

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.

## 5812 Long Jersey Cardigan with Tie Closure

Recommendations on fabric: natural / mixed knitted fabric of low or middle stretchiness.

You will also need: fusing.

### 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: along the edge of buttonstand, along the edge of the garment and hem of sleeve – 2 cm, all other seams 1 cm.

### Main fabric:

1. Back part – 2 details
2. Front part – 2 details
3. Sleeve – 2 details
4. Panel – 2 details
5. Back neckline facing – 1



## 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. Apply fusible interfacing to the back neckline facing.
2. Sew the center back seam. Serge and press the seam. Serge the outer edge of the facing. Stitch the facing to the back neckline, turn it to the wrong side, and press.
3. Fold the tie panel in half lengthwise, right sides together, and stitch from the notch downward along the long side and one short side. Clip the seam allowance near the notch, turn the panel right side out, straighten, and press.
4. Serge the edge of the buttonstand, fold it to the inside, and topstitch. Stitch the tie panel to the front piece, serge the seam, and press toward the side seam.
5. Sew the shoulder seams of the back and front pieces. Serge the seams and press them toward the back. Fold the short edges of the facings inward and tack them to the shoulder seam.
6. Sew the side seams of the back and front pieces. Serge the seams and press them toward the back.
7. Sew the sleeve seams. Serge and press them.
8. Set in the sleeves, matching notches. Serge and press the seams.
9. Serge the garment hem and sleeve hems. Fold to the wrong side, press, and topstitch.

Congratulations, your cardigan is ready! :)