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Instructions
for sewing

Oysho Cardigan

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Skill level



Materials and notions



- sweater knit
- silicone tape 4-6 mm (3/16") wide
- matching thread
- Jersey 80–90 needles

If you are not sure about the fit of the garment, it is recommended to sew a muslin with similar properties (elasticity, thickness, drape) first. This will allow you

to adjust the length, width and fit of the garment and save time.



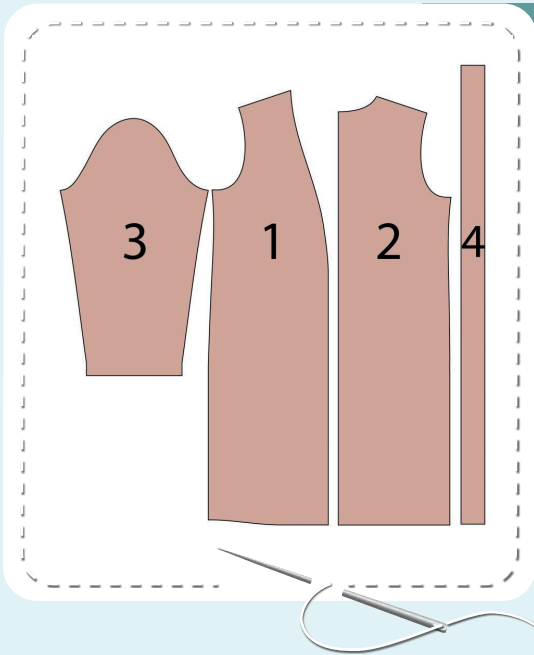
To find out what amount of fabric to take, you should place the pattern pieces onto the table, the floor or bedspread, pre-measured width equal to half the width of the selected fabric. Place the pieces, caring the direction of the grain line, their number, i.e., the way you will place them when cutting. Measure the length of the pattern pieces fit, add to this length 5% for the fabric shrinkage - this will be the required amount of fabric for the project. Before beginning your sewing project, wash the fabric in warm water, dry and

iron it.

How to cut: Print and glue all the paper patterns. When printing, do not forget to check the size of the test square. Put the paper pattern pieces onto the fabric. It's important to check that the grain is straight. Pin the paper pattern pieces to the fabric gently and cut the fabric along the outline. Note: seam allowances are already included. Transfer all the marks from the pattern onto the wrong side of your fabric.



Now you have



CARDIGAN PIECES:

1. front - cut 2
2. back - cut 1 on the fold
3. sleeve - cut 2
4. front placket - cut 2

Construction

Symbols



straight stitch



the stitch length in (mm)



flat lock stitch



zigzag stitch



the stitch width in (mm)



3-Step Zigzag Seam Finishing



unilateral zipper presser foot



universal presser foot



invisible zipper presser foot



pinning

You should lockstitch the seam and trim the thread tails or tie the seam thread tails and hide them into the seam after sewing a serger stitch or cover seaming chain stitch.



double welting (piping) presser foot



3-thread serger stitch



4-thread serger stitch

NOTE

A

4-thread serger stitch

If you do not have a serger, you can use stretch stitches available on your sewing machine, or at least, a zigzag stitch.

B

3-thread serger stitch

If you do not have a serger, you can replace it with an overedge stitch, or a zigzag stitch.

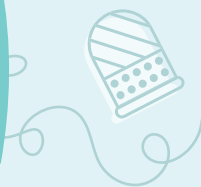
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flat lock stitch

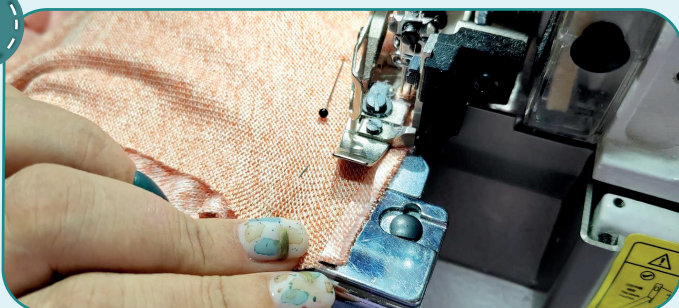
If you do not have a coverstitch machine, the flat seam can be performed with a) a twin needle on a sewing machine, b) decorative stretch seam on a sewing machine, c) finish the seams with serger and stitch them with a straight stitch.



Cardigan construction



1



4  2,5-3,5  7

Pin the front and the back along the shoulder edges with right sides together. Cut the silicone tape with the length indicated on the back pattern, enlarged by 4 cm (1 9/16") (to move the fabric easily when sewing). Serge them working from the front piece. While sewing the pieces, place the silicone tape under the presser foot but do not stretch it. It will prevent the seam from stretching. Press the seam allowances flat towards the front.

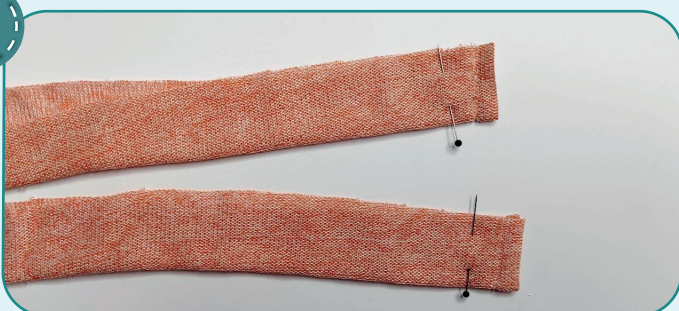
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    2,5-3

With right sides together, pin the placket pieces along the short edges (back center). Stitch them 7 mm (1/4") away from the edge. Press the seam allowances open.

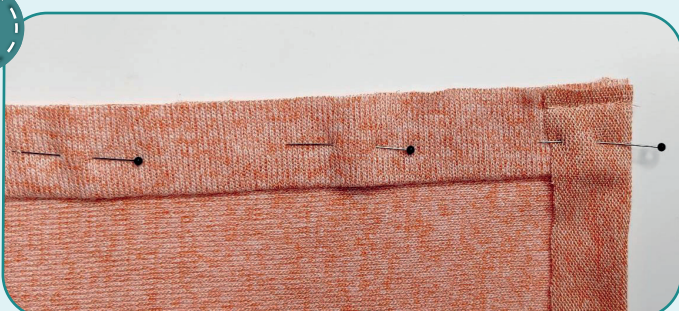
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    2,5-3

Fold the placket lower edges in half, with the right side inside. Stitch them 7 mm (1/4") away from the edge. Turn the placket out to the right side. Fold it in half and press.

4



    2,5-3

Pin the placket to the garment aligning all the marks. Turn the lower hem seam allowance (30 mm or 1 3/16") to the right side, wrapping it around the placket bottom edge. Stitch them 7 mm (1/4") in from the edge.

5



5



4

2,5-3,5

7

Serge the placket to the garment. Evenly stretch the placket in the back neck area and the front upper part area, when sewing on but avoid stretching the garment neckline. When sewing the back neck, place the silicone tape (do not stretch it) under the serger presser foot (the length is indicated on the back pattern). Press the seam allowances flat towards the garment.



6



4

2,5-3,5

7

Place the sleeve into the armhole with right sides together aligning the marks. Serge it in place. Press the seam allowances on the sleeve. Repeat the process for the other sleeve.

7



4

2,5-3,5

7

Pin the back and the front along the side edge with right sides together and pin the sleeve along the side edge with right sides inside. Serge the pieces. To avoid bulk, place the sleeve attaching seam allowances in different directions. Press the seam allowance towards the front. Repeat the process for the opposite side edge.

NOTE. It is recommended to try it on, check the fit, length and ease. When fitting, consider the placket width and the lower hem seam allowances.



CARDIGAN CONSTRUCTION



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Fold the garment lower hem and the sleeves lower hems to the wrong side by 30 mm (1 3/16") and press it. You can hand-baste the hems. Coverstitch them. When topstitching the garment lower hem, start and finish stitching exactly near the placket attaching seam. Use a needle to pull the thread tails to the wrong side, tie and hide them in the seam. Press it again.

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Remove the basting stitches, trim and hide the thread tails, and press the garment once again. The cardigan is ready!



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