

If the pattern has a double line around it, the seam allowances are included.

Note: By default, seam allowances are NOT included (single line) and will need to be added when laying out and cutting details.

Seam Allowance: 1 cm on all seams; hem guidelines are printed on pattern.

Important! Please print all the paper patterns and lay them out at the width of fabric you plan to use (usually from 90 to 150 cm) to see how much fabric you will need.

Don't forget to take into account pieces to be duplicated or cut on a fold. When sewing the garment, pay attention to notches. They must match up with corresponding pieces.

2517 Long cardigan with draped collar

Recommendations on fabric: natural/mixed well draping knit fabric of medium or high stretchiness.

You will also need: 2 buttons.

CUTTING:

The word, "beam" used on some patterns means "straight of grain". Some pieces will be cut on the fold, this is noted on the pattern piece. Mark all notches and other design features such as darts, pleats etc. from the pattern onto your fabric.

Seam allowances: seam allowance for hem of garment and hem of sleeve – 2.0 cm, other seams 1 cm.

Main fabric:

1. Center back – cut 1 on fold
2. Side back – cut 2
3. Center front – cut 2
4. Side front – cut 2
5. Sleeve – cut 2
6. Center front facing – cut 2
7. Back neck facing – cut 1
8. Belt – cut 4



INSTRUCTIONS:

Advice: sew knit pieces with special elastic/zig-zag stitches. If you use an overlock, cut seam allowances to 0.6-0.8 cm width. Topstitch hem allowances with double needle to save elasticity.

1. Sew the side backs to center back. Press seams towards center and serge.
2. Pin belts together pairwise, right sides together, and sew along all edges excluding the princess seam edge. Trim seam allowances, turn right side out and press.
3. Sew side fronts to front, inserting belts. Press seams towards center and serge.
4. Sew shoulder and side seams, press seams towards back and serge.
5. Sew center collar seam. Press seam apart. Sew collar into back neckline, clipping into seam allowances near corners.
6. Sew sleeve seams, press seams towards back and serge. Sew sleeves into armholes, matching notches, serge, and press.
7. Sew shoulder seams facings and center front facings, press seam apart. Sew the center collar seam on the center front facing. Press seam apart. Sew collar into neckline facings, clipping into seam allowance near corner. Serge the outer edge of buttonstand and facings. Pin the center front facing to garment right sides together and sew around center front and collar. Clip seam allowances, turn right side out and press. Slipstitch seam allowances of collars together.
8. Sew lower corner to center front facing. Serge lower edge of garment. Press onto wrong side and topstitch.
9. Make buttonholes on belt. Make a vertical buttonhole on the right belt. Thread in the left belt through the vertical buttonhole, arrange pleats, adjust width, and sew on buttons.

Congratulations, your cardigan is ready! :)