



PATTERN COLLECTION

Women



Sunday Cardigan

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SKILL

Knitting

DIFFICULTY

Intermediate

SIZES

Small (Medium, Large, 1X, 2X, 3X)

Shown in Small size with approx. 1" of positive ease.

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Chest: 35 (39½, 43¼, 47¾, 51½, 54¾)"

Length: 22 (22¼, 23, 23¼, 24, 24¼)

MATERIALS

[Universal Yarn Uptown DK Multi](#) (100% antipilling acrylic; 200g/529 yds)

- 202 Summer – 2 (3, 3, 3, 3, 4) skeins

Needle: US Size 6 (4 mm) straight (or your preferred needle for knitting flat) *or size needed to obtain gauge*

Notions: Tapestry needle, stitch markers, stitch holders or waste yarn, 5 (6, 6, 6, 6, 6) ¾" buttons

GAUGE

16 sts x 24 rows = 4" in Lace Thorns patt *after blocking*

23 sts x 44 rows = 4" in Tight Braid patt *after blocking*

Save time, check your gauge.

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PATTERN NOTES

The Sunday Cardigan is made for easygoing days. The open lace texture and classic button front bring charm to a piece that feels effortless, whether layered over a flowing dress or paired with your favorite jeans.

This cardigan is worked from the bottom up in pieces and then seamed. When working decreases, keep remaining stitches in established pattern and keep one stitch at each edge in reverse Stockinette stitch.

The stitch patterns are both written and charted for your convenience.

STITCH GUIDE

Right Twist (RT): K2tog but do not slip st from ndl, knit the first st again, slip both sts from ndl.

Right Purl Twist (RPT): K2tog but do not slip st from ndl, purl the first st again, slip both sts from ndl.

Lace Thorns

(multiple of 4 sts)

Row 1 (RS): * Yo, ssk, k2; rep from * to end.

Row 2 (WS): * Yo, p2tog, p2; rep from * to end.
Rep Rows 1-2 for patt.

Tight Braid

(multiple of 5 sts plus 3)

Row 1 (RS): * P3, RT; rep from * to last 3 sts, p3.

Row 2 (WS): K3, * RPT, k3; rep from * to end.
Rep Rows 1-2 for patt.

PATTERN BEGINS

CARDIGAN

BACK

Cast on 88 (98, 108, 118, 128, 138) sts. Work even in garter st until piece meas approx. 1¼" from cast on edge.

Establish Body Pattern

Note 1: Follow instructions for the size you are working.

Note 2: For all sizes, work WS rows in patt as est'd to end.

Small (RS): * Work Tight Braid patt over 13 sts, work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts; rep from * 3 times, work Tight Braid patt over 13 sts.

Medium (RS): P1, work Lace Thorns patt over 4 sts, * work Tight Braid patt over 13 sts, Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts; rep from * 3 times, work Tight Braid patt over 13 sts, work Lace Thorns patt over 4 sts, p1.

Large (RS): P2, work Lace Thorns patt over 8 sts, * work Tight Braid patt over 13 sts, work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts; rep from * 3 times, work Tight Braid patt over 13 sts, work Lace Thorns patt over 8 sts, p2.

1X (RS): P3, * work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts, work Tight Braid patt over 13 sts; rep from * 4 times, work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts, p3.

2X (RS): Work Tight Braid patt over 8 sts, * work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts, work Tight Braid patt over 13 sts; rep from * 4 times, work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts, work Tight Braid patt over 8 sts.

3X (RS): * Work Tight Braid patt over 13 sts, work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts; rep from * 5 times, work Tight Braid patt over 13 sts.

ALL Sizes

Cont in patt as est'd until piece meas approx. 14½" from cast-on edge, ending with a WS row.

Shape Armholes

Row 1 (RS): Bind off 8 (8, 10, 10, 12, 13) sts, work in patt as est'd to end – 80 (90, 98, 108, 116, 125) sts rem.

Row 2 (WS): Bind off 8 (8, 10, 10, 12, 13) sts, work in patt as est'd to end – 72 (82, 88, 98, 104, 112) sts rem.

Row 3: P1, ssp, work in patt as est'd to last 3 sts, p2tog, p1 – 2 sts dec'd, 70 (80, 86, 96, 102, 110) sts rem.

Row 4: Work in patt as est'd to end.
Rep Rows 3 and 4, 6 (7, 9, 10, 12, 13) more times – 12 (14, 18, 20, 24, 26) sts dec'd – 58 (66, 68, 76, 78, 84) sts rem.

Cont in patt as est'd until piece meas approx. 6¼ (6¾, 7¼, 7¾, 8¼, 8¾)" from underarm bind off, ending with a WS row.

Shape Neck

Work in patt as est'd across 18 (21, 21, 25, 25, 28) Right Shoulder sts, bind off next 22 (24, 26, 26, 28, 28) sts, work in patt as est'd to end of row – 18 (21, 21, 25, 25, 28) sts rem for each shoulder. Place Right Shoulder sts on holder or scrap yarn.

Left Shoulder

WS Rows 1-5: Work in patt as est'd to end.

Row 2 (RS): Bind off 4 sts, work in patt as est'd to end – 14 (17, 17, 21, 21, 24) sts rem.

Row 4: P1, ssp, work in patt as est'd to end – 1 st dec'd, 13 (16, 16, 20, 20, 23) sts rem.
Bind off all sts.

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Right Shoulder

Return 18 (21, 21, 25, 25, 28) Right Shoulder sts to ndl, ready to work a WS row.

Row 1 (WS): Bind off 4 sts, work in patt as est'd to end – 14 (17, 17, 21, 21, 24) sts rem.

RS Rows 2-4: Work in patt as est'd to end.

Row 3: K1, ssk, work in patt as est'd to end – 1 st dec'd, 13 (16, 16, 20, 20, 23) sts rem.

Rows 5: Work in patt as est'd to end.

Bind off all sts.

RIGHT FRONT

Cast on 48 (54, 59, 64, 68, 72) sts. Work even in garter st until piece meas approx. 1¼" from cast on edge.

Establish Body Pattern

Note 1: Follow instructions for the size you are working.

Note 2: Read through the entire section before proceeding. Body pattern and buttonholes are worked at the same time.

Small (RS): K8, p1, work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts, work Tight Braid patt over 13 sts, work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts, p2.

Next Row (WS): K2, work in patt as est'd to last 9 sts, k9.

Medium (RS): K8, p1, work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts, work Tight Braid patt over 13 sts, work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts, work Tight Braid patt over 8 sts.

Next Row (WS): Work in patt as est'd to last 9 sts, k9.

Large (RS): K8, p1, * work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts, work Tight Braid patt over 13 st; rep from * to end.

Next Row (WS): Work in patt as est'd to last 9 sts, k9.

1X (RS): K8, p1, * work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts, work Tight Braid patt over 13 sts; rep from * 2 times, work Lace Thorns patt over 4 sts, p1.

Next Row (WS): K1, work in patt as est'd to last 9 sts, k9.

2X (RS): K8, p1, * work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts, work Tight Braid patt over 13 sts; rep from * 2 times, work Lace Thorns patt over 8 sts, p1.

Next Row (WS): K1, work in patt as est'd to last 9 sts, k9.

3X (RS): K8, p1, * work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts, work Tight Braid patt over 13 sts; rep from * 2 times, work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts, p1.

Next Row (WS): K1, work in patt as est'd to last 9 sts, k9.

ALL Sizes

AT THE SAME TIME – Buttonholes are worked as follows on a RS row: K4, yo, ssk, work in patt as est'd to end. Work first buttonhole when piece meas approx. 2¼ (2, 2¼, 2¼, 1¼, 1¼)" from cast-on edge, rep every 3½ (3, 3, 3, 3¼, 3¼)", 4 (5, 5, 5, 5) more times – 5 (6, 6, 6, 6, 6) buttonholes total. Cont in patt as est'd until piece meas approx. 14½" from cast-on edge, ending with a RS row.

Shape Armhole

Note: Continue to work buttonholes as established throughout armhole shaping.

Row 1 (WS): Bind off 8 (8, 11, 10, 12, 12) sts, work in patt as est'd to end – 40 (46, 48, 54, 56, 60) sts rem.

Row 2 (RS): Work in patt as est'd to last 3 sts, p2tog, p1 – 1 st dec'd, 39 (45, 47, 53, 55, 59) sts rem.

Row 3: Work in patt as est'd to end. Rep Rows 2-3, 6 (7, 9, 10, 12, 13) more times – 6 (7, 9, 10, 12, 13) sts dec'd, 33 (38, 38, 43, 43, 46) sts rem.

Cont in patt as est'd until piece meas approx. 3¼ (3¼, 4¼, 4, 4¼, 4¼)" from underarm bind off, ending with a WS row.

Shape Neck

Row 1 (RS): Bind off 9 sts, work in patt as est'd to end – 24 (29, 29, 34, 34, 37) sts rem.

WS Rows 2-8: Work in patt as est'd to end.

Row 3: Bind off 2 (3, 3, 3, 3, 4) sts, work in patt as est'd to end – 22 (26, 26, 31, 31, 33) sts rem.

Row 5: Bind off 2 sts, work in patt as est'd to end – 20 (24, 24, 29, 29, 31) sts rem.

Row 7: P1, ssp, work in patt as est'd to end – 1 st dec'd, 19 (23, 23, 28, 28, 30) sts rem.

Rep Rows 7-8, 6 (7, 7, 8, 8, 7) more times – 6 (7, 7, 8, 8, 7) sts dec'd, 13 (16, 16, 20, 20, 23) sts rem.

Cont in patt as est'd until piece meas approx. 7¼ (7¼, 8¼, 8¼, 9¼, 9¼)" from underarm bind off, ending with a WS row.

Bind off all sts.

LEFT FRONT

Cast on 48 (54, 59, 64, 68, 72) sts. Work even in garter st until piece meas approx. 1¼" from cast on edge.

Establish Body Pattern

Note: Follow instructions for the size you are working.

Small (RS): P2, work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts, work Tight Braid patt over 13 sts, work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts, p1, k8.

Next Row (WS): K9, work in patt as est'd to last 2 sts, k2.

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Medium (RS): Work Tight Braid patt over 8 sts, work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts, work Tight Braid patt over 13 sts, work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts, p1, k8.

Next Row (WS): K9, work in patt as est'd to end.

Large (RS): * Work Tight Braid patt over 13 sts, work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts; rep from * 2 times, p1, k8.

Next Row (WS): K9, work in patt as est'd to end.

1X (RS): P1, work Lace Thorns patt over 4 sts, * work Tight Braid patt over 13 sts, work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts; rep from * 2 times, p1, k8.

Next Row (WS): K9, work in patt as est'd to last st, k1.

2X (RS): P1, work Lace Thorns patt over 8 sts, * work Tight Braid patt over 13 sts, work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts; rep from * 2 times, p1, k8.

Next Row (WS): K9, work in patt as est'd to last st, k1.

3X (RS): P1, work in Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts, * work Tight Braid patt over 13 sts, work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts; rep from * 2 times, p1, k8.

Next Row (WS): K9, work in patt as est'd to last st, k1.

ALL Sizes

Cont in patt as est'd until piece meas approx. 14½" from cast-on edge, ending with a WS row.

Shape Armhole

Row 1 (RS): Bind off 8 (8, 10, 10, 12, 13) sts, work in patt as est'd to end – 40 (46, 48, 54, 56, 60) sts rem.

Row 2 (WS): Work in patt as est'd to end.

Row 3: P1, ssp, work in patt as est'd to end – 1 st dec'd, 39 (45, 47, 53, 55, 59) sts rem.

Row 4: Work in patt as est'd to end.

Rep Rows 3-4, 6 (7, 9, 10, 12, 13) more times – 6 (7, 9, 10, 12, 13) sts dec'd, 33 (38, 38, 43, 43, 46) sts rem.

Cont in patt as est'd until piece meas approx. 3¼ (3¾, 4¼, 4, 4¾, 4¾)" from underarm bind off, ending with a RS row.

Shape Neck

Row 1 (WS): Bind off 9 sts, work in patt as est'd to end – 24 (29, 29, 34, 34, 37) sts rem.

RS Rows 2-8: Work in patt as est'd to end.

Row 3: Bind off 2 (3, 3, 3, 3, 4) sts, work in patt as est'd to end – 22 (26, 26, 31, 31, 33) sts rem.

Row 5: Bind off 2 sts, work in patt as est'd to end – 20 (24, 24, 29, 29, 31) sts rem.

Row 7: K1, ssk, work in patt as est'd to end – 1 st dec'd, 19 (23, 23, 28, 28, 30) sts rem.

Rep Rows 7-8, 6 (7, 7, 8, 8, 7) times – 6 (7, 7, 8, 8, 7) sts dec'd, 13 (16, 16, 20, 20, 23) sts rem.

Cont in patt as est'd until piece meas approx. 7¼ (7¾, 8¼, 8¾, 9¼, 9¾)" from underarm bind off.

Bind off all sts.

SLEEVES

Make both alike.

Cast on 53 (53, 57, 57, 63, 63) sts. Work even in garter st until piece meas approx. 1¼" from cast on edge.

Establish Sleeve Pattern

Note: Follow instructions for the size you are working.

Small and Medium (RS): Work Tight Braid patt over 8 sts, work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts, work Tight Braid patt over 13 sts, work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts, work Tight Braid patt over 8 sts.

Large and 1X (RS): P2, work Tight Braid patt over 8 sts, work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts, work Tight Braid patt over 13 sts, work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts, work Tight Braid patt over 8 sts, p2.

2X and 3X (RS): * Work Tight Braid patt over 13 sts, work Lace Thorns patt over 12 sts; rep from * 2 times, work Tight Braid patt over 13 sts.

ALL Sizes

Cont in patt as est'd until Sleeve meas approx. 2½ (2¾, 2¾, 2¾, 2, 2)" from cast-on edge, ending with a WS row.

Shape Sleeves

Note: As Sleeve stitches are increased, incorporate new stitches into pattern and keep one st at each edge in reverse Stockinette stitch.

Inc Row (RS): P1, m1p, work in patt as est'd to last st, m1p, p1 – 2 sts inc'd, 55 (55, 59, 59, 65, 65) sts. Continuing in patt as est'd, rep Inc Row every 4th row – (-, -, 2, 5, 11) more times, then rep Inc Row every 6th row – (1, 7, 10, 8, 4) times, then rep Inc Row every 8th row – (7, 3, -, -, -) times, then rep Inc Row every 10th row 6 (-, -, -, -, -) times – 12 (16, 20, 24, 26, 30) sts inc'd, 67 (71, 79, 83, 91, 95) sts.

Cont even in patt as est'd until Sleeve meas approx. 14" from cast-on edge, ending with a WS row.

Shape Sleeve Cap

Row 1 (RS): Bind off 8 (8, 10, 10, 12, 12) sts, work in patt as est'd to end – 59 (63, 69, 73, 79, 83) sts rem.

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Row 2 (WS): Bind off 8 (8, 10, 10, 12, 12) sts, work in patt as est'd to end – 51 (55, 59, 63, 67, 71) sts rem.

Row 3: P1, ssp, work in patt as est'd to last 3 sts, p2tog, p1 – 2 sts dec'd, 49 (53, 57, 61, 65, 69) sts rem.

Row 4-6: Work in patt as est'd to end.

Rep Rows 3-6, 2 more times – 4 sts dec'd, 45 (49, 53, 57, 61, 65) sts rem.

Then rep Rows 3-4, 7 (8, 10, 11, 13, 14) times – 14 (16, 20, 22, 26, 28) sts dec'd, 31 (33, 33, 35, 35, 37) sts rem.

Cont shaping Sleeve Cap as follows:

Bind off 2 (2, 2, 3, 3, 3) sts at beg of next 2 rows – 27 (29, 29, 29, 29, 31) sts rem.

Bind off 3 (3, 3, 3, 3, 4) sts at beg of next 2 rows – 21 (23, 23, 23, 23, 23) sts rem.

Bind off 3 (4, 4, 4, 4, 4) sts at beg of next 2 rows – 15 sts rem.

Bind off all sts.

FINISHING

Gently wash and block to measurements. Sew shoulder seams. Set in and sew Sleeves to Body. Sew Sleeve and side seams. Attach buttons opposite buttonholes. Weave in ends.

Collar

Pick up and knit 70 (72, 74, 82, 84, 92) sts evenly along Neck. Work even in garter st until Collar meas approx. 1" from picked up edge. Bind off all sts. Weave in rem ends.

Abbreviations

*	indicates a repeat section
approx.	approximately
cont	continue
dec('d)	decrease(d)
est'd	established
garter st	knit every row
inc('d)	increase(d)
k	knit
k2tog	knit 2 stitches together (1 st dec'd)
m1P	insert left needle from front to back under horizontal strand of yarn lying between st just worked and next st, purl this st through the back loop (1 st inc'd)
meas	measures
ndl	needle
p	purl
patt	pattern

p2tog
rem
rep
RS
rev St st

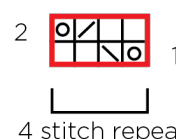
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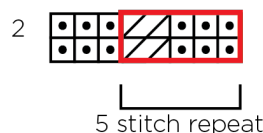
st(s)
WS
yo

purl 2 sts together (1 st dec'd)
remain(ing)
repeat
right side
reverse Stockinette stitch (purl on RS rows, knit on WS rows; in the rnd, purl every rnd)
slip next 2 sts individually knitwise, slip them back to left needle in this position, knit them together through the back loops (1 st dec'd)
slip next 2 sts individually knitwise, slip them back to left needle in this position, purl them together through the back loops (1 st dec'd)
stitch(es)
wrong side
yarnover

Lace Thorns



Tight Braid



Key

- knit on RS, purl on WS
- purl on RS, knit on WS
- yo
- ssk
- p2tog
- RT on RS, RPT on WS

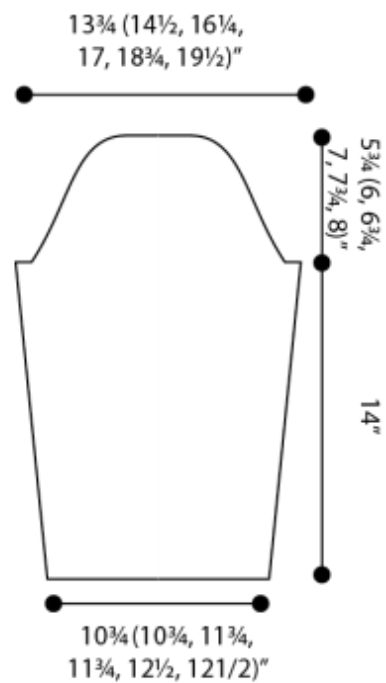
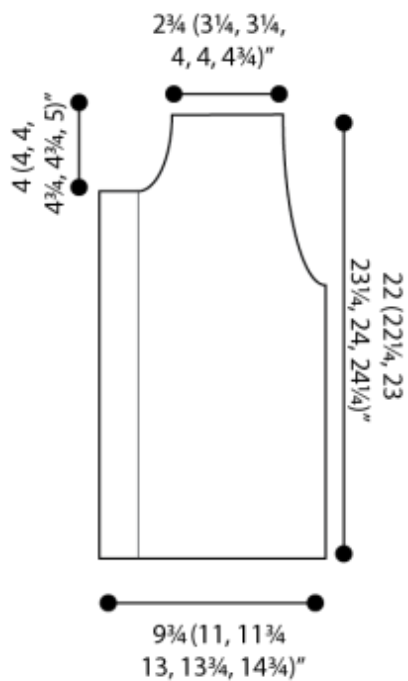
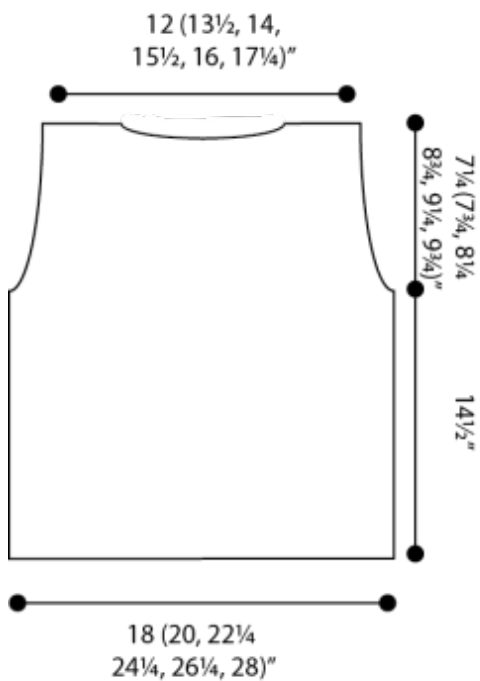
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