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performance Blouse

Sewing Level 2

You need:

- Pfaff performance²⁰⁵⁸ Sewing Machine
- Burda Pattern 8516 or your favourite blouse pattern with centre front seam.
- Fabric according to pattern
- Sewing Thread
- Aqua Magic (620 00 04-96)
- Embroidery Threads in different colours
- Air erasable fabric marker
- Pins

Pfaff Accessory:

2A Fancy Stitch Foot (820254-096) or
Open-Toe Appliqué Foot (820213-096)
Seam Guide Foot w/IDT (820772-096)

You can find these and many other accessories in the Pfaff Accessory Catalogue or on our website www.Pfaff.com for purchase at your nearest Pfaff Dealer.

1 Paper pattern

Use required pattern pieces from the purchased sewing pattern. Check your pattern to be sure seam allowances are included. If not, add 1.5 cm (5/8") seam allowance.

2. Cutting

Cut out the pieces for the blouse, (except for arm straps), following the instructions included with the sewing pattern.

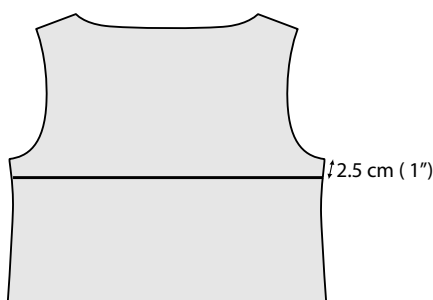
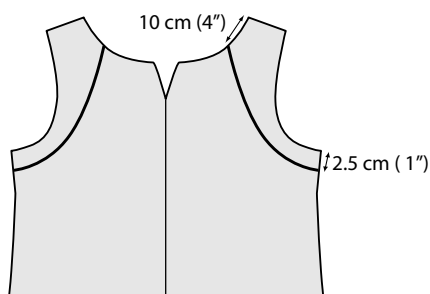
Cut the neckline straps wider - 3.5 cm x 53 cm (1 1/2" x 12 5/8").

3. Sewing

Pin and sew the side seams of the blouse together, leaving approx. 20 cm (8") open on both side seams for slit. Pin and sew the side seams of the sleeves together and press the seam allowance open.

4. Embellishing

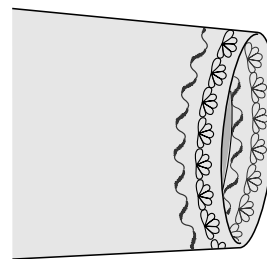
Mark a line for the decorative stitches. With marking pen draw a curved line from the right front neckline 10 cm (4") below shoulder seam to 2.5 cm (1") below armhole at side seam. Continue across the back to 2.5 cm (1") below the armhole on the opposite side seam and up to the left front neckline 10 cm (4") below shoulder seam.



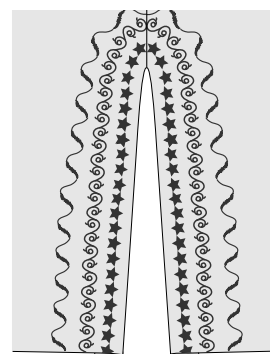
Attach 2A Fancy Stitch Foot or Open-Toe Appliqué Foot. Change to embroidery thread and select a decorative stitch. Place water soluble stabilizer behind the fabric. Sew the decorative stitch on the marked line around the blouse. Sew another decorative stitch approx. 6mm (1/4") from the previous stitch. Sew five more rows of decorative stitches 6mm (1/4") from the previous stitch.

Sew the centre front seam together leaving approx. 7.5 cm (3") open at neckline.

Fold and press 1.5 cm (5/8") for the hem on both sleeves. Back the fabric with water soluble stabilizer. Sew two rows of decorative stitches around the hem 6mm (1/4") apart.



Press the seam allowance to the wrong side on the side slit opening. Back the fabric with water soluble stabilizer. Sew three rows of decorative stitches around the opening 6mm (1/4") apart. Start each row at the top of the slit and sew down to the hem. You may need to mirror image the stitch for sewing the opposite side of the slit.



Fold and press the strap into a three fold piece and sew a decorative stitch in the centre of the strap.

Attach the Seam Guide Foot for an even seam allowance. Pin and sew the shoulder seams together. Continue to sew the blouse according to the sewing pattern instruction.

Wash garment to remove water soluble stabilizer.

Finished!