

Knit Pants - Sewing Pattern #6140

Recommendations on fabric: natural/mixed knit fabric of small stretchiness.

You will also need: elastic tape; cord for the waistband.

Seam allowances: all seams 1 cm, seam allowance along the hem 2 cm.

Note on seam allowances:

- If the pattern has double contour the seam allowances are included. They are 1 cm unless specified otherwise.
- If the pattern has single contour, the seam allowances are NOT included and need to be added when laying out the pattern.

Note on length of fabric:

Attention! The amount of fabric needed for your pattern is not included. It will depend on the selected pattern size, the width, and design of the fabric you plan to use. First, print all the paper patterns and lay them out at the width of fabric you plan to use (usually from 90 to 150 cm). Measure how much fabric you will need. Don't forget to account for pieces that need to be cut multiple times and pieces that are cut on the fold.

Note on working with stretchy fabric:

Knitted fabric pieces are sewn together with special elastic or narrow zig-zag stitch. Seam allowance on hems can be stitched with twin needles to save stretchiness. Pieces can also be sewn together with a serger. When serging, cut seam allowances to 0.6 – 0.8 cm.

CUTTING:

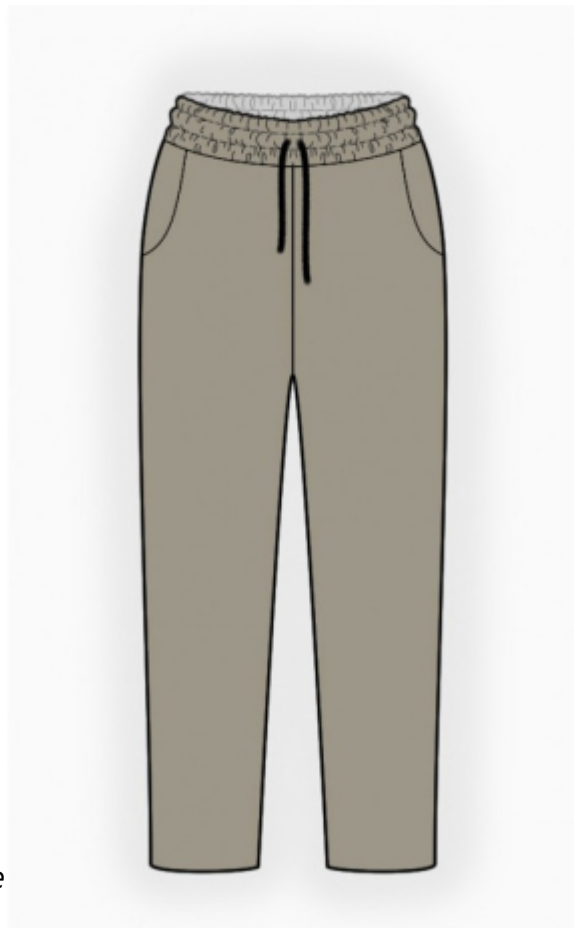
Note on cutting:

On the pattern pieces, "beam" means straight of grain. Lay out your pieces accordingly. Some pieces will be cut on the fold. This is noted on the pattern piece. Mark all notches and other design features such as pleats etc. from the pattern onto your fabric.

When sewing the garment, pay attention to notches, they must match up.

Main fabric:

1. Back half – cut 2



2. Front half - cut 2
3. Back belt - cut 1
4. Front belt - cut 1
5. Side - cut 2
6. Pocket bag - cut 2

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Pin pocket bag onto front half and sew the pocket opening with a straight stitch line. Clip into curves, fold pocket bag onto wrong side, topstitch seam allowances onto pocket bag at 0.1 cm and press.
2. Pin front half onto side according to markings. Sew pocket bag to side, serge. Baste pocket bag to front half along the upper and side edges.
3. Sew center seam on back halves, press towards left and serge. Sew center seam on front halves, press towards left and serge.
4. Sew side seams, seam allowances press towards back and serge. Sew the inside leg edges, seam allowances press towards back and serge.
5. Mark the stitch lines for the elastic tape on the waistband. Install 2 eyelets for the cord on the front waistband, or make button loops. Sew the waistband into a ring. Sew the elastic band into a ring. Press belt in half lengthwise right side out. Insert elastic band into the belt, stretch it to the waistband's length and sew 2 decorative stitch lines. Sew belt to the pants. Thread cord.
6. Serge hem of pants, press onto wrong side and topstitch.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

