

Chunky



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24-32"



Indigo



Design No. C4560

CONGRATULATIONS ON CHOOSING A SIRDAR FASHION DESIGN. NOW YOU SHOULD ENSURE A PERFECT RESULT BY SELECTING THE APPROPRIATE SIRDAR YARN.

CARDIGANS

Original yarn used
Sirdar Country Style Chunky Colours 431, 465

V AND ROUND NECK

To Fit					
24	26	28	30	32	in
61	66	71	76	81	cm
Actual size					
26	28	30	32	34	in
66	71	76	81	86	cm
Full length					
13½	15	17	19	20	in
34	38	43	48	51	cm
Sleeve length (adjustable)					
10½	12½	14½	15½	16½	in
27	32	37	39	42	cm

Country Style Chunky 50gm balls
5 6 7 8 9

Gemini Flambo Brushed Chunky 100gm balls
2 3 3 4 4

Gemini Gemstone Brushed Chunky 100gm balls
2 3 3 4 4

Gemini Brushed Chunky 100gm balls
2 3 3 4 4

1 Pair No. 6½mm (UK 3—USA 10) and No. 5½mm (UK 5—USA 8) Knitting Needles or the size required to give the correct tension.

4 Buttons for V Neck.

6 Buttons for Round Neck.

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

CHECK YOUR TENSION

The tension for this design is 14 stitches in width and 19 rows to 4 inches (10cm).

If you have fewer stitches than this use a thinner needle.

If you have more stitches than this use a thicker needle.

It is essential to work to the stated tension.

ABBREVIATIONS

K knit, **p** purl, **s1** slip one stitch knitways, **s2** slip two stitches knitways, **st(s)** stitch(es), **st-st** stocking stitch (1 row knit, 1 row purl), **beg** beginning, **rep** repeat, **rem** remaining, **fol** following, **alt** alternate, **psso** pass slipped stitch over, **p2sso** pass two slipped stitches over, **yfwd** yarn forward, **patt** pattern, **cont** continue, **tog** together, **inc** increase(ing), **dec** decreasing, **in** inch(es), **cm** centimetres, **mm** millimetres.

U.S.A. GLOSSARY

Cast off—bind off

Tension—gauge

Work straight—work even

Yarn forward—yarn over

After casting off stitches for shaping, one stitch will remain on the right hand needle which is not included in the instructions that follow.

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

For the larger sizes read the figures within the brackets.

As the shapings (may) differ for the various sizes follow the headings for the size required.

The back — V and Round Neck

Remember to check your tension.

Using No. 5½mm needles cast on 45 [49 : 53 : 57 : 59] sts.

1st Row.—S1, k1, * p1, k1, rep from * to last st, k1.

2nd Row.—S1, * p1, k1, rep from * to end.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows 5 [5 : 5 : 7 : 7] times.

Change to No. 6½mm needles and proceed in st-st until work measures 13½ [15 : 17 : 19 : 20] in or 34 [38 : 43 : 48 : 51] cm, ending on wrong side.

Shape Shoulders

Cast off 7 [8 : 9 : 10 : 10] sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Cast off 8 [9 : 10 : 10 : 11] sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Cast off rem 15 [15 : 15 : 17 : 17] sts.

The sleeves — V and Round Neck

(Both alike)

Remember to check your tension.

Using No. 5½mm needles cast on 25 [29 : 29 : 29 : 33] sts.

1st Row.—S1, k1, * p1, k1, rep from * to last st, k1.

2nd Row.—S1, * p1, k1, rep from * to end.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows 4 [4 : 4 : 6 : 6] times then 1st row once.

Next Row.—S1, (p1, k1) 1 [2 : 2 : 2 : 3] times, p1, inc once in next st, * p1, k1, p1, inc once in next st, rep from * to last 4 [6 : 6 : 6 : 8] sts, (p1, k1) 2 [3 : 3 : 3 : 4] times. 30 [34 : 34 : 34 : 38] sts.

Change to No. 6½mm needles and proceed in st-st inc once at each end of 3rd and every foll 8th [12th : 16th : 8th : 16th] row to 38 [42 : 42 : 40 : 46] sts.

30in or 76cm only

Inc once at each end of every foll 10th row to 46 sts.

For all 5 sizes

Cont without shaping until work measures 10½ [12½ : 14½ : 15½ : 16½] in or 27 [32 : 37 : 39 : 42] cm, or length required, ending on wrong side.

Shape Top

Cast off 7 [8 : 8 : 9 : 9] sts at beg of next 4 rows.

Cast off rem 10 sts.

The left front — V Neck

Remember to check your tension.

Using No. 5½mm needles cast on 19 [21 : 23 : 25 : 27] sts.

1st Row.—S1, k1, * p1, k1, rep from * to last st, k1.

2nd Row.—S1, * p1, k1, rep from * to end.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows 5 [5 : 5 : 7 : 7] times inc once at end of last row for 24, 26, 28, 30in or 61, 66, 71, 76cm only. 20 [22 : 24 : 26 : 27] sts.

Change to No. 6½mm needles and proceed as follows:—

1st Row.—S1, k11 [13 : 15 : 17 : 18], k2tog, yfwd, k1, yfwd, s1, k1, psso, k3.

2nd and Every Alt Row.—S1, purl to last st, k1.

3rd Row.—S1, k10 [12 : 14 : 16 : 17], k2tog, yfwd, k3, yfwd, s1, k1, psso, k2.

5th Row.—S1, k10 [12 : 14 : 16 : 17], yfwd, s1, k1, psso, yfwd, s2, k1, p2sso, yfwd, k2tog, yfwd, k2.

7th Row.—S1, k12 [14 : 16 : 18 : 19], yfwd, s2, k1, p2sso, yfwd, k4.

8th Row.—S1, purl to last st, k1.

From 1st to 8th row (inclusive) forms patt. **

Keeping continuity of patt (throughout) cont until work measures 7½ [8½ : 10½ : 12 : 13] in or 19 [22 : 27 : 30 : 33] cm, ending on wrong side.

Shape Front

Next Row.—S1, k7 [9 : 11 : 13 : 14], k2tog, patt 9 sts, k1.

Next Row.—S1, purl to last st, k1.

Work 16 [16 : 16 : 20 : 20] rows dec once (as before, leaving 10 sts at end free for patt) in 3rd and every foll 4th row. 15 [17 : 19 : 20 : 21] sts.

Cont without shaping until work measures same as The Back, ending on wrong side.

Shape Shoulder

1st Row.—Cast off 7 [8 : 9 : 10 : 10] sts in patt, patt to last st, k1.

2nd Row.—S1, purl to end.

Cast off rem 8 [9 : 10 : 10 : 11] sts in patt.

The right front — V Neck

Remember to check your tension.

Using No. 5½mm needles cast on 19 [21 : 23 : 25 : 27] sts.

1st Row.—S1, k1, * p1, k1, rep from * to last st, k1.

2nd Row.—S1, * p1, k1, rep from * to end.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows 5 [5 : 5 : 7 : 7]
times inc once at beg of last row for 24,
26, 28, 30 in or 61, 66, 71, 76 cm only.
20 [22 : 24 : 26 : 27] sts.

Change to No. 6½mm needles and
proceed as follows:—

1st Row.—S1, k2, k2tog, yfwd, k1,
yfwd, s1, k1, pssso, k12 [14 : 16 : 18 : 19].

2nd and Every Alt Row.—S1, purl to
last st, k1.

3rd Row.—S1, k1, k2tog, yfwd, k3,
yfwd, s1, k1, pssso, k11 [13 : 15 : 17 : 18].

5th Row.—S1, k1, yfwd, s1, k1, pssso,
yfwd, s2, k1, p2sso, yfwd, k2tog, yfwd,
k11 [13 : 15 : 17 : 18].

7th Row.—S1, k3, yfwd, s2, k1, p2sso,
yfwd, k13 [15 : 17 : 19 : 20].

8th Row.—S1, purl to last st, k1.

From 1st to 8th row (inclusive) forms
patt.***

Keeping continuity of patt (throughout)
cont until work measures 7½ [8½ :
10½ : 12 : 13] in or 19 [22 : 27 : 30 : 33]
cm, ending on wrong side.

Shape Front

Next Row.—S1, patt 9 sts, s1, k1, pssso,
k8 [10 : 12 : 14 : 15].

Next Row.—S1, purl to last st, k1.
Work 16 [16 : 16 : 20 : 20] rows dec once
(as before, leaving 10 sts at beg free for
patt) in 3rd and every foll 4th row.
15 [17 : 19 : 20 : 21] sts.

Cont without shaping until work
measures same as The Back, ending on
right side.

Shape Shoulder

1st Row.—Cast off 7 [8 : 9 : 10 : 10] sts
purlways, purl to last st, k1.

2nd Row.—S1, patt to end.
Cast off rem 8 [9 : 10 : 10 : 11] sts
purlways.

The left front — Round Neck

Remember to check your tension.

Work exactly as given for The Left Front
— V Neck until ** is reached.

Keeping continuity of patt (throughout)
cont until work measures 11 [12½ :
14½ : 16½ : 17½] in or 28 [32 : 37 : 42 :
44] cm, ending on wrong side.

Shape Neck

Next Row.—S1, patt to last 2 sts, k2tog.

Next Row.—K2tog, purl to last st, k1.
Work 3 [3 : 3 : 4 : 4] rows dec once at
neck edge in every row. 15 [17 : 19 : 20 :
21] sts.

Cont without shaping until work
measures same as The Back, ending on
wrong side.

Shape Shoulder

1st Row.—Cast off 7 [8 : 9 : 10 : 10] sts
in patt, patt to last st, k1.

2nd Row.—S1, purl to end.
Cast off rem 8 [9 : 10 : 10 : 11] sts in patt.

The right front — Round Neck

Remember to check your tension.

Work exactly as given for The Right
Front — V Neck until *** is reached.

Keeping continuity of patt (throughout)
cont until work measures 11 [12½ :
14½ : 16½ : 17½] in or 28 [32 : 37 : 42 :
44] cm, ending on wrong side.

Shape Neck

Next Row.—K2tog, patt to last st, k1.

Next Row.—S1, purl to last 2 sts,
k2tog.

Work 3 [3 : 3 : 4 : 4] rows dec once at
neck edge in every row. 15 [17 : 19 : 20 :
21] sts.

Cont without shaping until work
measures same as The Back, ending on
right side.

Shape Shoulder

1st Row.—Cast off 7 [8 : 9 : 10 : 10] sts
purlways, purl to last st, k1.

2nd Row.—S1, patt to end.
Cast off rem 8 [9 : 10 : 10 : 11] sts
purlways.

To make up — V and Round Neck

Read Pressing Instructions. Sew up
shoulder seams. Sew up side seams
leaving 5½ [6 : 6 : 6½ : 6½] in or 14 [15 :
15 : 17 : 17] cm free to form armholes.
Sew up sleeve seams. Sew in sleeves.

The right front border — V Neck

Using No. 5½mm needles cast on 7 sts.

1st Row.—S1, (k1, p1) twice, k2.

2nd Row.—S1, (p1, k1) 3 times.

3rd Row.—S1, k1, p1, cast off 2 sts, k1.

4th Row.—S1, p1, cast on 2 sts, k1, p1,
k1.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows 4 [5 : 7 : 8 : 9]
times.****

Rep from **** to **** twice, 3rd and
4th rows once then 1st and 2nd rows
until border is of sufficient length to go
up front and halfway across back of
neck, ending with 2nd row.

Cast off in rib.

The left front border — V Neck

Work exactly as given for The Right
Front Border — V Neck omitting
buttonholes.

To complete — V Neck

Sew ends of borders together. Placing
seam to centre back of neck sew Front
Borders in position. Sew on buttons.
Brush Gemini lightly on completion.

The right front border — Round Neck

Using No. 5½mm needles cast on 7 sts.

1st Row.—S1, (k1, p1) twice, k2.

2nd Row.—S1, (p1, k1) 3 times.

3rd Row.—S1, k1, p1, cast off 2 sts, k1.

4th Row.—S1, p1, cast on 2 sts, k1, p1,
k1.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows 4 [5 : 6 : 7 : 8]
times.*****

Rep from ***** to ***** 3 times, 3rd
and 4th rows once then 1st and 2nd
rows 3 [4 : 5 : 6 : 7] times.

Do not break off yarn, leave these sts on
a thread.

The left front border — Round Neck

Work exactly as given for The Right
Front Border — Round Neck omitting
buttonholes.

Break off yarn, leave these sts on a
thread.

The neckband — Round Neck

With right side facing, using No. 5½mm
needles and commencing at Right Front
Border work across 7 sts left on a thread
as follows:—S1, (k1, p1) 3 times, pick
up and knit 12 sts evenly along right
side of neck, 15 [15 : 15 : 17 : 17] sts from
cast off sts at back of neck, 12 sts evenly
along left side of neck and work across
7 sts of Left Front Border left on a thread
as follows:—(p1, k1) 3 times, k1. 53 [53 :
53 : 55 : 55] sts.

1st Row.—S1, * p1, k1, rep from * to
end.

2nd Row.—S1, k1, p1, cast off 2 sts, *
p1, k1, rep from * to last st, k1.

3rd Row.—S1, p1, * k1, p1, rep from *
to last 3 sts, cast on 2 sts, k1, p1, k1.

4th Row.—S1, k1, * p1, k1, rep from *
to last st, k1.

5th Row.—S1, * p1, k1, rep from * to
end.

Cast off in rib.

To complete — Round Neck

Sew Front Borders in position. Sew on
buttons. Brush Gemini lightly on
completion.