

SIZES

6 months (12 months, 24 months, 4 years, 6 years)

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Chest: 20 (22, 24, 26, 28)"

MATERIALS

Premier® Yarns Bamboo Select™ (80% Rayon from Bamboo, 20% Extra Fine Merino; 1.76oz/50g, 106yds/97m)

• 1178-09 Linen – 2 (3, 3, 4, 4) balls **Needle:** US Size 6 (4 mm) 29" circular needle and set of dpns, US Size 4 (3.5 mm) 29" circular needle and set of dpns or size needed to obtain gauge

Notions: Tapestry needle, stitch markers, stitch holders or waste yarn

GAUGE

24 sts x 30 rows = 4" in St st with larger needles **Save time, check your gauge.**

PATTERN NOTES

This Cardigan is worked in one piece from the neck down.

STITCH GUIDE

I-Cord: * Slide sts to opposite end of doublepoint needle. Bring the yarn across the WS to the beginning of the row. Knit across, place needle in left hand; rep from * until i-cord is desired length.

CARDIGAN

With larger circular needle, cast on 24 (26, 28, 30, 32) sts.

Row 1 (WS): K1, pm, k4, pm, k14 (16, 18, 20, 22), pm, k4, pm, k1.

Row 2 (RS): *Kfb, sl m, kfb, knit to 1 st before next m; rep from * 2 more times, kfb, sl m, kfb – 32 (34, 36, 38, 40) sts.

Row 3 and all WS rows: K2, purl to last 2 sts, k2. **Row 4:** Kfb, *kfb, sl m, kfb, knit to 1 st before next m; rep from * 2 more times, kfb, sl m,

(kfb) twice – 42 (44, 46, 48, 50) sts.

Row 6: K2, kfb, *kfb, sl m, kfb, knit to 1 st before next m; rep from * 2 more times, kfb, sl m, (kfb) twice, k2 – 52 (54, 56, 58, 60) sts.

Row 8: K2, kfb, *knit to 1 st before next m, kfb, sl m, kfb; rep from * 3 more times, knit to last 3 sts, kfb, k2 – 10 sts inc'd.

Rep Rows 8-9, 8 (10, 12, 14, 16) more times – 142 (164, 186, 208, 230) sts.

Divide for Sleeves

Next Row (RS): K1, kfb, *knit to m, remove m, sl next 28 (32, 36, 40, 44) sts onto stitch holder or waste yarn, remove m, cast on 8 sts; rep from * once more, knit to last 3 sts, kfb, k2 – 104 (118, 132, 146, 160) sts.

Next Row (WS): K2, purl to last 2 sts, k2.

Body

Row 1 (RS): K1, kfb, knit to last 3 sts, kfb, k2 - 2 sts inc'd.

Row 2: K2, purl to last 2 sts, k2. Rep last 2 rows 12 (14, 17, 19, 21) more times – 130 (148, 168, 186, 204) sts.

Lina Wrap Cardigan

Level: Intermediate

Lina Wrap Cardigan

project continued

Work even without increasing until body measures 5½ (6, 7, 8, 9)" from the underarm, ending with a WS row. Change to smaller circular needle and knit 4 rows. Bind off all sts.

Sleeves

Place 28 (32, 36, 40, 44) held sts from yarn on larger dpns. Starting at the center of the underarm, pick up and knit 4 sts, knit across 28 (32, 36, 40, 44) sts, pick up and knit 4 more sts along underarm, pm and join to work in the rnd - 36 (40, 44, 48, 52) sts.

Work even in st st for 1".

Dec Rnd: K1, k2tog, knit to last 3 sts, ssk, k1 – 2 sts dec'd.

Rep **Dec Rnd** every 6th rnd, 5 (6, 7, 8, 9) more times – 24 (26, 28, 30, 32) sts rem.

Work even without decreasing until sleeve measures $6\frac{1}{2}$ ($7\frac{1}{2}$, $8\frac{1}{2}$, 10, $11\frac{1}{2}$)" from the underarm.

Change to smaller dpns.

P 1 rnd.

K 1 rnd.

P 1 rnd.

Bind off all sts.

FINISHING

Ties (make 4)

With larger dpns, cast on 3 sts. Work in **I-Cord** for 6" and fasten off.

Sew 1 tie at the end of shaping along both front edges, 1 tie in the inside side "seam" at the same height and 1 tie in the outside side "seam" at the same height.

Weave in ends.

Abbreviations

dec('d) decrease(d)

dpns double-pointed needles

inc('d) increased(d)

k knit

kfb knit into the front and back of the

next st (1 st inc'd)

k2tog knit 2 sts together (1 st dec'd)

m markerp purl

pm place marker

sl slip

sl m slip marker

ssk slip slip knit (1 st dec'd)

st(s) stitch(es)

St st Stockinette stitch: knit every rnd

rem remain(ing)
rep repeat(ing)
rnd(s) round(s)
RS right side
WS wrong side



