



# Uncommon Cabled Cardigan

Level: Intermediate

## SIZES

Small (Medium, Large, 1X, 2X, 3X)

## FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

**Bust:** 31 (35½, 40, 44½, 49¼, 53¾)''

**Length:** 27½ (28, 29, 29½, 30¼, 30½)''

**Upper Arm:** 13 (14¼, 14¾, 16, 17, 18¼)''

## MATERIALS

Premier® Yarns *Alpaca Dance* (75% acrylic, 25% alpaca; 100g/371 yds)

- 25-11 Cinder – 3 (3, 4, 4, 4, 5)

**Needles:** US Size 10½ (6.5 mm) straight *or size needed to obtain gauge*

US Size 7 (4.5 mm) 32'' circular (or longer) *or size needed to obtain gauge*

**Notions:** Tapestry needle, cable needle

## GAUGE

14 sts x 18 rows = 4'' in Allover Cable patt using larger ndls

16 sts x 28 rows = 4'' in garter st using smaller ndls

**Save time, check your gauge.**

## STITCH GUIDE

**2x2 Left Cross (LC):** Slip next 2 sts to cn and hold in front, k2 from LH ndl, k2 from cn.

**2x2 Right Cross (RC):** Slip next 2 sts to cn and hold in back, k2 from LH ndl, k2 from cn.

**Allover Cable (for Back, all sizes; for Left and Right Fronts, Medium, 1X, 3X; for Sleeves, all sizes)**

(multiple of 8 sts + 6)

**Rows 1, 3, 7, & 9 (RS):** Knit.

**WS rows 2-12:** Purl.

**Row 5:** \* 2x2 LC, k4; rep from \* to last 4 sts, end 2x2 LC.

**Row 11:** \* K4, 2x2 RC; rep from \* to last 4 sts, end k4.

Rep Rows 1-12 for patt.

**Allover Cable (for Left Front, Small, Large, 1X sizes)**

**Rows 1, 3, 7, & 9 (RS):** Knit.

**WS rows 2-12:** Purl.

**Row 5:** \* 2x2 LC, k4; rep from \* to end.

**Row 11:** \* K4, 2x2 RC; rep from \* to end.

Rep Rows 1-12 for patt.

**Allover Cable (for Right Front, Small, Large, 1X sizes)**

**Rows 1, 3, 7, & 9 (RS):** Knit.

**WS rows 2-12:** Purl.

**Row 5:** \* K4, 2x2 LC; rep from \* to end.

**Row 11:** \* 2x2 RC, k4; rep from \* to end.

Rep Rows 1-12 for patt.

## PATTERN NOTES

When working shaping in Allover Cable patt, if there are not enough sts for a full repeat, work these sts in St st.

## BACK

With smaller ndls, cast on 70 (78, 86, 94, 102, 110) sts.

## Hem

**Row 1:** \* K1, p1; rep from \* to end. Rep Row 1 until Hem meas 1½''. Switch to larger ndls

## Establish Pattern

**Row 1 (RS):** P1, work Row 1 of Allover Cable patt to last st, end P1.

**Row 2:** K1, work Row 2 of Allover Cable patt to last st, end k1.

Cont in patt until Back meas 4½ (4½, 5, 5, 5½, 5½)'' from cast-on edge, ending with WS row.

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## Shape Sides

**Dec row (RS):** P1, k2tog, work in patt to last 3 sts, ssk, p1 – 2 sts dec'd. Rep Dec row every 10 rows, 7 more times – 54 (62, 70, 78, 86, 94) sts rem. Cont to work even in patt until Back meas 20 (20, 20½, 20½, 21, 21)" from cast-on edge, ending with WS row.

## Shape Armholes

Bind off 2 (3, 4, 5, 6, 7) sts at beg of next 2 rows – 50 (56, 62, 68, 74, 80) sts rem.

**Dec row (RS):** K1, k2tog, work in patt to last 3 sts, ssk, k1 – 2 sts dec'd. Purl a WS row. Rep these 2 rows, 1 (2, 4, 5, 6, 7) more time(s) – 46 (50, 52, 56, 60, 64) sts rem. Work even in patt until Armhole meas 7½ (8, 8½, 9, 9¼, 9½)" ending with WS row. Bind off all sts.

## LEFT FRONT

With smaller ndls, cast on 50 (54, 58, 62, 66, 70) sts.

### Hem

**Row 1:** \* K1, p1; rep from \* to end. Rep Row 1 until Hem meas 1½". Switch to larger ndls.

### Establish Pattern

**Row 1 (RS):** P1, work Row 1 of Allover Cable patt to last st, end P1.

**Row 2:** K1, work Row 2 of Allover Cable patt to last st, end k1.

## Shape Front Opening/Neck

**Neck Dec row (RS):** Work in patt to last 3 sts, ssk, p1 – 1 st dec'd. Rep Neck Dec row every 4 rows, 19 (18, 18, 18, 18, 17) more times, then rep Neck Dec row every 6 rows, 5 (6, 7, 7, 8, 9) times – 25 (25, 26, 26, 27, 27) sts dec'd at Neck Edge. Neck shaping will continue throughout remainder of Front.

*At the same time*, when Front meas 4½ (4½, 5, 5, 5½, 5½)" from cast-on edge, ending with WS row, move to Shape Side section.

## Shape Sides

**Dec row (RS):** P1, k2tog, work in patt to end – 1 st dec'd. Rep Dec row every 10 rows, 7 more times. Cont to work even in patt until Front meas 20 (20, 20½, 20½, 21, 21)" from cast-on edge, ending with WS row.

## Shape Armholes

Bind off 2 (3, 4, 5, 6, 7) sts at beg of next row. Purl a WS row.

**Dec row (RS):** K1, k2tog, work in patt to end – 1 st dec'd. Purl a WS row. Rep these 2 rows, 1 (2, 4, 5, 6, 7) time(s). Work even in patt until Armhole meas 7½ (8, 8½, 9, 9¼, 9½)" ending with WS row. After all shaping is complete, 14 (16, 16, 18, 19, 21) sts rem for Shoulder. Bind off all sts.

## Right Front

With smaller ndls, cast on 50 (54, 58, 62, 66, 70) sts.

### Hem

**Row 1:** \* K1, p1; rep from \* to end. Rep Row 1 until Hem meas 1½". Switch to larger ndls

## Establish Pattern

**Row 1 (RS):** P1, work Row 1 of Allover Cable patt to last st, end P1.

**Row 2:** K1, work Row 2 of Allover Cable patt to last st, end k1.

## Shape Front Opening/Neck

**Neck Dec row (RS):** P1, k2tog, work in patt to end – 1 st dec'd. Rep Neck Dec row every 4 rows, 19 (18, 18, 18, 18, 17) more times, then rep Neck Dec row every 6 rows, 5 (6, 7, 7, 8, 9) times – 25 (25, 26, 26, 27, 27) sts dec'd at Neck Edge. Neck shaping will continue throughout remainder of Front.

*At the same time*, when Front meas 4½ (4½, 5, 5, 5½, 5½)" from cast-on edge, ending with WS row, move to Shape Side section.

## Shape Sides

**Dec row (RS):** Work in patt to last 3 sts, ssk, p1 – 1 st dec'd. Rep Dec row every 10 rows, 7 more times. Cont to work even in patt until Front meas 20 (20, 20½, 20½, 21, 21)" from cast-on edge, ending with RS row.

## Shape Armholes

Bind off 2 (3, 4, 5, 6, 7) sts at beg of next row.

**Dec row (RS):** Work in patt to last 3 sts, ssk, k1 – 1 st dec'd. Purl a WS row. Rep these 2 rows, 1 (2, 4, 5, 6, 7) time(s). Work even in patt until Armhole meas 7½ (8, 8½, 9, 9¼, 9½)" ending with WS row. After all shaping is complete, 14 (16, 16, 18, 19, 21) sts rem for Shoulder. Bind off all sts.

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## SLEEVES

With larger ndls, cast on 30 (32, 34, 34, 36, 38) sts.  
Purl a WS row.

**Row 1 (RS):** K1 (2, 3, 3, 4, 1), work Row 1 of Allover Cable to last 1 (2, 3, 3, 4, 1) st(s), knit to end.

**Row 2:** Purl.

Cont in patt for 4 more rows.

**Inc Row (RS):** K1, m1, work in patt to last st, m1, k1 – 2 sts inc'd. Rep Inc row every 6 (6, 6, 4, 4, 4) rows, 3 (7, 6, 3, 5, 8) more times, then rep Inc row every 8 (8, 8, 6, 6, 6) rows, 4 (1, 2, 7, 6, 4) time(s) – 46 (50, 52, 56, 60, 64) sts. Work even in patt until Sleeve meas 16½ (16½, 17, 17, 17½, 17½)”, ending with WS row.

## Shape Cap

Bind off 2 (3, 4, 5, 6, 7) sts at beg of next 2 rows – 42 (44, 44, 46, 48, 50) sts rem.

**Dec row (RS):** K1, k2tog, work in patt to last 3 sts, ssk, k1 – 2 sts dec'd. Purl a WS row. Rep these 2 rows, 6 (7, 8, 9, 10, 11) more times. Bind off 3 (3, 2, 2, 2, 2) sts at beg of next 2 rows, bind off 3 (3, 3, 3, 3, 3) sts at beg of next 4 rows. Bind off rem 10 sts.

## FINISHING

### Sleeve Edging

With smaller ndl, pick up and knit 30 (32, 34, 34, 36, 38) sts from cast-on edge. Knit a WS row.

**Inc row 1 (RS):** \* Kfb, k1; rep from \* to end – 45 (48, 51, 51, 54, 57) sts. Knit 3 rows.

**Inc row 2 (RS):** \* Kfb, k2; rep from \* to end – 60 (64, 68, 68, 72, 76) sts. Knit 3 rows.

**Inc row 3 (RS):** \* Kfb, k3; rep from \* to end – 75 (80, 85, 85, 90, 95) sts. Knit 2 rows. Bind off all sts over next WS row, kwise.

Sew Shoulder seams. Sew Sleeve Caps into Armholes. Sew Sleeves and side seams.

### Front Edging

With smaller ndl, beg at lower Right Front edge, pick up and knit 112 (114, 118, 120, 122, 124) sts evenly up Right Front edge to Neck (about 9 sts for every 10 rows), 20 (20, 22, 22, 24, 24) sts along back Neck, and 112 (114, 118, 120, 122, 124) sts evenly down Left Front – 244 (248, 258, 262, 268, 272) sts. Knit a WS row.

**Inc row 1 (RS):** \* Kfb, k1; rep from \* to end. Knit 3 rows.

**Inc row 2 (RS):** \* Kfb, k2; rep from \* to end. Knit 3 rows.

**Inc row 3 (RS):** \* Kfb, k3; rep from \* to end. Knit 2 rows. Bind off all sts over next WS row, kwise.

Weave in ends and block.

## Abbreviations

<b>cn</b>	cable needle
<b>cont</b>	continue
<b>dec'd</b>	decreased
<b>inc('d)</b>	increase(d)
<b>k</b>	knit
<b>kfb</b>	knit into the front and back of the next st (1 st inc'd)
<b>k2tog</b>	knit 2 sts together (1 st dec'd)
<b>m1</b>	make 1 (1 st inc'd)
<b>meas</b>	measures
<b>ndl(s)</b>	needle(s)
<b>p</b>	purl
<b>patt</b>	pattern
<b>rem</b>	remain(ing)
<b>rep</b>	repeat(ing)
<b>RS</b>	right side
<b>ssk</b>	slip slip knit (1 st dec'd)
<b>st(s)</b>	stitch(es)
<b>St st</b>	Stockinette stitch: Knit on RS rows, purl on WS rows.
<b>WS</b>	wrong side