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MEASUREMENTS

To fit bust 81-86 92-97 102-107 112-117 cm 32-34 36-38 40-42 44-46 in

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Bust

92 102 112 122 cm 36 40 44½ 48 in Length to shoulder 49 51 53 55 cm

19¹⁄₄ 20 21 21³⁄₄ in

Sleeve length

45 46 47 48 cm 17¾ 18 18½ 19 in

MATERIALS

11(12:13:14) 50g balls of Debbie Bliss baby cashmerino Mauve 013. Pair 3¼mm (US 3) knitting needles.

TENSION

25 sts and 34 rows to 10cm/4in square over st st using 3¼mm (US 3) needles.

ABBREVIATIONS

alt = alternate; beg = beginning; cm = centimetres; cont = continue; dec = decrease; foll = following; inc = increase; k = knit; kfb = k into front and back of next st; m1 = make one st by picking up and working into back of loop lying between st just worked and next st; p = purl; patt = pattern; pfb = purl into front and back of next st; rem = remaining; rep = repeat; skpo = sl 1, k1, pass slipped st over; sl = slip; ssk = [slip 1] twice, insert tip of left hand needle from left to right through the fronts of both slipped sts and work 2 tog; st(s) = stitch(es); st st =stocking stitch; tbl = through back loop; tog = together; yf = yarn forward; yo = yarn over needle; yrn = yarn round needle; y2rn = yarn round needle twice.

BACK

With 3¼mm (US 3) needles, cast on 117(129:143:155) sts. **Moss st row** K1, [p1, k1] to end. Rep this row 5 times more. Beg with a k row, work in st st. Cont straight until back measures 32(33:34:35)cm/12½ (13:13¹/₂:13³/₄) in from cast on edge, ending with a p row. Shape armholes Cast off 5(6:7:8) sts at beg of next 2 rows. 107(117:129:139) sts. Next row K2, skpo, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2. Work 3 rows. Rep the last 4 rows 3(4:5:6) times more. 99(107:117:125) sts. Cont straight until back measures 49(51:53:55) cm/19¼(20:21:21¾)in from cast on edge, ending with a p row. Shape shoulders Cast off 6(7:9:10) sts at beg of next 4 rows and 5(7:7:9) sts at beg of foll 2 rows. 65(65:67:67) sts. Cast off rem sts for back neck. Place a marker on the centre stitch of the cast off edge of back neck. LEFT FRONT With 3¼mm (US 3) needles, cast on 89(97:103:111) sts. Moss st row P1, [k1, p1] to end.

Rep this row 5 times more.

Next row (right side) K to last 5 sts, [p1, k1] twice, p1.

Next row [P1, k1] twice, p to end.

These 2 rows **form** st st with moss st front edge. Rep the last 2 rows until front measures same as Back to armhole, ending with a wrong side row.

Shape armhole

Cast off 5(6:7:8) sts at beg of next row. 84(91:96:103) sts.

Work 1 row.

Next row K2, skpo, k to last 5 sts, [p1, k1] twice, p1.

Work 3 rows.

Rep the last 4 rows 3(4:5:6) times more.

80(86:90:96) sts.

Cont straight in patt until front measures same as Back to shoulder, ending with a wrong side row.

Shape shoulder

Cast off 6(7:9:10) sts at beg of next row and foll right side row. Work 1 row.

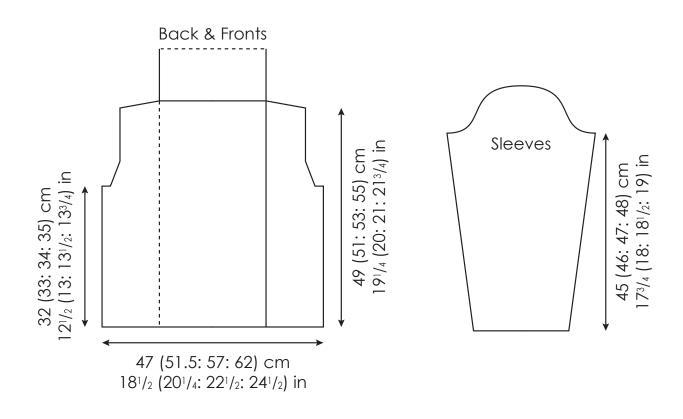
Next row Cast off 5(7:7:9) sts, patt to end.

63(65:65:67) sts.

Cont straight for collar extension on rem sts and work a further 13(13:14:14)cm/

 $5(5:5\frac{1}{2}:5\frac{1}{2})$ in in st st with moss st edge, ending with a right side row.

Leave sts on a holder and a length of yarn, approximately $2m/2^{1\!\!/}_{\!\!/_{\!\!/}} yd$ long.



RIGHT FRONT

With 3¼mm (US 3) needles, cast on 89(97:103:111) sts.

Moss st row P1, [k1, p1] to end.

Rep this row 5 times more.

Next row (right side) P1, [k1, p1] twice, k to end.

Next row P to last 4 sts, [k1, p1] twice.

These 2 rows form st st with moss st front edge.

Rep the last 2 rows until front measures same as Back to armhole, ending with a right side row.

Shape armhole

Cast off 5(6:7:8) sts at beg of next row. 84(91:96:103) sts.

Next row (right side) P1, [k1, p1] twice, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.

Work 3 rows.

Rep the last 4 rows 3(4:5:6) times more. 80(86:90:96) sts.

Cont straight in patt until front measures same as Back to shoulder, ending with a right side row.

Shape shoulder

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Cast off 6(7:9:10) sts at beg of next row and foll wrong side row.

Work 1 row. Next row Cast off 5(7:7:9) sts, patt to end. 63(65:65:67) sts. Cont straight for collar extension on rem sts and work a further 13(13:14:14)cm/ 5(5:5½:5½)in in st st with moss st edge, ending with a right side row. Leave sts on a holder.

SLEEVES

With 3¼mm (US 3) needles, cast on 51(53:55:57) sts. Moss st row K1, [p1, k1] to end. Rep this row 5 times more. Beg with a k row work in st st. Work 10(10:8:8) rows. Inc row (right side) K2, m1, k to last 2 sts, m1, k2. Work 7 rows. Rep the last 8 rows 14(15:16:17) times more and the inc row once again. 83(87:91:95) sts. Work a further 15(11:9:5) rows, so ending with a p row. Shape sleeve top Cast off 5(6:7:8) sts at beg of next 2 rows. 73(75:77:79) sts. Next row K2, skpo, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2. P1 row. Rep the last 2 rows 14(15:16:17) times more. Cast off 6 sts at beg of next 4 rows. Cast off rem 19 sts.

TO MAKE UP

Join shoulder seams. Slip sts from left and right front holders onto separate 31/4mm

(US 3) needles, with the points facing the front (moss st) edges. With wrong sides facing each other, holding the two needles side by side and using the $2m/2\frac{1}{8}$ yd length of yarn, cast off the sts from both needles together, so forming the back collar seam. Sew row ends of collar to back neck edge with seam centered at marker. Join side and sleeve seams. Sew sleeves into armholes, easing to fit.