Waistband

Stitch waistband to upper skirt edge, with underlap extending at back opening edge. Press allowances of joining seam onto waistband. Fold waistband in half lengthwise, right side in. Stitch across front end. On underlap, lay joining seam allowances down again. Stitch along lower edge of underlap and back end of waistband. Turn waistband right side out. Turn in inside edge of waistband, approx. 4 cm (15/8 ins) long, and baste, then lay remaining edge flat over joining seam. Work from right side to stitch along joining seam, catching inside edge of waistband. Work buttonhole in front end of waistband.

Step 7 — Pleats

Undo basting at pleats. Press hem allowance of skirt and pleat underlays to inside and stitch 3 cm (11/4 in) from edge. Stitch remaining inside pleat seams. Turn bottom ends of allowances under at an angle and sew together. Press pleats in hem again.

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