



LONG CARDIGAN

MATERIAL

YARN = [Fashion Mohair](#) by Laines du Nord; 400 grams of col. 116

KNITTING NEEDLES = size 4 mm and 6 mm

CIRCULAR NEEDLES = size 4 mm and long cable (for front bands)

OTHERS = darning needle, stitch marker, pins, scissors, tape measure

SAMPLE

10 x 10 cm: 18 sts. and 24 r. in garter st. using size. 6 mm needles.

MEASURES

SIZE: 40/42

POINTS USED

Rib 2/2 in round

1st round: (k2, p2) rep. across the entire row.

2nd row and next rows: work the stitches as they appear.

Garter Stitch: knit.

1 decrease to the left: skp (slip 1 k-wise, knit 1, pass slipped stitch over)

1 decrease to the right: k2tog

NOTES

SKILL LEVEL: advanced

ABBREVIATIONS

RS = right side of work
WS = wrong side of work
r. = row / rows
col. = color
st. / sts. = stitch / stitches
rep. = repeat
skp = slip 1 k-wise, knit 1, pass slipped stitch over
k2tog = knit 2 stitches together
cont. = continue foll. = follow
rem. = remain / remaining

INSTRUCTIONS

BACK

Using size 4 mm knitting needles, cast-on 56 sts. and, for band shaping, work 9 r. rib 2/2 (= 3 cm). Using size 6 mm knitting needles work 136 r. in garter st. (79 cm approx.), then shape the raglan armholes. On both edges, bind off 2 sts. and, at the same time, decr. 1 st. (4 sts. from both edges) every 2 r. 15 times and 1 st. (4 sts. from both edges) every 4 r. 3 times. After working 178 r. in garter st. (106 cm approx.), bind off rem. 16 sts.

RIGHT FRONT

Using size 4 mm knitting needles, cast-on 30 sts. and, for band shaping, work 9 r. rib 2/2 (= 3 cm). Using size 6 mm knitting needles work 136 r. in garter st. (79 cm approx.) then, for raglan armhole shaping, on the left, bind off 2 sts., then decr. 1 st. (4 sts. from edge) every 2 r. 10 times, then 1 st. (4 sts. from edge) every 4 r. 4 times. At the same time, after working 164 r., for neckline shaping, on the left, bind off as foll.: 5 sts., 2 sts., 2 sts., 2 sts., 3 sts.

LEFT FRONT

Work as given for right front, reversing all shaping.

SLEEVES

Right sleeve

Using size 4 mm knitting needles, cast-on 36 sts. and, for band shaping, work 9 r. rib 2/2 (= 3 cm). Using size 6 mm knitting needles work 72 r. in garter st. (= 40 cm), decr. on both edges as foll.: 2-12-22-32-42-52; there are 48 sts. After working the 72nd r., on both edges, bind off. 3 sts. then, for raglan armholes shaping, decr. * 1 st. (4 sts. from both edges) every 4 r. once and 1 st. (4 sts. from both edges) every 2 r. once *, rep. from * to * 7 times; there are 18 sts. For sleeve head shaping, on the right bind off 2 sts. at a time and, on the left 1 st. at a time, until there are 6 sts., at last bind off rem. 6 sts.

Left sleeve

Work as given for right one, reversing all shaping.

FINISHING

Sew on WR.

Sew 4 raglans, placing the shorter armhole of each sleeve on the front. Sew undersleeve and side seams.

Collar: using size 4 mm knitting needles, cast-on 40 sts. and work 13 r. rib 2/2 then, using different col. yarn, work 4 temporary r. more in stocking st. Remove the knitting needles, iron and tack the collar on neckline. Unthread the sts. of 3 temporary r., cut a long needleful of mohair yarn and, using the darning needle sew every st. of 13rd r. in back stitch, unthreading 3 or 4 sts. at a time of last temporary r., taking care to not snag the neckline. At last, remove the tacking.

Bands of 2 fronts: using the circular needles, cast-on 100 sts. and work 11 r. rib 2/2 then, using different color yarn, cont. as giving for collar, sewing the band along the inner edge of front (center of the cardigan) and the end at the base of **collar**. Make second band like first one and sew it along the opposite front panel and at base of collar.

Hide all ends inside the fabric.

IMAGES

