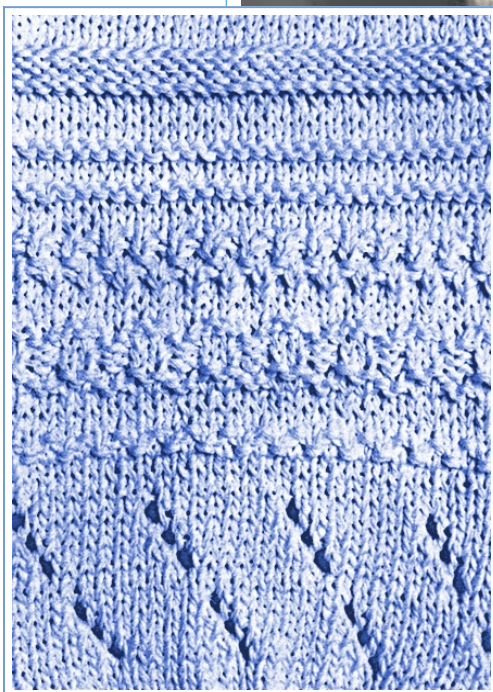


Summertime Cardigan

1970s Knitting Pattern



SIZES : To fit bust measurement of 34 inches.
32 inches and 36 inches are given in brackets.

Finished bust measurements: 34½ in (32½ in : 36½ in).

MATERIALS : 650 (600:650) grs. CORDONNET DU PINGOUIN

Pair of no. 4 and no. 5 needles. 7 buttons.

GAUGE : 18 sts. and 28 rows to 4 ins.

STITCHES USED : Lace-stitch:- **1st row :** K.1, * yo K. 2 tog., K. 6. * **2nd row :** (and every even-numbered row) Purl. **3rd row :** K. 2, * yo., K. 2 tog., K. 6. * **5th row :** K. 3, * yo., K. 2 tog., K. 6. * **7th row :** Knit. **9th row :** K. 5, * yo., K. 2 tog., K. 6. * **11th row :** * K. 6, yo., K. 2 tog. * **13th row :** K. 7, * yo., K. 2 tog., K. 6. * **14th row :** Purl. Rep. these 14 rows. Moss Stitch:- **1st row :** * K. 1. P. 1. * **2nd row :** Knit the sts., and Purl the sts. of previous row. Rep. these 2 rows. 7. Irish moss stitch:- **1st row :** * K. 1. P. 1. * **2nd row :** Knit the P. sts. and Purl the K. sts. of previous row. **3rd row :** * P. 1, K. 1. * **4th row :** As 2nd row. Rep. these 4 rows.

Right front : With size 4 needles cast on 38 (36: 40) sts. and work in K. 2. P. 2. rib for 2 ½ ins. Change to size 5 needles and work 4 rows in st. st., then the 14 rows of lace patt., 4 rows st. st., 2 rows moss st., 4 rows st. st. *Next row :* * K. 2. P. 2, * *Next 2 rows :* Knit the K. sts. and Purl the P. sts. of previous row. *Next 2 rows :* Knit the purl sts, and purl the knit sts. *Next row :* Knit the K. sts. and purl the P. sts. *Next 4 rows :* St. st. then 4 rows in Irish Moss st.; 2 rows st. st. * 3 rows all knit; 1 row Purl * Rep. * to * once more; 3 rows st. st.; 4 rows reversed st. st. (with the purl side of st. st. on the right side of work) then continue in st. st. increasing 1 st. at left edge on the first row. When measurement is 10 ½ (10 ¼: 11 ¼) ins. from top of ribbing. **SHAPE ARMHOLE** At left edge on alt. rows cast off 3 sts. once; 2 sts. once; and 1 st. 4 times, and when measurement is 12 ½ (12: 13 ¼) ins. from top of ribbing. **SHAPE NECK.** At right edge on alt. rows bind off 2 sts. twice and 1 st. 4 (3: 5) times, then cast off 1 st. at same edge on foll. 4th rows 4 times. When armhole measures 6 ¼ (6: 6 ½) ins. **SHAPE SHOULDER.** At armhole edge on alt. rows bind off 6 sts. twice and 6 (5: 7) sts. once.

Left front: Work to match right front reversing all shapings.

Back: Using yarn triple, with size 4 needles cast on 74 (70: 78) sts. and work in K. 2. P. 2. rib for 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ ins. Change to size 5 needles, and work forming the same design as on fronts, then continue in st. st. increasing 1 st. at beg. and end of the first row. When measurement is 10 $\frac{1}{4}$ (10 $\frac{1}{4}$: 11 $\frac{1}{4}$) ins. from top of ribbing. **SHAPE ARMHOLES.** Cast off 2 sts. at beg. of next 4 rows and 1 st. at beg. of next 4 rows. When armhole measures 6 $\frac{1}{4}$ (6: 6 $\frac{1}{4}$) ins. **SHAPE NECK AND SHOULDERS.** Bind off centre 14 (12: 16) sts. and finish each side separately and at neck edges on alt. rows bind off 3 sts. twice and at same time, at armhole edges on alt. rows bind off 7 (6: 8) sts. once and 6 sts. twice.

Sleeves (Both alike): Using yarn triple, and size 4 needles cast on 60 (56: 64) sts. and work in K. 2. P. 2. rib for 2 ins. Change to size 5 needles and work in st. st. decreasing 6 sts. in course of the first row; then inc. 1 st. at beg. and end of every 10th (8th: 10th) row 3 times. When measurement is 5 $\frac{1}{4}$ (4 $\frac{1}{4}$: 5 $\frac{1}{4}$) ins. from top of ribbing **SHAPE TOP.** Bind off 2 sts. at beg. of next 4 rows. Bind off 1 st. at beg. of next 26 (22: 30) rows; 2 sts. at beg. of next 6 rows and 3 sts. at beg. of next 2 rows; then bind off rem. 8 sts.

Border: Using yarn triple and size 4 needles cast on 9 sts. and work in garter st. and work straight for $\frac{1}{4}$ in. then **MAKE BUTTONHOLE** thus:- On next row bind off centre 3 sts. and on next row cast on 3 sts. in their place. In course of work make 6 further buttonholes spaced at 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ (2 $\frac{1}{4}$: 2 $\frac{1}{4}$) ins. intervals. To turn the corner make the 7th buttonhole thus: K. 3, bind off 3, **TURN**, cast on 3 sts., and work to end of row. Work 2 rows on 3 sts., 2 rows on 2 sts. 2 rows on 4 sts. 2 rows on 6 sts. then work on all sts. and work straight for 19 (18: 19 $\frac{1}{4}$) ins. then work 2 rows on 6 sts., 2 rows on 4 sts., 2 rows on 2 sts., 2 rows on 3 sts., 2 rows on 5 sts., 2 rows on 7 sts. (for the 2nd corner) then work on all sts. for a further 15 (14 $\frac{1}{4}$: 15 $\frac{1}{4}$) ins. and bind off.

To make up: Sew side and shoulder seams, making sure the design on fronts and back correspond. Sew sleeve seams and set in sleeves. Sew border round fronts and neck edges, placing button holes on right front. Sew on buttons.