

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.

4956 Sweater with Shawl Collar and Pockets

Recommendations on fabric: natural/mixed stable knit fabric with medium stretchiness and heavier weight.

You will also need: 3 buttons; knit fusible interfacing.

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 along hem of garment and hem of sleeve – 2 cm, other seams 1 cm.

Main fabric:

1. Front – cut 1
2. Back – cut 1 on fold
3. Collar – cut 4
4. Sleeve – cut 2
5. Pocket welt and pocket bags – cut 2

Fusible interfacing:

1. Collar – cut 2
2. Pocket welt – cut 2

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. Mark the position of the pocket. Press welt in half lengthwise, wrong sides together. Topstitch the small pocket bag onto the inner side of the welt. Sew the welt to the front along the lower marked line of the pocket. Sew the large pocket bag to the front along the upper marked line of the pocket. Stop stitching near the short marking lines of the pocket. Slash through the pocket opening. Snip diagonally toward the end of stitching 1–1.5 cm from the end of the pocket opening. Turn the welt and large pocket bag onto the wrong side through the opening. Sew double backstitch lines near the corners to secure the pocket ends. Sew together the edges of the pocket bags.
2. Cut (or use ready-made) bias tape, 2.5 cm wide and 13 cm long for loop buttonholes. Fold the tape in half lengthwise, right sides together, and stitch 0.3 cm from the fold. Trim seam allowances close to the seam, turn the tape right side out, and straighten the rolled piece. Cut into three parts. Adjust the length of the loops.
3. Apply fusible interfacing to collars. Sew collars along the center seam in pairs, press seams open. Pin collars together, right sides facing, and sew along the collar fall, inserting loop buttonholes on the right side according to markings. Turn the collar right side out and press. Pin the right collar onto the left collar and baste together along the lower edge.
4. Sew a gathering stitch along the upper edge of the center front and gather fullness. Sew the collar to the front, serge, and press.
5. Sew shoulder seams, serge, and press.
6. Sew the collar into the back neckline, clipping corners. Serge and press.
7. Sew sleeves into armholes, matching notches. Serge and press. Sew sleeve seams and continue with side seams in one step. Serge and press.
8. Serge the lower edge of the garment and the lower edge of the sleeves. Fold onto the wrong side, press, and topstitch.
9. Sew on buttons according to markings. Slipstitch the left part of the collar into the seam from the wrong side.

Congratulations – your sweater are finished! :)