

Millie Cardigan from *Vintage Crochet*
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British Version

Materials

Twelve (fourteen, fifteen, sixteen) 50g balls Debbie Bliss Cashmerino Aran, shade
012 Dusky Pink
4mm crochet hook
4.25mm crochet hook
Three strips of fabric, each approximately 115cm (11/4yds) long and 1.5cm (5/8in)
wide
Tapestry needle
Stitch marker

Measurements

To fit four sizes: S (M, L, XL).
Bust measurement: 97 (102, 112, 122)cm/38 (40, 44, 48)in.
Length: 43 (43, 44, 44)cm/17 (17, 17 1/2, 17 1/2)in.
Sleeve length: 43 (43, 44, 44)cm/17 (17, 17 1/2, 17 1/2)in.

Note

Instructions for larger sizes are given in parentheses. Where there is only one figure, it applies to all sizes.

Tension

16 sts and 19 rows = 10cm (4in) in body pattern stitch using a 4.25mm crochet hook.

Abbreviations

See page 120.

Yoke

Using smaller hook, ch 71.

Row 1 (RS): Tr in 4th ch from hook, tr in each ch across to end, turn (68 sts).

Row 2: Ch 3 (counts as first tr), (tr in next tr, 2 tr in next tr, tr in next tr) 22 times, tr in next tr, turn (90 sts).

Row 3: Ch 3, tr in each tr across to end, turn (90 sts).

Row 4: Ch 3, (1 tr in next tr, 2 tr in next tr, tr in next 2 tr) 22 times, tr in last tr, turn (112 sts).

Row 5: Repeat row 3 (112 sts).

Row 6: Ch 3, (tr in next 2 tr, 2 tr in next tr, tr in next 2 tr) 22 times, tr in next tr, turn (134 sts).

Row 7: Repeat row 3 (134 sts).

Row 8: Ch 3, (tr in next 3 tr, 2 tr in next tr, tr in next 2 tr) 22 times, tr in next tr, turn (156 sts).

Row 9: Repeat row 3 (156 sts).

DIVIDE YOKE (see below) for sizes S and M here, after completing Row 9.

Row 10: Ch 3, (tr in next 3 tr, 2 tr in next tr, tr in next 3 tr) 22 times (178 sts).

Row 11: Ch 3, tr in same st, tr in each st to last st, 2tr in last st, turn (180 sts).

DIVIDE YOKE (see below) for sizes X and XL here, after completing Row 11.

DIVIDE YOKE

For left front: Place marker at st 22 (22, 26, 26) from edge.

For left sleeve: Place marker at st 34 (34, 38, 38) from edge of left front (in other words, start counting from last st of left front, or at st 23 from edge).

For back: Place marker at st 44 (44, 52, 52) from edge of left sleeve.

For right sleeve: Place marker at st 34 (34, 38, 38) counted from edge of back piece.

For right front: You should have 22 (22, 26, 26) sts (including 1st ch-3, which counted as 1st dc).

Left front

Row 1: With larger hook, ch 1, miss first tr, 2 dc in next tr, (miss next tr, 2 dc in next tr) 10 (10, 12, 12) times more, dc again in last st (inc made), turn [23 (23, 27, 27) sts].

Row 2: Ch 1, 2 dc in 1st dc (inc made), (miss next dc, 2 dc in next dc) 11(11, 13, 13) times, turn [24 (24, 28, 28) sts].

Repeat rows 1–2 seven (8, 8, 10) times more [38 (40, 44, 48) sts].

Continue straight for 46 (46, 48, 48) rows more until left front measures 33 (34, 36, 37)cm/13 (13 $\frac{1}{2}$, 14, 14 $\frac{1}{2}$)in from bottom of yoke (not neckline).

Left sleeve

Row 1: With larger hook, attach yarn with sl st in next st over from edge of left front.

Ch 1, dc in same dc as ch-1, 2 dc in next dc (inc made), (miss next dc, 2 dc in next dc) 16 (16, 18, 18) times, dc again in last dc (inc made), turn [36 (36, 40, 40) sts].

Row 2: Ch 1, 2 dc in first dc, (miss next dc, 2 dc in next dc) 17 (17, 19, 19) times, 2 dc in last dc, turn [38 (38, 42, 42) sts].

Repeat rows 1–2 seven (8, 8, 10) times more [66 (70, 74, 82) sts].

Continue straight for 46 (46, 48, 48) rows more until sleeve measures 33 (34, 36, 37)cm/13 (13 $\frac{1}{2}$, 14, 14 $\frac{1}{2}$)in from bottom of yoke (not neckline).

Back

Row 1: With larger hook, attach yarn with sl st in next st over from edge of left sleeve. Ch 1, dc in same dc as ch-1, 2 dc in next dc (inc made), (miss next dc, 2 dc in next dc) 21 (21, 25, 25) times, dc again in last dc (inc made), turn [46 (46, 54, 54) sts].

Row 2: Ch 1, 2 dc in first dc, (miss next dc, 2 dc in next dc) 22 (22, 26, 26) times, 2 dc in last dc, turn [48 (48, 56, 56) sts].

Repeat rows 1–2 seven (8, 8, 10) times more [76 (80, 88, 96) sts].

Continue straight for 46 (46, 48, 48) rows more until back measures 33 (34, 36, 37)cm/13 (13 $\frac{1}{2}$, 14, 14 $\frac{1}{2}$)in from bottom of yoke (not neckline).

Right sleeve

Row 1: With larger hook, attach yarn with sl st in next st over from edge of back.

Work as for left sleeve.

Right Front

Row 1: With larger hook, attach yarn with sl st in next st over from edge of right sleeve. Work as for left front, reversing shaping.

To elaborate here, since some people have had trouble figuring out how to reverse the shaping:

Row 1: Ch 1, dc in 1st tr (inc made), 2 dc in next tr; (sk next dc, 2dc in next dc) 10 (10, 12, 12) times more; turn . 23 (23, 27, 27) sts.

Row 2: Ch 1, sk first tr, 2dc in next tr, (sk next tr, 2dc in next tr) 11 (11, 13, 13) times more (inc made); turn. 24 (24, 28, 28) sts.

Repeat rows 1 and 2 7 (8, 8, 10) more times. 38 (40, 44, 48) sts.

Finishing

Sew sleeves to fronts and back. Sew up sides, and then underarms. With RS facing, join yarn at left side seam. Dc in bottom loop of each dc across back and right front. Make 3 dc in last stitch of right front to turn corner. Dc evenly up right front and yoke, and in each loop of trs around neck opening. Make 3 dc in last stitch of neck to turn corner down yoke. DC down edge of yoke and left front, making 3 dc around corner of left front, and continue across bottom of left front. Join with sl st into first dc. Fasten off.

Weave in all ends and block lightly (see page 137). Weave fabric strips through trs around yoke where comfortable, and tie in a bow to close.