

# 212ss-06 Cotton Neat French-sleeve Cardigan



## Suggested yarn:

- Pierrot Yarns Cotton Neat [100% cotton; 58 yds/53m per 1.41 oz./40g skein]; color #623 grey, 9 skeins [345g]

## Tools/Notions:

- 4.5mm (US 7) knitting needles or size necessary to achieve gauge
- 3.5mm (US E) crochet hook or size necessary to achieve gauge
- 1 button (15mm/0.59")

## Finished measurements:

- bust 93cm/36.61"
- center back neck-to-cuff 26.5cm/10.43"
- length 58cm/22.83"

## Gauge (10cm/4" square):

- pattern stitch: 16.5 sts and 24.5 rows
- each motif should be 5.5cm/2.17" square

*Gauge may vary according to individual knitting style. Change needle size if necessary to achieve gauge. Alternatively, rework pattern with your own gauge measurements.*

## Knitting Tips

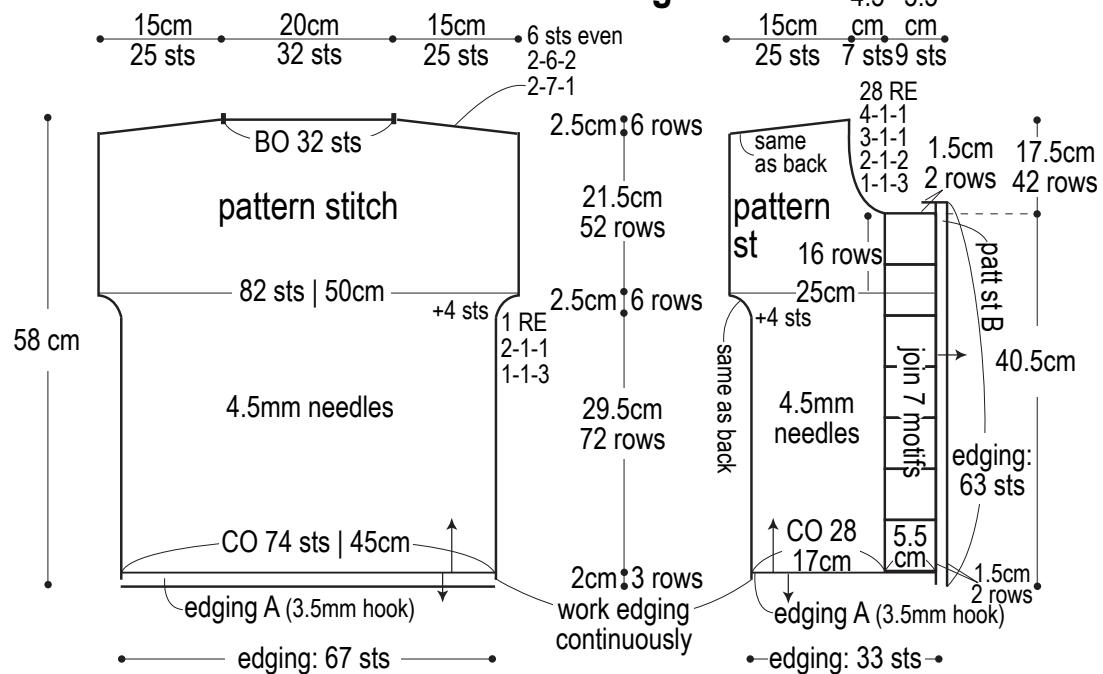
**Front and back:** Crochet 14 motifs, and make two strips of 7 motifs each by seaming them together with whipstitch. Cast on with long-tail cast-on method and work front and back in pattern stitch. Increase 4 stitches at underarm by using backwards loop cast-on method. Seam motif strip to front edge with mattress stitch.

**Finishing:** Seam shoulders with three-needle bind-off, and seam sides with mattress stitch. Crochet edging A along hem edge. Crochet edging B in the round at cuff edges. Crochet edging B in rows along neckline. Work edging B along hem edge, motifs, and neckline edge. Crochet button loops, and attach buttons.

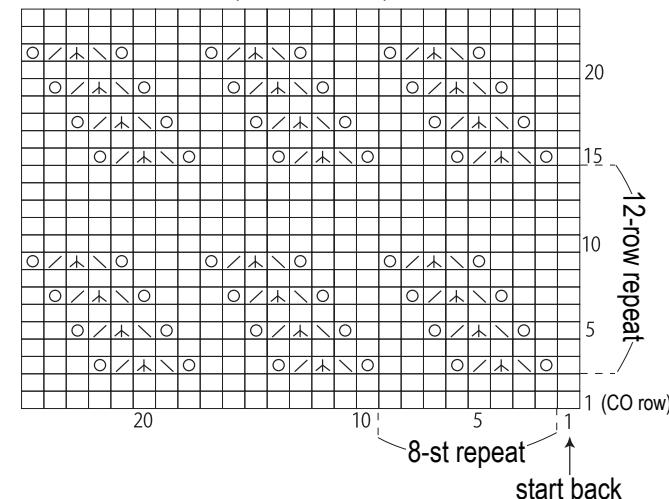
## Abbreviations:

BO = bind off  
ch = chain  
CO = cast on  
m = magic ring  
RE = row(s) even  
# #-# = rows-stitches-times

## Back

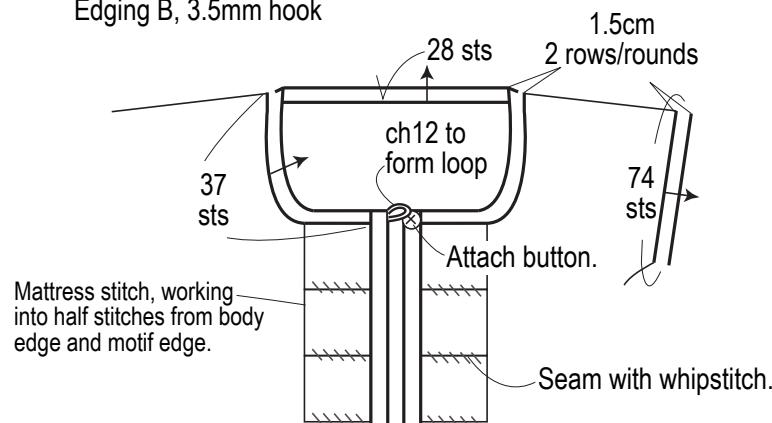


## Pattern stitch (4.5mm needles)

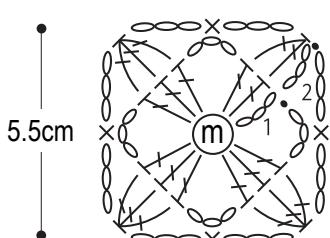


## Collar & cuffs

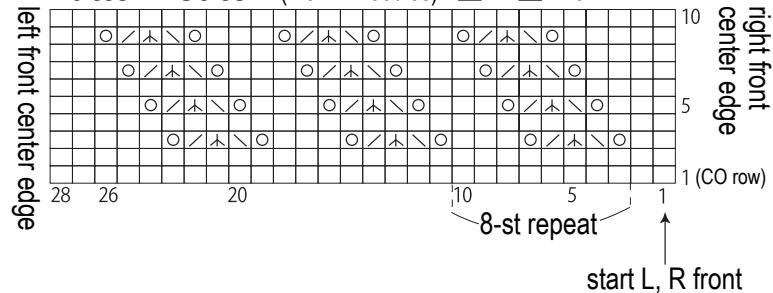
Edging B, 3.5mm hook



## Motif (make 14)



## Pattern stitch (4.5mm needles)



## Edging A (3.5mm hook)

hem

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## Edging B (3.5mm hook)

armscye

$$\begin{array}{c} \circ \times \circ \times \circ \times \circ \times \circ \leftarrow 2 \\ \times \leftarrow 1 \\ \times \leftarrow 1 \end{array}$$

neckline, front band