PE Grab A Cuppa Cardi by Pattern Emporium

Fabric, Trims, Tools & Supplies

FABRIC WIDTH: 150cm (59"). DRAFTING HEIGHT: Based on regular height 165cm (5'5").

Remember to add a little extra for multi-sizing, length adjustments, one way prints &/or shrinkage.

AU SIZE		4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	24	26	28	30
CROPPED	MTR	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8
	YARD	1 3/8	1 3/8	1 3/8	1 3/8	1 3/8	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 5/8	1 3/4	2	2	2	2	2
HIP LENGTH	MTR	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.8	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1
	YARD	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 5/8	1 5/8	1 3/4	2	2 1/4	2 1/4	2 1/4	2 1/4	2 1/4
LONG	MTR	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.9	2.1	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6
	YARD	1 3/4	1 7/8	1 7/8	1 7/8	1 7/8	1 7/8	1 7/8	2 1/8	2 1/4	2 7/8	2 7/8	2 7/8	2 7/8	2 7/8

You'll find cutting layout suggestions on page 10.

To estimate what you need for colour blocking this garment, print & join pattern pages & then lay them out as you would for cutting.

Designed for stretch knit fabrics. 4-way stretch & 2-way stretch with vertical give can be used.

DRAPEY FABRICS: As this is a very oversized garment, note that very stretchy fabrics like viscose & rayon may feel bigger, particularly in length.

NECKBANDS: Ensure your fabric has resilience so it doesn't stretch out of shape. This means it needs some elastane (spandex or Lycra) in it.

BLENDING FABRICS: If you're blending fabrics within the one garment, keep fabrics a similar weight. Ensure you pre-wash fabrics before cutting as different fabrics may shrink in the wash. Combining fabrics with body & fabrics with drape can be problematic.

THE FOLLOWING KNIT FABRICS ARE SUGGESTED

AUTUMN (FALL)/WINTER

- French terry
- ✓ Sweater knit
- ✓ Hacci (Hatchi)
- ✓ Merino Wool
- ✓ Sweat Shirting
- ✓ Rib Knit
- ✓ Double knit
- ✓ Liverpool
- ✓ Wool blends
- ✓ Double brushed poly
- Single brushed poly
- ✓ Jacquard knit
- ✓ Sherpa knit
- Fluffy knit
- ✓ Quilted knit
- Terry knit

SPRING/SUMMER

- ✓ Viscose elastane
- ✓ Rayon elastane
- ✓ Bamboo elastane
- ✓ Stretch mesh*
- Crepe knit
- ✓ Poly elastane knits
- Modal elastane
- ✓ Stretch lace

TOOLS & SUPPLIES

- ✓ Scissors or rotary blade & cutting mat
- ✓ Pins
- ✓ Iron & ironing board
- Printer & paper A4 or Letter if printing at home. See <u>page 9</u> for printing specs.
- ✓ Fabric
- ✓ Thread to match
- ✓ Stretch needle for sewing machine

MACHINES

- Overlocker / Serger to sew most seams. Note, you can also use stretch stitch on a sewing machine.
- Coverstitch Machine to stitch pockets & finish neck band. Note, you can also use a twin needle on sewing machine.
- Sewing Machine basting, gathering & sewing on the patch pockets.
 You can also use a sewing machine for all other seams if you don't have an overlocker or coverstitch machine.

TRIMS: Only required if adding that design element.

BUTTONS (with buttonholes or decorative):

- ✓ 20-25mm (1-1.5") buttons. Cropped x 3. Hip x 4. Long x 6.
- Lightweight stretch interfacing.

PATCH POCKETS:

Lightweight stretch interfacing.

^{*}Use alternative fabric for cuffs