



how to
make

Lace Cardigan

#A423

MEASUREMENTS

Size		XS	S	M	L	XL	XXL
		4-6	8-10	12-14	16-18	20-22	24-26
Fits bust	cm	70	80	90	100	110	120
Garment measures	cm	75	85	95	105	115	125
Length (approx)	cm	50	51	52	53	54	55
Sleeve length	cm	25	25	25	25	25	25
Yarn Required:							
Lincraft Spiral	100g balls	3	4	4	5	5	5

DIFFICULTY ●●●

NEEDLES

A pair of 4.00mm knitting needles.
Wool needle for sewing up.

REQUIREMENTS

3 stitch holders.
7 buttons.

TENSION

22.5 sts and 26 rows to 10cm over stocking st,
using 4.00mm needles.

NOTE

When shaping in this patt do not work a "yfwd" unless the corresponding "sl 1, K1, pss0" or "K2tog" can be worked and vice versa. When there are insufficient sts to complete a full patt, work these sts in stocking st instead.

BACK

Using 4.00mm needles, cast on 87 (99-109-121-131-143) sts.

1st row: K2, * P1, K1, rep from * to last st, K1.

2nd row: K1, * P1, K1, rep from * to end.

Last 2 rows form rib.

Cont in rib until band measures 9cm from beg, ending with a

2nd row and inc 6 (6-8-8-10-10) sts evenly across last row ...
93 (105-117-129-141-153) sts.

Beg Body Lace Patt:

1st row: K2, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pss0, * K3, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pss0, K2, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pss0, rep from * to last 2 sts, K2.

2nd row: Purl.

3rd row: K2, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pss0, * K1, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pss0, K1, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pss0, rep from * to last 2 sts, K2.

4th row: Purl.

5th row: K2, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pss0, * K2tog, yfwd, K3, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pss0, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pss0, rep from * to last 2 sts, K2.

6th row: Purl.

Last 6 rows form patt for Back.

Cont in patt until work measures 29cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Shape Raglan Armholes:

Keeping patt correct, cast off 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows ...
87 (99-111-123-135-147) sts.

3rd row: K2, sl 1, K1, pss0, patt to last 4 sts, K2tog, K2.

4th row: P2, P2tog, purl to last 4 sts, P2tog tbl, P2.

5th row: K2, sl 1, K1, pss0, patt to last 4 sts, K2tog, K2.

6th row: Purl ... 81 (93-105-117-129-141) sts.

Rep last 4 rows 0 (1-5-8-12-15) time/s ... 81 (87-75-69-57-51) sts.

Rep 5th and 6th rows until 31 (35-37-39-41-45) sts rem.

Purl 1 row.

Leave rem sts on a stitch holder.

LEFT FRONT

Using 4.00mm needles, cast on 41 (47-53-59-63-69) sts.

Work in rib until band measures 9cm from beg, ending with a
2nd row and inc 4 (4-4-4-6-6) sts evenly across last row ...

45 (51-57-63-69-75) sts. **

Beg Body Lace Patt:

1st row: K2, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pss0, * K3, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pss0, K2, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pss0, rep from * to last 2 (8-2-8-2-8) sts, [K1, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pss0] 0 (1-0-1-0-1) time/s, K2.

2nd row: Purl.



3rd row: K2, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, * K1, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, K1, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, rep from * to last 2 (8-2-8-2-8) sts, [K1, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso] 0 (1-0-1-0-1) time/s, K2.

4th row: Purl.

5th row: K2, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, * K2tog, yfwd, K3, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, rep from * to last 2 (8-2-8-2-8) sts, [K1, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso] 0 (1-0-1-0-1) time/s, K2.

6th row: Purl.

Last 6 rows form patt for Left Front.

Cont in patt until work measures same as Back to beg of armhole shaping, ending with a purl row.

Shape Raglan Armhole:

Keeping patt correct, cast off 3 sts at beg of next row ... 42 (48-54-60-66-72) sts.

Work 1 row.

3rd row: K2, sl 1, K1, pssso, patt to end.

4th row: Purl to last 4 sts, P2tog tbl, P2.

5th row: K2, sl 1, K1, pssso, patt to end.

6th row: Purl ... 39 (45-51-57-63-69) sts.

Rep last 4 rows 0 (1-5-8-10-10) time/s ... 39 (42-36-33-33-39) sts.

Sizes XS, S, M And L Only:

Rep 5th and 6th rows until 21 (24-26-28) sts rem.

Shape Neck:

Next row: Cast off 7 (8-9-9) sts, purl to end ... 14 (16-17-19) sts.

Dec one st at raglan edge in next row, then every alt row 6 (7-8-9) times, AT SAME TIME, dec one st at neck edge in next row, then every alt row 2 (3-2-3) times, then every 4th row 2 (2-3-3) times ... 2 sts.

Work 1 row.

Next row: K2tog and fasten off.

Size XL Only:

Shape Neck:

1st row: K2, sl 1, K1, pssso, patt to end.

2nd row: Cast off 10 sts, purl to last 4 sts, P2tog tbl, P2 ... 21 sts.

3rd row: K2, sl 1, K1, pssso, patt to last 2 sts, K2tog.

4th row: Purl.

5th row: As 3rd row.

6th row: Purl to last 4 sts, P2tog tbl, P2.

7th row: As 3rd row ... 14 sts.

Dec one st at raglan edge in every alt row 8 times, AT SAME TIME, dec one st at neck edge in every 4th row 4 times ... 2 sts.

Work 1 row.

Next row: K2tog and fasten off.

Size XXL Only:

Shape Neck:

1st row: K2, sl 1, K1, pssso, patt to end.

2nd row: Cast off 11 sts, purl to last 4 sts, P2tog tbl, P2 ... 26 sts.

3rd row: K2, sl 1, K1, pssso, patt to last 2 sts, K2tog.

4th row: Purl.

5th row: As 3rd row.

6th row: Purl to last 4 sts, P2tog tbl, P2.

7th row: As 3rd row.

8th row: Purl.

9th row: As 3rd row.

10th row: As 6th row.

11th row: As 1st row.

12th row: Purl ... 15 sts.

Rep last 4 rows twice ... 7 sts.

Dec one st at raglan edge in next row, then every alt row twice, AT SAME TIME, dec one st at neck edge in next row, then foll 4th row once ... 2 sts.

Work 1 row.

Next row: K2tog and fasten off.

RIGHT FRONT

Work as for Left Front to **.

Beg Body Lace Patt:

1st row: K2, [K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, K1] 0 (1-0-1-0-1) time/s, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, * K3, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, K2, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, rep from * to last 2 sts, K2.

2nd row: Purl.

3rd row: K2, [K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, K1] 0 (1-0-1-0-1) time/s, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, * K1, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, K1, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, rep from * to last 2 sts, K2.

4th row: Purl.

5th row: K2, [K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, K1] 0 (1-0-1-0-1) time/s, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, * K2tog, yfwd, K3, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, rep from * to last 2 sts, K2.

6th row: Purl.

Last 6 rows form patt for Right Front.

Cont in patt until work measures same as Back to beg of armhole shaping, ending with a purl row.

Work 1 row.

Shape Raglan Armhole:

Keeping patt correct, cast off 3 sts at beg of next row ... 42 (48-54-60-66-72) sts.

2nd row: Patt to last 4 sts, K2tog, K2.

3rd row: P2, P2tog, purl to end.

4th row: Patt to last 4 sts, K2tog, K2.

5th row: Purl ... 39 (45-51-57-63-69) sts.

Rep last 4 rows 0 (1-5-8-10-10) time/s ... 39 (42-36-33-33-39) sts.

Sizes XS, S, M And L Only:

Rep 5th and 6th rows until 22 (25-27-29) sts rem.

Purl 1 row.

Shape Neck:

Next row: Cast off 7 (8-9-9) sts, patt to last 4 sts, K2tog, K2 ... 14 (16-17-19) sts.



Dec one st at raglan edge in every alt row 7 (8-9-10) times, AT SAME TIME, dec one st at neck edge in every alt row 3 (4-3-4) times, then every 4th row 2 (2-3-3) times ... 2 sts.

Work 1 row.

Next row: K2tog and fasten off.

Size XL Only:

Shape Neck:

1st row: Cast off 10 sts, patt to last 4 sts, K2tog, K2 ... 22 sts.

2nd row: P2, P2tog, purl to end.

3rd row: K2tog, patt to last 4 sts, K2tog, K2.

4th row: Purl.

5th row: As 3rd row.

6th row: As 2nd row.

7th row: As 3rd row ... 14 sts.

Dec one st at raglan edge in every alt row 8 times, AT SAME TIME, dec one st at neck edge in every 4th row 4 times ... 2 sts.

Work 1 row.

Next row: K2tog and fasten off.

Size XXL Only:

Shape Neck:

1st row: Cast off 11 sts, patt to last 4 sts, K2tog, K2 ... 27 sts.

2nd row: P2, P2tog, purl to end.

3rd row: K2tog, patt to last 4 sts, K2tog, K2.

4th row: Purl.

5th row: As 3rd row.

6th row: As 2nd row.

7th row: As 3rd row.

8th row: Purl.

9th row: As 3rd row.

10th row: As 2nd row.

11th row: Patt to last 4 sts, K2tog, K2.

12th row: Purl ... 15 sts.

Rep last 4 rows twice ... 7 sts.

Dec one st at raglan edge in next row, then every alt row twice, AT SAME TIME, dec one st at neck edge in next row, then foll 4th row once ... 2 sts.

Work 1 row.

Next row: K2tog and fasten off.

SLEEVES

Using 4.00mm needles, cast on 59 (63-67-71-77-81) sts.

Work 6 rows rib.

Beg Sleeve Lace Patt:

1st row: K22 (24-26-28-31-33), P1, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, K3, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, K2, K2tog, yfwd, K1, P1, K22 (24-26-28-31-33).

2nd row: Purl.

3rd row: K22 (24-26-28-31-33), P1, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, K1, K2tog, yfwd, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, K1, K2tog, yfwd, K1, P1, K22 (24-26-28-31-33).

4th row: Purl.

5th row: K22 (24-26-28-31-33), P1, K1, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, K2tog, yfwd, K3, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, K2tog, yfwd, K1, P1, K22 (24-26-28-31-33).

6th row: Purl.

Last 6 rows place patt for Sleeves.

Keeping patt correct as placed and working extra sts into stocking st, inc one st at each end of next row, then every 12th (8th-6th-4th-4th-alt) row until there are 63 (73-77-81-97-87) sts, then every 14th (10th-8th-6th-6th-4th) row until there are 67 (75-81-89-99-105) sts.

Cont in patt without shaping until work measures 25cm (or length desired) from beg, ending with a purl row.

Shape Raglan:

Keeping patt correct, cast off 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows ... 61 (69-75-83-93-99) sts.

Sizes S, M, L, XL And XXL Only:

3rd row: K2, sl 1, K1, pssso, patt to last 4 sts, K2tog, K2.

4th row: P2, P2tog, purl to last 4 sts, P2tog tbl, P2.

5th row: K2, sl 1, K1, pssso, patt to last 4 sts, K2tog, K2.

6th row: Purl ... (63-69-77-87-93) sts.

Rep last 4 rows (0-2-4-8-10) times ... (63-57-53-39-33) sts.

All Sizes:

Next row: K2, sl 1, K1, pssso, patt to last 4 sts, K2tog, K2.

Next row: Purl.

Rep last 2 rows until 7 sts rem.

Work 1 row.

Leave rem sts on a stitch holder.

NECKBAND

Using mattress stitch, join raglan seams, noting that tops of Sleeves form part of neckline.

With right side facing and using 4.00mm needles, knit up 18 (20-23-24-27-27) sts along right side of neck, [K2tog, K3, K2tog] across sts from right Sleeve stitch holder, [K2tog, K27 (31-33-35-37-41), K2tog] across sts from Back stitch holder, [K2tog, K3, K2tog] across sts from left Sleeve stitch holder, then knit up 18 (20-23-24-27-27) sts along left side of neck ... 75 (83-91-95-103-107) sts.

Work 5 rows rib, beg with a 2nd row.

Cast off loosely in rib.

RIGHT FRONT BAND

With right side facing and using 4.00mm needles, knit up 91 sts along Right Front edge, incl side edge of Neckband.

Work 3 rows rib, beg with a 2nd row.

4th row: Rib 2, rib 2tog, yrn, * rib 12, rib 2tog, yrn, rep from * to last 3 sts, rib 3 ... 7 buttonholes.

Work 1 row rib.

Cast off loosely in rib.

LEFT FRONT BAND

Work as for Right Front Band, omitting buttonholes.

FINISHING

Join side and Sleeve seams. Sew on buttons. Sew in all ends.

