# YARNSMITHS



# **Cumulus Cardigan**

# Materials and Measurements

To fit Bust/Chest Sizes				
81/86	91/97	102/107	112/117	cm
32/34	36/38	40/42	44/46	ins
Actual Measurements				
99	109.5	119.5	129.5	cm
39	43	47	51	ins
Length from back neck				
59.5	62	66	68.5	cm
23.5	24.5	26	27	ins
Sleeve Seam				
43	45.5	47	48	cm
17	18	18.5	19	ins
Yarnsmiths Daydream Aran				
5	5	6	7	Balls

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3.75mm (US5) and 4.5mm (US7) Knitting

Needles

Stitch Holders

5 Buttons

Instructions given for smallest size, larger sizes given in brackets. Where only one figure is given this applies to all sizes.

Please note that the limitations of the printing process mean the actual colour will not always precisely match the colours in the photograph.

# **IMPORTANT**

Use only the Yarnsmiths yarn specified. We cannot accept responsibility for an imperfect garment if any other brand is used. It is essential to work to the tension stated. The quantities of yarn stated are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate.

# **TENSION**

19 sts and 24 rows to 10 cm (4 ins.) over st st on 4.5 mm Needles.

If there are too many stitches to 10 cm, then your tension is tight

and you will need to change your needle to a larger size. If there are too few stitches to 10 cm, then your tension is loose and you will need to change your needle to a smaller size.

K - Knit; P - Purl; st(s) - stitch(es);

# **ABBREVIATIONS**

st.st - stocking stitch (I row knit,
I row purl); rept - repeat;
beg - beginning; sI - slip; sI I - slip
one; psso - pass slipped stitch
over; tog - together; yfwd - yarn
forward; alt - alternate;
inc - increase; dec - decrease;
0 - No stitches or rows to be
worked in that particular size;
approx - approximately;
cm - centimetres; ins - inches.

# **BACK**

Using 3.75 mm. Needles, cast on 93 (103,111,121) sts.

Ist Row - KI,\* PI, KI, rept from \* to end.

2nd Row - PI, \* KI, PI, rept from

\* to end.

Rept the last 2 rows for 7.5 cm. (3 ins.) finishing on a 2nd Row. Change to 4.5 mm Needles. Continue in st st until work measures 35.5 (37, 38, 39.5) cm. 14 (14.5, 15, 15.5) ins, finishing on a P row.

# **Shape Armholes**

Cast off 2 (3, 3, 4) sts at beg of next 2 rows.

**Next Row** - KI, sII, KI, psso, K to last 3 sts, K2tog, KI.

Work I row.

Dec I st at each end as before on the next and every following alt row until 35 (45, 47, 53) sts remain.

**Next Row** - PI, P2tog, P to last 3 sts, P2tog tbl, PI.

**Ist Row** - KI, sII, KI, psso, K to last 3 sts, K2tog, KI.

2nd Row - PI, P2tog, P to last 3 sts, P2tog tbl, PI. Rept I st and 2nd Rows 0 (2, 2, 3) times more. Cast off remaining 29 (31, 33, 35) sts.

# **LEFT FRONT**

Using 3.75mm Needles, cast on 43 (47, 51, 57) sts.

Work 7.5 cm (3 ins) in rib as given for Back finishing on a 2nd Row, inc I st at end of last row for (91/97, 102/107) cm. (36/38, 40/42) inch sizes only. 43 (48, 52, 57) sts. Change to 4.5 mm Needles. Continue in st st until work measures same as Back to armholes, finishing on a P row.

# **Shape Armhole and Front**

Next Row - Cast off 2 (3, 3, 4) sts, K to last 2 sts, dec 1 st. Work 1 row.

**Next Row** - KI, sII, KI, psso, K to end. Work I row.

\*\*\*\* Dec I st at armhole edge as before on the next and every following alt row **AT THE SAME TIME** dec I st at front edge on the 3rd (Ist, Ist, Ist) and every following 6 (4, 4, 4)th row until 8 (38, 36, 37) sts remain.

# (91/97, 102/107, 112/117) cm. (36/38, 40/42, 44/46) inch sizes only

Dec I st at armhole edge as before on every following alt row **ATTHE SAMETIME** dec. I st at front edge on every following 6th row until (10, 12, 13) sts remain.

### **All sizes**

Keeping front edge straight, dec. I st at armhole edge as before on every following alt, row until 5 (9, 9, 11) sts, then on every row until 2 sts remain. K2tog. Fasten off. \*\*\*\*

# **RIGHT FRONT**

Work exactly as instructions given for Left Front to armhole, finishing on a P row.

# **Shape Front and Armhole**

Next Row - Dec. I st., K. to end. Next Row - Cast off 2 (3, 3, 4) sts, P to end.

**Next Row** - K to last 3 sts, K2tog, K1.

Work I row.

Work as given for Left Front from \*\*\*\* to \*\*\*\*.

# **SLEEVES (Both Alike)**

Using 3.75mm. Needles, cast on 33 (37, 39, 43) sts.

Work 7.5 cm (3 ins) in rib as given for Back, finishing on a 1st Row.

Next Row (Inc Row) - Rib 6 (3, 4, 6), inc in next st, \* rib 3 (5, 5, 5), inc in next st, rept from \* to last 6 (3, 4, 6) sts, rib to end. 39 (43, 45, 49) sts.

Change to 4.5 mm Needles. Continue in st st, inc I st at each end of 3rd and every following 4th row until 53 (53, 57, 61) sts, then on every following 6th row until 69 (73, 77, 81) sts are on the needle.

Continue without further inc until Sleeve measures 43 (45.5, 47, 48) cm. 17 (18, 18.5, 19) ins from commencement, finishing on a P row.

# **Shape Top**

Cast off 2 (3, 3, 4) sts. at beg of

next 2 rows.

Work 0 (0, 0, 2) rows.

**Next Row** - K1, s11, K1, psso, K to last 3 sts, K2tog, K1.

Work I row.

Dec I st at each end as before on the next and every following alt row until 9 (9, 7, 7) sts remain.

# 81/86 (91/97) cm. 32/34 (36/38) inch sizes only

Next Row - PI, P2tog, P to last 3 sts, P2tog tbl, PI. 7 sts.

### **All sizes**

Work 0 (0, 1, 1) row. Cast off remaining 7 sts.

### **FRONT BAND**

Pin sleeves into position, sew in by top sewing.

Using 3.75 mm. Needles, cast on 9 sts.

Work in rib as given for Back until band is long enough, when slightly stretched, to fit up left front for Her and right front for Him, across back neck and down front to 2 cm. (3/4 inch) below first front dec. finishing on a 2nd Row.

Next Row (Buttonhole Row) - Rib 3, yfwd, K.2tog, rib 4. Mark positions for buttons on buttonband, the first one to correspond with buttonhole already worked, the last one 2cm (0.75ins) from lower edge and 3 more equally spaced.

Continue in rib working buttonholes as before to correspond with positions marked for buttons.

Cast off in rib.

# **MAKING UP**

Pin front band into position, sew on.

Join side and sleeve seams.

Sew on buttons and press seams.

