Cardigan - Sewing Pattern #4791

Recommendations on fabric: thin stable natural/mixed fabric suitable for coats. Neoprene.



You will also need: fusible interfacing; thin raglan shoulder pads; 5 buttons.

Seam allowances: all seams 1 cm. Seam allowance for hem of garment and hem of sleeve - 3.0 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.

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 yoke – cut 1
2. Back – cut 2
3. Side – cut 2
4. Front – cut 2
5. Front yoke – cut 2
6. Stand collar – cut 2
7. Back neck facing – cut 1

8. Center front facing – cut 2
9. Upper sleeve – cut 2
10. Lower sleeve – cut 2
11. Pocket bag – cut 4

Fusible interfacing: inner stand collar, center front facing, back neck facing.

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Apply fusible interfacing.

2. Sew center back seam, press the seam apart. Sew yoke to back, press seam allowances towards yoke.

3. Sew front darts, press bulk towards top. Sew yoke to front, press seam allowances towards yoke. Sew pocket bags to side and to front.

4. Sew side to back, press the seam apart. Sew side together with pocket bag to front, press the seam apart.

5. Sew shoulder seams, press towards the back.

6. Pin together parts of stand collar, right sides together and sew upper edge. Turn stand collar right side out and press. Sew the stand collar into neckline.

7. Sew shoulder seams of central front facings and facings, press the seam apart. Pin button stands (center front facings) onto self right sides together, and sew along center fronts and neckline. Clip into curves, trim away corners. Turn the center front facings onto wrong side, straighten, press.

8. Stitch the elbow and front sleeve seams and press them open. Sew sleeves into armholes matching notches.

9. Press hem of garment and hems of sleeves onto wrong sides and finish with hidden stitches. Sew shoulder pads.

10. Make buttonholes on right front, sew on buttons onto left front.

TECHNICAL DRAWING:

