



PATTERN COLLECTION

Women



Whirligig Cardigan

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SKILL

Knitting

DIFFICULTY

Easy

SIZES

A (B, C)

Shown in A size with approx. 9¼" of positive ease along the back.

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Back Bust Width: 26 (27½, 29¼)"

Length: 22¼ (23¼, 24¼)"

MATERIALS

[Universal Yarn Cotton Supreme](#) (100% cotton; 100g/180 yds)

- 622 Daquiri (A) – 4 (4, 5) skeins
- 606 Lavender (B) – 3 (3, 4) skeins

[Universal Yarn Cotton Supreme Speckles](#) (100% cotton; 100g/180 yds)

- 1001 Fruit Punch (C) – 3 (3, 4) skeins
- 1004 Pastel Pop (D) – 3 (3, 4) skeins

Needle: US Size 8 (5 mm) straight (or your preferred needle for knitting flat), and 24" circulars for sleeve edging. *or size needed to obtain gauge*

Notions: Tapestry needle, stitch marker, removable stitch marker (*optional*)

GAUGE

18 sts x 32 rows = 4" in Garter stitch

Save time, check your gauge.

Knit, Relax, Smile, Repeat!

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PATTERN NOTES

What do you get when you pair two vivid shades of our sumptuous Cotton Supreme yarn with the brilliant pops in Cotton Supreme Speckles? A kaleidoscope of color! The Whirligig Cardigan is a celebration of this soft cotton yarn that is perfect for warm-weather garments and accessories alike. And even better, the unique construction makes this the perfect portable project for any occasion.

This cardigan is constructed of 52 individual squares that are knit on the bias. After sewing the squares together as shown in the schematic, stitches are picked up for the hem, the front edging, and the sleeves. In this pattern, we recommend weaving in your ends as you go to save time.

This cardigan is intended to be worn with a generous amount of positive ease. Due to the open nature of the cardigan at the bust, finished measurements are given based on back width at the bust (measured from center of underarm to center of underarm). It is recommended to choose a size approximately 9-12 inches larger than your actual back bust width. Further measurements for each size can be found on the schematic.

STITCH GUIDE

K1, P1 Rib

(multiple of 2 sts plus 1, worked flat)

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

Row 2 (WS): P1, * k1, p1; rep from * to end.

Rep Rows 1-2 for patt.

K1, P1 Rib

(multiple of 2 sts, worked in the round)

Rnd 1: * K1, p1; rep from * to end.

Rep Rnd 1 for patt.

PATTERN BEGINS

CARDIGAN

Note: We recommend placing a removable marker on the RS of your work to help distinguish it from the WS side.

Square A

(Make 26 alike)

With color A, cast on 3 sts.

Increase Section

Row 1 (RS): K1, m1R, k1, m1L, k1 – 2 sts inc'd, 5 sts.

Row 2 (WS): Knit.



Row 3: K1, m1R, knit to last st, m1L, k1 – 2 sts inc'd, 7 sts.

Row 4: Knit.

Rep Rows 3-4, 15 (16, 17) more times – 30 (32, 34) sts inc'd, 37 (39, 41) sts.

Break Color A, join Color C.

Decrease Section

Row 1 (RS): Ssk, knit to last 2 sts, k2tog – 2 sts dec'd, 35 (37, 39) sts rem.

Row 2 (WS): Knit.

Rep Rows 1-2, 16 (17, 18) more times – 32 (34, 36) sts dec'd, 3 sts rem.

Bind off rem sts kwise.

Square B

(Make 26 alike)

With Color B, cast on 3 sts.

Increase Section

Row 1 (RS): K1, m1R, k1, m1L, k1 – 2 sts inc'd, 5 sts.

Row 2 (WS): Knit.

Row 3: K1, m1R, knit to last stitch, m1L, k1 – 2 sts inc'd, 7 sts.

Row 4: Knit.

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Rep Rows 3-4, 15 (16, 17) more times - 30 (32, 34) sts inc'd, 37 (39, 41) sts.
Break Color B, join Color D.

Decrease Section

Row 1 (RS): Ssk, knit to last 2 sts, k2tog - 2 sts dec'd, 35 (37, 39) sts rem.

Row 2 (WS): Knit.

Rep Rows 1-2, 16 (17, 18) more times - 32 (34, 36) sts dec'd, 3 sts rem.

Bind off rem sts kwise.

FINISHING

Gently wash and block pieces to finished measurements.

Assemble Cardigan

Sew Squares together using schematic as a guide. After squares are assembled according to the schematic, sew Side seams, Shoulder seams, and Sleeve seams, taking care to align the squares. Please note that the center Back square is left un-seamed for the neck edging.

Hem

With RS Facing, 24" circ ndl, and Color B, begin at bottom Left Front corner, pick up and knit 48 (50, 52) sts along bottom edge of Left Front, 119 (125, 131) sts along Back, and 48 (50, 52) sts along bottom edge of Right Front - 215 (225, 235) sts. Work in K1, P1 Rib until hem meas. approx. 1¼" from picked-up edge.
Bind off all sts in patt.

Front Edging

With RS Facing, 24' circ ndl, and Color B, begin at Bottom Right Front corner, pick up and knit 100 (104, 109) sts along Right Front, 21 (23, 25) sts along Back Neck, and 100 (104, 109) sts along Left Front - 221 (231, 243) sts. Work in K1, P1, Rib until Front Edging meas approx. 1¼" from picked-up edge.
Bind off all sts in patt.

Sleeve Edging

With RS Facing, 24" circ ndl, and Color B, begin at bottom center of Sleeve seam, pick up and knit 92 (98, 104) sts. PM and join to work in the round, being careful not to twist. Work in K1, P1 Rib until Sleeve edging meas approx. 1¼" from picked-up edge.
Bind off all sts in patt.

Rep for opposite Sleeve.
Weave in rem ends.

Abbreviations

approx	approximately
dec('d)	decrease(d)
inc('d)	increase(d)
k	knit
k2tog	knit 2 stitches together (1 st dec'd)
kwise	knitwise
m	marker
m1L	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)
m1R	insert left needle from back to front under horizontal strand of yarn lying between st just worked and next st, knit or purl this st through the front loop (1 st inc'd)
meas	measures
ndl	needle
p	purl
patt	pattern
pm	place marker
rem	remain(ing)
rep	repeat
RS	right side
ssk	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)
st(s)	stitch(es)
WS	wrong side

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Square A
(make 26)

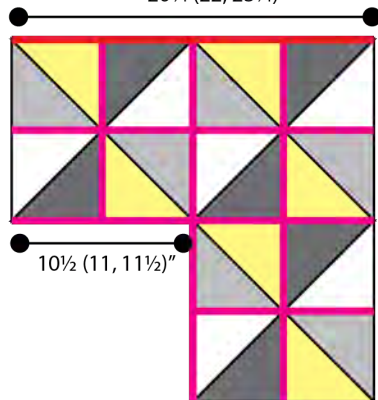


Square B
(make 26)



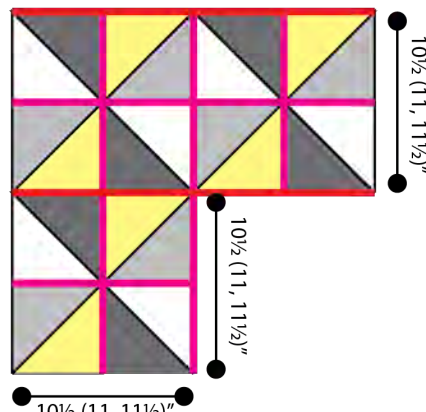
Right Front

20¾ (22, 23¼)"



10½ (11, 11½)"

Left Front

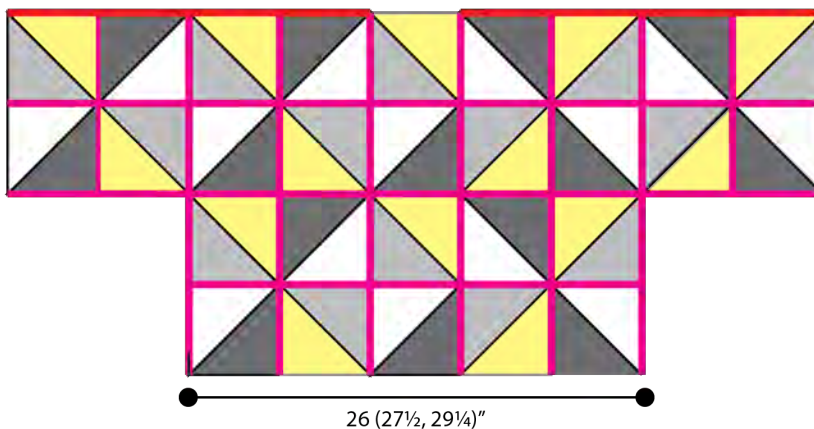


10½ (11, 11½)"

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Back



26 (27½, 29¼)"

Key

-  Seamline
-  Color A
-  Color B
-  Color C
-  Color D

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