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## Snowmass Intarsia Tee

Designed by: Marly Bird for [Bijou Basin Ranch](#)



## Materials:

- **Yarn:** Bijou Basin Ranch "Sport Weight", 100% yak, 328 yds (300 m), 3½ oz (100 g) 2 (3, 3, 3, 4, 4) in brown (A), 2 (3, 3, 3, 4, 4) in cream (B), and 1 (2, 2, 2, 2, 2) red (C)
- **Needles:** Size US 4 (3.5 mm) needles or size to obtain gauge
- **Notions:** Stitch markers, stitch holders, tapestry needle

**Size:** S (M, L, XL, 2X, 3X)

**Gauge:** 23 sts and 28 rows = 4" (10 cm) in Stockinette st

**Finished Measurements:** Bust: 37 (40, 44, 48, 52½, 57½)";  
Length: 24¾ (25¾, 26½, 27¼, 28¾, 29½)"

## Pattern Stitch:

1 x 1 Rib (multiple of 2 sts plus 1)

**Row 1 (RS):** K1, \* p1, k1; rep from \* to end.

**Row 2:** P1, \* k1, p1; rep from \* to end.

Rep rows 1 and 2 for 1 x 1 Rib.

## Instructions:

### Front and Back (make both the same)

Using C, cast on 109 (117, 129, 141, 153, 165) sts, and work 4 rows in 1 x 1 Rib.

Change to A, and work 21 (21, 22, 22, 23, 23) rows in Stockinette st beg with a RS (RS, WS, WS, RS, RS) row.

[Work 21 (21, 22, 22, 23, 23) using B, then 21 (21, 22, 22, 23, 23) using A] twice, ending after a RS row.

### Shape Sleeve Cap and Begin Intarsia Pattern

Next 3 rows:

**Row 1:** (WS): P1 using C, [p53 (57, 63, 69, 75, 81) using B, p1 using C] twice.

**Row 2:** K2 using C, p51 (55, 61, 67, 73, 79) using B, p3 using C, p51 (55, 61, 67, 73, 79) using B, p2 using C.

**Row 3:** (inc row): (P1, M1p, p2) using C, p49 (53, 59, 65, 71, 77) using B, p5 using C, p49 (53, 59, 65, 71, 77) using B, (p2, M1p, p1) using C – 111 (119, 131, 143, 155, 167) sts

To shape sleeve cap, rep this inc every 4 (6, 6, 10, 12, 30) rows 6 (1, 1, 1, 1, 1) more times, then every 2 (4, 4, 8, 10, 0) rows 10 (11, 11, 6, 5, 0) more times, then work 3 (1, 5, 3, 3, 41) rows without increasing – 50 (54, 58, 64, 68, 74) Sleeve Cap rows.

**AT THE SAME TIME**, work 25 (27, 30, 33, 36, 39) more rows in established intarsia pat, working 1 more color C st and 1 less color B st wherever the colors meet – all sts are in color C.

Pm on either side of center 55 (59, 65, 71, 77, 83) sts, and begin top portion of intarsia pat as follows, while keeping Sleeve Cap incs consistent:



**Row 29** (31, 34, 37, 40, 43): Work to marker using C, slm, work 1 st using A, work to 1 st before marker using C, work 1 st using A, slm, work to end using C.

Remove markers. Work 26 (28, 31, 34, 37, 39) more rows using new colors, working 1 more color A st and 1 less color C st wherever the colors meet.

**AT THE SAME TIME**, when 50 (54, 58, 64, 68, 74) Sleeve Cap rows are complete, beg to shape shoulders follows: Bind off 7 (7, 8, 8, 8, 9) sts at beg of next 4 (4, 6, 6, 8, 8) rows.

#### **Shape Neck and Shoulders:**

Pm on either side of center 37 (37, 41, 41, 45, 45) sts.

**Next row** (WS): Bind off 7 (7, 8, 8, 8, 8) sts, work to 2nd marker, sl all sts between markers to a holder, work to end.

#### **Right Shoulder:**

**Next 9** (9, 7, 7, 5, 5) rows:

**Row 1** (RS): Bind off 7 (7, 8, 8, 8, 8) sts, work to end.

**Row 2** (dec row, WS): p2tog, work to end.

**Rows 3** and 4: Rep rows 1 and 2.

**Row 5:** Bind off 7 (7, 7, 8, 7, 8) sts, work to end.

#### **For 1st 4 Sizes Only:**

**Row 6:** Rep row 2.

**Row 7:** Bind off 7 (7, 7, 7, 0, 0) sts, work to end.

#### **For 1st 2 Sizes Only:**

**Row 8:** Rep row 2.

**Row 9:** Bind off rem 7 (7, 0, 0, 0, 0) sts.

#### **Left Shoulder**

Join yarn to Right Shoulder sts still on the needle with RS facing.

**Next 8** (8, 6, 6, 4, 4) rows:

**Row 1** (RS): Ssk, work to end.

**Row 2** (dec row, WS): Bind off 7 (7, 8, 8, 8, 8) sts, work to end.

**Row 3:** Rep row 1.

**Row 4:** Bind off 7 (7, 7, 8, 7, 8) sts, work to end.

#### **For 1st 4 Sizes Only:**

**Row 5:** Rep row 1.

**Row 6:** Bind off 7 (7, 7, 7, 0, 0) sts, work to end.

**For 1st 2 Sizes Only:**

**Row 7:** Rep row 1.

**Row 8:** Bind off rem 7 (7, 0, 0, 0, 0) sts.

**Finishing:**

Block pieces to measurements.

Sew Left Shoulder seam.

**Neckband:**

Using A and with RS facing, pu&k 9 (9, 7, 7, 5, 5) sts down right back neck edge, knit across 37 (37, 41, 41, 45, 45) sts from back neck holder, pu&k 9 (9, 7, 7, 5, 5) sts up left back neck edge and 9 (9, 7, 7, 5, 5) sts more down left front neck edge, knit across 37 (37, 41, 41, 45, 45) sts from front neck holder, pu&k 9 (9, 7, 7, 5, 5) sts up right front neck edge – 110 sts.

Row 1 (WS): \* K1, p1; rep from \* to end.

Rep this row twice more, then bind off all sts in rib pat.

Sew Right Shoulder and Neckband seam.

**Sleeve Bands:**

Using C and with RS facing, pu&k 84 (90, 94, 104, 112, 120) sts evenly along left Sleeve Cap edge, from 1st row of intarsia on front to 1st row of intarsia on back.

**Row 1 (WS):** \* K1, p1; rep from \* to end.

Rep this row twice more, then bind off all sts in rib pat.

Work right sleeve band the same.

Sew side and Sleeve Band seams.

Weave in loose ends



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# Turquoise Shawlette

Designed by: [Drew Emborsky](#)



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**Materials:**

- Yarn: Drew Emborsky Gemstones (90% extra fine super wash merino/10% nylon - 4oz - 110g - 440yd - 402m)  
1 hank Turquoise
- Needle: Size US10 (6.00mm) or size needed to obtain gauge
- Notions: The Crochet Dude® yarn snips; The Crochet Dude® bent end yarn needle

**Gauge:** With #8 needle and Strata in Fan St.; 21sts = 4”.

**Instructions:**

Cast on 80

**Row 1** \*Yo, k4, rep from \* across

**Row 2** P

**Row 3** \*Yo, K into the 3rd st on left-hand needle, then k the 2nd and 1st tog, K 2nd st through the back loop, then k first st and slip off needle together, rep from \* across

Rep rows 2 to 3 until desired length. Bind off loosely.

**Finishing:**

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## Eyelet Cardigan

Designed by Ellen Liguori for [Fiesta Yarns](#)



### Materials:

- **Yarn:** Baby Boom (90% Extrafine Merino, 10% Nylon; 4 oz/440 yds.) 3 (3, 4, 4) skeins.  
The color shown is Misty Morning.
- **Needles:** Size 5 needles or size needed to obtain gauge
- **Notions:** Stitch Markers, Stitch Holders; Hook & Eye Closure, Tapestry Needle

**Size:** S (M, L, XL) instructions are for smallest size with other sizes in parenthesis.

### Finished Measurements:

Chest: 38 (40, 44, 48)"

Length to Armholes: 16½ (17, 17½, 18)"

Armhole: 8 (8½, 9, 9½)"

Overall Length: 24½ (25½, 26½, 27½)"

Sleeve Length to Armhole: 1½"

**Gauge:** 22 sts X 25 rows – 4" square in St st on size 5 needles or size to obtain gauge.

**Stitch Patterns:**

Rib Pattern: (Multiple 4 + 2)

**Row 1:** k2, \*p2, k2; rep from \* to end

Repeat row 1

**Seed St:** (Multiple 2 + 1)

**Row 1:** k1, \*p1, k1; rep to end

Repeat row 1

**Eyelet Pattern:** (Multiple 4 + 3)

**Row 1:** knit

**Row 2:** purl

**Row 3:** \*k2, k2tog, yo; rep from \* to last 3 sts; k3

**Row 4:** purl

**Row 5:** knit

**Row 6:** purl

**Row 7:** k2tog, yo; \*k2, k2tog, yo; rep from \* to last st, k1

**Row 8:** purl

**Back:**

With size 5 needles CO 115 (123, 135, 143) sts

**Rows 1 – 5:** k1, \*p1, k1; rep from \* to end

**Row 6:** purl

**Row 7:** knit

**Row 8:** purl

**Row 9:** \*k2, k2tog, yo; rep from \* to last 3 sts, k3

**Row 10:** purl

**Row 11:** knit

**Row 12:** purl

**Row 13:** k2tog, yo; \*k2, k2tog, yo; rep from \* to last st, k1

**Rep rows 6 thru 13** until back measures 9 (9½, 10, 10½)'' from beg. Next work 4 rows of seed st, decreasing 5 sts evenly across last row – 110 (118, 130, 138) sts rem. Then work k2, p2 rib. Starting with the 6 (6, 9, 10) row of rib, dec 1 st ea side, every 6 (6, 8, 10) rows 2 times, next work even for 14 (14, 16, 18) rows. Then inc 1 st ea side, every 6 (6, 8, 8) row 2 times, followed by 5 more rows of rib, increasing 1 st in center of last rib row – 111 (119, 131, 139) sts rem. Next work 4 rows of seed sts, then return to eyelet pattern and work 6 (8, 8, 10) rows.

**Shape Armhole:**

Cont in eyelet patt, BO 8 (8, 8, 9) sts at the beg of the next 2 rows (NOTE PM in center of 1st row of BO); next BO 5 (5, 6, 7) sts at the beg of the foll 2 rows; then dec 1 st ea side every other row 5 (5, 7, 7) times – 75 (83, 89, 93) sts rem; then work even until back measures 8 (8½, 9, 9½)'' from PM;

**Shape Neck:**

BO 7 (8, 9, 11) sts at the beg of the next 4 rows foll by 6 (6, 9, 9) sts at the beg of the foll 2 rows; return to seed sts and dec 1 st ea side of the next 3 rows; then BO all sts in patt.

**Left Front:**

With size 5 needles CO 59 (63, 71, 79) sts

Work the same as for back only now after the 1st 5 rows work 4 seed sts at the end of ea RS row and the beg of ea WS row, work until front measures 9 (9½, 10, 10½)'' from beg.

#### **Shape Waist:**

**Row 1:** dec 1 st, 4 seed sts, eyelet pattern to last 4 sts, 4 seed sts

**Row 2:** 4 seed sts, eyelet to last 8 sts, 8 seed sts

**Row 3:** 12 seed sts, eyelet to last 4 sts, 4 seed sts

**Row 4:** 4 seed sts, eyelet to last 16 sts, 16 seed sts

**Row 5:** k2, p2; 16 seed sts, eyelet to last 4 seed sts

**Row 6:** 4 seed sts, eyelet to last 24 sts, 16 seed sts; k2, p2 rib to end

**Row 7:** 12 rib sts, 16 seed sts, eyelet to last 4 sts, 4 seed sts

**Row 8:** 4 seed sts; 22 (26, 34, 42) eyelet sts; 16 seed sts, 16 rib sts

**Row 9:** 20 rib sts, 16 seed sts; 18 (22, 30, 38) eyelet, 4 seed

**Row 10:** 4 seed, 14 (18, 26, 34) eyelet, 16 seed, rib to end

**Row 11:** k2tog; rib to last 30 (34, 42, 50) sts; 16 seed sts, 10 (14, 22, 30) eyelet, 4 seed st

**Row 12:** 4 seed; 6 (10, 18, 26) eyelet, 16 seed, rib to end

**Row 13:** rib to last 22 (26, 34, 42) sts, 16 seed; 2 (6, 14, 22) eyelet, 4 seed

**Row 14:** 4 seed, 0 (2, 10, 18) eyelet, 14 (16, 16, 16) seed sts, rib to end

**Row 15:** 43 rib, 10 (14, 16, 16) seed sts, 0 ( ), 6, 14) eyelet sts, 4 seed sts

**Row 16:** 4 seed sts; 0 (0, 2, 10) eyelet sts, 6 (10, 14, 16) seed sts, rib to end

**Row 17:** k2tog, rib to last 6 (10, 14, 22) sts, 2 (6, 10, 16) seed; 0 (0, 0, 2) eyelet sts; 4 seed

**Row 18:** 4 seed sts; 0 (2, 6, 12) seed sts, rib to end

#### **S & M Only:**

**Row 19:** rib to last 4 sts 4 seed sts

**Row 20:** 4 seed sts; rib to end

Rep rows 19 & 20 four more times

#### **L Only:**

**Row 19:** Rib to last 6 sts, seed to end

**Row 20:** 4 seed sts, 2 seed sts, rib to end

**Row 21:** Rep row 19 of S & M

**Row 22:** Rep row 20 of S & M

Rep rows 21 & 22 four more times,

#### **XL Only:**

**Row 19:** rib to last 12 sts, seed to end

**Row 20:** 4 seed sts, 8 seeds sts; rib to end

**Row 21:** rib to last 8 sts, 8 seed sts

**Row 22:** rep row 20 of S & M

**Row 23:** rep row 19 of S & M

Rep rows 22 & 23 four more times

Once all even rows are completed reverse process beg with next WS row; rep row 18, next RS row inc 1 st at the beg of row and then rep row 17 and so on increasing instead of decreasing where call for; once you have returned to all eyelet pattern rows as before rib for 8 (8, 8, 10) rows, however before you beg work on these rows beg to shape front:

**Shape Front Opening:**

Work the seed sts as before only between the seed sts and the eyelet pattern dec 1 st every 4th row until 24 (27, 31, 35) sts rem.

**Shape Armhole:**

(Note remember to PM in center of 1st BO row) BO 8 (8, 8, 9) sts at the beg of the next RS row followed by 5 (5, 6, 7) sts at the beg of the foll RS row, then dec 1 st at the beg of ea RS row 5 (5, 7, 7) times. Cont to dec at the front opening and work until 24 (27, 31, 35) sts rem and armhole measures 8 (8½, 9, 9½)" from PM;

**Shape Neck:**

BO 7 (8, 9, 11) sts at the beg of the next 2 RS rows, foll by 6 (6, 9, 9) sts at the beg of the foll RS row, then BO the rem 4 seed sts.

**Right Front:**

Works the same as for the LF only reversed with the 4 seed sts at the beg of the RS row and the end of ea WS row.

**Sleeves:**

CO 79 (87, 95, 103) sts (Make 2)

Rows 1 thru 14 work the same as for the back

SHAPE ARMHOLE: BO 8 (8, 8, 9) sts at the beg of the next 2 rows, then BO 5 (5, 6, 7) sts at the beg of the foll 2 rows; next dec 1 st ea side every other row 5 (5, 7, 7) times. Work even for 8 (8, 10, 10) rows, next dec 1 st ea side every 4th row 4 (5, 5, 6) times, then dec 1 st ea side every other row 3 (4, 5, 6) times; then every row 7 (9, 9, 9) times, next BO 4 sts at the beg of the next 2 rows, then BO all rem sts.

**Ties:**

CO 10 sts (Make 2)

**Rows 1 – 5:** seed sts

**Row 6:** 3 seed sts, purl to last 3 sts, 3 seed sts

**Row 7:** 3 seed sts, k1, k2tog, yo, k1, 3 seed sts

**Row 8:** rep row 6

**Row 9:** 3 seed sts, M1, k to last 3 sts, M1, 3 seed sts

**Row 10:** rep row 6

**Row 11:** 3 seed sts, k2tog, yo, k2, k2tog, yo, 3 seed sts

**Row 12:** rep row 6

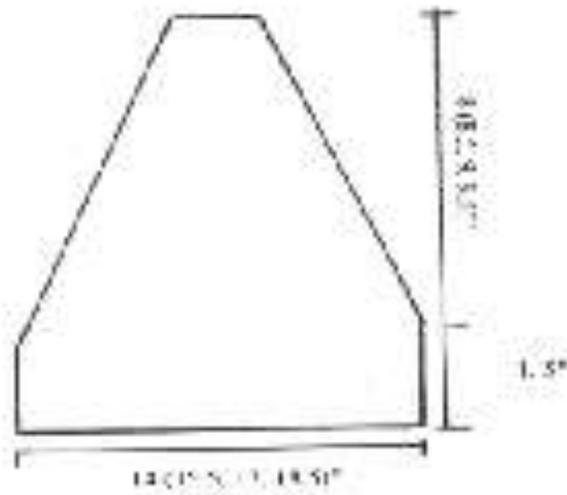
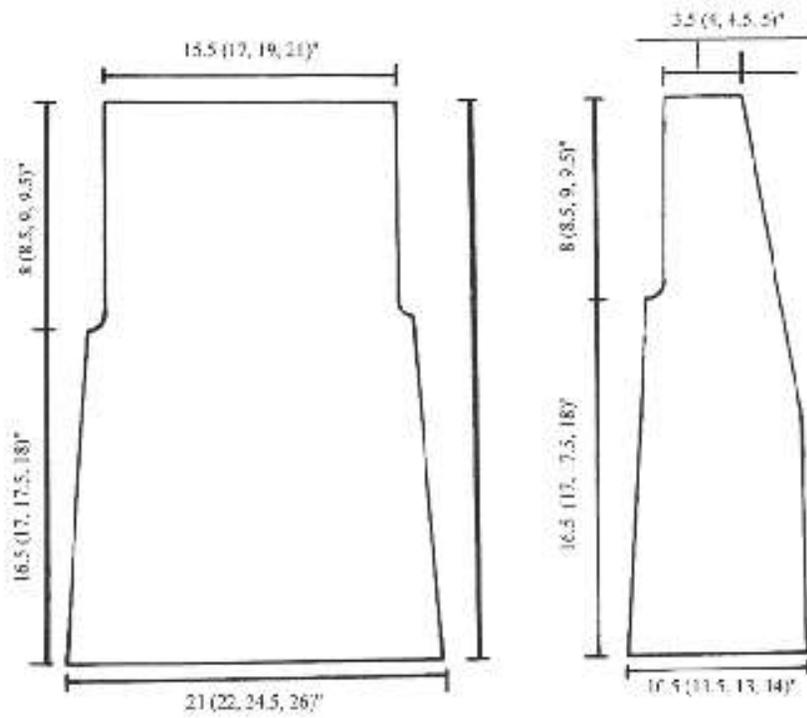
**Row 13:** rep row 9

**Row 14:** rep row 6

Cont to work eyelet patt between 3 seed sts at ea end, rep inc row 9 every 4th row until 30 sts are on needle; then work row 9 every 8th row until there are 24 rows of eyelet; then work 4 rows of seed st, next BO all sts in patt.

**Assembly:**

Sew shoulder seams, sew the 4 border seed sts to the back seed sts; attach sleeves, sew side and sleeve seams. Next attach ties the 3rd knit row of rib from opening. Finally weave in all loose ends. Optional: Sew Hook and Eye under where tie comes together.





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# Be Mine Heart Garland

Designed by Kristen Asbaugh  
Helmreich for [Jimmy Beans Wool](http://JimmyBeansWool.com)

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**Materials:**

- Yarn: 15-20 yards of yarn
- Needles: US size 2.5 or 3 DPNS, circulars, or straight needles
- US size 5 or 6 DPNS, circulars, or straight needles
- US F or G crochet hook
- Notions: Darning needle
- 1 stitch marker

**Gauge:** Not important

**Size:** Varies

**Abbreviations:**

k-knit

k2tog-knit 2 together

ssk-slip, slip, knit the two slipped stitches together.

Yo-yarn over

Pm-place marker

Sl m-slip marker

Co-cast on

Bo-bind off

K1f&b-knit one into the front and then the back of the same stitch

St(s)-stitch(es)

**Instructions:**

\*Make as many hearts as you'd like--9 is a good goal number (shown), but more is even better! There is enough yarn in the sampler to make 11 hearts with one mini - skein left for the garland strand. There is enough yarn to connect all 11 hearts to the garland strand. If you choose to do more than 11 hearts, you will need more yarn for your garland strand.

CO 7 sts using the smaller needle for the finer yarns and larger needle for the heavier yarns.

**Row 1:** k1, k1f&b, k3, k1f&b, k1.(9 sts)

**Row 2:** k1, k1f&b, k2, yo, pm, k1, yo, k2, k1f&b, k1.(13 sts)

**Row 3:** k1, k1f&b, to marker, yo, sl m, k1, yo, k to last 2 sts, k1f&b, k1.(17 sts)

**Row 4:** Repeat row 3.(21 sts)

**Row 5:** k to marker, yo, sl m, k1, yo, k to end of row.(23 sts)

**Rows 6-15:** Repeat row 5.(25, 27, 29, 31, 33, 35, 37,39, 41, 43, & 45 sts for each row)

**Row 16:** k2tog, k to marker, yo, sl m, k1, yo, k to last 2 sts, ssk. (45 sts)

**Rows 17 & 18:** Repeat row 16. (45 sts)

**Row 19:** k2tog twice, k to marker, yo, sl m, k1, yo, k to last 4 sts, ssk twice. (43 sts)

**Rows 20 & 21:** Repeat row 19. (41 & 39 sts)

BO all sts.

Weave in ends of each heart and steam block.

**Stringing the Garland:**

With one of the BSA Skinny Cotton yarns or a DK or Sport weight cotton or cotton blend yarn and crochet hook, crochet a 10" chain.

Single crochet into the top bump of one of the first hearts to attach it to the chain.

Continue crocheting the chain about 2" until the chain meets the 2nd top bump of the heart.

Single crochet into the second bump to attach it to the chain.

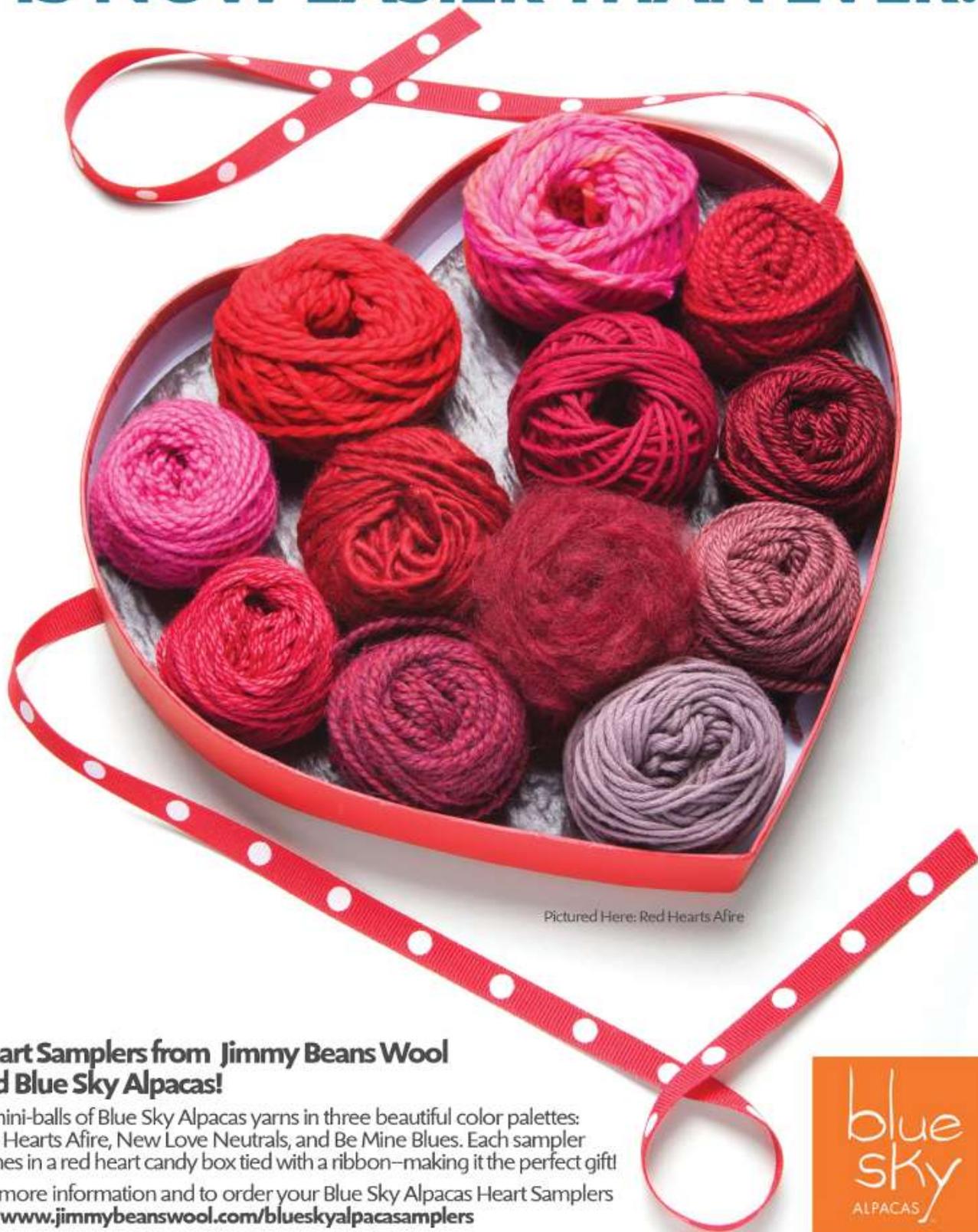
Crochet chain 20-25 more stitches and attach the next heart in this same manner. Continue attaching each heart with 20-25 sts in between until all hearts are attached.

Crochet 10" of chain on the end and tie off.

Use remaining cotton yarn to make fringe or tassels and attach to each end of the chain.



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## Tessuto Cardigan

Designed by Sandi Rosner for [Kollage Yarns](#)

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## Materials:

- Yarn: Yarn 4 (4, 5, 5, 6, 6) hanks **Kollage Yarns Riveting**, 95% cotton – 5% recycled fibers, 100g/350yds per hank in #7902 Dusk Denim
- Needles: Size 4/3.5mm circular knitting needle 24"/60cm long  
**or size needed to obtain gauge**
- Size 3/3.25mm circular knitting needle 24"/60cm long
- Notions: 7 (7, 7, 7, 8, 8) buttons ½" diameter
- Stitch holders

**Size:** XS (S, M, L, 1X, 2X)

Directions are for Women's size X-Small. Changes for sizes Small, Medium, Large, X-Large and XX-Large are in parentheses. Shown in size XS.

## Finished Measurements:

**Bust** 35 (37¾, 40½, 43¼, 46, 49)"

**Length** 22 (22½, 23, 23½, 24, 24½)"

**Skill Level:** Intermediate

**Gauge:** 26 sts and 32 rows = 4"/10cm over Basketweave pattern before machine washing and drying; 26 sts and 38 rows = 4"/10 cm over Basketweave pattern after machine washing and drying. To save time and ensure proper fit, take time to check gauge.

## Abbreviations:

k - knit

k2tog - knit 2 stitches together

p - purl

p2tog - purl 2 stitches together

RS - right side

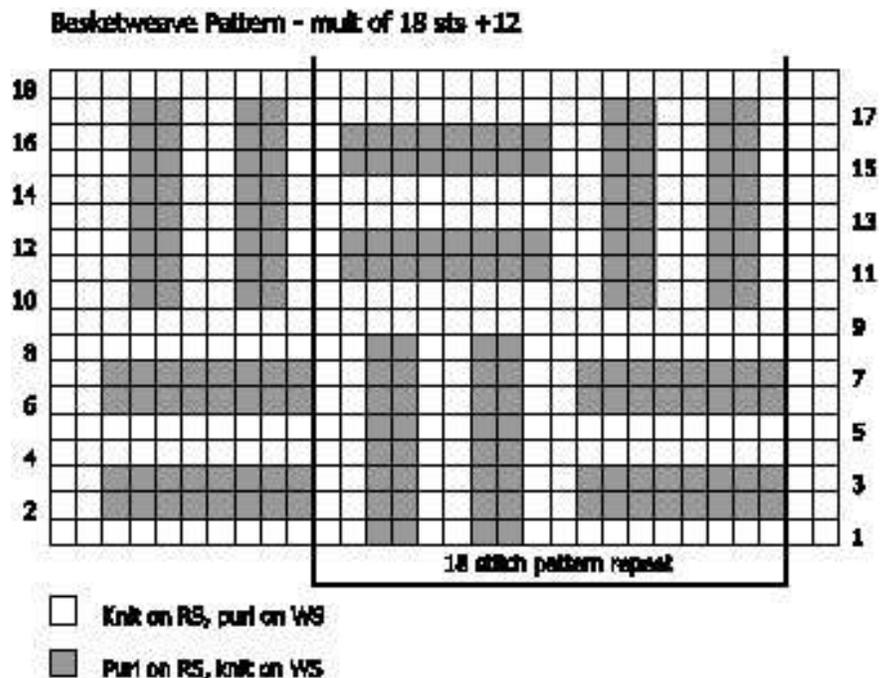
ssk - slip 1 knitwise, slip 1 knitwise, knit 2

slipped sts together through back loops

st(s) - stitch(es)

WS - wrong side

yo - yarn over



**Note:** This yarn can be machine washed and dried. In our tests, we found that our stitch gauge (width) stayed the same, but our row gauge (length) shrank about 12%. This pattern takes the shrinkage into account. The instructions will tell you to knit the piece longer than the finished length to allow for shrinkage when you wash your sweater.

## Notes:

- The sweater is worked in one piece to the armholes, then the stitches are divided for the front and back.
- While shaping neck and armholes, work decreases at beginning of RS rows as k1, ssk. Work decreases at end of RS rows as k2tog, k1.

## Instructions:

### Body:

With larger needle, cast on 228 (246, 264, 282, 300, 318) sts.

**Row 1 (WS)** P2, \*k2, p4, [k2, p2] 3 times; repeat from \* to last 10 sts, k2, p4, k2, p2.

**Row 2 (RS)** K2 \*p2, k4, [p2, k2] 3 times; repeat from \* to last 10 sts, p2, k4, p2, k2.

Repeat Rows 1 and 2 until piece measures 3½", ending with a WS row.

### Begin Working from Chart:

Work even in Basketweave pattern until piece measures 16½ (16½, 17, 17, 17½, 17½)", ending with a WS row.

### Divide for Armholes:

**Next row (RS)** Maintaining pattern as established, work 52 (56, 59, 62, 66, 69) sts and put on holder for right front, bind off next 10 (12, 14, 16, 18, 20) sts for right armhole, work 104 (110, 118, 126, 132, 140) sts and put on holder for back, bind off next 10 (12, 14, 16, 18, 20) sts for left armhole, work in pattern to end.

### Left Front:

Continue on remaining 52 (56, 59, 62, 66, 69) sts only.

### Shape Armhole and Front Neck:

Decrease 1 st at beginning of every RS row 10 (11, 13, 16, 17, 20) times. *AT THE SAME TIME*, when armhole measures 2", bind off 10 sts at beginning of next WS row for neck. Bind off 3 sts at beginning of next WS row. Bind off 2 sts at beginning of following WS row. Decrease 1 st at end of every RS row 6 (8, 8, 9, 10, 11) times—21 (23, 23, 24, 25, 26) sts remain.

Work even until armhole measures 7½ (8, 8, 8½, 8½, 9)" ending with a WS row.

### Shape Shoulder:

Bind off 7 (8, 8, 8, 9, 9) sts at beginning of next RS row, then bind off 7 (8, 8, 8, 8, 9) sts at beginning of following RS row. Bind off remaining 7 (7, 7, 8, 8, 8) sts.

### Back:

Return 104 (110, 118, 126, 132, 140) Back sts to needle and join yarn at left armhole.

Maintaining pattern as established, work 1 WS row.

### Shape Armholes:

Decrease 1 st at beginning and end of every RS row 10 (11, 13, 16, 17, 20) times—84 (88, 92, 94, 98, 100) sts. Work even until same length as Left Front to shoulder, ending with a WS row.

**Shape Back Neck and Shoulders:**

**Next row (RS)** Bind off 7 (8, 8, 8, 9, 9) sts, work 17 (18, 18, 19, 19, 20) sts in pattern, join another ball of yarn and bind off center 36 (36, 40, 40, 42, 42) sts, work in pattern to end.

**Next row (WS)** Bind off 7 (8, 8, 8, 9, 9) sts, work to end of row, working each shoulder with its own ball of yarn.

Working both sides at once, bind off 3 sts at each neck edge. AT THE SAME TIME, bind off 7 (8, 8, 8, 8, 9) sts at beginning of next 2 rows. Bind off remaining 7 (7, 7, 8, 8, 8) sts on each side

**Right Front:**

Return 52 (56, 59, 62, 66, 69) Right Front sts to needle and join yarn at armhole edge.

Maintaining pattern as established, work 1 WS row.

**Shape Armhole and Front Neck:**

Decrease 1 st at end of every RS row 10 (11, 13, 16, 17, 20) times. AT THE SAME TIME, when armhole measures 2", bind off 10 sts at beginning of next RS row for neck. Bind off 3 sts at beginning of next RS row. Bind off 2 sts at beginning of following RS row. Decrease 1 st at beginning of every RS row 6 (8, 8, 9, 10, 11) times—21 (23, 23, 24, 25, 26) sts remain.

Work even until same length as Left Front to shoulder, ending with a RS row.

**Shape Shoulder:**

Bind off 7 (8, 8, 8, 9, 9) sts at beginning of next WS row, then bind off 7 (8, 8, 8, 8, 9) sts at beginning of following WS row. Bind off remaining 7 (7, 7, 8, 8, 8) sts.

**Sleeves:**

With smaller needle, cast on 84 (84, 84, 102, 102, 102) sts.

**Row 1 (WS)** P2, \*k2, p4, [k2, p2] 3 times; repeat from \* to last 10 sts, k2, p4, k2, p2.

**Row 2 (RS)** K2 \*p2, k4, [p2, k2] 3 times; repeat from \* to last 10 sts, p2, k4, p2, k2.

Repeat Rows 1 and 2 until piece measures 2¼", ending with a WS row.

Change to larger needles and begin working from chart.

Increase 1 st at beginning and end of every 6<sup>th</sup> row 0 (4, 7, 1, 4, 6) times, incorporating new stitches into Basketweave pattern—84 (92, 98, 104, 110, 114) sts.

Work even until piece measures 7 (7, 7½, 7, 8, 8)" , ending with a WS row.

**Shape Cap:**

Maintaining pattern, bind off 6 (7, 8, 9, 10, 11) sts at beginning of next 2 rows. Decrease 1 st at beginning and end of every RS row 17 (19, 20, 21, 22, 22) times—38 (40, 42, 44, 46, 48) sts. Bind off 2 sts at beginning of next 2 rows. Bind off 4 sts at beginning of following 2 rows. Bind off remaining 26 (28, 30, 32, 34, 36) sts.

**Finishing:**

Sew shoulder seams. Sew sleeve seams. Sew sleeves into armholes, easing in any fullness around cap.

**Button Band:**

With RS facing, using smaller needle, beginning at neck edge, pick up and knit 104 (104, 108, 108, 112, 112) sts along Left Front edge.

**Row 1 (WS)** P1, \*p2, k2; repeat from \* to last 3 sts, p3.

**Row 2 (RS)** K1, \*k2, p2; repeat from \* to last 2 sts, k3.

Repeat Rows 1 and 2 three times more. Bind off in rib.

Mark placement of 6 (6, 6, 6, 7, 7) buttons along band, with bottom button 1" from lower edge and top button 1¾" from neck edge (final button will be placed in neckband). Space remaining buttons evenly in between.

**Buttonhole Band:**

Work same as for button band, but begin picking up stitches at lower edge of Right Front and, in Row 4, make buttonholes to correspond with marked button placement as follows: yo, k2tog at each buttonhole position.

**Neckband:**

With RS facing, using smaller needle, pick up and knit 52 (54, 54, 56, 57, 59) sts along Right neck edge, 48 (48, 52, 52, 54, 54) sts along Back neck edge, and 52 (54, 54, 56, 57, 59) sts along Left neck edge – 152 (156, 160, 164, 168, 172) sts.

**Row 1 (WS)** P1, \*p2, k2; repeat from \* to last 3 sts, p3.

**Row 2 (RS)** K1, \*k2, p2; repeat from \* to last 2 sts, k3.

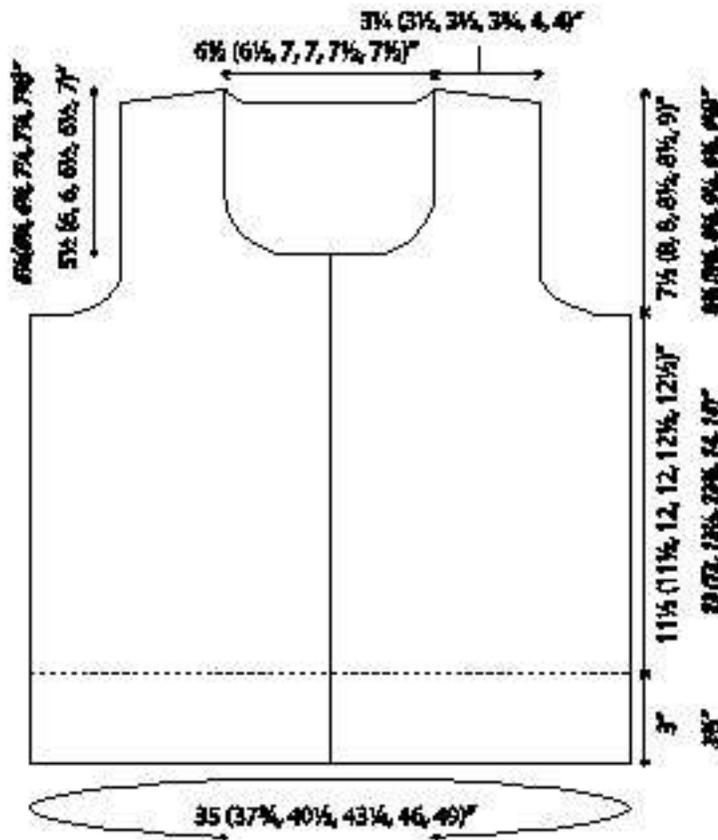
**Row 3** Repeat Row 1

**Row 4** (buttonhole row) K3, p2tog, yo, work as established to end.

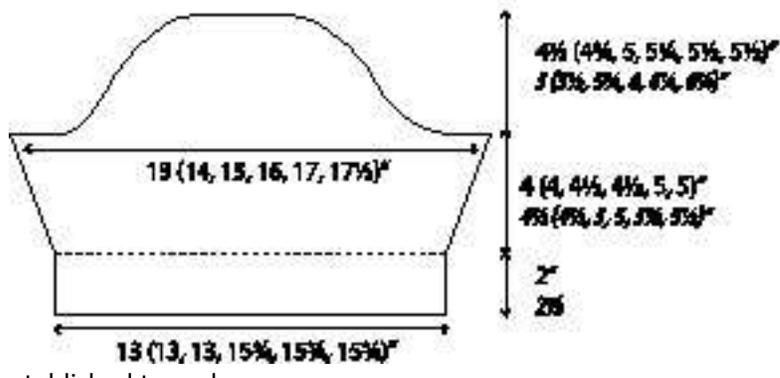
**Repeat Rows 1 and 2** twice more. Bind off in rib.

Sew buttons opposite buttonholes. Weave in ends.

Machine wash and dry garment to shrink to desired finished length. Finish by pressing lightly with a warm iron if needed.



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# Qiviut Shrug

Designed by [Windy Valley Muskox](#)



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**Materials:**

- **Yarn:** Windy Valley MuskoX, Royal Blend, black, 6 balls, or approximately 1300 yards of any Windy Valley or other lace weight yarn.
- **Needles:** Knitting needles, US 6 / 4.0mm: 32" long and double pointed needles
- **Notions:** Tapestry needle, locking stitch markers, stitch holder or waste yarn

**Sizes:** about 32 (34, 36)" in circumference

**Gauge:** 24 sts by 32 rows = 4" in pattern st. After piece is washed and steamed, gauge will grow to 16 sts by 28 rows in 4". Please take time to check gauge, but since this is a loose-fitting garment, it is not critical if it is slightly oversized.

**Abbreviations:**

beg – beginning

BO – bind off

CO – cast on

cont – continue

dpn – double pointed needle(s)

EOR – end of row

inc – increase

k – knit

k2tog – two next two stitches together

LH – left hand

p – purl

patt – pattern

p2tog – purl next two stitches together

pm – place marker

PU – pick up

rep – repeat

RH – right hand

RS – right side

st(s) – stitch(es)

tog – together

WS – wrong side

w/t – wrap and turn

yfrn – bring yarn to front around needle

YO – yarn over

**Techniques and Stitches:**

Cable cast-on

Cast on 2 sts.

Insert RH needle between the first two sts. From this position, knit one st then place it on the LH needle. Repeat until desired number of sts is reached.



**Short Row Shaping:**

K the number of sts needed for the short row, bring the yarn forward, slip the next st purlwise, then return yarn to back and return the slipped st to the LH needle ready to turn and work the next row (w/t).

When working back across the sts that were wrapped, pick up the wrap with the wrapped st and knit / purl them together.

**Alternate Ribbing Stitch:**

Multiple of 2 sts plus 1

**Rows 1, 3, 7, and 8 (RS)** – K.

**Rows 2, 4, 9 and 10** – P.

**Row 5** – \*[K1, p1]; rep from \* to last st, k1.

**Row 6** – P1, \*[k1, p1]; rep from \* to end.

**Row 11** – K1, \*[k1, p1]; rep from \* to end.

**Row 12** –\*[K1, p1]: rep from \* to last st, k1.

Rep these 8 rows.

**Bell Edging:**

Multiple of 5 st + 1

Note: 2 sts are increase for each repeat on 3rd and following alternate rounds.

Round 1 (RS) – P4, \*[k1, p4] rep from \* to end.

Round 2 – P4, \*[YO, k1, yfrn, p4]; rep to end.

Round 3 – P4, \*[k3, p4]; rep to end

Round 4 – P4, \*[YO, k3, yfrn, p4]; rep to end.

Round 5 – P4, \*[k5, p4]; rep to end.

Round 6 – BO loosely.

**Front:**

With dpn, CO 2 sts and work in patt, inc 1 st at the beg of k rows. Change to circular when necessary. Cont inc until you have completed 180 (204, 228) rows ending in a WS row and there are 90 (102, 114) sts.

**Shape Raglan (WS):**

Work to 2 sts before EOR, wrap next st, turn.

Odd Rows: Work in patt to end.

Even Rows: Work to 2 sts before last wrapped st, w/t.

Cont in this way until 38 (44, 50) rows are completed from start of raglan shaping and there are 42 (48, 54) sts on the raglan side and 48 (54, 60) sts left for the front. Transfer these 48 (54, 60) sts to a stitch holder or waste yarn.

**Right Sleeve:**

With 43 (48, 54) sts from front's raglan shaping, cont working as follows:

(WS): P one row, p the st tog with its wrap, k next row.

Cable CO 5 (4, 3) sts, work to 2 sts before EOR, wrap next st, turn.

**Odd rows:** work in patt to end.

**Even rows:** Cable CO 5 (4, 3) sts, work to 2 sts before last wrapped st, wrap next st, turn.

Rep these 2 rows 18 (21, 12) times, working the st tog with its wrap.

Cable CO 6 (5, 4) sts 1 (3, 10) times, work to 2 sts before end of row, wrap next st, turn.

Cable CO 0 (0, 5) sts 0 (0, 6) times. 96 (99, 106) sts have been added for the sleeve and 38 (48, 58) rows have been worked since start of right sleeve.

Continue Shaping

**Even rows:** Work in patt to 2 sts before last wrapped st, wrap next st, turn.

**Odd rows:** Work in patt to end. Cont in this way until all raglan sts have been worked. 138 (147, 160) sts remain. Work even for 24 rows.

(WS): Work in patt to 2 sts before end of row, wrap next st, turn.

**Odd rows:** Work in patt to end.

**Even rows:** Work in patt to 2 sts before last wrapped st, wrap next st, turn. Rep these 2 rows for six times.

**Even Rows:** BO 6 (5, 5) sts 1 (3, 6) times, work in patt to 2 sts before last wrapped st, wrap next st, turn. Then, BO 5 (4, 4) sts 18 (21, 10) times. End by BO 0 (0, 3) sts 0 (0, 12) times. There will be no more sleeve sts to work with, except the sts from the sleeve raglan shaping.

**Back:**

(WS) With 43 (48, 54) sts from sleeve's raglan shaping, p one row, purling the st tog with its wrap, k next row. Return 48 (54, 60) sts from front held on a stitch holder to needle and cont working as follows:

**Shape Raglan (WS):**

Work 50 (56, 62) sts, wrap next st, turn.

Odd rows: Work in patt to end.

Even rows: Work to last wrapped st, work st tog with its wrap, work 1 st, wrap next st, turn. Cont in this way, until you have completed 38 (44, 50) rows from start of raglan shaping and there are 42 (48, 54) sts on the raglan side and 48 (54, 60) sts for back. Work even for 42 rows.

**Shape Raglan (WS):**

Work to 2 sts before end of row, wrap next st, turn.

**Odd rows:** Work in patt to end.

**Even rows:** Work in patt to 2 sts before last wrapped st, wrap next st, turn. Cont in this way, until you have complete 38 (44, 50) rows from start of raglan shaping and there are 42 (48, 54) sts on the raglan side and 48 (54, 60) sts left for back. Transfer these last sts to a stitch holder or to scrap yarn.

**Left Sleeve:**

Work as right sleeve.

**Left Front:**

(WS) With 43 (48, 54) sts from sleeve's raglan shaping, p one row, purling the st tog with its wrap, k next row. Return 48 (54, 60) sts from front held on a stitch holder to needle and cont working as follows:

**Shape Raglan (WS):**

Work 50 (56, 62) sts, wrap next st, turn.

**Odd rows:** Work in patt to end.

**Even rows:** Work to last wrapped st, work st tog with its wrap, work 1 st, wrap next st, turn. Cont in this way until you have completed 38 (44, 50) rows from start of raglan shaping and there are 42 (48, 54) sts on the raglan side and 48 (54, 60) sts for left front.

**Odd rows (RS):** k1, k2tog, work in patt to end.

**Even rows:** Work in patt to end. Cont in this way until only 2 sts rem. BO loosely. Do not break yarn.

**Edging:**

Starting with the last BO st as the first st, PU and k 1 st on each row and 1 st on each st along the bottom edge, the left front diagonal edge, left sleeve shoulder, back, right sleeve shoulder, ending with right front diagonal, pm to indicate beg of round. Work in the round 6 rounds of bell edging. BO all sts loosely.

**Finishing:**

Sew sleeves and underarm seams; weave in ends. Wash per yarn manufacturer's instructions and let piece dry over a flat surface until slightly damp. Press lightly with a steam iron on the WS.

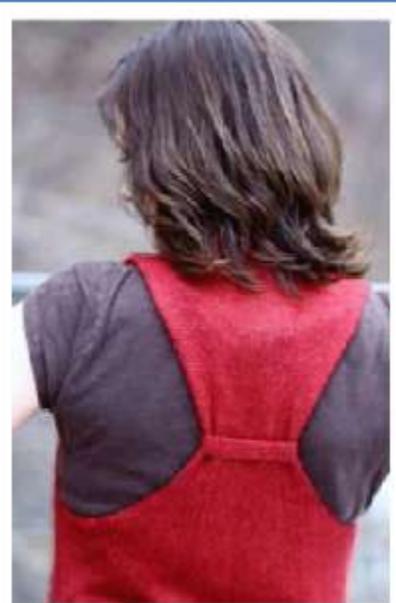
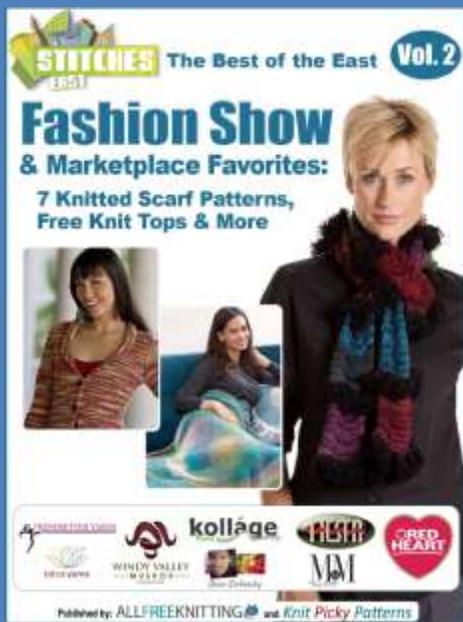
**Sleeve Ruching:**

Thread tapestry needle with two plies of qiviut. Beginning at the cuff, work a row of chain stitch over the sleeve seam, working each chain over 2 sts, thus gathering the fabric and reducing its length in half. Work the chain stitch for 7" long or until desired sleeve length is achieved from center back to cuff 28 (39, 30)" long. Rep on the folding line of sleeve, from cuff toward shoulder.

**Chain Stitch:**

Bring threaded needle out from back to front at the center of a knitted stitch. \*[Form a short loop and insert needle where it came out. Keeping the loop under the needle, bring the needle back out in the center of the next stitch to the right.] Repeat from \*.

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# Phoenix Print Garter Scarf

Designed by [Trendsetter Yarn](#)



**Materials:**

- Yarn: Phoenix #752-3/50 grams
- Needles: U.S. Size 7 knitting needles

**Gauge:** With #7 needle and Phoenix yarn in Garter St.; 4.5sts = 1"

**Stitches Used:**

Garter Stitch: Knit every row

**Instructions:****Scarf:**

(Worked in one piece to desired length and then joined by picking up stitches and locking them to the edge of established piece to join.)

With #7 needle and Phoenix print, Cast on 10sts.

Work in Garter St. for 3"

Place a marker.

Continue in Garter St. for 48" from the marker.

On next row work as follows:

**Row 1:** Knit 10. Place point of right needle into edge of strip just above marker. Wrap yarn around needle to pick up a stitch. Pick up stitch 10 and pass over new stitch to lock.

**Row 2:** Turn work and K 10.

**Continue working Rows 1 and 2** creating a garter stitch strip that is now circular. Continue working around and around for 2 complete rounds. On next round, work until strip is opposite point of first link. (About 2/12 complete rounds.)

Continue in Garter St. without linking for 3".

Bind off.

**Finishing:**

Bury tails to inside.

Cut 20 fringe pieces and attach one piece of fringe to each cast on and bind off stitch to finish off.

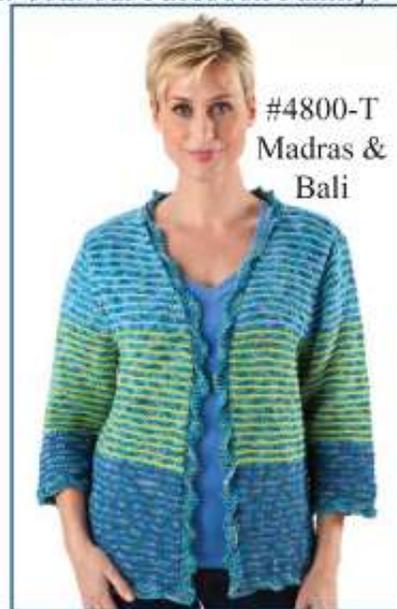
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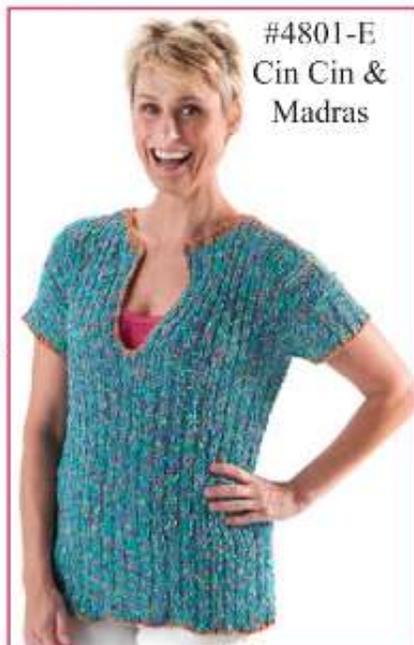
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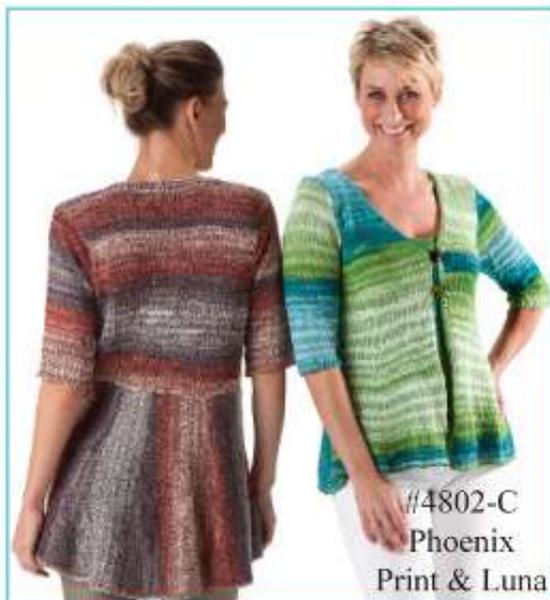
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