

PATTERN COLLECTION

Women



Cloudlight Cardigan Designed by Afifa Sayeed

SKILL Knitting

DIFFICULTY

Easy

SIZES

Extra Small (Small, Medium, Large, 1X) (2X, 3X, 4X, 5X) Shown in Small size with approx. 6" of positive ease.

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Chest: 37¼ (41, 44½, 49, 53) (56½, 60¼, 64¼, 68¼)"

Length (from shoulder): 26"

MATERIALS

<u>Universal Yarn Penna</u> (50% suri baby alpaca, 28% extra fine merino wool, 22% nylon; 25g/186 yds)

• 107 Custard - 6 (6, 7, 7, 8) (9, 9, 10, 11) balls

Needles: US Size 6 (4 mm) 16" and 24" circular needle or longer, *or size needed to obtain gauge*

US Size 4 (3.5 mm) 16" and 24" circular needle or longer and set of dpns (or your preferred needle for knitting small circumferences)

Notions: Stitch markers, scrap yarn or stitch holders, tapestry needle

Knit, Relax, Smile, Repeat!

GAUGE

22 sts x 28 rows = 4" in K1, P2 Rib with larger ndl after blocking

Save time, check your gauge.

PATTERN NOTES

The Cloudlight Cardigan is delicately crafted with Penna, a luxurious blend of baby suri alpaca, merino wool, and nylon. The resulting lightweight, airy fabric exudes a soft halo effect, enhancing the garment's elegance and warmth. Its gentle drape and understated texture make it a versatile addition to any wardrobe, ideal for layering over a simple top or pairing with neutral-toned trousers. The cardigan's relaxed yet polished design strikes a balance between comfort and sophistication, making it perfect for both casual and refined settings.

This seamless circular yoke cardigan is knit flat from the top down. The body and sleeves are separated at the underarms. After completing the body, sleeve stitches are picked up and worked in the round. The garter bands for the front opening are picked up and worked flat.

STITCH GUIDE K1, P2 Rib

(multiple of 3 sts, plus 1) **Row 1 (RS)**: * K1, p2; rep from * to last stitch, k1. **Row 2 (WS)**: P1, * k2, p1; rep from * to end. Rep Rows 1-2 for patt.

PATTERN BEGINS CARDIGAN Neckband

With smaller 16" circ ndl, cast on 75 (81, 89, 89, 93) (93, 99, 99, 99) sts. **Row 1 (RS):** Knit to last stitch, sl 1 wyif. **Row 2 (WS):** Rep Row 1. Rep Rows 1-2 until piece meas approx. 2" from cast on edge ending with a WS Row. Change to larger ndl.

Shape Yoke

Note: Change to longer circ ndl when there are too many sts to fit comfortably on 16" circ. Inc Row (RS): K6 (7, 11, 4, 3) (2, 2, 2, 1), [m1, k13 (13, 22, 9, 5) (3, 5, 3, 3)], 1 (1, 2, 4, 7) (1, 1, 10, 13) times, [m1, k12 (14, 23, 9, 6) (4, 4, 4, 2)], 2 (2, 1, 5, 2) (20, 20, 8, 8) times, [m1, k13 (13, 11, 4, 5) (3, 5, 3, 3)], 2 (2, 1, 1, 8) (2, 2, 11, 14) times, [m1, k6 (7, -, -, 3) (2, 2, 2, 1)], 1 (1, -, -, 1) (1, 1, 1) time - 6 (6, 4, 10, 18) (24, 24, 30, 36) sts inc'd, 81 (87, 93, 99, 111) (117, 123, 129, 135) sts.

Next Row (WS): Knit to last stitch, sl 1 wyif. Row 1: K1, * k1, p2; rep from * to last 2 sts, k1, sl 1 wyif. Row 2: K1, p1, * k2, p1; rep from * to last st, sl 1 wyif.

Rows 3-4: Rep Rows 1-2. Row 5 (Inc Row): K1, * m1, k2; rep from * to last 2 sts, k1, sl 1 wyif - 39 (42, 45, 48, 54) (57, 60, 63, 66) sts inc'd, 120 (129, 138, 147, 165) (174, 183, 192, 201) sts. Row 6: Knit to last stitch, sl 1 wyif. Rows 7-12: Rep Rows 1-2, 3 times. Row 13 (Inc Row): K1, *m1, k3; rep from * to last 2 sts, k1, sl 1 wyif - 39 (42, 45, 48, 54) (57, 60, 63, 66) sts inc'd, 159 (171, 183, 195, 219) (231, 243, 255, 267) sts. Row 14: Rep Row 6. Rows 15-22: Rep Rows 1-2, 4 times. Row 23 (Inc Row): K1, * m1, k4; rep from * to last 2 sts, k1, sl 1 wyif - 39 (42, 45, 48, 54) (57, 60, 63, 66) sts inc'd, 198 (213, 228, 243, 273) (288, 303, 318, 333) sts. Row 24: Rep Row 6. Rows 25-34: Rep Rows 1-2, 5 times. Row 35 (Inc Row): K1, * m1, k5; rep from * to last 2 sts, k1, sl 1 wyif - 39 (42, 45, 48, 54) (57, 60, 63, 66) sts inc'd, 237 (255, 273, 291, 327) (345, 363, 381, 399) sts. Row 36: Rep Row 6. Rows 37-48: Rep Rows 1-2, 6 times. Row 49 (inc Row): K1, * m1, k6; rep from * to last 2 sts, k1, sl 1 wyif - 39 (42, 45, 48, 54) (57, 60, 63, 66) sts inc'd, 276 (297, 318, 339, 381) (402, 423, 444, 465) sts. Row 50: Rep Row 6. Rows 51-64: Rep Rows 1-2, 7 times. Row 65 (Inc Row): K1, * m1, k7; rep from * to last 2 sts, k1, sl 1 wyif - 39 (42, 45, 48, 54) (57, 60, 63, 66) sts inc'd, 315 (339, 363, 387, 435) (459, 483, 507, 531) sts. Row 66: Rep Row 6. Rows 67-82: Rep Rows 1-2. 8 times. Cont. even in St st, if necessary, until piece meas

Separate Body and Sleeves

approx. 14" from cast-on edge.

Separation Row (RS): K43 (48, 53, 59, 65) (70, 75, 80, 86) Front Right Body sts, slip next 70 (72, 74, 74) (87, 89, 91, 92, 93) Sleeve sts to stitch holder or waste yarn, cast-on 4 underarm sts, k89 (99, 109, 121, 131) (141, 151, 163, 173) Back Body sts, slip next 70 (72, 74, 74, 87) (89, 91, 92, 93) Sleeve sts to stitch holder or waste yarn, cast-on 4 underarm sts, k42 (47, 52, 58, 64) (69, 74, 79, 85) Front Left Body sts, sl 1 wyif – 183 (203, 223, 247, 269) (289, 309, 331, 353) Body sts rem. Next Rnd: Knit to last stitch, sl 1 wyif.

Body

Row 1 (RS): Knit to last stitch, sl 1 wyif. Row 2 (WS): K1, purl to last stitch, sl 1 wyif.

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Repeat Rows 1-2 until piece meas approx. 12" from Body/Sleeve separation, ending with a WS row. Change to smaller ndl.

Hem

Row 1 (RS): Knit to last stitch, sl 1 wyif. Row 2 (WS): Rep Row 1.

Rep Rows 1-2 until piece meas approx 14" from Body/Sleeve separation ending with a WS row. Bind off all sts kwise.

Sleeves

Make 2 alike.

With smaller ndl, RS facing, and beg at center of underarm, pick up and knit 2 sts, knit across held Sleeve sts, pick up and knit 2 underarm sts. PM and join to knit in the rnd - 74 (76, 78, 78, 91) (93, 95, 96, 97) sts.

Rnd 1: Knit.

Rnd 2: Purl.

Rep Rnds 1-2 until sleeve meas. approx. 2" from underarm, ending with Rnd 2. Bind off all sts kwise.

Front Edging

Right Front Edging

With smaller ndl and RS facing, beg at bottom corner of Front Right Body, pick up 154 sts along Front Right Body.

Row 1 (WS): Knit to last stitch, sl 1 wyif.

Row 2 (RS): Rep Row 1.

Rep Rows 1-2 until piece meas approx. 2" from picked-up edge, ending with a WS Row. Bind off all sts kwise.

Left Front Edging

With smaller ndl and RS facing, beg at top corner of Front Left Body, pick up and knit 154 sts along Front Left Body.

Row 1 (WS): Knit to last stitch, sl 1 wyif.

Row 2 (RS): Rep Row 1.

Rep Rows 1-2 until piece meas approx. 2" from picked-up edge, ending with a WS Row. Bind off all sts kwise.

FINISHING

Gently wash and block to finished measurements. Weave in ends.



Abbreviations

*	indicates a repeat section
approx.	approximately
circ	circular
inc('d)	increase(d)
k	knit
kwise	knitwise
ml	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)
meas	measures
ndl	needle
р	purl
patt	pattern
pm	place marker
rem	remain(ing)
rnd	round
RS	right side
sl	slip
st(s)	stitch(es)
WS	wrong side
wyif	with yarn held in front

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