

213w-15 Soft Merino Raglan Cardigan



Suggested yarn:

- Pierrot Yarns Soft Merino [100% merino wool; 104 yds/95m per 1.41 oz./40g skein];
 - color #5 pink, 4 skeins [135g]
 - color #7 brown, 7 skeins [275g]

Tools/Notions:

- 3.6mm (approx. US 5) and 4.2mm (approx. US 6) knitting needles or sizes necessary to achieve gauge
- 6 buttons (15mm/0.59")

Finished measurements:

- bust 94cm/37.01"
- center back neck-to-cuff 72cm/28.35"
- length 54.5cm/21.46"

Gauge (10cm/4" square):

- stockinette stitch: 21 sts and 28 rows
- k2p2 ribbing: 23 sts and 34 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

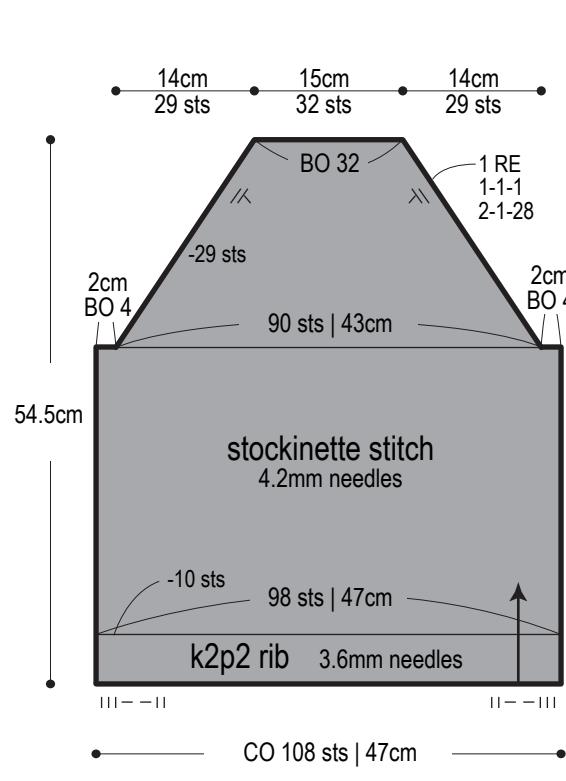
Back and front body & sleeves: Cast on with long-tail cast-on method. Work in k2p2 ribbing and then stockinette stitch. Shape raglan edges by working fully fashioned decreases 2 sts in from the edge. For front body, work buttonband at the same time as the main body, working buttonholes in right front band only. Work mouth of pocket with 1 row of waste yarn in contrasting color. *Reverse shaping of right front/sleeve for left front/sleeve.

Finishing: Remove waste yarn from mouth of pocket. Pick up stitches from upper side; work pocket lining in stockinette stitch. Bind off. Pick up stitches from lower side; work mouth of pocket in k2p2 ribbing. Bind off in pattern. Seam pocket lining to wrong side of body using whipstitch. Seam ends of mouth of pocket to body using mattress stitch. Seam raglan edges with mattress stitch, but seam underarm gusset area with Kitchener stitch. Seam sides of body and sleeve undersides with mattress stitch. Pick up stitches from wrong side of neckline and front buttonband; work collar in k2p2 ribbing. Pick up stitches around edge of collar; work edging in reverse stockinette stitch. Bind off. Sew buttons to buttonband.

Abbreviations:

BO = bind off CO = cast on PU = pick up RE = row(s) even # - # = rows-stitches-times

Back

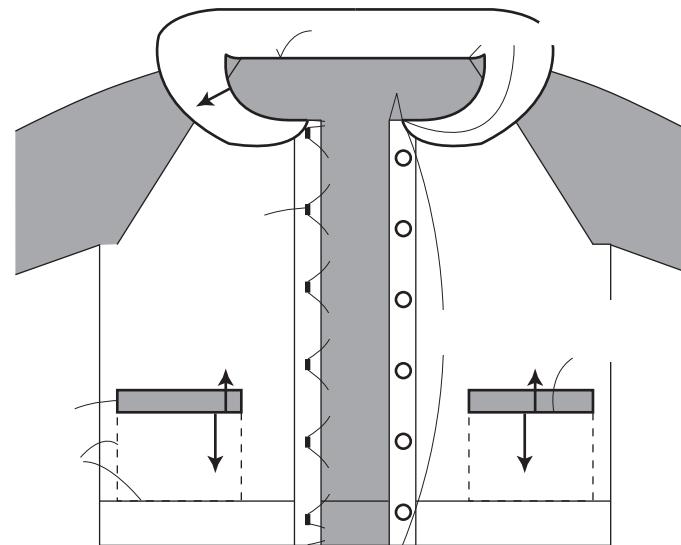


*Reverse shaping of right front & right sleeve for left front & left sleeve.

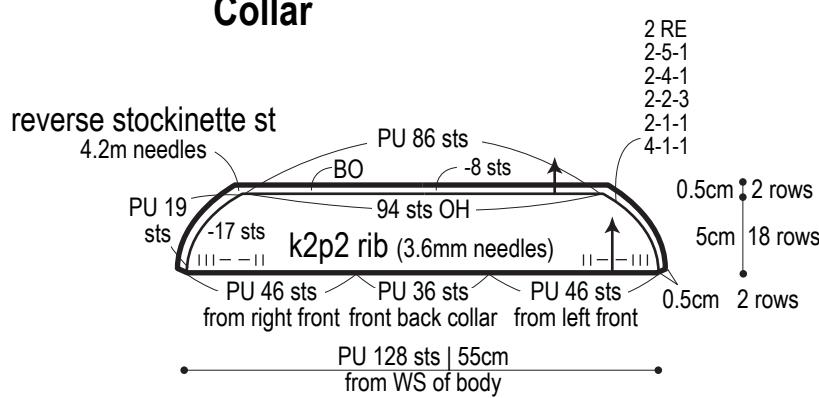
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Finishing

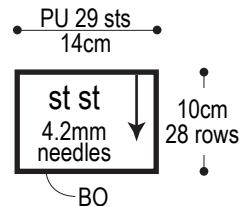


Collar



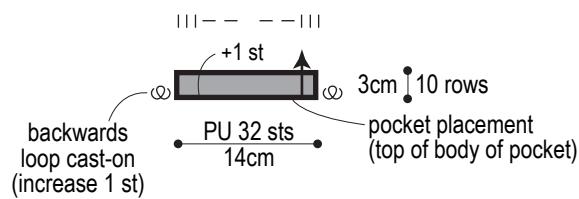
Pocket

Pocket lining



Mouth of pocket

k2p2 ribbing 3.6mm needles



Buttonholes

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collar edge	1 row	→122 ←121
25 rows		←119 ←97 ←95 ←93 ←71 ←69 ←67
25 rows		←45 ←43 ←41 ←19 ←17 ←15 ←5
25 rows		→2 ←1 →18 →10 →9 →2 ←1
buttonhole (1 row)		
hem edge	(CO row)	