

Sweatshirt With Patch Pockets - Sewing Pattern #2233

Recommendations on fabric: natural/mixed knit fabric of small stretchiness. Synthetic silk, atlas in matching colours.

You will also need : fusible interfacing; decorative cord (approximate length is given on the front pattern piece).

Seam allowances: all seams 1 cm; seam allowance for hem of garment and hem of sleeve - 2.0 cm. Upper seam allowance of pocket - 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 - cut 1 on fold

- 2. Front - cut 1 on fold
- 3. Sleeve - cut 2

Silk:

- 1. Stand collar - cut 1
- 2. Pocket - cut 2

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Apply fusible interfacing to seam allowance along upper edge of pocket.
- 2. Sew darts on front, press bulk towards top.
- 3. Serge pocket around all edges. Fold under the seam allowance of the upper edge and topstitch. Fold inside side and lower seam allowance onto wrong side, pin onto front according to markings and topstitch.
- 4. Sew side and shoulder seams, press towards the back and serge.
- 5. Make buttonholes on stand collar. Sew stand collar into a ring, press the seam allowances apart. Pin together stand collar in half lengthwise and press. Sew a stitch along upper edge stand collars at 1.5 cm, making a wide casing. Sew stand collar to neckline. Serge.
- 6. Sew sleeve seam, press towards the back and serge. Sew sleeves into armholes matching notches and adjusting ease, serge and press.
- 7. Serge seam allowance for hem of garment and hem of sleeve, press onto wrong side and topstitch.
- 8. Thread in the cord into stand collar, slightly gathering fullness.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

