

# 28-8 Platinum Kirakira Cotton Cardigan

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## *Materials*

- Pierrot Yarns Platinum Kirakira Cotton [49% cotton, 51% acrylic; 85 yds/78m per 1.41 oz./40g skein]; color #67 light silver; 13 skeins [520g]
- 3.9mm (approx. US 6) knitting needles or size necessary to achieve gauge
- 2.3mm (approx. US B) and 2.5mm (approx. US B or C) crochet hooks or sizes necessary to achieve gauge
- 6 buttons (15mm / approx. 5/8")

## *Gauge*

- pattern stitch: 24 sts and 31 rows = 10cm/4" square

## *Finished measurements*

- bust 95.5cm/37.60"
- length 56cm/22.05"
- cross back width 36cm/14.17"
- sleeve length 51cm/20.08"

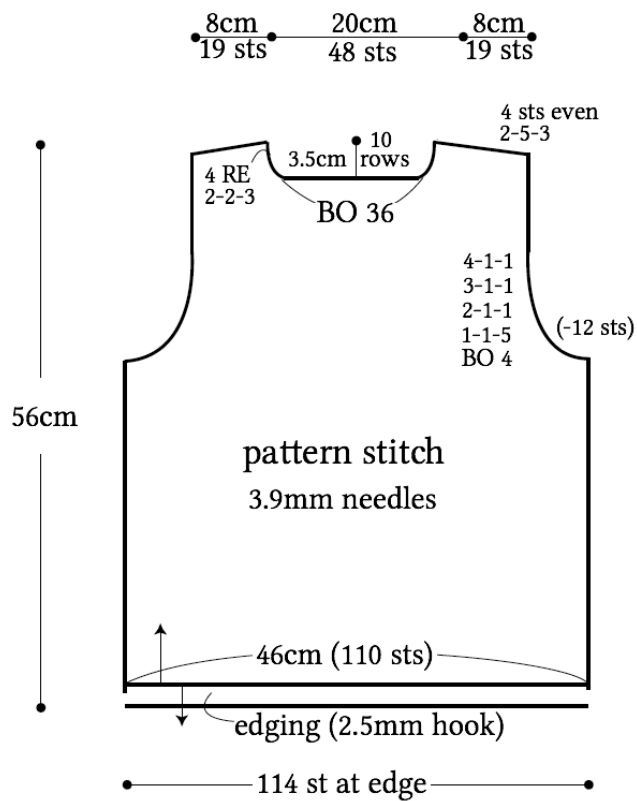
## **Knitting Tips**

**Body and sleeves:** Cast on and knit in pattern stitch according to schematics. In this stitch pattern, when you decrease 1 stitch on a right-side row, you compensate by increasing 1 stitch (with YO) on a wrong-side row, returning the stitch count to its original number. On left side, if decreasing more than 2 sts, work stockinette in stitches that were previously decreased on front side. For armholes and neckline, bind off stitches as indicated and decrease at edges using k2tog or ssk. Shape sleeves (at edge seams) using lifted increase.

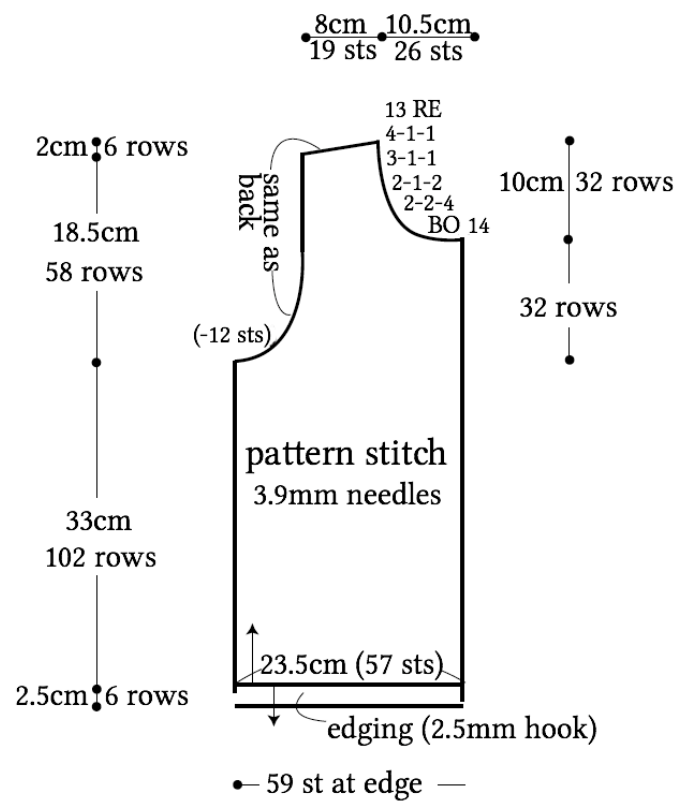
**Finishing:** Join shoulders with three-needle bind-off, and seam sides with mattress stitch. Work edging along side to hem, front edge, and to neckline, but at neckline area only, change needle size starting from round 3. Knit edging around cuffs. Join sleeves to body with slip stitch.

**Abbreviations:** BO = bind off; RE = row(s) even

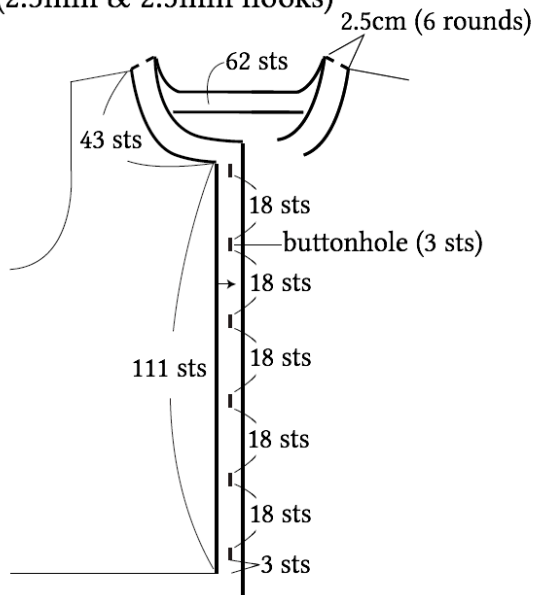
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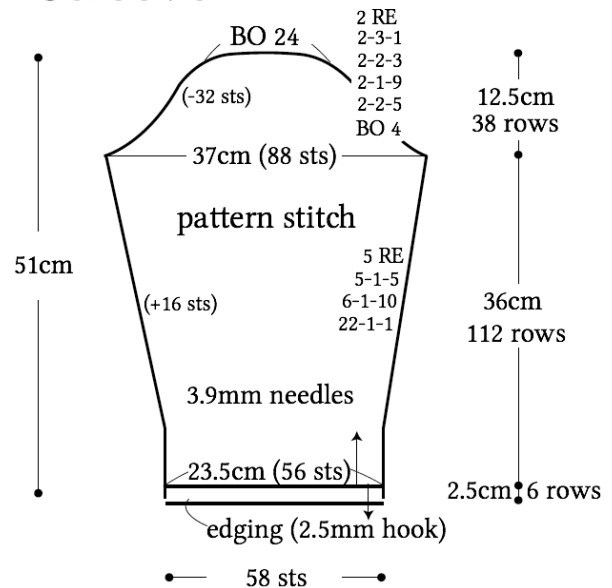
## ●front



## ●collar (pattern stitch) (2.3mm & 2.5mm hooks)

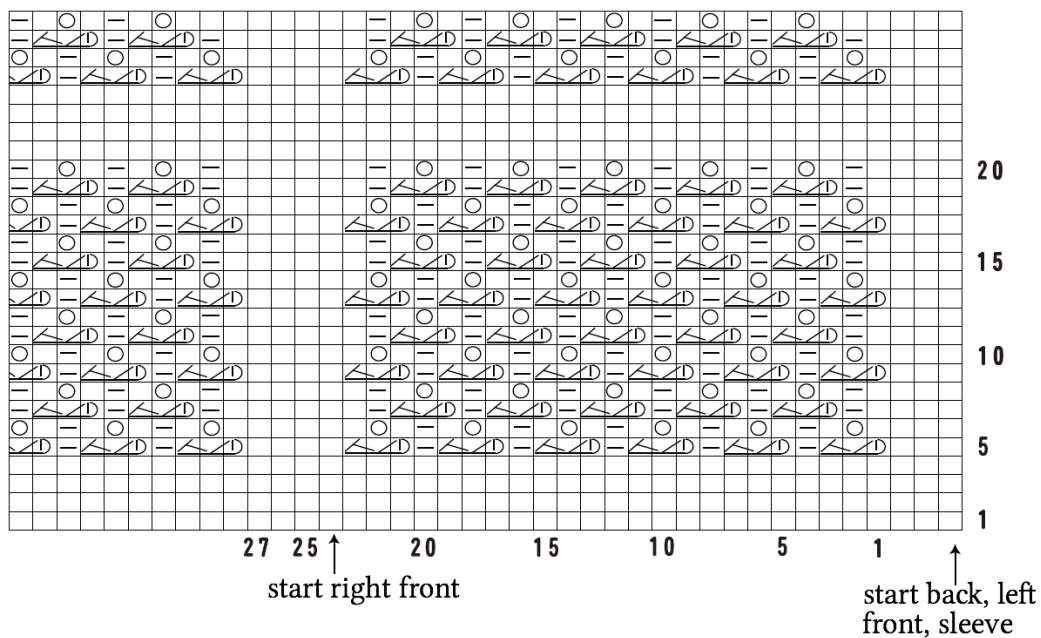


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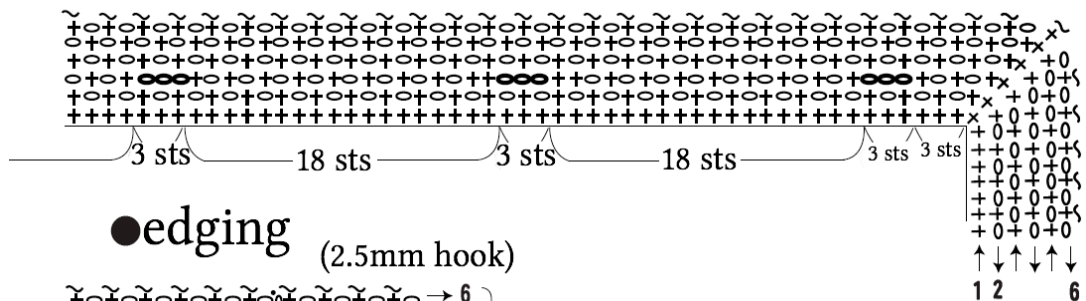


## ● pattern stitch

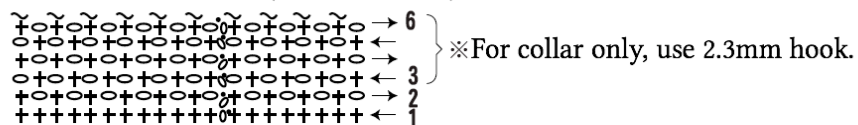
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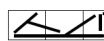


## ● buttonholes & corners



## ● edging (2.5mm hook)



 instructions

1. Insert R needle between 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> sts on L needle; pull up a loop.

2. Knit next st, pull long loop over st just worked.

3. Knit next 2 sts tog.