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Briar Rose Poncho
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FINISHED MEASUREMENTS
Circumference at Neck Edge: 21¾"
Length at Center Front and Back: 17"

MATERIALS
Universal Yarn Deluxe Bulky Superwash
(100% Superwash Wool; 100gm/106
yds)
- #901 – Rosy Mauve – 5 balls
Needles: US Size 10½ (6.5 mm) circular
needles 24" and 32" long *or size needed
to obtain gauge*
Notions: Tapestry needle, stitch markers

GAUGE
14 sts and 18 rows = 4" in Stockinette
Stitch
Save time, check your gauge.

Knit, Relax, Smile, Repeat!

STITCH GUIDE
Eyelet Pattern
(panel of 5 sts)
Rnd 1: P1, k3, p1.
Rnd 2: P1, k1, yo, ssk, p1.
Rnd 3: Rep Rnd 1.
Rnd 4: P1, k2tog, yo, k1, p1
Rep Rnds 1-4 for pattern.

PATTERN NOTES
This poncho is worked in one piece, from the top down in the round. When there are too many stitches to fit comfortably on the shorter needle, switch to longer needle.

PONCHO
Using shorter needle, cast on 76 sts. Pm for beginning of rnd and join to work in the rnd.
Purl 2 rnds.
Knit 2 rnds.
Purl 2 rnds.

Increase Section 1
Next rnd: * K14, pm, work Rnd 1 of Eyelet Pattern, pm; rep from * to end.
Inc rnd: * M1, knit to marker, m1, sl marker, work Rnd 2 of Eyelet Pattern, sl marker; rep from * to end – 8 sts increased.
Next Rnd: * Knit to marker, sl marker, work Rnd 3 of Eyelet Pattern, sl marker; rep from * to end.
Next Rnd: * M1, knit to marker, m1, sl marker, work Rnd 4 of Eyelet Pattern, sl marker; rep from * to end – 8 sts increased.
Rep last 4 rnds, 4 more times – 156 sts.

Increase Section 2
Next Rnd: * Knit to marker, sl marker, work next rnd of Eyelet Pattern, sl marker; rep from * to end.
Next Rnd: * M1, knit to marker, sl marker, work next rnd of Eyelet Pattern, sl marker, knit to marker, m1, sl marker, work next end of Eyelet Pattern, sl marker; rep from * to end – 4 sts increased.

Next Rnd: * Knit to marker, sl marker, work next rnd of Eyelet Pattern, sl marker; rep from * to end.
Next Rnd: * M1, knit to marker, m1, sl marker, work next rnd of Eyelet Pattern, sl marker; rep from * to end – 8 sts increased.
Rep last 4 rnds, 3 more times – 204 sts.

Increase Section 3
Next Rnd: * Knit to marker, sl marker, work next rnd of Eyelet Pattern, sl marker; rep from * to end.
Next Rnd: * M1, knit to marker, sl marker, work next rnd of Eyelet Pattern, sl marker, knit to marker, m1, sl marker, work next rnd of Eyelet Pattern, sl marker; rep from * to end – 4 sts increased.
Next 4 Rnds: Rep last 2 rnds, 2 more times.
Next Rnd: * Knit to marker, sl marker, work next rnd of Eyelet Pattern, sl marker; rep from * to end.
Next Rnd: * M1, knit to marker, m1, sl marker, work next rnd of Eyelet Pattern, sl marker; rep from * to end – 8 sts increased.
Rep last 8 rnds two more times – 264 sts.

Increase Section 4
Next Rnd: * Knit to marker, sl marker, work next rnd of Eyelet Pattern, sl marker; rep from * to end.
Next Rnd: * M1, knit to marker, sl marker, work next rnd of Eyelet Pattern, sl marker, knit to marker, m1, sl marker, work next rnd of Eyelet Pattern, sl marker; rep from * to end – 4 sts increased.
Rep last 2 rnds two more times – 276 sts.
Next Rnd: * Knit to marker, sl marker, work next rnd of Eyelet Pattern, sl marker; rep from * to end.

Border
Next Rnd: * M1, purl to marker, remove marker, purl to marker, remove marker purl to marker, M1, sl marker, purl to marker, sl marker; rep from * to end – 280 sts.
Next Rnd: Purl.

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Next Rnd: * M1, knit to marker, M1, sl marker, knit to marker, sl marker; rep from * to end – 284 sts.
Next Rnd: Knit.
Next Rnd: * M1, purl to marker, M1, sl marker, purl to marker, sl marker; rep from * to end – 288 sts.
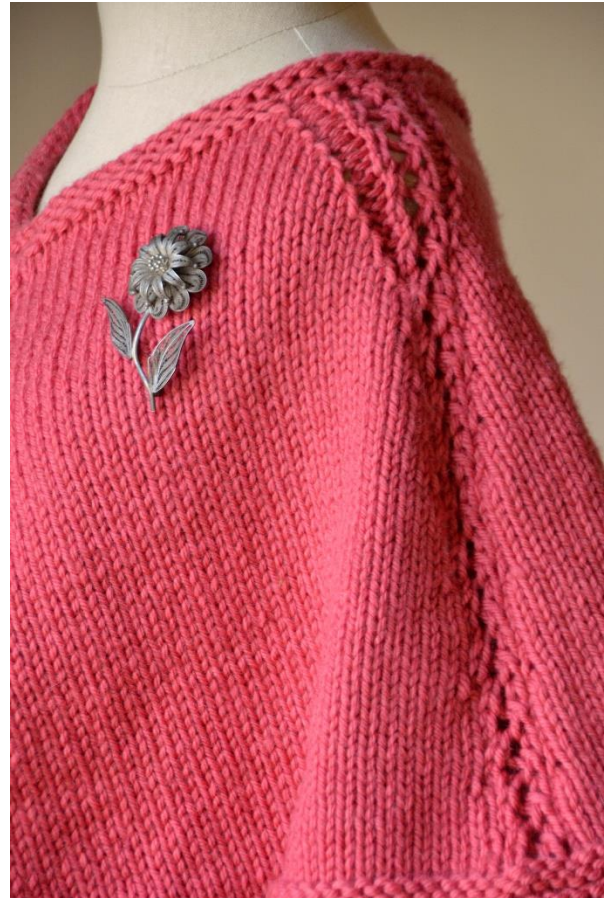**Next Rnd:** Purl.
Bind off all sts.

Finishing
Weave in ends.
Block gently.

Abbreviations

k	knit
k2tog	knit 2 stitches together
m1	insert left needle from front to back under horizontal strand of yarn lying between st just worked and next st, knit or purl this st through the back loop (1 st inc'd)
p	purl
pm	place marker
rep	repeat
rnd(s)	round(s)
sl	slip
ssk	slip, slip, knit
st(s)	stitch(es)
yo	yarn over

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