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SPRING
CARDIGAN*Cardigan in rib pattern
Instruction: Liv Stangeland***Sizes:**
(XS) S (M) L-XL**Measurements:**

Bust: (97) 103 (110) 116 cm

Length: (55) 55 (57) 59 cm

Sleeve length: 47 cm

All measurements are for the finished garment = personal body measurements + movement allowance. The measurements are all according to given tension.

Yarn:

TYNN SILK MOHAIR (57 % mohair, 28 % silk, 15 % wool, 25 g = 212 m)

Yarn required:

Dk.sky-blue #6042: (10) 11 (12) 14 balls

Suggested knitting needles:

Circular and double pointed 3 mm and 4 mm

Needle sizes are only suggestions. If your knitting shows tighter tension, use thicker needles, for looser tension use thinner needle

Tension:

12 sts and 40 rows with triple yarn (3 strands) and rib-pattern with 4 mm ndls = 10 cm

Rib-stitch (rib-st):

K 1 in st on previous row

Rib-pattern:**Row 1:** (= RS) p1, *1 rib-st, p1*, rep from *-*.**Row 2:** 1 rib-st, *p1, 1 rib-st*, rep from *-*.

Rep row 1 - 2.

Inc right before marker:

Work yo k tbl, transfer yo to left ndl once more and p yo tbl.

Inc left after marker:

Transfer yo k tbl to left ndl and k yo, transfer yo to left ndl again and p yo tbl.

Front band sts (work firmly):**Row 1:** (= WS) At beg of row: with yarn in front of work, sl 3 st to right ndl and work firmly following st. Work until 3 sts rem, and with yarn in front of work transfer these sts to right ndl.**Row 2:** (= RS) Hold yarn firmly, k the first 3 sts, work until 3 sts rem, k rem sts.**INFO:** With triple yarn (3 strands) work garment in rib-pattern from neck down. Beg at neck back, and inc at middle of each shoulder for front, back and v-neck.**Yoke:**

With triple yarn and 4 mm circular ndl cast on loosely 31 sts (first row = WS), work 3 front band sts, k1, *p1, k1*, rep from *-*, end with 3 front band sts.

Work 1 row rib-pattern inside front band sts at each side.

Insert marker around 3 sts to the inside of 4 sts from each side, for inc at middle shoulder, = marked sts. Work these sts in rib-pattern further.

Row 1: (= WS) Work rib-pattern inside 3 front band sts at each side and work 1 yo at each side of the 3 marked sts = 4 yo.**Row 2:** (= RS) Work rib-pattern inside 3 front band sts at each side and inc right before each marker and inc left after each marker = 8 sts inc.**Row 3:** Work rib-pattern, but work inc sts as follows: p1, k1 before each marker, and k1, p1 after each marker.**Row 4:** Work rib-pattern inside 3 front band sts at each side.

Rep row 1 – 4 a total of 3 times = 55 sts.

Insert marker 7 sts from each side = inc for v-neck.

Inc for v-neck and shoulder as follows:**Row 1:** (= WS) Work rib-pattern inside 3 front band sts at each side, work 1 yo after first marker and 1 yo before last marker for v-neck, and work shoulder inc as before.**Row 2:** (= RS) Work rib-pattern inside 3 front band sts at each side and inc in yo as before = 12 sts inc.**Row 3:** Work rib-pattern, but work inc sts after first marker k1, p1 and before last marker p1, k1.**Row 4:** Work rib-pattern inside 3 front band sts at each side = 67 sts.

Rep row 1 - 4, but inc (2) 3 (3) 4 times more for shoulders only = (83) 91 (91) 99 sts, last row = WS.

Work until marked sts on first shoulder, and cut yarn.

Divide work for back and front as follows:

Transfer the 3 marked sts on each shoulder to a separate yarn end.

Edge st:

Sl k-wise first st on row, k last st on row

Back:

= (41) 45 (45) 49 sts.

Cont rib-pattern back and forth inside 1 edge st at each side until back meas (10) 11 (12) 13 cm from dividing.

Insert marker 4 sts from each side for inc of armholes.

Row 1: (= WS) Work rib-pattern inside 1 edge st at each side, work 1 yo after first marker and 1 yo before last marker.**Row 2:** (= RS) Work rib-pattern inside 1 edge st at each side and inc in yo as before = 4 sts inc.**Row 3:** Work rib-pattern, but work the inc sts k1, p1 after first marker and p1, k1 before last marker.**Row 4:** Work rib-pattern inside 1 edge st at each side.

Rep inc every (3) 3 (2) 2 cm (3) 3 (4) 4 times = (53) 57 (61) 65 sts.

Cont until work meas (18) 19 (20) 21 cm from dividing.

Transfer sts to spare ndl.

Right front:

= (18) 20 (20) 22 sts.

Beg at sleeve side (= WS) and work 6 rows rib-pattern back and forth inside 1 edge st at sleeve side and 3 front band sts.

Inc for v-neck as before = (20) 22 (22) 24 sts.

Rep inc for v-neck (= 1 yo) every 20th row, **at the same time** inc for armhole at the same height and in the same manner as the back.

Cont until front meas (18) 19 (20) 21 cm from dividing.

Transfer sts to spare ndl.

Left front:

= (18) 20 (20) 22 sts.

Work in the same manner as right front, but in a mirror image, and work 7 rows rib-pattern first time.

Back and front:

Transfer all parts to the same 4 mm circular ndl, **at the same time** cast on 3 new sts under each armhole.

Cont rib-pattern back and forth inside 3 front band sts at each side and cont inc for v-neck 4 times = (123) 131 (139) 147 sts.

Cont until garment meas (49) 49 (51) 53 cm, meas from cast on, or 6 cm before suitable length.

Change to 3 mm circular ndl and work 6 cm ribbing k1, p1 inside 3 edge sts at each side, **while** inc on first row as follows:

Work 3 front band sts, p1, k1, *inc 2 sts (= pick up yarn between 2 sts and p1, k1 tbl in this new st), work 4 sts*, rep from *-*, end with 3 front band sts. Cast off k tbl-wise to avoid bulging edge.

Sleeves:

With triple yarn and 4 mm circular ndl pick up the 3 middle underarm sts, and knit up (21) 23 (25) 27 sts at each side at armhole (not over the new sts at middle underarm) = (45) 49 (53) 57 sts.

Row 1: (= WS) Work 1 edge st, p1, *k1, p1*, rep from *-*, end with 1 edge st.

All further measurements from this row:

Cont rib-pattern back and forth inside 1 edge st at each side until sleeve meas (9) 11 (8) 11 cm.

Cast off 2 sts at beg of row as follows:

Work 1 edge st, k3tog.

Rep cast off every (3½) 3 (3) 2½ cm alternately at beg and end of row.

Cast off at end of row as follows:

Work until 4 sts rem, k3tog, 1 edge st.

Cast off 2 sts a total of (9) 10 (11) 12 times = (27) 29 (31) 33 sts. Cont until sleeve meas 41 cm, or 6 cm before suitable length. P tog the 2 edge sts on last row.

Transfer sts to 3 mm double pointed ndls and work 6 cm ribbing k1, p1 in rnds, **while** inc evenly spaced on first rnd as follows:

Work *3 sts, inc 2 (in the same manner as for back/front)* rep from *-*, end with (2) 1 (3) 2 sts = (42) 46 (48) 52 sts.

Cast off k tbl-wise to avoid bulging edge.

Finishing:

Sew sleeve seams and the last part until the new sts under sleeve.

Neck band:

With 4 mm ndls knit up 3 sts at cast-on row at one neck band. Work back and forth until band reaches middle back neck, approx. 10 cm. Transfer sts to spare ndl. Work other band in the same manner.

Graft edges tog.

Sew band at neck edge.

