



No 1

SAILOR`S CARDIGAN

Oversize cardigan w/side slits Instruction: Olaug Beate Bjelland

Sizes:

(XS-S) M-L (XL-XXL)

Measurements:

Bust: Ca (110) 120 (130) cm Length back: approx (74) 78 (82) cm Length front: approx (71) 75 (79) cm Sleeve length: 44 cm with folded cuff, or suitable length

All measurements are for the finished garment = personal body measurements + movement allowance. The measurements are all according to given tension

Yarn:

TYNN SILK MOHAIR (57 % mohair, 28 % silk, 15 % wool, 25 g = 212 m)

Yarn required:

Lt.grey melange #1022: (13) 14 (15) balls

Suggested knitting needles:

Circular 2.5 mm and 3 mm

Small circular 2.5 mm and 3 mm for sleeves and neck

Needle sizes are only suggestions. If your knitting shows tighter tension, use thicker needles, for looser tension use thinner needle.

Tension:

24 sts and 33 rnds ribbing with double yarn and 3 mm ndls = 10 cm slightly stretched

Edge st: k every row

Work back and fronts separately in rows (back and forth) for side slits. Join parts when slit is finished.

Work garment with double yarn (2 strands)

Back:

With double yarn and 2.5 mm circular ndl cast on (133) 145 (157) sts and work ribbing back and forth as follows: **Row 1:** (= WS) 1 edge st, p1, k3, *p3, k3*, rep from *-*, end with p1, 1 edge st.

Row 2: (= RS) 1 edge st, k1, p3, *k3, p3*, rep from *-*, end with k1, 1 edge st.

Rep row 1 -2 until work meas 4 cm. Change to 3 mm circular and cont ribbing until work meas 11 cm. Put aside and work fronts.

Right front:

With double yarn and 2.5 mm circular ndl cast on (68) 74 (80) sts and work ribbing back and forth as follows:

Row 1: (= WS) sl 3 sts off ndl with yarn in front of work (for front band), k3, *p3, k3*, rep from *-*, end with p1, 1 edge st.

Row 2: (= RS) 1 edge st, k1, p3, *k3, p3*, rep from *-*, end with k3 (for front band).

Work frontband sts further as follows: k on RS, sl off ndl on WS.

Repeat row 1 - 2 until work meas 4 cm

Change to 3 mm circular and cont until work meas 8 cm.

Put aside and work left front.

Left front:

With double yarn and 2.5 mm circular ndl cast on (68) 74 (80) sts and work ribbing back and forth as follows:

Row 1: (= WS) 1 edge st, p1, k3, *p3, k3*, rep from *-* until 3 sts rem, sl the last 3 sts with yarn in front of work (for frontband).

Row 2: (= RS) k3 (for frontband), p3, *k3, p3*, rep from *-* end with k1, 1 edge st.

Repeat row 1 - 2 until work meas 4 cm.

Change to 3 mm circular and cont until work meas 8 cm.

Back and front:

Transfer sts for all 3 parts to the same 3 mm circular ndl, at the same time k tog edge sts at sides (= side sts) = (267) 291 (315) sts.

Insert marker at side sts with = (131) 143 (155) sts for the back and (67) 73 (79) sts for each front. Cont as before until work meas (42) 44 (46) cm on the back.

On RS rows cast off for v-neck at each side as follows:

Work 2 front band sts, sl 1 k-wise, k1, psso, work until 4 sts rem, k2tog, k2 frontband sts = 2 sts dec.

Repeat dec every 3 cm a total of 3 times. Cont until work meas approx (50) 52 (54) cm at back.

Cast off marked st at each side and work each part separately.

Back:

= (131) 143 (155) sts.

Cont ribbing with 1 edge st at each side until work meas (18) 19 (21) cm, from dividing for armholes.

Shape and cast off for shoulder at beg of every row at each side 5 sts (6)7(8)= times, 6 sts (4)4(4) times = (54) 59 (64) sts cast off at each side. Work meas approx (74) 78 (82) cm. Cast off rem (23) 25 (27) sts for neck.

Front

= (64) 70 (76) sts.

Cont v-neck dec as before (7) 8 (9) times more, at the same time shape and cast off for shoulder when armhole meas (18) 19 (21) cm.

Transfer the rem 3 frontband sts to spare ndl.

Work other front in the same manner but in a mirror image.

Sleeves:

With double yarn and small 2.5 mm circular ndl cast on (54) 60 (60) sts. Join and work 4 cm ribbing in rnds as follows: k2, p3, *k3, p3*, rep from *-*, end with k1.

Insert marker on first st = 1 k st between 2 k sts.

Change to small 3 mm circular.

Cont ribbing until sleeve meas 6 cm. Inc 1 st at each side of marker (= inc: pick up yarn between 2 sts and k this new st).

Rep inc every (2,5) 2,5 (3) cm until (80) 88 (96) sts on rnd. Work new sts in ribbing as they arise.

Cont until sleeve meas 44 cm, or suitable length.

Cast off loosely (tips: use a thicker needle).

Work other sleeve the same.

Finishing:

With hidden sts sew shoulderseams to nice and even seams..

Sew sleeves on.

Neckband:

Transfer the 3 front band sts to 3 mm ndl and cast on 1 new sts at garment side (= edge st). K edge st every row, and cont front band sts as before until band (slightly stretched) reaches center back of neck.

Cast off edge st and transfer the 3 frontband sts to spare ndl.

Work other side the same.

Place bands with RS facing, and knit 1 st from each ndl tog, at the same time cast off.



Sew band inside edge st nicely to neck back.