

3/2011 Embroidered/Lace Wedding Gown

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Materials

Broderie Anglaise/Eyelet Fabric, Tulle

Step 1 — Preparation

Trace the pattern pieces from the pattern sheet.

Seam and hem allowances:

Seams and edges 1.5 cm (5/8 in), hem 4 cm (15/8 ins) (also on lining), no allowance on lower edges of tulle skirt panels.

Step 2 — Cutting Out



Broderie anglaise:

21 front, on a fold 1x

22 back 2x

a) front skirt panel, 116 cm (453/4 ins) -wide and 104 cm (41 ins) long,

b) 2 back skirt panels, 58 cm (23 ins) wide, 104 cm (41 ins) long,

c) sash, a total of 2.00 — 2.10 — 2.10 — 2.20 — 2.20 m (80 — 84 — 84 — 88 — 88 ins) long, 22 cm (83/4 ins) wide, -finished width 11 cm (43/8 ins).

Batiste (lining): pieces 21 and 22 and also pieces a and b.

Tulle:

2 front skirt panels, each 116 cm (453/4 ins) -wide, and 4 back skirt -panels, each 58 cm (23 ins) wide, all 104 cm (41 ins) long.

Step 3 — Darts

Stitch darts in bodice front and back pieces of outer fabric and lining. Press vertical darts toward centre and press bust darts down.

Step 4 — Neck and armhole edges, shoulder seams

Pin lining pieces right sides together with bodice front and back pieces. Stitch along neck edge and armhole edges, beginning and ending 2 cm (3/4 in) below each shoulder seam line. Trim seam allowances. Clip curves close to stitching. Turn lining on back pieces (not front) to inside. Slip back shoulder edges between the as yet unturned front shoulder edges — right fabric sides of front and back and of lining are facing. Stitch shoulder seams of outer fabric and of lining. Pull the back which lies inside and the lining up and out slightly and press seam allowances open. This will be easier if you slip the handle of a wooden spoon under each seam. Then stitch remaining open edges together. Pull backs down out of front shoulder edges and the front lining piece will turn itself to the inside. Stitch lining at neck edge and arm-hole edges to seam allowances, as far as possible, close to seam. Press neck and armhole edges.

Step 5 — Lay bodice front and back pieces right sides facing and turn lining up

Lay bodice front and back pieces right sides facing and turn lining up. Stitch side seams of outer fabric and lining as continuous seams. Lay lining down again. Baste bodice and lining together along back and lower edges.

Step 6 — Stitch side seams of skirt and stitch skirt to bodice

Stitch side seams of skirt. For the zip, measure and mark 20 cm (8 ins) down from upper edge on skirt backs. Gather upper edge of skirt to match edge of bodice. Stitch skirt to bodice. Press seam allowances up.

Step 7 — Zipper

Sew invisible zip to back edges, as far as marking. Leave ends of zip tapes extending at neck edge. Turn under top ends of zip tapes and sew in place. Stitch centre back seam from lower edge to zip.

Step 8 — Press hem allowance to inside

Press hem allowance to inside. Stitch 2.5 cm (1 in) from lower fold edge.

Step 9 — Stitch seams of skirt lining

Stitch seams of skirt lining, leaving opening for zip 2 cm (3/4 in) longer than on outer fabric. Press allowances on edges of slit to inside. Gather upper edge of skirt lining. Turn in hem allowance of lining and stitch in place.

Step 10 — Stitch seams of tulle skirts as for skirt lining

Stitch seams of tulle skirts as for skirt lining. Lay tulle skirts one over the other. Baste upper edges together and gather. Lay skirt lining over tulle skirts, with wrong side facing right side, and baste upper edges together. Place skirt lining with tulle skirts inside dress so that tulle skirts lie between lining and outer fabric. Stitch skirt lining and tulle skirts to seam allowance of skirt joining seam, stitching as close to zip as possible. Sew remaining edge in place by hand.

Step 11 — Sash

Fold sash piece lengthwise, right side facing in. Trim ends at angles. Stitch edges of sash together, leaving a section of seam open, for turning. Trim seam allowances. Turn sash right side out and press edges. Sew seam opening closed.

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