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118/T4/796/bis

Quality:  
**PHILDAR LUXE**

## CARDIGAN

To fit: 48 (51, 53, 58, 61, 64)cms  
19 (20, 21, 23, 24, 25)ins Chest (see size charts)

**MATERIALS**  
2 (2, 3, 3, 4, 4) balls in Blanc  
4 (4, 4, 5, 5, 5) Buttons

Suggested needle size: Pair 2mm and 2½mm needles (see note on Tension)

Note: For Chart see Patt 17

### TENSION

30sts and 40 rows to 10cms measured over patt or st st on 2½mm needles.

Important — Use larger or smaller needles if necessary to obtain correct tension.

### BACK

With 2mm needles cast on 78 (86, 90, 98, 102, 106)sts.

**1st row:** K0 (2, 2, 2, 0, 0) \* p2, k2, rep from \* ending p2 (0, 0, 0, 2, 2).

Work 4cms in k2/p2 rib ending with a right side row.

**Next row:** Rib 3 (3, 5, 4, 3, 5) \* inc 1 in next st, rib 11 (19, 19, 14, 11, 11), rep from \* to last 3 (3, 5, 4, 3, 5)sts, inc 1, rib to end. 85 (91, 95, 105, 111, 115)sts.

Change to 2½mm needles and work 4 rows in st st (1 row k, 1 row p).

Cont in patt commencing at 10th (7th, 5th, 10th, 7th, 5th)st on diagram, rep 10sts, and end at 2nd (5th, 7th, 10th, 5th, 7th)st on diagram working 1 st at each edge for seam, k on RS, p on WS.

Complete 32 rows in patt and cont in st st until work measures 15.5 (16, 17, 19, 21, 22)cms ending with a wrong side row.

### SHAPE ARMHOLES

Cast off 6sts at beg of next 2 rows. 73 (79, 83, 93, 99, 103)sts.

Cont straight until work measures 26.5 (28, 30, 33, 36, 38)cms ending with a wrong side row. Cast off. Mark 18 (21, 22, 27, 30, 32)sts each side for shoulder, leaving 37 (37, 39, 39, 39, 39)sts in centre for back neck.

### RIGHT FRONT

With 2mm needles cast on 37 (39, 43, 47, 49, 53)sts.

**1st row:** K3 \* p2, k2, rep from \* ending p2 (0, 0, 0, 2, 2).

Work 4cms in k2/p2 rib ending with a right side row.

**Next row:** Rib 3 (4, 6, 8, 6, 6) \* inc 1 in next st, rib 9 (9, 14, 9, 11, 19), rep from \* to last 4 (5, 7, 9, 7, 7)sts, inc 1, rib to end. 41 (43, 46, 51, 53, 56)sts.

Change to 2½mm needles and work 4 rows in st st.

Cont in patt, commencing at 10th (5th, 10th, 10th, 5th, 10th)st on diagram, rep 10sts and end at 8th (5th, 3rd, 8th, 5th, 3rd)st on diagram working 1 st at each edge for seam as given for Back.

Complete 32 rows in patt and cont in st st until work measures 15.5 (16, 17, 19, 21, 22)cms ending at side edge.

### SHAPE ARMHOLE

Cast off 6sts at beg of next row. 35 (37, 40, 45, 47, 50)sts.

Cont straight until work measures 20.5 (22, 23, 24, 29, 31)cms ending at front edge.

### SHAPE NECK

Cast off 5sts at beg of next row.

Cast off at neck edge on all rows 3sts twice, 2sts twice and 1 st 2 (1, 3, 3, 2, 3) times.

Cont until work measures 26.5 (28, 30, 33, 36, 38)cms ending with a wrong side row.

Cast off rem 18 (21, 22, 27, 30, 32)sts for shoulder.

### LEFT FRONT

Work to match Right Front reversing rib and commencing patt at 4th (7th, 9th, 4th, 7th, 9th)st on diagram, rep 10sts and end at 2nd (7th, 2nd, 2nd, 7th, 2nd)st on diagram working 1 st at edge as given for Back.

Complete to match Right Front reversing shaping.

### SLEEVES

With 2mm needles cast on 46 (50, 54, 54, 58, 58)sts.

**1st row:** K2 \* p2, k2, rep from \* to end. Work 3cms in k2/p2 rib ending with a right side row.

**Next row:** Rib 2 (3, 5, 3, 5, 5) \* inc 1 in next st, rib 6 (10, 10, 7, 11, 7), rep from \* to last 2 (3, 5, 3, 5, 5)sts, inc 1, rib to end. 53 (55, 59, 61, 63, 65)sts.

Change to 2½mm needles and work 4 rows in st st. Cont in patt commencing at 6th (5th, 3rd, 7th, 6th, 10th)st on diagram, rep 10sts and end at 6th (7th, 9th, 5th, 6th, 2nd)st on diagram working 1 st at each edge for seam as given for Back.

AT THE SAME TIME inc 1 st each end of every 6th row 8 (10, 11, 8, 8, 10) times, then every foll 0 (0, 0,

4th, 4th, 4th) row 0 (0, 0, 5, 7, 7) times taking inc sts into patt.

Complete patt and cont in st st and complete increases. 69 (75, 81, 87, 93, 99)sts.

Cont straight until work measures 18 (21, 23, 23, 25, 28)cms ending with a wrong side row. Work 2 rows in st st with spare yarn. (This will be unpicked when sts are sewn into place.)

### NECKBAND

With 2mm needles cast on 94 (94, 102, 102, 102, 102)sts.

**1st row:** K2 \* p2, k2, rep from \* to end.

Work 2cms in k2/p2 rib ending with a wrong side row.

Knit 1 row. Work 2 rows in st st with spare yarn.

### BUTTONHOLE BAND

With 2mm needles cast on 70 (74, 78, 86, 94, 102)sts.

**1st row:** K2 \* p2, k2, rep from \* to end.

Work 3 rows in k2/p2 rib.

**5th row:** Rib 3 (3, 2, 2, 2, 2) \* cast off 2sts, rib 19 (20, 22, 18, 20, 22)sts incl st on needle after cast off, rep from \* 2 (2, 2, 3, 3, 3) times more, cast off 2sts, rib 2 (3, 2, 2, 2, 2).

**6th row:** Rib to end and cast on 2sts at buttonholes.

Cont in k2/p2 rib until band measures 2cms ending with a wrong side row.

Knit 1 row. Work 2 rows in st st with spare yarn. Work second band to match omitting buttonholes.

### TO MAKE UP

Join shoulder seams. Sew sleeve top into armhole st by st with back stitch on right side of work, unpicking spare yarn as sts are sewn into place. Sew side of sleeve to cast off sts at armhole. Join side and sleeve seams.

Sew neckband in place st by st as sleeve top. Sew front bands in place in the same way. Sew on buttons.

