

CLASS ROUNDED-EDGE CARDI

SIZE

Italian size 44 = US size 10 (approx. Medium).

MATERIALS

- 8 50g balls of Lana Gatto Class shade #5231 Lavender.
- One pair size US 9 (5.5mm) needles or size to obtain gauge.
- One size US 9 (5.5mm) circular needle 24in/60cm long.
- Sewing needle.
- Size G-6 (4mm) crochet hook.

STITCHES

USING NEEDLES:

Tubular stitch (work on odd number of sts)

Row 1: k1, * wyif, slip 1 st purlwise, wyib, k1, rep from * to end. Row 2: wyif, slip 1 st purlwise, * k1, wyif, slip 1 st purlwise, wyib, rep from * to end. Rep these 2 rows.

Tubular stitch (work on even number of sts)

Row 1: k2, * wyif, slip 1 st purlwise, wyib, k1, rep from * to end. Row 2: wyif, slip 1 st purlwise, * k1, wyif, slip 1 st purlwise, wyib, rep from * to last st, k1. Rep rows 1-2 for Tubular st.

Stockinette stitch.

Fancy rib (work on multiple of 15 sts plus 10)

Row 1: * k10, p2, wyib, slip 1 st purlwise onto right yarn, p2; rep from * to last 10 sts, k10.

Row 2: p10, * k2, p1, k2, p10 rep from * to end. Rep these 2 rows throughout for Fancy rib.

Sailor's rib (work on odd number of sts)

Row 1: wyib, slip 1 st knitwise onto right yarn, p1, * k 1-below (knit 1 st inserting needle into st of row below), p1; rep from * to last st, k1.

Row 2: wyib, slip 1 st knitwise onto right yarn, *k1, p1; rep from * to end. Rep these 2 rows throughout for Sailor's rib.

USING CROCHET HOOK:

Chain stitch
Slip stitch
Single crochet
Double crochet

GAUGE

18 sts and 23 rows to 4in/10cm over Fancy rib, with 2 strands held tog, using size US 9 (5.5mm) needles.

NOTE!

Work with 2 strands of yarn held tog throughout.

ABBREVIATIONS

beg	begin[ning]	rem	remain[ing]
ch	chain	rep	repeat
cm	centimeters	RS	RS[s]
dec	decrease[ing]	sc	Single crochet
g	grams	sl	slipped
in	inch[es]	st[s]	stitch[es]
k	knit	tog	together
mm	milimeters	wyib	with yarn in back
р	purl	wyif	with yarn in front
patt	pattern	WS	WS[s]

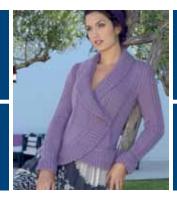
BACK

Using size US 9 (5.5mm) needles cast on 70 sts. Work in Fancy rib. When Back measures 11^{3} /4in/30cm, shape armholes. Bind off 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows, dec 1 st each side every other RS row inside 2 sts from edge (work ssk at beg of row –slip 2 sts separately to right needle as if to knit, slip left needle into these 2 sts from left to right and knit them together: 2 sts become 1 st– and work k2 tog at end of row) 4 times. When armhole measures 7in/18cm, cast off rem 56 sts.

LEFT FRONT

Using size US 9 (5.5mm) needles cast on 40 sts. Work in Fancy rib until piece measures $7\frac{3}{4}$ in/20cm, ending with a WS row. Shape neck.

Next row (RS): cont to work in Fancy rib dec 1 st at left side, before last 2 sts, working k2tog. Rep this dec every 4th row 6 more times. When neck shaping measures 4in/10cm, shape armhole on RS, binding off 3 sts at beg of next RS row, then dec 1 st at armhole edge (ssk) every other RS row after first 2 sts 4 times. When armhole measures 7in/18cm, cast off rem 26 sts.



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RIGHT FRONT

Work to correspond to Left Front, reversing all shaping (work ssk for neck shaping and k2tog for armhole)

SLEEVES

Using size US 9 (5.5mm) needles cast on 40 sts. Work in Fancy rib. When sleeve measures $2^{1/4}$ in/6cm inc 1 st each side on next row, then every 8th row 5 more times. Work inc sts in Fancy rib. When sleeve measures $13^{1/2}$ in/34cm shape cap. Bind off 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows, dec 1 st each side every other RS row inside 2 sts from edge (work ssk at beg of row and work k2tog at end of row) 3 times, every 4th RS row 7 times. When cap measures $6^{3/4}$ in/17cm, cast off rem 26 sts.

BACK AND FRONTS BORDER

Using circular needle cast on 399. Work back and forth 4 rows in Tubular st and 24 rows in Sailor's rib. P 1 row, then bind off all sts.

CUFFS

Using size US 9 (5.5mm) needles cast on 39 sts. Work 4 rows in Tubular st and 24 rows in Sailor's rib. P 1 row, then bind off all sts.

FINISHING

Sew shoulder and side seams. Using crochet hook, with RS facing join yarn with a sl st at center of Back lower edge, 1 ch (= 1st sc) and work 397 sc all around lower edge, opening edges and neck edge, sl st to the first ch to join. Cut off yarn and weave in ends.

Sew Border seam. Using crochet hook, with WS facing, join yarn with a sl st at seam edge and work all around last row of Border as follows:

Row 1: 1 ch (= 1st sc), 1 sc in each st, sl st to the first ch to join. Row 2: 4 ch (3 ch = 1st sc and 1 ch) miss 1 st, * 1 dc in next st, 1 ch, miss next st; rep from * all around, sl st to the 3th of first 4 ch to join.

Row 3 (joining row): with RS facing, place Border edge over last sc round of crochet edge all around Back and Fronts. Border seam corresponds to center of Back lower edge. Join with a sl st, 1 ch, working each sc into corresponding st on both pieces, sl st to the first ch to join. Cut off yarn and weave in ends.

Sew sleeve seams. Using crochet hook, with RS facing, join yarn with a sl st at seam edge, 1 ch, 37 sc all around, sl st to the first ch to join. Cut off yarn and weave in ends.

Sew cuff seams. Using crochet hook, with RS facing, join yarn with a sl st at seam edge and work as follows:

Row 1: 1 ch (= 1st sc), 1 sc in each st all around, sl st to the first ch to join.

Row 2: 4 ch (3 ch = 1st sc and 1 ch) miss 1 st, * 1 dc in next st, 1 ch, miss next st; rep from * all around, sl st to the 3th of first 4 ch to join.

Cut off yarn and weave in ends. Using sewing needle, join border cuff to sleeve, oversewing to correspond seams. Set in sleeves



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