

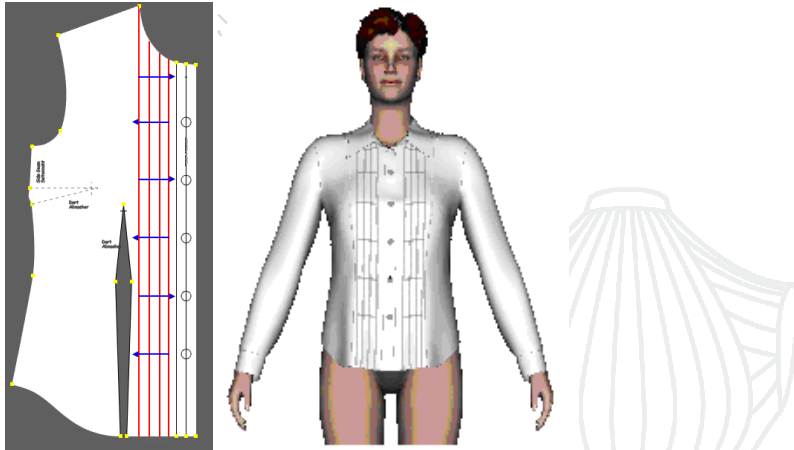
Tucked-front blouse

Simulated 3D view

The tucked-front blouse can be computer-simulated on one's personal model.

To view what the tucks will look like, place 4 straight lines lengthways between waist dart and button placket.

It's better to remove them again after the simulated view. The lines may be confusing later on when altering the style by hand.



Cutting out

Since the collar is cut twice to fold, the collar pattern piece can be cut into half at the centre back, resulting in two separate pattern pieces.

Stitching down the tucks

When arranging the tucks and stitching across them, take care that the bottom set of tucks opens towards the side seam. This looks more attractive.

Cut the shoulder lines and neckline with ample allowance and stitch the tucks in place. Then, place the pattern piece on the fabric and adjust shoulder and neckline accordingly.

Sewing aids

Use the edgestitch foot no. 10 to aid with narrow edgestitching.

The walking foot no. 50 is ideal for soft, fine, transparent or checked fabrics which tend to shift easily.