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GREETINGS FROM BROOKLYN TWEED!

Winter is in full swing and the holidays are upon us. It's finally time to hunker down and enjoy the seasonal coziness we knitters crave! Here at BT Headquarters, we've been busily polishing up our newest design collection to bid farewell to 2012 and welcome the new year.

Our fourth collection in the **Wool People** series features 15 fresh new knitting patterns from designers in several corners of the globe, from Ireland to Japan to Australia. My work with the contributors is a great source of personal inspiration and remains one of my very favorite parts of my job.

We shot the collection on a cloudy winter day at the Old American Canning Factory in Brooklyn: a 130,000 sq. foot industrial complex on the Gowanus Canal. The mazelike cluster of buildings – constructed from 1865 to 1901 – has, in recent years, been salvaged to create working studio spaces for artists and craftspeople of all kinds. The factory simply oozes with industrial history, from the monolithic steel doors that cap every corridor to the cavernous freight elevator shafts that echo like unlit caves. A very inspirational place indeed – one that naturally gets me thinking about the people who worked there over a century ago, and what their lives must have been like.

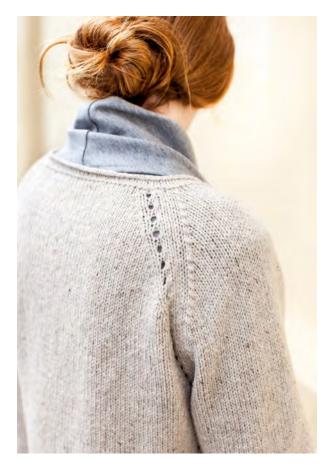
As the year comes to a close, I find myself reflecting on the things that 2012 brought to us – both the rewards and the challenges. I also inevitably feel the spark of anticipation for the year ahead, for the things that come next and how they will shape our journey. As you venture forth into 2013, we hope to continue to provide resources and inspiration for your knitting growth.

ALL MY VERY BEST,



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THE COLLECTION





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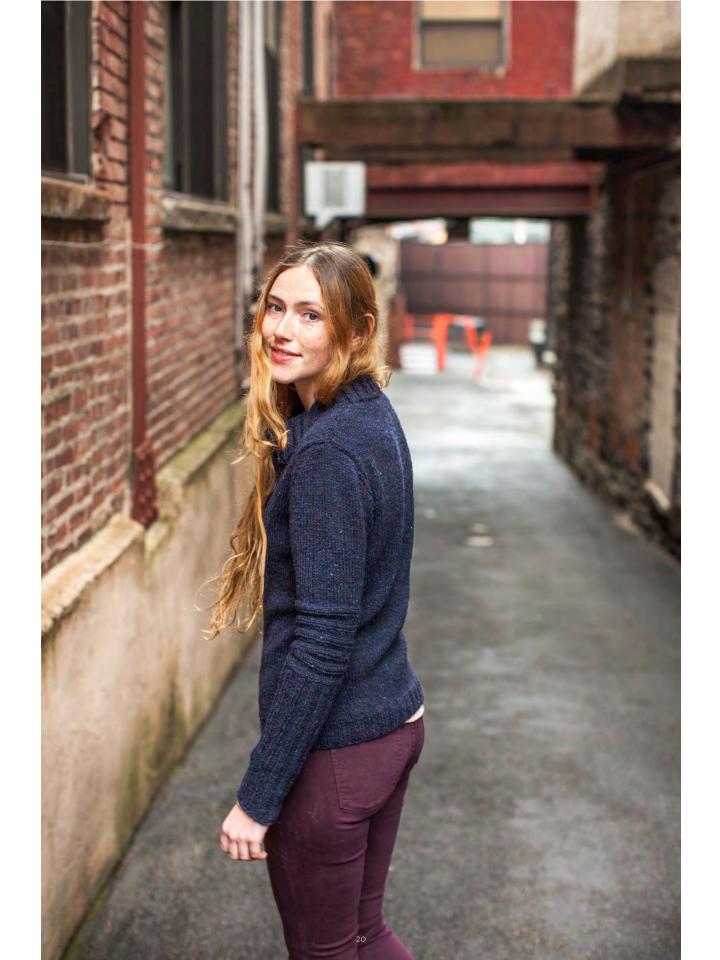


SCROLLWORK COWL by Irina Dmitrieva



CHICANE CARDIGAN (HIS) by Cookie A.





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THORN SHAWL by Bristol Ivy











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VERTEX VEST by Julie Weisenberger





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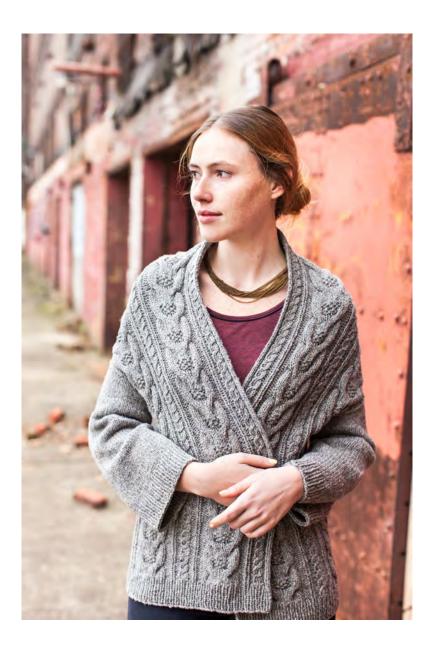






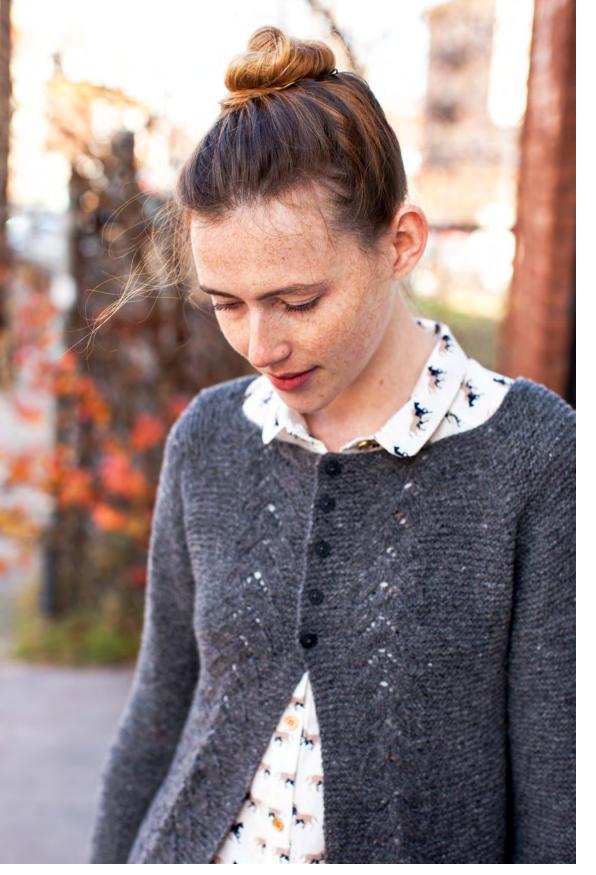
INGLENOOK HOUSE SOCKS by Adrian Bizilia





Stranger Cardigan by Michiyo









Benedetta Cardigan

by Carrie Bostick-Hoge





















Pattern Blueprints



Finished Dimensions 351/2 (391/2, 431/2, 471/2, 511/2, 551/2)" finished dimension at bust, buttoned Intended Ease: +3-6" at bust Sample shown is $39\frac{1}{2}$ with $+7\frac{1}{2}$ of ease on model

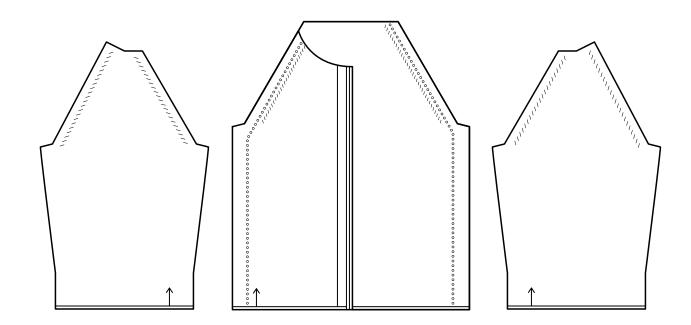
MATERIALS 8 (8, 9, 10, 11, 12) skeins of Brooklyn Tweed Shelter in Sweater Color and 1 skein in Trim Color (optional) Photographed in *Fossil* (MC) and *Sweatshirt* (CC)

> Gauge 20 stitches & 29 rows = 4" in stockinette stitch, before and after blocking

Design Details

5-piece seamed construction, worked from the bottom up, eyelet columns begin at lower hem and travel along side seams and resume through raglan shaping of yoke, optional contrasting rolled trim on body and sleeves, wide scoop neck, three-quarter sleeves, simple rope cables flanking cardigan opening, stockinette button bands

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TILDA by Yoko Hatta



Finished Dimensions 301/2 (331/4, 353/4, 381/2, 41, 431/2, 483/4, 511/4, 533/4)" finished (blocked) garment at bust Intended Ease: +1-2" at bust Sample shown is size 35¾" with +3¾" of ease on model (ribbed fabric creates a more fitted silhouette)

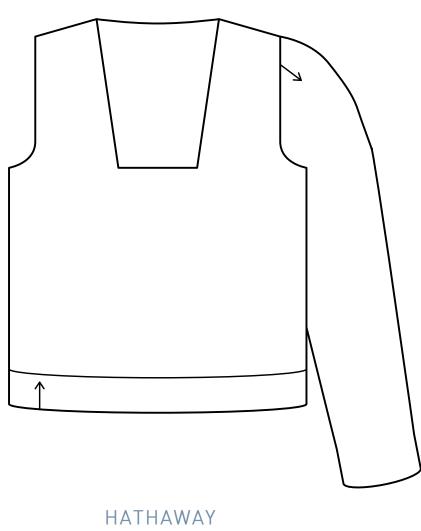
MATERIALS 8 (9, 10, 11, 12, 12, 13, 14, 15) skeins of Brooklyn Tweed Shelter Photographed in color Almanac

Gauge 25 stitches & 31 rounds = 4" in Chart C or D with Gauge Needle; before and after blocking with ribbing lightly stretched

Design Details

Three-piece semi-seamless construction, body worked circularly to underarm, top-down set in sleeve (shaped with short rows), allover rib and cable pattern, large central cable at center front and back, ribbed shawl collar, long sleeves

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by Carol Feller



Finished Dimensions Cowl: 31" circumference at base, 24" circumference at top, 91/2" height Hat: 18" brim circumference, 22" circumference at widest point, 9" height from base of ribbing to top-center of crown To fit average adult head sizes 21-24"

MATERIALS

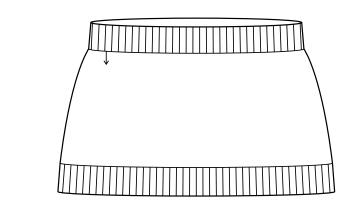
Each project requires 2 skeins of Brooklyn Tweed Shelter (both hat and cowl can be made with 3 skeins) Hat photographed in color Wool Socks Cowl photographed in color Soot

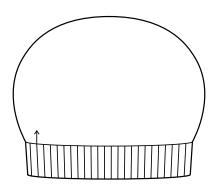
Gauge 22 stitches and 26 rounds = 4'' over cable pattern, relaxed after wet-blocking

Design Details

Both projects are worked circularly, cowl worked from the top down, hat worked from the bottom up, ribbed hem flows directly into cable pattern, hat's crown shaping is integrated into cable pattern creating an 8-point star motif, slightly slouchy fit

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SCROLLWORK

by Irina Dmitrieva

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Finished Dimensions 34 (35¼, 38, 41) (43¾, 47, 49½) (52¾, 56, 58¾)" finished (blocked) garment at bust/chest Intended ease: 1" to 4" Women's sample shown is size $35\frac{1}{4}$ with $+3\frac{1}{4}$ of ease on model Men's sample shown is size $43\frac{34}{7}$ with $+2\frac{34}{7}$ of ease on model

MATERIALS

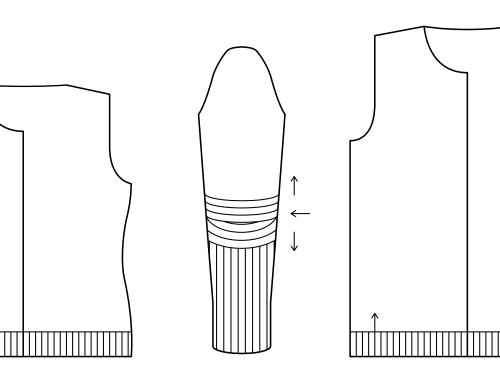
Women's: 7 (7, 8, 8) (9, 10, 10) (11, 12, 12) Men's: 9 (9, 10, 10) (11, 12, 12) (13, 14, 14) skeins of Brooklyn Tweed Shelter Photographed in color Old World (Hers) & Barn Owl (His)

Gauge 18 stitches & 28 rows = 4" in stockinette stitch with Gauge Needle; after blocking

Design Details

5-piece seamed construction, sleeve worked with shaped elbow first, remaining sections are picked up directly and worked out from elbow, zipper fronts, extra long sleeve, fitted waist (women's), low scoop neck, deep ribbed collar

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CHICANE by Cookie A.



Finished Dimensions

56" along straight border edge (leg of triangle), 50" from mitered point of border to tip of curved border edge (height of triangle), 60" along curved border edge; measurements taken from relaxed fabric after lace-blocking

MATERIALS

4 skeins of Brooklyn Tweed Loft Photographed in color Fauna

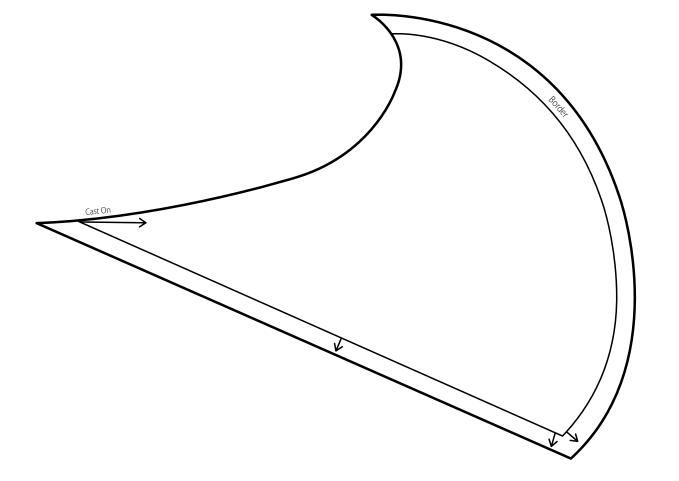
Gauge

12 stitches and 15 rows = 2'' in stockinette stitch 12 stitches and 16 rows = 2'' in garter stitch 14 stitches and 18 rows = 2'' in 1x1 half-twisted garter rib all measurements taken after lace-blocking

Design Details

Non-traditional shaping/construction, curved triangular shawl, garter rib "sunray" pattern integrated into shaping, garter stitch border picked up and worked in-line with live stitches to finish, mitered corner border detail, lace-blocked

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THORN by Bristol Ivy



Finished Dimensions 32 (34, 361/2, 381/2) (40, 42, 441/2) (461/2, 48, 50, 521/2)" finished garment at bust with fronts overlapping Suggested Ease: +0-1" for vest; 0-2" for cardigan Samples shown are size 34'' with +2'' ease on model

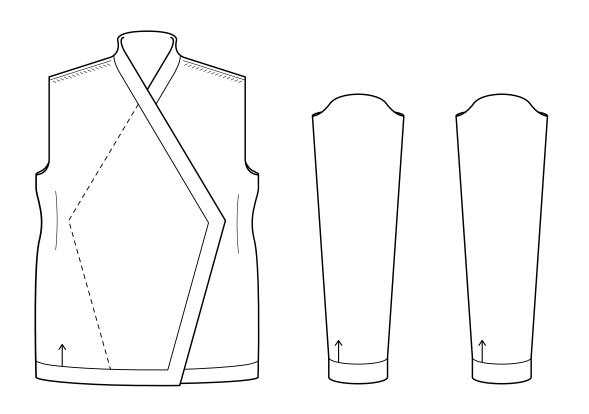
MATERIALS Vest: 4 (4, 4, 5) (5, 5, 5) (6, 6, 7, 7) [Cardigan: 6 (6, 6, 6) (7, 7, 8) (8, 9, 9, 9)] skeins of Brooklyn Tweed Loft Photographed in Faded Quilt (Vest) & Snowbound (Cardigan)

Gauge 22 stitches & 35 rows = 4" in stockinette stitch, before and after blocking

Design Details

Single-piece seamless construction (vest), three-piece construction (cardigan), worked from the bottom up, sleeves (optional) worked circularly, shaped overlapping fronts, wide seed stitch border, in-line shoulder shaping, waist darts

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DRESDEN by Kirsten Johnstone



FINISHED DIMENSIONS 30¼ (33¼, 36¼, 39, 42, 44¾, 47¾, 50½)" finished (blocked) garment at bust Intended ease: -1 to 11/2" at bust Sample shown is size 33¹/₄" with +1¹/₄" ease on model

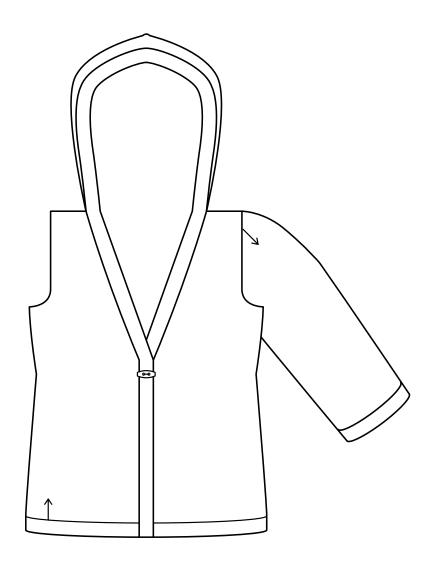
> MATERIALS 8 (8, 9, 10, 11, 11, 12, 13) skeins of Brooklyn Tweed Shelter Photographed in color Long Johns

Gauge 25 stitches & 27 rows= 4" in flying wings pattern, after blocking 20 stitches & 36 rows= 4" in seed stitch, after blocking

Design Details

Three-piece semi-seamless construction, body worked from the bottom up in one piece to the underarm, seed stitch fabric with textured yoke, textured hood, ribbed trim and empire waist, three-quarter sleeves are picked up and worked from the top-down, short-row shaping on sleeve cap

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RUNA by Gudrun Johnston



Finished Dimensions 62" wingspan, 30" height at center spine; measurements taken from relaxed fabric after lace-blocking

MATERIALS

6 skeins of Brooklyn Tweed Loft or Shelter Photographed in color Foothills with Loft yarn held double for enhanced stitch definition

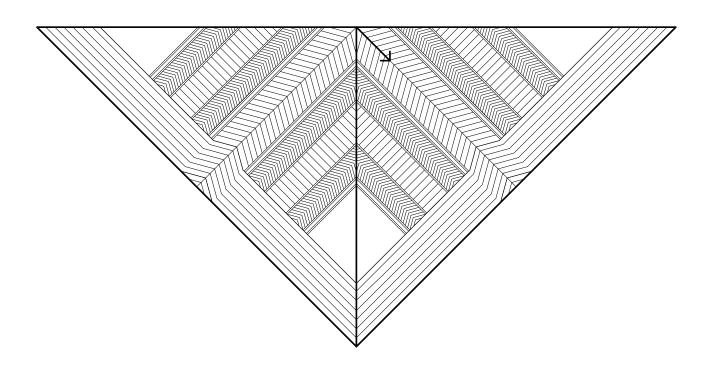
Gauge

Working Gauge: 19 stitches & 26 rows = 4" in stockinette stitch, before blocking Finished Gauge: 18 stitches & 24 rows = 4" in stockinette stitch, relaxed after lace-blocking

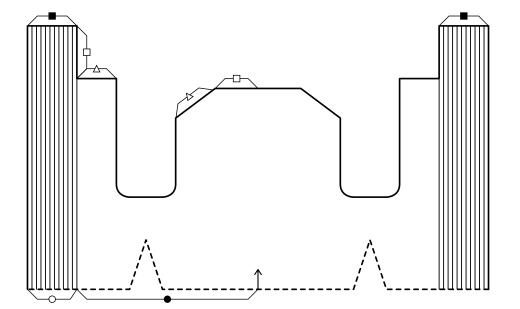
Design Details

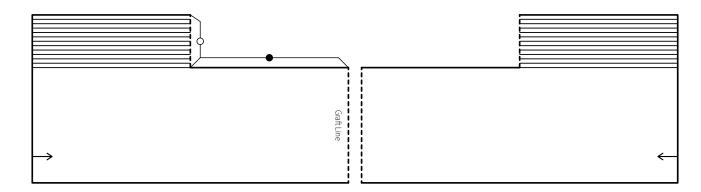
Single-piece, top-down construction, welted hem, gansey patterning on shawl body, central chevron integrates into border, *Loft* is held double to enhance stitch definition, lace-blocked

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KINDLING by Leila Raabe





VERTEX by Julie Weisenberger

FINISHED DIMENSIONS 35¼ (38, 42¼, 46, 51, 54¾)" finished (blocked) garment at bust Intended Ease: +1-3" at bust Sample shown is size 35" with +3" of ease on model

> MATERIALS 5 (5, 6, 6, 7, 8) skeins of Brooklyn Tweed *Loft* Photographed in color *Cast Iron*

GAUGE 20 stitches & 28 rows = 4" in stockinette stitch, before and after blocking note that this is a loosely knit garment

Design Details

Three-piece semi-seamless construction, perpendicular lower back panels create draping fabric, back pieces worked first and grafted together, live stitches are picked up for body and resume together with wide ribbed collar, waist shaping, fully fashioned shoulder

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Finished Dimensions 33¼ (36¼, 39¼, 42¼, 45¼, 48¼, 51¼, 54¼)" garment circumference at bust Intended Ease: 2-4" Sample shown is size 36¼" with 4¼" ease on model

MATERIALS

8 (9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14) skeins of Brooklyn Tweed Shelter Photographed in color Hayloft

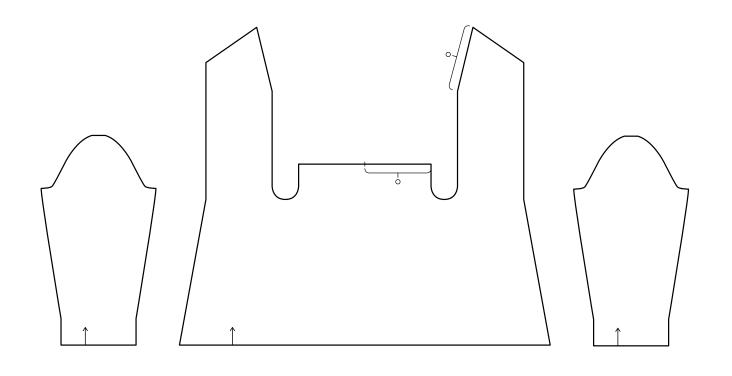
Gauge

261/2 stitches & 281/2 rows =4" in Cabled pattern on Size A, after blocking 241/2 stitches & 281/2 rows = 4" in Cabled pattern on Size B, after blocking 22³/₄ stitches & 27 rows = 4" in Cabled pattern on Size C, after blocking

Design Details

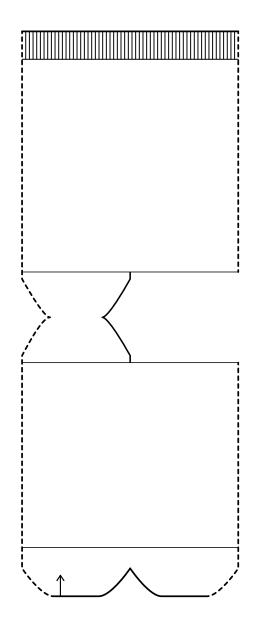
Three-piece construction, worked from the bottom up, seamed, sculptural allover cable pattern, cardigan fronts extend to wrap shoulders and meet at center back, back detail is finished using kitchener stitch for an invisible join, v-neckline, clasp closures, waist shaped through use of different needle sizes

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KENZO

by Olga Buraya-Kefelian



INGLENOOK by Adrian Bizilia



Finished Dimensions 81/2 (91/2, 103/4)" finished (blocked) length, heel to toe 7³/₄" circumference for all sizes; note that socks are particularly elastic and will fit the full range of sizes with this circumference Intended Ease: Sole can measure up to 1" shorter in length (from heel to toe) than wearer's foot length Sample shown is size 91/2"

> MATERIALS 3 skeins of Brooklyn Tweed Shelter Photographed in color Woodsmoke

Gauge 11 stitches and 18 rounds = 2" in stockinette stitch with Needle A, after wet-blocking

Design Details

Toe-up construction, short-row heel, twisted rib cuff, stockinette toe & sole, cable panel travels up instep from toe to cuff, cabled leg from heel to cuff, worked in the round (schematic is shown in exploded view)

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Finished Dimensions

41 (44¾, 49, 52¾, 58¼)" finished circumference at bust To fit approximate bust size 32 (36, 40, 44, 48)" Intended Ease: approximately 8-10" at bust Sample shown is 41" with +9" of ease on model

MATERIALS

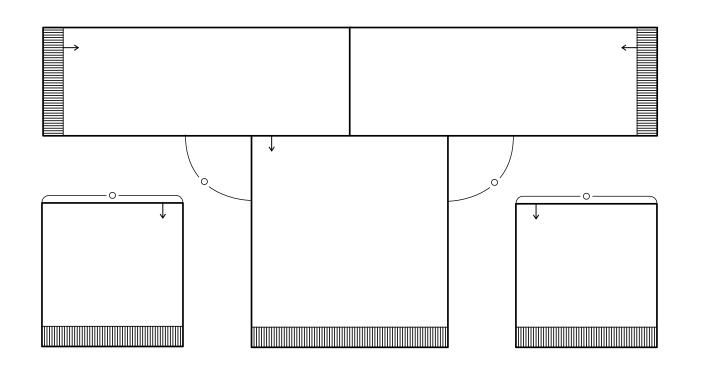
9 (10, 11, 12, 13) skeins of Brooklyn Tweed Shelter Photographed in color Sweatshirt

Gauge 17¹/₂ stitches & 25¹/₂ rows = 4" in stockinette stitch, relaxed after blocking

Design Details

5-piece construction, modular design, shown above as a drop-shoulder wrap cardigan with stole yoke, can be worn upside down as a cropped bolero with dramatic collar (see both ways on pages 42-45), horseshoe cable panel, 1x1 ribbed hem and cuffs, stockinette back and sleeves, cabled fronts grafted at center back, back picked up and worked directly from grafted fronts

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STRANGER by Michiyo



Finished Dimensions

331/4 (351/4, 383/4, 42, 451/4, 483/4, 52, 551/4)" Intended Ease: +1-3" Sample shown is size $35\frac{4}{}$ with $+3\frac{4}{}$ of ease on model

MATERIALS

5 (5, 6, 6, 7, 7, 8, 8) skeins of Brooklyn Tweed *Loft* Photographed in color Soot

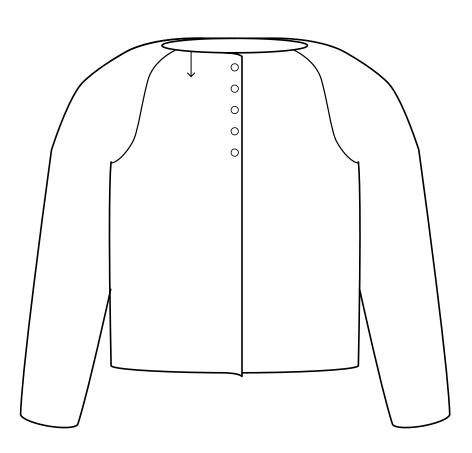
Gauge

24 stitches & 44 rows/rounds = 4" in garter stitch; taken from relaxed fabric after wet-blocking

Design Details

Top-down construction, raglan yoke, seamless, garter stitch fabric, lace insertions along cardigan fronts, lace detailing on sleeve cuff, gently scalloped front hem

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BENEDETTA by Carrie Bostick Hoge



Finished Dimensions 32¾ (36¾, 38¾, 42, 45¾, 47¼, 52¾)" finished (blocked) garment at bust Intended Ease: +2-4" Sample shown is size 36¾" with +4¾" of ease on model

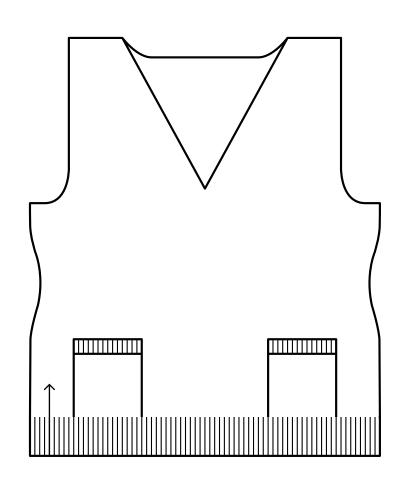
MATERIALS 5 (5, 6, 7, 7, 8, 9) skeins of Brooklyn Tweed Loft (held double) Photographed in color Pumpernickel

Gauge 18 stitches & 30 rows = 4'' in stockinette stitch with yarn held double, taken from relaxed fabric after wet-blocking

Design Details

Two-piece construction, worked from the bottom up, stockinette stitch front pieces with cabled faux-pockets, shaped at the high waist, cabled back panel integrates with hem ribbing, v-neckline, ribbed trims, Loft yarn held double for enhanced stitch definition

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MACALLAN by Thea Colman





MATERIALS

2 skeins of Brooklyn Tweed Loft Beaded version photographed in color Embers Non-beaded version photographed in color Cast Iron

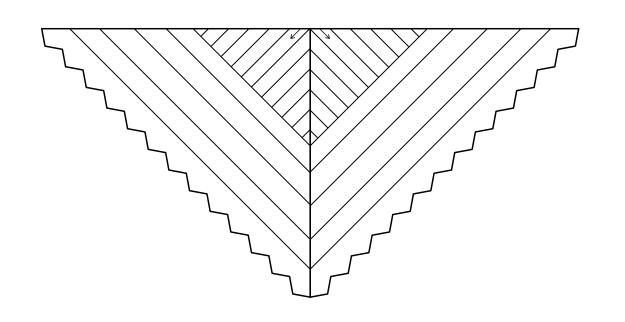
Gauge

Working Gauge: 21 stitches & 48 rows (24 garter ridges) = 4" over garter stitch fabric, taken from bound-off swatch before blocking Finished Gauge: 18 stitches & 32 rows (16 garter ridges) = 4" over garter stitch fabric, taken from relaxed fabric after lace-blocking

Design Details

Top-down construction, double-eyelet spine shaping, optional beading instructions included in pattern, lace and welt border pattern, scalloped fan edge, lace-blocked

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LUMEN by Sivia Harding



Contributing Designers

For each *Wool People* collection, we commission independent knitwear designers from around the world to submit designs that are currently inspiring them



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Cookie teaches knitting workshops internationally and has demonstrated knitting tips and techniques on *Knitting Daily TV, Knitty Gritty,* and *Sockupied.*

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Author of *Ori Ami Knits: Fiber Geometry*, Olga resides in Japan where she designs her own line of garments and accessories.

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THEA COLMAN After leaving a corporate career in advertising to raise her daughters, Thea began experimenting with knitwear design and has never looked back.

She now designs her own line of garments for her brand *Baby Cocktails* in the greater Boston area, where she lives with her husband and two girls.

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Irina Dmitrieva

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CAROL FELLER Carol Feller is an independent knitwear designer and knitting teacher. Her patterns for men, women, and children are widely published in books and magazines, including *Knitting in the Sun* (Wiley, 2009), *Twist Collective, Interweave Knits*, and *Knitty*.

You can find her self-published patterns and e-books on her website www.stolenstitches.com.

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SIVIA HARDING Sivia Harding learned how to knit in 2000 and has being churning out patterns since 2003. Her work has appeared in publication under her own name and in various magazines, books and clubs.

Sivia is known for her work with exceptional beaded knits.

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YOKO HATTA Yoko Hatta is a renown Japanese knitwear designer, known there for her label *Kazekobo*.

Yoko began her career designing boutique knitwear in Tokyo over 30 years ago. Soon after she began designing knitwear for handknitters and has been doing so ever since. She is currently at work on two books that will soon be released in Japan. She lives and works in Tokyo.

www.kazekobo.net



BRISTOL IVY Bristol is a knitting designer and fiber artist from Portland, Maine. Her work focuses on the intersection between classic tailoring and innovative technique, creating a unique and wearable aesthetic while maintaining knitterly appeal.

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KIRSTEN JOHNSTONE Kirsten is a Melbourne, Australiabased Architect who uses the mediums of built form and interior space to create refined designs. She also uses yarn, fabric and photography to explore her modern aesthetic on a smaller scale.

She has an eye for flattering forms that are deceptively simple yet frequently transformable.

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Gudrun Johnston

Gudrun Johnston is a Scottish knitwear designer born in the Shetland Islands. Her work often incorporates traditional Shetland techniques and motifs, featuring these timeless design elements in a contemporary context.

She has made a name for herself among a new generation of knitwear designers, using the Internet to directly interact with an international community of knitters.

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MICHIYO Michiyo is a Tokyo-based knitwear designer who has published several books in Japan.

She loves exploring shape in her work and often creates garments that can be worn and styled in multiple ways. Her designs for men, women and children are popular among Japanese knitters.

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LEILA RAABE Leila is a member of the Brooklyn Tweed Team, and resides in Portland, Maine where she oversees operations at BT's yarn warehouse.

Leila's design work is known for smart details and knitterly appeal. Though she is accustomed to operating behind the scenes, she enjoys contributing design work for *Wool People*.



JULIE WEISENBERGER Julie once designed for her own ready-to-wear sweater company but has focused on designing for hand knitters for the past 20+ years.

She is constantly attempting to blur the lines between fashion and knitting at Coco Knits.

www.cocoknits.com



YARN INFORMATION

Brooklyn Tweed Yarns

Grown in Johnson County, Wyoming; spun with care in historic Harrisville, New Hampshire.



SHELTER

50 gram skein/140 yards worsted weight (4-5 stitches per inch) woolen 2-ply construction \$12.50

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LOFT

50 gram skein/275 yards fingering weight (6-8 stitches per inch) woolen 2-ply construction \$14.50

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