



How To Knit This Man's CARDIGAN

Materials required: 13oz. 4 ply Mixture Ramada Knitting Wool, shade R.M.162. 2oz. 4 ply Ramada Knitting Wool, shade 2000 (grey). Alternate shades: R.M.157 (brown mixture) and 2107 (Hallowe'en brown). 6 buttons. Ramada pins: 1 pair each No. 10 and 11. American pins: 1 pair each No. 4 and 2. Measurements: Round body, when fastened, 42/44 inches. Length from shoulder, 26 inches. Sleeve seams, 20½ inches.

Tension: 7 sts. to 1 inch. 9 rows to 1 inch in stocking stitch before pressing. Abbreviations: K.—knit. P.—purl. st.—stitch. tog.—together.

BACK.

With No. 11 pins and plain wool, cast on 147 sts. Garter st. 16 rows for the border.

Change to No. 10 pins and mixture wool for remainder of back.

P. 1 row.

K. 12 * P. 3. K. 12 * repeat * to * to end of row.

P. 1 row.

Repeat the last 2 rows until work measures 17½ inches, including the border.

Commence armhole decreaseings, still working in pattern.

Cast off 4 sts. at the beginning of the next 2 rows.

Take 2 tog. at each end of the next 6 rows.

K. 1 row in pattern.

P. 2 tog. at each end of P. row.

Repeat the last 2 rows 4 times, leaving 117 sts.

Work 5½ inches on these 117 sts.

Work should measure 25½ inches from bottom, including border.

Shoulders:—Cast off 9 sts. at the beginning of the next 8 rows.

Cast off the remaining 45 sts. for the neck.

K. 8, P. 3, K. 12, P. 3, K. 12.

P. 1 row.

Repeat the last 2 rows until 4½ inches are worked, ending on a P. row.

Place the sts. on a spare pin.

Using No. 11 pins and plain wool, cast on 81 sts.

Garter st. 16 rows.

Change to mixture wool and No. 10 pins for remainder of front.

P. 1 row.

* K. 12, P. 3 * repeat * to * to last 6 sts., K. 6.

P. 1 row.

Repeat the last 2 rows until 4½ inches are worked in mixture wool.

Work pocket border:—K. 12, P. 3, K. 4, join plain wool and using No. 11 pins, K. 38 sts., turn.

Garter st. 12 rows on these 38 sts., using No. 11 pins.

Cast off the 38 sts. not too tightly.

Place the pocket lining in the space of the 38 sts. and on the No. 10 pin with the 19 sts. knitted in pattern, K. the lining sts. as follow:—K. 8, P. 3, K. 12, P. 3, K. 12 on the

remaining 24 sts. of front, P. 3, K. 12, P. 3, K. 6.

P. 81 sts.

* K. 12, P. 3 * repeat * to * to last 6 sts., K. 6.

LEFT FRONT.

First make the pocket lining.

Using No. 10 pins, and mixture wool, cast on 38 sts.

P. 1 row.

Repeat the last 2 rows until work measures 16½ inches, including border. Commence neck decreaseings on P. row.

P. 2 tog., P. to end of row.

Work 2 rows.

K. 2 tog. at end of K. row.

Continue in pattern, decreasing on front edge each 3rd row until work measures 17½ inches from bottom, including border.

Commence armhole decreaseings on K. row, decreasing on front edge every 3rd row to the shoulder.

Cast off 4 sts., K. in pattern to end.

P. 1 row.

Take 2 tog. at armhole end in the next 6 rows.

K. 1 row in pattern.

P. 2 tog. at armhole end of row.

Repeat the last 2 rows 4 times, still decreasing on front edge.

Work in pattern, decreasing on front edge only until 36 sts. remain, ending on a P. row.

Sts. until 16½ inches are worked from bottom, including the border.

Decrease for neck at the end of next P. row, then continue as left front, but cast off the 4 armhole sts. at the beginning of a P. row, also the shoulder sts. on P. rows.

SLEEVES (Both alike).

With No. 11 pins and plain wool, cast on 61 sts.

Garter st. 16 rows.

Change to No. 10 pins and mixture wool for remainder of sleeve.

P. 1 row.

P. 2, K. 12 * P. 3, K. 12 * repeat * to * to last 2 sts., P. 2.

P. 1 row.

Front should measure 25½ inches, including border.

Cast off the 9 sts. at the beginning of every K. row 4 times.

End off wool.

RIGHT FRONT.

Pocket lining. With mixture wool and No. 10 pins, cast on 38 sts.

P. 1 row.

K. 12, P. 3, K. 12, P. 3, K. 8.

P. 1 row.

Repeat the last 2 rows for 4½ inches. Place sts. on spare pin.

With No. 11 pins, and plain wool, cast on 81 sts.

Garter st. 16 rows.

Change to No. 10 pins and mixture wool for remainder of front.

P. 1 row.

K. 6 * P. 3, K. 12 * repeat * to * to end of row.

P. 1 row.

Repeat the last 2 rows until 4½ inches are worked in mixture wool.

Pocket border:—K. row, K. 6, P. 3, K. 12, P. 3, join plain wool and with No. 11 pins, K. 38 sts., turn.

Repeat the last 2 rows 3 times.

Increase 1 st. at each end of next row.

Work 7 rows.

Repeat the last 8 rows, working the increase sts. into the pattern until there are 100 sts.

Work 3 rows after the last increase row.

Sleeve should measure 20½ inches (before pressing).

Shape the top by taking 2 tog. at each end of every row until 29 sts. remain.

Cast off all the sts., taking the first 2 tog. and last 2 tog.

BORDER FOR FRONTS AND ROUND NECK.

This is worked in garter st. Using the No. 11 pins, and plain wool, cast on 12 sts.

Garter st. 2 inches, make buttonhole.

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