

**SIZES**

Unisex Sizing – choose a size 3-5” larger than actual chest measurement.

X-Small (Small, Medium, Large, X-Large, XX-Large)

Shown in Medium Size

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Chest: 36 (40, 44, 48, 52, 56)”

Length: 28½ (30, 31, 32, 33, 34)”

MATERIALS

Premier® Yarns Muir Woods (100% acrylic; 3.5oz/100g, 170yds/155m)

- #1074-07 Laurel – 7 (8, 10, 11, 12, 12) balls

Needles: US Size 7 (4.5 mm) 24” circular needle & size 9 (5.5mm) straight needle *or size needed to obtain gauge*

Notions: Tapestry needle, 7-1” buttons

GAUGE

16 sts x 20 rows = 4” in St st on larger needles

Save time, check your gauge.

STITCH GUIDE

2x2 Ribbing (*multiple of 4 sts + 2*)

Row 1 (RS): K2, *p2, k2; rep from * across.

Row 2 (WS): P2, *k2, p2; rep from * across.

Rep Rows 1-2 for pattern.

Stockinette

Row 1 (RS): Knit.

Row 2 (WS): Purl.

Rep Rows 1-2 for pattern.

4-Stitch Buttonhole (worked over 5 sts)

Slip 1 pwise wyif, bring yarn to back.

*Sl 1 pwise, pass 1st slipped st over 2nd slipped stitch; rep from * 3 more times – 4 sts bound off.

Place last st back on left needle and turn work. Returning to beginning of buttonhole, cast on 5 sts as follows: *insert right needle between 1st and 2nd sts on left needle, draw up a loop and place it on left needle; rep from * 4 more times, turn.

Bring yarn to back, slip 1st st on left needle to right needle, pass last cast-on st over slipped stitch.

PATTERN NOTES

Cardigan is knit in pieces and sewn together.

CARDIGAN**Back**

With smaller needles, cast on 74 (82, 90, 98, 106, 114) sts.

Starting and ending with a WS row, work in 2x2 Ribbing for 4”.

Change to larger needles and work in Stockinette until back measures 20 (20½, 21, 21½, 22, 22½)”, ending with a WS row.

Canopy Cardigan

Level: Intermediate

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Armholes

At beginning of next 2 rows, bind off 4 (4, 4, 5, 5, 5) sts – 66 (74, 82, 88, 96, 104) sts.

At beginning of next 2 rows, bind off 3 sts – 60 (68, 76, 82, 90, 98) sts.

Dec Row (RS): K2, k2tog, knit to last 4 sts, ssk, k2 – 2 sts dec'd.

Repeat Dec Row, every RS row, 3 (4, 4, 5, 7, 8) times – 54 (60, 68, 72, 76, 82) sts.

Continue in Stockinette until Armholes measure 7½ (8½, 9, 9½, 10, 10½)'' from first bind-off row, ending with a WS row.

Shape Shoulders

At beginning of next 2 rows, bind off 7 (9, 10, 7, 7, 8) sts – 40 (42, 48, 58, 62, 66) sts.

At beginning of next 2 rows, bind off 7 (8, 10, 7, 7, 8) sts – 26 (26, 28, 44, 48, 50) sts.

Largest 3 sizes only, at the beginning of the next 2 rows, bind off - (-, -, 6, 7, 7) sts.

Bind off remaining sts.

Left Front

With smaller needles, cast on 38 (42, 46, 50, 54, 58) sts.

Starting and ending with a WS row, work in 2x2 Ribbing for 4''.

Change to larger needles and work in Stockinette until piece measures 20 (20½, 21, 21½, 22, 22½)'' ending with a WS row.

Armhole

At beginning of next RS row, bind off 4 (4, 4, 5, 5, 5) sts – 34 (38, 42, 45, 49, 53) sts.

At beginning of next RS row, bind off 3 sts – 31 (35, 39, 42, 46, 50) sts.

Dec Row (RS): K2, k2tog, knit to end – 1 st dec'd.

Repeat Dec Row, every RS row, 3 (4, 4, 5, 7, 8) times – 28 (31, 35, 37, 39, 42) sts.

Continue in Stockinette until Armholes measure 5½ (6½, 7, 7½, 8, 8½)'' ending with a RS row.

Shape Neck

At beginning of next WS row, bind off 8 (8, 9, 9, 10, 11) sts – 20 (23, 26, 28, 29, 31) sts.

At beginning of next WS row, bind off 2 (2, 2, 3, 3, 3) sts – 18 (21, 24, 25, 26, 28) sts.

At beginning of next WS row, bind off 2 sts – 16 (19, 22, 23, 24, 26) sts.

Dec Row (RS): Knit to last 4 sts, ssk, k2 – 1 st dec'd.

Rep Dec Row, every RS row, 2 (2, 2, 3, 3, 3) times – 14 (17, 20, 20, 21, 23) sts.

Continue in Stockinette until Armholes measure 7½ (8½, 9, 9½, 10, 10½)'' from first bind-off row, ending with a WS row.

Shape Shoulders

At beginning of next RS row, bind off 7 (9, 10, 7, 7, 8) sts – 7 (8, 10, 13, 14, 15) sts.

At beginning of next RS row, bind off 7 (8, 10, 7, 7, 8) sts – 0 (0, 0, 6, 7, 7) sts.

At beginning of next RS row, bind off remaining sts.

Right Front

Work as for Left Front to Armhole, ending with a RS row.

Armhole

At beginning of next WS row, bind off 4 (4, 4, 5, 5, 5) sts – 34 (38, 42, 45, 49, 53) sts.

At beginning of next WS row, bind off 3 sts – 31 (35, 39, 42, 46, 50) sts.

Dec Row (RS): Knit to last 4 sts, ssk, k2 – 1 st dec'd.

Repeat Dec Row, every RS row, 3 (4, 4, 5, 7, 8) times – 28 (31, 35, 37, 39, 42) sts.

Continue in Stockinette until Armholes measure 5½ (6½, 7, 7½, 8, 8½)'' ending with a WS row.

Shape Neck

At beginning of next RS row, bind off 8 (8, 9, 9, 10, 11) sts – 20 (23, 26, 28, 29, 31) sts.

At beginning of next RS row, bind off 2 (2, 2, 3, 3, 3) sts – 18 (21, 24, 25, 26, 28) sts.

At beginning of next RS row, bind off 2 sts – 16 (19, 22, 23, 24, 26) sts.

Dec Row (RS): K2, k2tog, knit to end – 1 st dec'd.

Rep Dec Row, every RS row, 2 (2, 2, 3, 3, 3) times – 14 (17, 20, 20, 21, 23) sts.

Continue in Stockinette until Armholes measure 7½ (8½, 9, 9½, 10, 10½)'' from first bind-off row, ending with a RS row.

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Shape Shoulders

At beginning of next WS row, bind off 7 (9, 10, 7, 7, 8) sts – 7 (8, 10, 13, 14, 15) sts.

At beginning of next WS row, bind off 7 (8, 10, 7, 7, 8) sts – 0 (0, 0, 6, 7, 7) sts.

At beginning of next WS row, bind off remaining sts.

Sleeves

Cuffs

With smaller needles, cast on 34 (38, 38, 42, 44, 44) sts.

Work in 2x2 Ribbing for 4", ending with a WS row.

Change to larger needles & Stockinette.

Work 2 rows in Stockinette.

Shape Sleeves

Increase Row (RS): K2, kfb, knit to last 4 sts, kfb, k3 – 2 sts inc'd.

Repeat Increase Row, every 4th row, 2 (6, 10, 9, 10, 15) times – 38 (50, 58, 60, 64, 74) sts.

Repeat Increase Row, every 6th row, 8 (6, 4, 5, 5, 2) times – 54 (62, 66, 70, 74, 78) sts.

Continue in Stockinette until sleeve measures 16 (16¾, 17½, 18¼, 18¾, 19)", ending with a WS row.

Sleeve Cap

At beginning of next 2 rows, bind off 4 (4, 4, 5, 5, 5) sts – 46 (54, 58, 60, 64, 68) sts.

At beginning of next 2 rows, bind off 3 sts – 40 (48, 52, 54, 58, 62) sts.

Dec Row (RS): K2, k2tog, knit to last 4 sts, ssk, k2 – 2 sts dec'd.

Repeat Dec Row, every RS row, 3 (4, 4, 4, 4, 4) times – 34 (40, 44, 46, 50, 54) sts.

Repeat Dec Row, every other RS row, 7 (7, 7, 8, 7, 8) times – 20 (26, 30, 30, 36, 38) sts.

Repeat Dec Row, every RS row, 2 (1, 2, 2, 4, 5) times – 16 (24, 26, 26, 28, 28) sts.

Bind off 2 sts at the beginning of the next 0 (2, 2, 0, 2, 2) rows – 16 (20, 22, 26, 24, 24) sts.

Bind off 3 sts at the beginning of the next 2 (2, 2, 4, 2, 2) rows – 10 (14, 16, 14, 18, 18) sts.

Bind off remaining sts.

FINISHING

Sew shoulder seams.

Collar

With smaller needle, pick up and knit 66 (66, 70, 78, 82, 86) sts around neck.

Work in 2x2 Ribbing for 3½", ending with a WS row.

Bind off in pattern.

Right Button Band

With smaller needle, pick up and knit 118 (122, 126, 130, 134, 138) sts along right front and right edge of Collar, approx. 3 sts for every 4 rows.

Work in 2x2 Ribbing for 3", ending with a WS row.

Bind off in pattern.

Left Button Band

With smaller needle, pick up and knit 118 (122, 126, 130, 134, 138) sts along left edge of Collar and left front, approx. 3 sts for every 4 rows.

Work in 2x2 ribbing for 1¼", ending with a RS row.

Buttonholes (WS): Work 12 (12, 14, 16, 16, 16) sts in pattern, work buttonhole, work 11 (9, 11, 11, 13, 13) sts in pattern, work buttonhole, work 9 (11, 11, 11, 11, 11) sts in pattern, work buttonhole, work 11 (11, 11, 11, 11, 13) sts in pattern, work buttonhole, work 9 (11, 11, 11, 11, 13) sts in pattern, work buttonhole, work 11 sts in pattern, work buttonhole, work 9 (11, 11, 11, 11, 13) sts in pattern, work buttonhole, work to end of row.

Continue in 2x2 Ribbing until Button Band measures 3", ending with a WS row.

Bind off in pattern.

Sew buttons onto Right Button Band, opposite buttonholes.

Sew sleeves into armholes. Sew sleeve and side seams.

Weave in ends.

Block.

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Abbreviations

dec('d) decrease(d)

inc('d) increase(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)

p purl

pwise purlwise

rep repeat(ing)

RS right side

sl slip

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

wyif with yarn in front



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