



3310
12-20"

4 ply



DRESS, CARDIGAN AND BONNET

IMPORTANT. SIRDAR LIMITED CANNOT ACCEPT RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE FINISHED PRODUCT IF ANY YARN OTHER THAN SIRDAR IS USED. IT IS ESSENTIAL TO WORK TO THE STATED TENSION.

Original yarn used
Sirdar Snuggly 4 ply Colour 251 White

Dress To Fit	12 31	14 36	16 41	18 46	20 51	in cm
Actual size	13½ 34	15½ 39	17½ 44	19½ 49	21½ 54	in cm
Full length	11 28	11¾ 30	12½ 32	14¼ 36	15¾ 40	in cm
Sleeve seam	2 5	2 5	2 5	2 5	2 5	in cm

Cardigan To Fit	12 31	14 36	16 41	18 46	20 51	in cm
Actual size	14 35	16 40	18 45	19½ 49	21½ 54	in cm
Full length	6¼ 16	7½ 19	8¼ 21	9½ 24	10½ 27	in cm
Sleeve seam	4¼ 11	4¾ 12	5 13	5½ 14	6¼ 16	in cm

Bonnet Width around face	9 23	10½ 26	11½ 29	in cm
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SIRDAR SNUGGLY 4 ply Qualities

Dress	4	5	5	6	7	20gm balls
Cardigan	3	3	3	4	4	20gm balls
Bonnet			1	1	1	20gm balls

1 Pair No. 3¼mm (10) and No. 2¾mm (12) Knitting Needles.
4[4 : 4 : 5 : 5] Buttons for Dress.
5 Buttons for Cardigan.
Baby Ribbon for Dress and Bonnet.

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

TENSION

The tension for this design is
15 sts and 19 rows to 2 inches (5cm) square over st-st on No. 3¼mm (10) needles.
Check your tension—if less stitches use a finer needle, if more use a coarser needle.

ABBREVIATIONS

Alt alternate, **beg** beginning, **cm** centimetres, **dec** decrease, **inc** increase, **in** inch(es), **k** knit, **p** purl, **psso** pass slipped stitch over, **rep** repeat, **sl** slip, **st(s)** stitch(es), **st-st** stocking stitch (1 row k, 1 row p), **tog** together, **yf** yarn forward.

Slip marker make a slip knot in a short length of contrasting yarn and place on needle where indicated. On the following rows slip the marker from one needle to the other until the pattern is established and the marker is no longer required.

N.B.—For the smallest size read the instructions as given.

For the larger sizes read the figures within the square brackets [].

Figures or instructions in round brackets should be repeated as stated after the brackets.

PATTERN PANEL (Worked across 9 sts between markers)

1st Row (Right Side).—K1, yf, k2, sl 1, k2tog, psso, k2, yf, k1.

2nd and Every Alt Row.—Purl.

3rd Row.—K2, yf, k1, sl 1, k2tog, psso, k1, yf, k2.

5th Row.—K3, yf, sl 1, k2tog, psso, yf, k3.

7th Row.—K1, k2tog, k1, yf, k1, yf, k1, k2tog, k1.

9th Row.—K1, k2tog, yf, k3, yf, k2tog, k1.

11th Row.—K2tog, yf, k5, yf, k2tog.

12th Row.—Purl.

These 12 rows form the Pattern Panel.

DRESS

THE BACK AND FRONT (Worked in one piece to armholes)

Using No. 3¼mm needles cast on 169[193 : 225 : 241 : 265] sts and work 3 rows in garter st (every row knit).

Commence Pattern

1st Row (Right Side).—K1, *yf, k2, sl 1, k2tog, psso, k2, yf, k1; rep from * to end.

2nd and Every Alt Row.—Purl.

3rd Row.—K2, *yf, k1, sl 1, k2tog, psso, k1, yf, k3; rep from * to last 7 sts, yf, k1, sl 1, k2tog, psso, k1, yf, k2.

5th Row.—K3, *yf, sl 1, k2tog, psso, yf, k5; rep from * to last 6 sts, yf, sl 1, k2tog, psso, yf, k3.

7th Row.—K1, k2tog, k1, *yf, k1, yf, k2, sl 1, k2tog, psso, k2; rep from * to last 5 sts, yf, k1, yf, k1, k2tog, k1.

9th Row.—K1, k2tog, *yf, k3, yf, k1, sl 1, k2tog, psso, k1; rep from * to last 6 sts, yf, k3, yf, k2tog, k1.

11th Row.—K2tog, yf, k5, yf, *sl 1, k2tog, psso, yf, k5, yf; rep from * to last 2 sts, k2tog.

12th Row.—Purl.

These 12 rows form the pattern. Continue in pattern until skirt measures $6\frac{3}{4}$ [7 : 8 : 9 : $10\frac{1}{4}$]in or 17[18 : 20 : 23 : 26]cm or $1\frac{1}{4}$ in or 3cm less than required length to armholes ending with a wrong side row.

Next Row (Decrease).—(K1, k2tog), 19[21 : 21 : 27 : 31] times, (k2tog) 30[36 : 52 : 42 : 42] times, (k1, k2tog) 17[19 : 19 : 25 : 29] times. 103[117 : 133 : 147 : 163] sts remain.

Knit 1 row.

Next Row (Eyelets).—K2[3 : 3 : 2 : 2], *yf, k2tog; rep from * to last 1[2 : 2 : 1 : 1] sts, knit to end.

Knit 1 row.

Next Row.—Cast on 3 sts, knit these sts, knit to end, turn and cast on 3 sts. 109[123 : 139 : 153 : 169] sts.

Next Row.—K6, purl to last 6 sts, k6.

Next Row.—Knit.

Rep the last 2 rows once more, then the 1st Row again.

Next Row (Buttonhole).—K3, yf, k2tog, knit to end.

Next Row.—K6, purl to last 6 sts, k6.

Divide for Armholes

Next Row.—K27[29 : 32 : 36 : 39], cast off next 4[6 : 8 : 8 : 10] sts, knit until there are 47[53 : 59 : 65 : 71] sts on right-hand needle after casting off, cast off next 4[6 : 8 : 8 : 10] sts, knit to end.

Next Row.—K6, p21[23 : 26 : 30 : 33], turn and continue on these sts for **The Right Back**.

★ Shape Armhole

Keeping garter st border and st-st correct, dec 1 st at armhole edge on next 3[3 : 3 : 3 : 5] rows, then every alt row until 23[24 : 26 : 29 : 31] sts remain. Work straight until armhole measures $2\frac{3}{4}$ [3 : 3 : $3\frac{1}{2}$: 4]in or 7[8 : 8 : 9 : 10]cm measured straight and ending at armhole edge.

Shape Shoulder

Cast off 5[5 : 6 : 7 : 7] sts at beg of next row and 4[5 : 6 : 6 : 7] sts at beg of following alt row. Work 1 row (omit this row for **The Left Back**). Slip remaining 14[14 : 14 : 16 : 17] sts onto a holder for neckband.

Mark positions on garter st border for 3[3 : 3 : 4 : 4] buttons, the first to match existing buttonhole in left band and allowing for a 4th[4th : 4th : 5th : 5th] to be placed in 3rd row of neckband. Space remainder evenly between.

With wrong side of work facing rejoin yarn to next st, p47[53 : 59 : 65 : 71] sts, turn and continue on these sts for **The Front**.

Shape Armholes

Dec 1 st at each end of next 3[3 : 3 : 3 : 5] rows, then every alt row until 39[43 : 47 : 51 : 55] sts remain. Work straight until front is 12[12 : 14 : 16 : 16] rows shorter than back to start of shoulder shaping, thus ending with a purl row.

Shape Neck

Next Row.—K13[14 : 16 : 18 : 20], k2tog, turn and complete this side first.

★★ Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 2[2 : 2 : 2 : 4] rows, then every alt row until 9[10 : 12 : 13 : 14] sts remain. Work 3[3 : 5 : 5 : 5] rows straight (work 1 row more here for 2nd side), thus ending at armhole edge.

Shape Shoulder

Cast off 5[5 : 6 : 7 : 7] sts at beg of next row. Work 1 row. Cast off remaining 4[5 : 6 : 6 : 7] sts.

Slip next 9[11 : 11 : 11 : 11] sts at centre onto a holder for neckband. With right side of work facing rejoin yarn to next st, k2tog, knit to end.

Complete as given for first side from ★★ to end working 1 row more where indicated.

With wrong side of work facing rejoin yarn to next st, purl to last 6 sts, k6. Continue on these sts for **The Left Back**.

Complete as given for **The Right Back** from ★ to end working 1 row less where indicated and **at the same time** making buttonholes to match markers on right side rows as before.

THE SLEEVES (Both alike)

Using No. 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ mm needles cast on 51[53 : 57 : 59 : 63] 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 3 times more.

Change to No. 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ mm needles and commence pattern:—

1st Row.—K17[18 : 20 : 21 : 23], slip marker, k1, *yf, k2, sl 1, k2tog, pssso, k2, yf, k1, rep from * once more, slip marker, knit to end.

2nd and Every Alt Row.—Purl.

3rd Row.—K17[18 : 20 : 21 : 23], slip marker, k2, *yf, k1, sl 1, k2tog, pssso, k1, yf, k3, rep from * to * once more, k2, slip marker, knit to end.

Continuing to work the 12 rows of pattern as given for **The Back** and **Front** across the 17 sts between markers, and remainder in st-st, work straight until sleeve measures 2in or 5cm or required seam length ending with a purl row.

Shape Top

Keeping pattern correct cast off 2[3 : 4 : 4 : 5] sts at beg of next 2 rows. Dec 1 st at each end of next 5[3 : 3 : 3 : 3] rows, then every alt row until 31[29 : 29 : 29 : 29] sts remain. Dec 1 st at each end of next 3 rows, then cast off 4[3 : 3 : 3 : 3] sts at beg of following 2 rows. Cast off remaining 17 sts.

TO MAKE UP

Press under dry cloth with warm iron. Join shoulder seams.

Neckband With right side of work facing and using No. 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ mm needles, knit across sts on holder at left back neck, pick up and k14[14 : 16 : 18 : 18] sts down left front slope, knit across sts on holder at centre front, pick up and k14[14 : 16 : 18 : 18] sts up right front slope, then knit across sts on holder at right back neck. 65[67 : 71 : 79 : 81] sts. Work 4 rows in garter st making buttonhole as before on 2nd of these rows. Cast off loosely.

Join sleeve seams. Insert sleeves, gathering fullness evenly across sleeve head. Join back seam to start of garter st bands. Sew cast on sts of bands in place. Press seams. Sew on buttons. Thread ribbon through eyelets as illustrated.

CARDIGAN

THE BACK AND FRONTS (Worked in one piece to armholes)

Using No. 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ mm needles cast on 97[113 : 129 : 141 : 157] sts and work k8[8 : 8 : 12 : 12] rows in k1, p1 rib as given for **The Sleeves of Dress**.

Change to No. 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ mm needles and commence pattern:—

1st Row.—K8[9 : 10 : 11 : 12], *slip marker, work 1st Row of Pattern Panel across next 9 sts, slip marker, k12[18 : 24 : 28 : 34], rep from * to * once more, k21[23 : 25 : 27 : 29], rep from * to * once more, k12[18 : 24 : 28 : 34], rep from * to * once more, k8[9 : 10 : 11 : 12].

2nd and Every Alt Row.—Purl.

These 2 rows form the st-st at each side and between pattern panels. Keeping continuity of pattern panels correct on sts between markers, rep the last 2 rows until piece measures 3[4 : $4\frac{3}{4}$: $5\frac{1}{2}$: $6\frac{1}{4}$]in or 8[10 : 12 : 14 : 16]cm or required length to armholes ending with a purl row.

Divide for Armholes

Next Row.—Keeping pattern correct work 22[24 : 27 : 30 : 34] sts, cast off next 2[6 : 8 : 8 : 8] sts, work until there are 49[53 : 59 : 65 : 73] sts on right-hand needle after casting off, cast off next 2[6 : 8 : 8 : 8] sts, work to end.

Work on first 22[24 : 27 : 30 : 34] sts for **The Left Front**.
Purl 1 row.

★ Shape Armhole

Keeping pattern correct dec 1 st at armhole edge on next 3[3 : 3 : 5 : 5] rows, then every alt row until 18[19 : 21 : 23 : 25] sts remain. Work straight until armhole measures 1½[2 : 1½ : 2 : 2½]in or 4[5 : 4 : 5 : 6]cm measured straight and ending with a right side row. (Work 1 row more here for **The Right Front**.)

Shape Neck

Work 3[4 : 4 : 4 : 5] sts, slip these sts onto a safety pin for neckband, work to end.

Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 3 rows, then every alt row until 10[10 : 12 : 13 : 14] sts remain. Work straight until armhole measures 2¾[3 : 3 : 3½ : 4]in or 7[8 : 8 : 9 : 10]cm measured straight and ending at armhole edge.

Shape Shoulder

Cast off 5[5 : 6 : 7 : 7] sts at beg of next row. Work 1 row. Cast off remaining 5[5 : 6 : 6 : 7] sts.

With wrong side of work facing rejoin yarn to next st, p49 [53 : 59 : 65 : 73], turn and continue on these sts for **The Back**.

Shape Armholes

Keeping pattern correct dec 1 st at each end of next 3[3 : 3 : 5 : 5] rows, then every alt row until 41[43 : 47 : 51 : 55] sts remain. Work straight until back measures same as front to shoulder ending with a purl row.

Shape Shoulder

Cast off 5[5 : 6 : 7 : 7] sts at beg of next 2 rows then 5[5 : 6 : 6 : 7] sts at beg of following 2 rows. Slip remaining 21[23 : 23 : 25 : 27] sts onto a holder for neckband.

With wrong side of work facing rejoin yarn to next st and purl to end. Work on these sts for **The Right Front**. Complete as given for **The Left Front** from ★ to end working 1 row more where indicated.

THE SLEEVES (Both alike)

Using No. 2¾mm needles cast on 35[39 : 41 : 45 : 47] sts and work 8[8 : 8 : 12 : 12] rows in k1, p1 rib as given for **The Sleeves of Dress**.

Change to No. 3¼mm needles and commence pattern:—

1st Row.—K13[15 : 16 : 18 : 19], slip marker, work 1st Row of Pattern Panel across next 9 sts, slip marker, k13[15 : 16 : 18 : 19].

2nd and Every Alt Row.—Purl.

Keeping continuity of pattern panel correct on sts between markers, work 2 more rows. Bringing extra sts into st-st, inc 1 st at each end of next and every following 5th[6th : 5th : 5th : 7th] row until there are 45[49 : 53 : 57 : 59] sts. Work straight until sleeve measures 4¼[4¾ : 5 : 5½ : 6¼]in or 11[12 : 13 : 14 : 16]cm or required seam length ending with a purl row.

Shape Top

Keeping pattern correct cast off 1[3 : 4 : 4 : 4] sts at beg of next 2 rows. Dec 1 st at each end of next 3 rows, then every alt row until 35[33 : 33 : 33 : 33] sts remain. Dec 1 st at each end of next 5 rows, then cast off 4[3 : 3 : 3 : 3] sts at beg of following 2 rows. Cast off remaining 17 sts.

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TO MAKE UP

Press under dry cloth with warm iron. Join shoulder seams.

Left Front Band Using No. 2¾mm needles cast on 7 sts and work in k1, p1 rib as given for **The Sleeves of Dress** until band **when slightly stretched** fits up front to start of neck shaping ending with a wrong side row. Break yarn and slip sts onto a safety pin for neckband.

Sew band in place stretching evenly. Mark positions on band for 4 buttons, the first to be ½in or 1cm above cast on edge and allowing for a 5th to be placed in 5th row of neckband. Space remainder evenly between.

Right Front Band Work as given for **Left Front Band** at the same time making buttonholes to match markers on right side rows as follows:—rib 3, yf, k2tog, rib to end. Finish band with a right side row and do not break yarn at end.

Neckband Continuing on from sts of right front band, knit across sts on safety pin at right front neck, pick up and k14[14 : 16 : 18 : 18] sts up right front slope, knit across sts on holder at back neck, pick up and k14[14 : 16 : 18 : 18] sts down left front slope, knit across sts on safety pin at left front neck then rib across sts of left front band. 69[73 : 77 : 83 : 87] sts. Work 7 more rows in rib making buttonhole as before on 4th of these rows. Cast off loosely in rib.

Sew right front band in place. Join sleeve seams. Insert sleeves. Press seams. Sew on buttons.

BONNET

Using No. 3¼mm needles cast on 65[73 : 81] sts and work 3 rows in garter st (every row knit).

Work in pattern as given for **The Back and Front of Dress** until bonnet measures 3½[4¼ : 5]in or 9[11 : 13]cm ending with a right side row.

Next Row.—Knit.

Shape Back

1st Row.—K1, *k2tog, k7[8 : 9]; rep from * to last 10[12 : 14] sts, k2tog, knit to end. 58[66 : 74] sts remain.

2nd and Every Alt Row.—Purl.

3rd Row.—K1, *k2tog, k6[7 : 8]; rep from * to last 9[11 : 13] sts, k2tog, knit to end. 51[59 : 67] sts remain.

5th Row.—K1, *k2tog, k5[6 : 7]; rep from * to last 8[10 : 12] sts, k2tog, knit to end. 44[52 : 60] sts remain.

Continue to dec 7 sts in this way on every alt row until 16 [17 : 18] sts remain ending with the purl row.

Next Row.—K2[1 : 2], *k2tog; rep from * to end.

Break yarn, thread through remaining 9[9 : 10] sts, draw up firmly and fasten off.

TO MAKE UP

Press under dry cloth with warm iron. Join back seam.

Neck Edging Using No. 2¾mm needles and with right side of work facing, pick up and k54[66 : 78] sts evenly around lower edge. Work 4 rows in garter st. Cast off. Sew a length of ribbon to each corner as illustrated.

