

Shaping Neck

Next row: Cast off 29; work to the end. Next row: Work to the end. Now work shoulder dart in same way as for right front, but reversing the number of st. on either side of the p. st. Thus the next 2 rows will be:—

First row: K. 21, p. 1, k. 27. Second row: P. 27, k. 1, p. 21. Complete to match right front.

Sleeves

With No. 12 needles cast on 56 st. and work 2½ in. in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Next row: * Work twice in first st.; rib 3. Rep. from * to end. (70 st.). Change to No. 10 needles and cont. in st.st., inc. 1 st. at both ends of the next and every foll. sixth row until there are 110 st. Then cont. straight until work measures 17 in. from cast-on edge.

Shaping Top

Dec. 1 st. at both ends of every alternate row until 70 st. remain. Now dec. 1 st. at both ends of every row until 50 st. remain. Cast off 4 st. at beg. of next 8 rows. Cast off rem. st.

Neck Borders

With No. 12 needles and right side of work facing pick up and k. 42 st. evenly along back neck edge and work ½ in. in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Cast off fairly loosely in rib. With No. 12 needles and right side of work facing pick up and k. 32 st. along cast-off edge at neck of right front, 1 st. at corner, then pick up and k. 60 st. along straight neck edge. (93 st.). Now work thus:—

Next row: Work in rib to the end, beg. and ending with p. 1. Next row: Work to within 2 st. of corner st., work 2 tog., p. 1, work 2 tog., rib to end. Next row: Rib to end, allowing for dec. st. Rep. the last 2 rows until border measures ½ in., making a buttonhole in the next 2 rows above previous buttonholes. With No. 12 needles and right side of work facing pick up and k. 60 st. evenly down straight neck edge of right front, 1 st. at corner, then 32 st. along cast-off edge. Now work to match right neck border, omitting buttonhole.

Make-up

Press work lightly with a hot iron and damp cloth. Join side sleeve and shoulder seams. Make a stitched dart on both fronts, taking in 2 in. from about 1 in. above beg. of armhole shaping and seaming to nothing in about 3 in. Sew in sleeves, press seams, and sew on buttons to match buttonholes.

The Jumper

Materials: 10oz. of grey 3-ply wool; 2 No. 10 and 2 No. 12 knitting needles; 2 short No. 12 needles for neck-opening border.

Measurements: Length, 19½ in.; bust, 42 in.; sleeve seam, 5 in.

Back

With No. 12 needles cast on 120 st. and work in k. 1, p. 1 rib for 3½ in. Next row: Rib 7, work twice in next st., * rib 14, work twice in next st. Rep. from * to last 7 st., rib 7. (128 st.). Change to No. 10 needles and complete exactly as given for back of cardigan, beginning after inc. row at end of welt, but working armhole shaping when work measures 11 in. and neck and shoulders at 19½ in.

Front

With No. 12 needles cast on 128 st. and work 3½ in. in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Next row: Rib 3, work twice in next st., * rib 7, work twice in next st. Rep. from *

to last 4 st., rib 4. (144 st.). Change to No. 10 needles and cont. in st.st., inc. 1 st. at both ends of the next and every foll. sixth row until there are 166 st. Then cont. straight until work measures 11 in. from cast-on edge.

Shaping Armholes

Cast off 6 st. at beg. of next 2 rows, then dec. 1 st. at both ends of every row until 132 st. remain. Cont. straight until work measures 13 in. from cast-on edge, ending with a p. row.

Dividing for Neck Opening

Next row: K. 60, with a short No. 12 needle work twice in each of the next 4 st., turn, and cast on 8 st. with short No. 12 needle. Leave remaining 68 st. on spare needle and cont. on these 76 st. for left side of neck opening, keeping the 16 st. at centre on short No. 12 needles and in k. 1, p. 1 rib, and working rem. 60 st. in st.st. on No. 10 needles until work measures 15 in. from cast-on edge, ending with a row on the wrong side. Now work shoulder dart thus:—

Next row: K. 21, p. 1, work to end. Next row: Work to the last 22 st., k. 1, p. 21. Rep. these 2 rows 6 times more. Next row: K. 19, sl. 1, k. 1, p.s.s.o., p. 1, k. 2 tog., work to end. Next row: Work to the last 21 st., k. 1, p. 20. Work 12 rows straight, keeping continuity of the p. st. for line of dart. Next row: K. 18, sl. 1, k. 1, p.s.s.o., p. 1, k. 2 tog., work to end. Next row: Work to the last 20 st., k. 1, p. 19. Work 5 rows straight as before, thus ending at neck-opening edge.

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Next row: Work across the 16 border st. and leave these st. on a safety-pin, work 2 tog., work to end. Work 6 more rows, still keeping p. dart st. and dec. 1 st. at neck edge in every row. Next row: K. 17, sl. 1, k. 1, p.s.s.o., p. 1, k. 2 tog., work to the last 2 st., work 2 tog. Next row: Work to the last 19 st., k. 1, p. 18. Work 5 rows keeping p. dart st. and dec. 1 st. at neck edge in every right side row. (43 st.). This completes neck shaping. Work 7 more rows straight. Next row: K. 16, sl. 1, k. 1, p.s.s.o., p. 1, k. 2 tog., work to end. Now still keeping p. dart st., cont. straight until work measures 21½ in. from cast-on edge, ending at armhole edge.

Shaping Shoulder

Next row: Cast off 10, work to the end. Next row: Work to the end. Rep. these 2 rows twice more. Cast off. Return to rem. st. on spare needle and with right side of work facing and using the short No. 12 needles, rejoin wool and work twice in each of the first 8 st., then with No. 10 needles k. to the end. Keeping the 16 st. at centre edge of short No. 12 needles, and in k. 1, p. 1 rib, cont. straight until work measures 15 in. from cast-on edge, ending with a row on the wrong side. Now work shoulder dart thus:—

Next row: Work to the last 22 st., p. 1, k. 21. Next row: P. 21, k. 1, work to end. Rep. these 2 rows 6 times more. Next row: Work to the last 24 st., sl. 1, k. 1, p.s.s.o., p. 1, k. 2 tog., k. to end. Next row: P. 20, k. 1, work to end. Work 12 rows straight, keeping p. dart st. Next row: Work to the last 23 st., sl. 1, k. 1, p.s.s.o., p. 1, k. 2 tog., k. 18. Next row: P. 19, k. 1, work to end. Work 6 rows straight as before, thus ending at neck-opening edge.

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Next row: Work across the 16 border st. and leave these st. on a safety-pin,

work 2 tog., work to end. Work 5 more rows, still keeping p. dart st. and dec. 1 st. at neck edge in every row. Next row: K. 2 tog., k. to last 22 st., sl. 1, k. 1, p.s.s.o., p. 1, k. 2 tog., k. 17. Next row: P. 18, k. 1, p. to the last 2 st., work 2 tog. Work 5 rows keeping p. dart st. and dec. 1 st. at neck edge in every right side row. (43 st.). Work 7 rows straight, then work final dart shaping. Cont. straight until work measures 21½ in. from cast-on edge, ending at armhole edge. Shape shoulder as given for first side.

The Sleeves

With No. 12 needles cast on 86 st. and work 1 in. in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Change to No. 10 needles and cont. in st.st., inc. 1 st. at both ends of the next and every foll. fourth row until there are 102 st. Cont. straight until work measures 5 in. from cast-on edge.

Shaping Top

Dec. 1 st. at both ends of next and every foll. fourth row until 82 st. remain. Then dec. 1 st. at both ends of every alternate row until 62 st. remain. Now dec. 1 st. at both ends of every row until 46 st. remain. Cast off 5 st. at beg. of next 6 rows. Cast off rem. st.

The Front Facing

With No. 10 needles cast on 44 st. and work 2 rows in st.st.

Divide for Neck Opening

Next row: With No. 10 needle k. 16; with No. 12 needle work twice in each of the next 4 st., turn and cast on 8 st. with No. 12 needle. Leave rem. 24 st. on spare needle and cont. on these 32 st., keeping the 16 st. at opening edge in k. 1, p. 1 rib on No. 12 needles until work measures 5½ in. from cast-on edge, ending at opening edge.

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Next row: Work across the 16 border st. and leave these st. on a safety-pin, cast off 1 st., work to end. Cont. in st.st., dec. 1 st. at neck edge in every row until 8 st. remain. Now dec. 1 st. at neck edge in every alternate row until 5 st. remain. Cont. straight until work measures 3½ in. from beg. of neck shaping. Cast off. Return to rem. st., and with right side of work facing, rejoin wool at opening edge with No. 12 needles, work twice in each of the first 8 st., then with No. 10 needles, work to the end. Now work on these 32 st. to match first side.

Neck Border

Join shoulder seams. With right side of work facing, and using No. 12 needles, work in k. 1, p. 1 rib across the 16 border st. from safety-pin at right-hand side of neck opening, pick up and k. 98 st. evenly all round neck edge, then work in rib across the 16 st. from safety-pin at left-hand side of neck opening. Work 1 in. in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Cast off in rib.

Make-up

Press work lightly with a hot iron and damp cloth. Join side and sleeve seams and make stitched darts in front armhole shaping in same way as in cardigan. Sew in sleeves. Pin front facing into position on wrong side and sl. st. down neatly. Sew down cast-on edge of underwrap on wrong side. Press all seams.