PREMIER®



Garter Stitch Cardigan

SIZES

XS (S, M, L, 1X) (2X, 3X, 4X, 5X) Shown in M Size.

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Bust: 36½ (40½, 45, 48, 52½) (56½, 61, 64, 68½)" intended to fit with 4-8" of positive ease **Length:** 20 (20½, 21, 22, 22½) (23, 24, 24½, 25)"

MATERIALS

Premier® Yarns Little Bunny™ Multi (100% Polyester; 2.8oz/80g, 87yds/80m)

• 2111-02 Tidepool – 5 (6, 7, 7, 8) (9, 10, 11, 12) balls

Needle: US Size 10½ (6.5 mm) 32" circular (or longer) or size needed to obtain gauge Notions: Tapestry needle, stitch holder, removable markers

GAUGE

11 sts x 22 rows = 4" in Garter st Save time, check your gauge.

Skills/techniques used in pattern:

- Knit stitches.
- Knit front and back increases.
- Casting on and binding off.
- Sewing seams using whipstitch.

PATTERN NOTES

This slightly cropped, boxy cardigan is worked in one piece from back hem up and over the shoulders to the front hem.

SWEATER

Back

Cast on 50 (56, 62, 66, 72) (78, 84, 88, 94) sts.

Work in Garter st (knit every row) until piece measures 11 (11, 11, 11½, 11½) (11½, 12, 12, 12)" from cast-on edge.

Sleeves

Row 1: Cast on 14 sts, knit to end – 64 (70, 76, 80, 86) (92, 98, 102, 108) sts.

Row 2: Cast on 14 sts, knit to end – 78 (84, 90, 94, 100) (106, 112, 116, 122) sts.

Work even in Garter st until piece measures 9 (9½, 10, 10½, 11) (11½, 12, 12½, 13)" from Sleeve cast-on.

Separate Left and Right Sides

Row 1 (RS): K31 (34, 37, 38, 41) (44, 46, 48, 51) Right Side sts, bind off center 16 (16, 16, 18, 18) (18, 20, 20, 20) Neck sts, knit across rem 31 (34, 37, 38, 41) (44, 46, 48, 51) Left Side sts. Place Right Side sts on holder. Place removable markers on Left and Right Sides to indicate RS of work.

Left Side

Work even in Garter st until piece measures $2\frac{1}{2}$ (3, $3\frac{1}{2}$, $3\frac{1}{2}$, $3\frac{1}{2}$) ($3\frac{1}{2}$, 4, 4, 4, 4 $\frac{1}{2}$)" from Neck bindoff, ending with a RS row.

Increase for Neck

Inc row (RS): K1, kfb, knit to end – 1 st inc'd. Knit 3 rows. Rep last 4 rows, 7 (7, 7, 8, 8) (8, 9, 9, 9) more times – 39 (42, 45, 47, 50) (53, 56, 58, 61) sts.

Work even in Garter st until piece measures 9 (9½, 10, 10½, 11) (11½, 12, 12½, 13)" from Neck bind-off, ending with a RS row.

Next row (WS): Bind off 14 Sleeve sts, knit to end – 25 (28, 31, 33, 36) (39, 42, 44, 47) sts

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Work even in Garter st until piece measures 11 (11, 11, 11½, 11½) (11½, 12, 12, 12)" from Sleeve bind-off. Bind off all sts.

Right Side

Work even in Garter st until piece measures 2% (3, 3%, 3%, 3%) (3%, 4, 4, 4, 4%)" from Neck bind-off, ending with a RS row.

Increase for Neck

Inc row (RS): Knit to last 2 sts, kfb, k1 – 1 st inc'd. Knit 3 rows. Rep last 4 rows, 7 (7, 7, 8, 8) (8, 9, 9, 9) more times – 39 (42, 45, 47, 50) (53, 56, 58, 61) sts. Work even in Garter st until piece measures 9 (9½, 10, 10%, 11) (11%, 12, 12%, 13)" from Neck bind-off, ending with a WS row.

Next row (RS): Bind off 14 Sleeve sts, knit to end – 25 (28, 31, 33, 36) (39, 42, 44, 47) sts rem. Work even in Garter st until piece measures 11 (11, 11, 11½, 11½) (11½, 12, 12, 12)" from Sleeve bind-off. Bind off all sts.

FINISHING

Block pieces to finished measurements. Whipstitch side and sleeve seams.

Belt

Cast on 7 sts. Work even in Garter st until piece measures approximately 62 (66, 70, 73, 77) (82, 86, 89, 94)". Bind off all sts.

Belt Loops (make 2)

Cast on 12 sts leaving a 6" tail. Knit 1 row. Bind off all

sts leaving a 6" tail. Using tails, sew Belt Loops to sides of Cardigan approx. 5" from lower edge. Try on to determine best placement.

Weave in ends.

Abbreviations

inc('d) increase(d)

k knit

kfb knit into the front and back of the next st (1 st

inc'd)

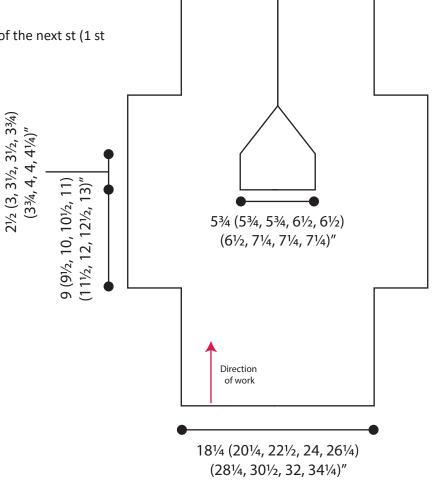
rem remain(ing)

rep repeat(ing)

RS right side

st(s) stitch(es)

WS wrong side



9 (10¼, 11¼, 12, 13)

(141/4, 151/4, 16, 17)"

Schematic

