

Double Knitting
35-55 cms (14-22 ins.)

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Simple Garter Stitch Classics

MEASUREMENTS AND MATERIALS See back page

TENSION

20 sts and 40 rows to 10 cms [4 ins] square over garter st using 4mm needles.

It is essential to obtain correct tension in yarn used and a small test piece should be worked. If piece measures **more** than required width, try again using smaller needles. If piece measures **less** than required width, try again using larger needles.

NOTES

Figures in round brackets refer to the larger sizes. Figures or instructions in square brackets, [], should be repeated as stated after the brackets.

The quantities of yarn stated are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate.

ABBREVIATIONS

Alt = alternate; beg = beginning; cms = centimetres; dec = decrease(ing); inc = increase(ing); ins = inches; k = knit; patt = pattern; psso = pass slipped stitch over; rem = remain(ing); rep = repeat; sl = slip; st(s) = stitch(es); tog = together; yf = yarn forward.

SWEATER BACK

Using 4mm needles and M cast on 40(46-52-58-64) sts and work in garter st (every row knit - 1st row is wrong side) until Back measures 21(24-29-34-38) cms, or required length to shoulder ending with a wrong side row.

Shape Shoulders

Cast off 4(5-6-7-7) sts at beg of next 4 rows, then 5(5-5-6-8) sts at beg of foll 2 rows. Leave rem 14(16-18-18-20) sts on a holder.

FRONT

Work as given for Back until Front is 15(15-17-17-19) rows shorter than Back to start of shoulder shaping, thus ending with a right side row.

Shape Neck

Next row: K17(19-22-25-27), turn and complete this side first.

Dec 1 st at neck edge on next row, then every alt row 3(3-4-4-4) times. 13(15-17-20-22) sts. Work 8(8-8-8-10) rows straight (work 1 row less

here for 2nd side), thus ending at side edge.

Shape Shoulder

Cast off 4(5-6-7-7) sts at beg of next and foll alt row. Work 1 row. Cast off rem 5(5-5-6-8) sts.

Slip next 6(8-8-8-10) sts at centre onto a holder. With wrong side facing rejoin yarn to neck edge of rem sts and k to end. Complete to match first side reversing shaping by working 1 row less where indicated.

SLEEVES

Using 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ mm needles and M cast on 27(29-31-33-35) sts.

1st row (right side): K1, *p1, k1; rep from * to end.

2nd row: P1, *k1, p1; rep from * to end.

Rep the last 2 rows 4 times more.

Change to 4mm needles and work 4 rows in garter st. Inc 1 st at each end of next and every foll 6th(6th-8th-8th-10th) row until there are 35(39-43-47-51) sts. Work straight until sleeve measures 11(13-17-21-26) cms, or required length ending with a wrong side row. Cast off.

FINISHING AND NECKBAND

Press according to instructions on ball band. Join left shoulder seam.

Neckband: Using 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ mm needles and with right side facing, k across sts on holder at back neck inc 1 st at centre, pick up and k13(13-15-15-17) sts down left front slope, k across sts at front neck, then pick up and k13(13-15-15-17) sts up right front slope. 47(51-57-57-65) sts.

Starting with the 2nd row work 7 rows in rib as given for Sleeves. Cast off loosely in rib.

Join right shoulder seam leaving neckband and 4 cms of shoulder open, then using 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ mm needles and pick up and k26 sts evenly around opening. Knit 1 row. Cast off. Make 2 buttonloops evenly spaced along front edge of opening by forming a loop with a strand of yarn and working buttonhole stitch around loop. Sew on buttons to correspond with buttonloops.

Fold sleeves in half lengthways and

mark centre of cast off edge. Sew sleeve to side edge placing centre at shoulder seam. Join side seams leaving 4 cms open at lower edge. Join sleeve seams. Using contrast colour work a row of cross stitch along armhole seams and work a cross stitch at top of each side opening as illustrated.

HOODED JACKET BACK

Using M work as given for Back of Sweater but cast sts off at end.

SLEEVES

Using 4mm needles and M cast on 27(29-31-33-35) sts and k1 row (wrong side of cuff). Working in garter st work 2 rows in C, 4 rows in M, 2 rows in C, 2 rows in M. Break off C and cont in M only. Change to 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ mm needles and p1 row for foldline, then work 12 rows in garter st.

★ Change to 4mm needles and work 4 rows in garter st. Inc 1 st at each end of next and every foll 6th(6th-8th-8th-10th) row until there are 35(39-43-47-51) sts.

Work straight until sleeve measures 14(16-20-24-29) cms or 3 cms more than required finished length ending with a wrong side row. Cast off.

LEFT FRONT

Using 4mm needles and M cast on 23(26-29-32-35) sts and work in garter st (1st row is wrong side) until Front is 15(15-17-17-19) rows shorter than back to start of shoulder shaping thus ending with a right side row.

Shape Neck

Next row: Cast off 6(7-7-7-8) sts, knit to end.

Dec 1 st at neck edge on next row, then every alt row 3(3-4-4-4) times. 13(15-17-20-22) sts. Work 7(7-7-7-9) rows straight (work 1 row more here for Right Front), thus ending at side edge.

Shape Shoulder

Cast off 4(5-6-7-7) sts at beg of next and foll alt row. Work 1 row. Cast off rem 5(5-5-6-8) sts.

Mark positions on left front edge for 4(4-5-5-5) buttons, the first 3

cms above cast on edge and the top one to be 1 cm below start of neck shaping. Space remainder evenly between.

RIGHT FRONT

Work as given for Left Front reversing shaping by working 1 row more where indicated, **at the same time** making buttonholes to match markers on right side rows as follows: K1, k2tog, yf, knit to end.

HOOD

Using 4mm needles and M cast on 76(85-94-103-112) sts and work 8 rows in garter st. Dec 1 st at each end of next and every alt row until 56(65-72-81-88) sts rem. Work straight until hood measures 14(16-17-18-19) cms ending with a wrong side row.

Shape Back

Cast off 3 sts at beg of next 10(10-12-12-14) rows. Cast off rem 26(35-36-45-46) sts.

POCKETS (Make 2)

Using 4mm needles and M cast on 12(13-14-15-16) sts and k1 row (wrong side). Working in garter st work [2 rows in C, 4 rows in M] 3(3-4-4-5) times, 2 rows in C, then 1 row in M. Using M cast off knitwise.

TO FINISH

Press according to instructions on ball band.

Join shoulder seams. Fold sleeves in half lengthways and mark centre of cast off edge. Sew sleeve to side edge placing centre at shoulder seam. Join side and sleeve seams reversing lower half of seam on cuffs. Join back seam of hood. Sew hood to neck edge easing in to fit if necessary. Sew on buttons. Turn back cuffs. Sew pockets in place.

V-NECK CARDIGAN BACK

Using M, work as given for Back of Sweater but cast sts off at end.

SLEEVES

Using 4mm needles and M cast on 27(29-31-33-35) sts and k1 row (wrong side of cuff). Working in garter st work 2 rows in A, 4 rows in M, 2 rows in B, 2 rows in M. Break off A and B and cont in M only.

Change to 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ mm needles and p1 row for foldline, then work 12 rows in garter st.

Complete as given for Sleeves of

Hooded Jacket from ★ to end.

LEFT FRONT

Using 4mm needles and M cast on 23(26-29-32-35) sts and work in garter st (1st row is wrong side) until Front measures 9(10-11-12-13) cms **less** than Back to start of shoulder shaping ending with a wrong side row.

Shape Front Slope and Commence Stripe Patt

1st row: Using A, k to last 7 sts, k2tog, k5.

2nd row: Using A, k to end.

Working 4 rows in M, 2 rows in B, 4 rows in M, 2 rows in A throughout, dec 1 st at front edge as before on foll 5th and every foll 6th row until 18(20-22-25-27) sts rem. Work straight until front measures same as back to shoulder ending at side edge.

Shape Shoulder

Keeping stripes correct cast off 4(5-6-7-7) sts at beg of next and foll alt row. Work 1 row. Cast off 5(5-5-6-8) sts at beg of next row. Cont in M only work 14(16-18-18-20) rows on rem 5 sts. Cast off.

Mark positions on left front edge for 4(4-4-5-5) buttons, the first in 4th row above cast on edge and the top one to be 1 cm below start of front slope shaping. Space remainder evenly between.

RIGHT FRONT

Using 4mm needles and M cast on 23(26-29-32-35) sts and work 3 rows in garter st (1st row is wrong side). Making buttonholes to match markers on right side rows throughout as follows: K1, k2tog, yf, knit to end, cont in garter st work *2 rows in A, 4 rows in M, 2 rows in B, 4 rows in M. Rep from * until Front measures 9(10-11-12-13) cms **less** than Back to start of shoulder shaping ending with a wrong side row. Break off A and B and cont in M only.

Shape Front Slope

1st row: K5, sl 1, k1, psso, k to end.

2nd row: K to end.

Work 4 rows. Dec 1 st at front edge as before on next and every foll 6th row until 18(20-22-25-27) sts rem. Work straight until Front measures same as Back to shoulder ending at side edge.

Shape Shoulder

Cast off 4(5-6-7-7) sts at beg of next

and foll alt row. Work 1 row. Cast off 5(5-5-6-8) sts at beg of next row. Cont in M only work 14(16-18-18-20) rows on rem 5 sts. Cast off.

TO FINISH

Press according to instructions on ball band. Join shoulder seams. Sew bands across back neck and join at centre. Fold sleeves in half lengthways and mark centre of cast off edge. Sew sleeve to side edge placing centre at shoulder seam. Join side and sleeve seams reversing lower half of seam on cuffs. Turn back cuffs. Sew on buttons.

WAISTCOAT BACK

Using M work as given for Back of Sweater but cast sts off at end.

LEFT AND RIGHT FRONTS

Work as given for Left and Right Fronts of V-Neck Cardigan.

TO FINISH

Press according to instructions on ball band. Join shoulder seams. Sew bands across back neck and join at centre. Place markers at side edges, 9(10-11-12-13) cms below shoulder seam. Join side seams to markers. Sew on buttons.

HAT

Using 4mm needles cast on 64(71-78-85-92) sts and work in garter st until hat measures 11(12-12-13-13) cms.

Shape Crown

1st row: K1, *k2tog, k5; rep from * to end. 55(61-67-73-79) sts.

2nd and every alt row: K.

3rd row: K1, *k2tog, k4; rep from * to end. 46(51-56-61-66) sts.

5th row: K1, *k2tog, k3; rep from * to end. 37(41-45-49-53) sts.

Cont to dec 9(10-11-12-13) sts in this way on foll 2 alt rows. 19(21-23-25-27) sts rem. K 1 row.

Next row: K1, *k2tog; rep from * to end.

Break yarn, thread through rem 10(11-12-13-14) sts, draw up firmly and fasten off.

TO FINISH

Join back seam reversing seam on lower 5 cms. Turn back brim.

To Fit

Chest sizes	35 14	40 16	45 18	50 20	55 22	cms ins
Finished measurement	40 16	46 18½	52 21	58 23	64 25½	cms ins
Length to shoulder	21 8	24 9½	29 11½	34 13½	38 15	cms ins
Sleeve seam	11 4½	13 5	17 6½	21 8	26 10	cms ins

Materials

Peregrine DK or **Gosling DK** (Machine washable) 100g balls

Sweater

Main Colour (M)	1	1	2	2	2	balls
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Hooded Jacket

Main Colour (M)	1	2	2	3	3	balls
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V-Neck Cardigan

Main Colour (M)	1	1	2	2	2	balls
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Waistcoat

Main Colour (M)	1	1	1	2	2	balls
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Hat

Main Colour (M)	1	1	1	1	1	ball
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Snow Goose All Wool DK (Hand wash only) 50g balls

Sweater

Main Colour (M)	2	3	4	5	6	balls
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Hooded Jacket

Main Colour (M)	3	4	5	7	8	balls
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V-Neck Cardigan

Main Colour (M)	2	3	4	4	5	balls
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Waistcoat

Main Colour (M)	2	2	3	3	4	balls
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Hat

Main Colour (M)	1	1	1	1	1	ball
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Oddment of Contrast Colour (C) for Sweater and Hooded Jacket. Oddments of Contrast Colours A and B for Cardigan and Waistcoat.

Pair needles each size 4mm (UK 8 – USA 6) and 3¼mm (UK 10 – USA 3). 2 buttons for Sweater, 4(4-5-5-5) buttons for Hooded Jacket, 4(4-4-5-5) buttons for Cardigan and Waistcoat.