

## Contrast Border Cardigan



### To Fit Bust

81	86	92	97	102	107	cm
32	34	36	38	40	42	in

### Finished Bust

88	94	101	108	115	122	cm
34¾	37	39¾	42½	45¼	48	in

### Length to Shoulder

51	52	53	55	56	57	cm
20	20½	20¾	21¾	22	22½	in

### Sleeve Length

48cm/19in for all sizes

### Materials

11(12:13:14:15:16) 50g balls of Debbie Bliss Mia in Mauve 07 (M), 2(2:2:3:3:3) 50g balls in Ecru 02 (A) and one 50g ball in Cinnamon 13 (B).

Pair each 3.75mm (US 5) and 4mm (US 6) knitting needles.

3.75mm (US 5) circular needle.

6 buttons.

### Tension

23 sts and 28 rows to 10cm/4in square over main patt using 4mm (US 6) needles.

### Abbreviations

See page 18.

### Back

With 3.75mm (US 5) needles and M, cast on 103(111:119:127:135:143) sts.

**1st rib row** (right side) K1, [p1, k1] to end.

**2nd rib row** P1, [k1, p1] to end.

Rep the last 2 rows 6 times more.

Change to 4mm (US 6) needles.

**1st row** (right side) K3, [p1, k3] to end.

**2nd row** P to end.

These 2 rows **form** the patt and are repeated.

Work straight until back measures 32(32:32:33:33:33)cm/12½(12½: 12½:13:13:13)in from cast on edge, ending with a p row.

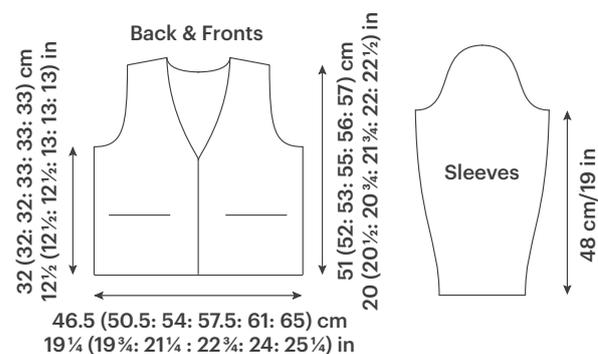
### Shape armholes

Cast off 6(6:7:7:8:8) sts at beg of next 2 rows.

91(99:105:113:119:127) sts.

**Next row** K2, skpo, patt to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.

**Next row** P to end.



Rep the last 2 rows 7(8:8:9:9:10) times more.  
75(81:87:93:99:105) sts.  
Cont straight until back measures 49(50:51:53:54:55)cm/  
19¼(19¾:20:20¾:21¼:21¾) in from cast on edge,  
ending with a p row.

#### **Shape back neck**

**Next row** Patt 19(21:23:25:27:29), turn and work on these sts only for first side of neck shaping, leave rem sts on a spare needle.

Dec one st at neck edge on next 3 rows.

16(18:20:22:24:26) sts.

Work 2 rows.

#### **Shape shoulder**

**Next row** Cast off 8(9:10:11:12:13) sts, patt to end.

**Next row** Patt to end.

Cast off rem 8(9:10:11:12:13) sts.

With right side facing, slip centre 37(39:41:43:45:47) sts onto a holder, rejoin yarn to rem 19(21:23:25:27:29) sts, k to end.

Dec one st at neck edge on next 3 rows.

16(18:20:22:24:26) sts.

Work 3 rows.

#### **Shape shoulder**

**Next row** Cast off 8(9:10:11:12:13) sts, patt to end.

**Next row** Patt to end.

Cast off rem 8(9:10:11:12:13) sts.

### **Pocket Linings (make 2)**

With 4mm (US 6) needles and M, cast on 36 sts.

Beg with a k row, work 36 rows in st st.

Leave these sts on a holder.

#### **Left Front**

With 3.75mm (US 5) needles and M, cast on 47(51:55:59:63:67) sts.

**1st rib row** (right side) K1, [p1, k1] to end.

**2nd rib row** P1, [k1, p1] to end.

Rep the last 2 rows 6 times more.

Change to 4mm (US 6) needles.

**1st row** K3, [p1, k3] to end.

**2nd row** P to end.

These 2 rows **form** the patt and are repeated.

Work a further 34 rows \*\*.

#### **Place pocket**

**1st row** Patt 6(9:12:15:18:21), slip next 36 sts onto a holder, patt across 36 sts of first pocket lining, patt to end.

Work straight until 12 rows fewer have been worked than on Back to armhole shaping.

#### **Shape front neck**

**Next row** (right side) Patt to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.

Work 1 row.

Rep the last 2 rows 5 times more.

41(45:49:53:57:61) sts.

#### **Shape armhole**

**Next row** (right side) Cast off 6(6:7:7:8:8) sts, patt to end. 35(39:42:46:49:53) sts.

**Next row** Patt to end.

**Next row** K2, skpo, patt to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.

**Next row** Patt to end.

**Next row** K2, skpo, patt to end.

**Next row** Patt to end.

Rep the last 4 rows 3(3:3:4:4:4) times more.

#### **2nd, 3rd and 6th sizes only**

**Next row** K2, skpo, patt to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.

Patt 3 rows.

#### **All sizes**

Keeping armhole edge straight, cont to dec 1 st at neck edge only on next row and every foll 4th row until 16(18:20:22:24:26) sts rem.

Work straight until front measures the same as Back to shoulder, ending at armhole edge.

#### **Shape shoulder**

**Next row** Cast off 8(9:10:11:12:13) sts, patt to end.

**Next row** Patt to end.

Cast off rem 8(9:10:11:12:13) sts.

### **Right Front**

Work as Left front to \*\*.

#### **Place pocket**

**1st row** Patt 5(6:7:8:9:10), slip next 36 sts onto a holder, patt across 36 sts of pocket lining, patt to end.

Work straight until 12 rows fewer have been worked than on Back to armhole shaping.

#### **Shape front neck**

**Next row** (right side) K2, skpo, patt to end.

Work 1 row.

Rep the last 2 rows 5 times more. 41(45:49:53:57:61) sts.

**Next row** Patt to end.

#### **Shape armhole**

**Next row** (wrong side) Cast off 6(6:7:7:8:8) sts, patt to end. 35(39:42:46:49:53) sts.

**Next row** K2, skpo, patt to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.

**Next row** Patt to end.

**Next row** Patt to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.

**Next row** Patt to end.

Rep the last 4 rows 3(3:3:4:4:4) times more.

**2nd, 3rd and 6th sizes only**

**Next row** K2, skpo, patt to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.

Patt 3 rows.

**All sizes**

Keeping armhole edge straight, cont to dec 1 st at neck edge only on next row and every foll 4th row until 16(18:20:22:24:26) sts rem.

Work straight until front measures the same as Back to shoulder, ending at armhole edge.

**Shape shoulder**

**Next row** Cast off 8(9:10:11:12:13) sts, patt to end.

**Next row** Patt to end.

Cast off rem 8(9:10:11:12:13) sts.

## Sleeves

With 3.75mm (US 5) needles and A, cast on 43(47:51:51:55:59) sts.

**1st rib row** (right side) K1, [p1, k1] to end.

**2nd rib row** P1, [k1, p1] to end.

These 2 rows **form** the rib.

Rib a further 2 rows A, then 4 rows B, 6 rows A.

Change to 4mm (US 6) needles and M.

**1st row** (right side) K3, [p1, k3] to end.

**2nd row** P to end.

These 2 rows **form** the patt and are repeated.

Work a further 4 rows.

**Inc row** K2, m1, patt to last 2 sts, m1, k2.

Keeping 2 sts at each end as k2 on right side rows, patt 7 rows.

Taking inc sts into patt, rep the last 8 rows 12 times more, then the inc row again. 71(75:79:79:83:87) sts.

Cont straight until sleeve measures 48cm/19in from cast on edge, ending with a p row.

**Shape top**

Cast off 6(6:7:7:8:8) sts at beg of next 2 rows.

59(63:65:65:67:71) sts.

**Next row** K1, skpo, patt to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

**Next row** P to end.

Rep the last 2 rows 8(9:9:8:10:11) times more.

41(43:45:47:45:47) sts.

**Next row** K2, skpo, patt to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.

Work 3 rows.

Rep the last 4 rows 3(3:3:4:3:3) times more.

33(35:37:37:37:39) sts.

**Next row** K1, skpo, patt to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

**Next row** P to end.

Rep the last 2 rows once more. 29(31:33:33:33:35) sts.

Cast off 3 sts at beg of next 4 rows.

17(19:21:21:21:23) sts.

Cast off.

## Front Band

Join shoulder seams.

With 3.75mm (US 5) circular needle and A, pick up and k60(60:60:65:65:65) sts up right front edge to beg of neck shaping, 49(53:53:56:56:59) sts to shoulder, 12 sts down right back neck, k across 37(39:41:43:45:47) from back neck holder, pick up and k12 sts up left back neck, 49(53:53:56:56:59) sts down left front neck to beg of neck shaping, then 60(60:60:65:65:65) sts down to cast on edge. 279(289:291:309:311:319) sts.

**1st rib row** (wrong side) P1, [k1, p1] to end.

**2nd rib row** K1, [p1, k1] to end.

These 2 rows **form** the rib and are repeated.

Rib 4 rows A, 2 rows B.

**Buttonhole row** (wrong side) With B, rib to last 60(60:60:65:65:65) sts, yf, k2tog, [rib 9(9:9:10:10:10), yf, k2tog] 5 times, rib 3.

Rib 1 row B, 5 rows A.

With A, cast off in rib.

## Pocket Tops

With 3.75mm (US 5) needles and A, k across 36 sts from pocket holder.

Work in k1, p1 rib, making sure a p st follows up from the main patt.

Rib 4 rows A, 2 rows B, 3 rows A.

With A, cast off in rib.

## To Make Up

With centre of sleeve to shoulder seam, sew sleeves into armholes easing to fit. Join side and sleeve seams. Sew down pocket linings and pocket tops. Sew on buttons.