211F-11 Arles Long A-line Cardigan



Suggested yarn:

 Pierrot Yarns Arles Fingering [100% baby alpaca; 117 yds/107m per 1.06 oz./30g skein]; color #04 dark brown, 13 skeins [390g]

Tools/Notions:

- 3.9mm (approx. US 6) knitting needles or size necessary to achieve gauge
- 5 buttons (21mm/0.83")

Finished measurements:

- bust 97.5cm/38.39"
- cross back width 48cm/18.90"
- length 87cm/34.25"
- sleeve length 26.5cm/10.43"

Gauge (10cm/4" square):

- stockinette stitch: 21 sts and 31 rows
- k1p1 ribbing: 22 sts and 31 rows

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

Back body: Cast on with long-tail cast-on method. Work according to schematic, first in k1p1 ribbing, then in stockinette stitch

Front body: Cast on as for back, but work buttonband in k1p1 ribbing at the same time as you're working the front body in stockinette stitch. Be sure to work buttonholes right front buttonband as you go. For front neckline shaping, decrease (k2tog on right side, ssk on left side) after working 10 sts of buttonband in k1p1 ribbing. At back neckline, increase 1 stitch using backwards loop cast-on method, then continue working front buttonband. Graft 11 sts of back left and right collar together with Kitchener stitch.

Sleeves & pockets: Cast on with long-tail cast-on method. Work according to schematic.

Finishing: Seam shoulders with crochet slip stitch seam. Seam sleeves to body with crochet slip stitch seam. Seam sides and sleeve undersides in on continuous mattress stitch seam (per side). Seam back collar section to back neckline using stitches-to-rows mattress stitch. Seam pockets to body and fasten buttons to buttonband.

Abbreviations:

BO = bind off

CO = cast on

inc = increase

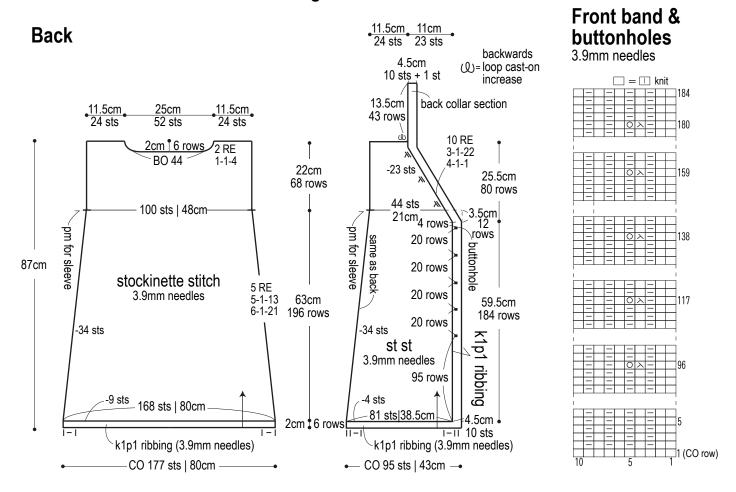
k = knit

p = purl

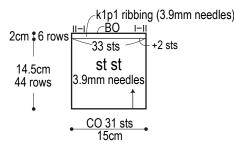
RE = row(s) even

#-#-# = rows-stitches-times

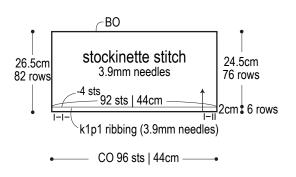
Right front



Pocket (make 2)



Sleeve



Finishing

