

## Pattern 142007 Irish Tweed

### Ladies' Cardigan

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The first size is given before brackets. All other sizes follow within brackets, separated by a colon. Where only one number is given, this applies to all sizes. Where the figure 0 appears, no sts or rows are worked for this size. After casting off, one stitch will remain on the right hand needle that is included in the instructions that follow.

### MEASUREMENTS

Dress size	8 - 10	12 - 14	16 - 18	20 - 22
To Fit Bust	81-86 cm 32-34 in	91-97 cm 36-38 in	102 – 107 cm 40 – 42 in	112 - 117 cm 44 - 46 in
Actual Measurement	124 cm 49 in	132 cm 52 in	141 cm 55.5 in	148 cm 58.5 in
Length [approximately]	68 cm 26.75 in	69 cm 27 in	70 cm 27.5 in	71 cm 28 in

### NEEDLES

One pair 4.5 and 5 mm [UK 7 and 6 – US 7 and 8] knitting needles. one cable needle.

### TENSION

21 sts of Cable 1 to approx. 10.5 cm, 4.25 in, 19 sts of Cable 2 to approx. 9 cm, 3.5 in; both on 5 mm needles or the size required to give the correct tension.

Check your tension – if less stitches use thinner needles, if more use thicker needles.

### MATERIALS

Quality	Colour	8 – 10	12 – 14	16 – 18	20 – 22
<b>Irish Tweed</b> 70% Wool, 30% Mohair RL = approx. 110 m/ 50 g	09 green	650 g 13 balls	700 g 14 balls	750 g 15 balls	800 g 16 balls

It is essential to work to the stated tension to achieve the correct size of garment.

### Abbreviations

**alt** alternate

**beg** beginning

**cm** centimetre[s]

**cn** cable needle

**cont** continue

**dec** decrease[ing]

**foll** following [s]

**g** grammes

**in** inch[es]

**inc** increase[ing]

**k** knit

**m** metre[s]

**meas** measures

**mm** millimetre[s]

**p** purl

**patt** pattern

**rem** remain[ing]

**rep** repeat

**RH** right-hand

**RS** right side

**st[s]** stitch[es]

**St-st** stocking stitch

**tog** together

**WS** wrong side

### Patt 1

#### K2, P2 Rib

**Row 1 (RS):** \*k2, p2; rep from \* to end.

**Row 2:** Work the sts as they appear.

Rep rows 1 and 2 throughout.

### Patt 2

#### Cable Patt for Back (over 78 sts)

If working from the chart, note that only RS rows of chart are shown. Work WS rows as they appear.

**Row 1 (RS):** k2, p2, C4F (sl 2 sts to cn and hold to front of work, k2, k2 from cn), k4, C4B (sl 2 sts to cn and hold to back of work, k2, k2 from cn), p5, k2, p2, k10, p3, k2, p3, k10, p2, k2, p5, C4F, k4, C4B, p2, k2.

**Rows 2, 4 and 6:** Work the sts as they appear.

**Row 3:** k2, p2, k2, C4F, C4B, k2, p5, k2, p2, k10, p3, k2, p3, k10, p2, k2, p5, k2, C4F, C4B, k2, p2, k2.

**Row 5:** k2, p2, k4, C4F, k4, p5, k2, p2, C5B (sl 3 sts to cn and hold to back, k2, k3 from cn), C5F (sl 2 sts to cn and hold to front, k3, k2 from cn), p3, k2, p3, C5B, C5F, p2, k2, p5, k4, C4F, k4, p2, k2.

Rep rows 1 - 6 throughout.



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## Patt 3 (over 61 sts)

### Cable Patt for Left Front

If working from the chart, note that only RS rows of chart are shown. Work WS rows as they appear.

**Row 1 (RS):** k2, p2, C4F, k4, C4B, p5, k2, p2, k10, p5, k2, p2, C4F, k4, C4B, p5.

**Rows 2, 4 and 6:** Work the sts as they appear.

**Row 3:** k2, p2, k2, C4F, C4B, k2, p5, k2, p2, k10, p5, k2, p2, k2, C4F, C4B, k2, p5.

**Row 5:** k2, p2, k4, C4F, k4, p5, k2, p2, C5B, C5F, p5, k2, p2, k4, C4F, k4, p5.

Rep rows 1 - 6 throughout.

## Patt 4

### Cable Patt for Right Front

If working from the chart, note that only RS rows of chart are shown. Work WS rows as they appear.

**Row 1 (RS):** p5, C4F, k4, C4B, p2, k2 (21 sts Cable 1), p5, k10, p2, k2 (19 sts Cable 2), p5, C4F, k4, C4B, p2, k2.

**Rows 2, 4 and 6:** Work the sts as they appear.

**Row 3:** p5, k2, C4F, C4B, k2, p2, k2, p5, k10, p2, k2, p5, k2, C4F, C4B, k2, p2, k2.

**Row 5:** p5, k4, C4F, k4, p2, k2, p5, C5B, C5F, p2, k2, p5, k4, C4F, k4, p2, k2.

Rep rows 1 - 6 throughout.

## Patt 5

### Cable Patt for Sleeve (over 52 sts)

If working from the chart, note that only RS rows of chart are shown. Work WS rows as they appear.

**Row 1 (RS):** C4F, k4, C4B, p5, k2 p2, k10, p5, k2, p2, C4F, k4, C4B.

**Rows 2, 4 and 6:** Work the sts as they appear.

**Row 3:** k2, C4F, C4B, k2, p5, k2, p2, k10, p5, k2, p2, k2, C4F, C4B, k2.

**Row 5:** k4, C4F, k4, p5, k2, p2, C5B, C5F, p5, k2, p2, k4, C4F, k4.

Rep rows 1 - 6 throughout.

## Patt 6

### Stocking stitch (St-st)

RS rows k, WS rows p

## Patt 7

### Reverse Stocking stitch (Rev St-st)

RS rows p, WS rows k

## Patt 8

### Garter st (g-st)

k every row

## Double Stitch

With yarn in front of work insert needle into 1<sup>st</sup> st as to purl. Slip the st to RH needle and bring the yarn to back of work over the needle and pull tightly to make another st on the RH needle. The strand must be pulled tightly so that no hole is formed.

When working over the double st, k the st and extra strand on needle tog.

## CARDIGAN

### BACK

Using 4.5 mm needles, cast on 96 [102:110:118] sts.

**1<sup>st</sup> row:** \*k2, p2; rep from \*, end p2 [k2:k2:k2].

**2<sup>nd</sup> row:** Work sts as they appear.

These 2 rows form k2, p2 rib.

Work in k2, p2 rib for 2 cm, ending with RS facing for next row. Change to 5 mm needles.

**Next row (RS):** p9 (for Rev St-st) [p6 (for Rev St-st), k2 (for St-st), p4 (for Rev St-st):p6 (for Rev St-st), k2 (for St-st), p8 (for Rev St-st):p6 (for Rev St-st), k2 (for St-st), p5 (for Rev St-st), k2 (for St-st), p5 (for Rev St-st)]; k2, p2, C4F (sl 2 sts to cn and hold to front of work, k2, k2 from cn), k4, C4B (sl 2 sts to cn and hold to back of work, k2, k2 from cn), p5, k2, p2, k10, p3, k2, p3, k10, p2, k2, p5, C4F, k4, C4B, p2, k2 (for 78 sts Patt 2), p9 (for Rev St-st) [p4 (for Rev St-st, k2 (for St-st), p6 (for Rev St-st):p8 (for Rev St-st), k2 (for St-st), p6 (for Rev St-st):p5 (for Rev St-st), k2 (for St-st), p5 (for Rev St-st), k2 (for St-st), p6 (for Rev St-st)].

Cont in patt as set until Back meas 49 cm from beg, ending with RS facing for next row.

### Armhole shaping

Cast off 3 [3:4:5] sts at beg of next 2 rows, 2 [2:2:3] sts at beg of foll 2 rows. Dec 1 st each side every foll alt row 3 [5:6:6] times = 80 [82:86:90] sts.

Cont in patt as set until Back meas 65 [66:67:68] cm from beg.

## Neck Shaping

**Next row (RS):** Patt 29 [30:32:34] sts, join 2<sup>nd</sup> ball of yarn and cast off centre 22 sts, patt 29 [30:32:34] sts.

Work each side of neck separately.

Cast off 5 sts once and 4 sts once at inside neck edge.

Cont in patt as set until Back meas 68 [69:70:71] cm from beg. Cast off rem 20 [21:23:25] sts each side for shoulders.

## LEFT FRONT

Using 4.5 mm needles, cast on 71 [74:78:82] sts.

**1<sup>st</sup> row:** p1 [0:0:0], \*k2, p2; rep from \*, end k2.

**2<sup>nd</sup> row:** Work sts as they appear.

These 2 rows form k2, p2 rib.

Work in k2, p2 rib for 2 cm, ending with RS facing for next row. Change to 5 mm needles.

**Next row (RS):** p9 (for Rev St-st) [p6 (for Rev St-st), k2 (for St-st), p4 (for Rev St-st):p6 (for Rev St-st), k2 (for St-st), p8 (for Rev St-st):p6 (for Rev St-st), k2 (for St-st), p5 (for Rev St-st), k2 (for St-st), p5 (for Rev St-st)], k2, p2, C4F, k4, C4B, p5, k2, p2, k10, p5, k2, p2, C4F, k4, C4B, p5 (for 61 sts in Patt 3), p1 (for Rev St-st)

Cont in patt as set until Left Front meas 49 cm from beg, ending with RS facing for next row.

## Armhole shaping

Cast off 3 [3:4:5] sts at beg of next RS row and 2 [2:2:3] sts at beg of foll RS row. Dec 1 st at beg of every foll alt row 3 [5:6:6] times = 63 [64:66:68] sts.

Cont in patt as set until Left Front meas 58 [59:60:61] cm from beg, ending with RS facing for next row.

## Neck shaping

Work in short rows as foll:

**Next row (RS):** Patt to last 12 sts, turn, work double st, patt to end of row.

**Next row (RS):** Patt to last 20 sts, turn, work double st, patt to end of row.

Cont in this way to work 6 less sts at end of foll RS rows, 4 less sts at end of foll RS row, 3 less sts at end of foll RS row, 2 less sts at end of foll 3 RS rows, and 1 less st at end of foll 4 RS rows, and always work double st at end of each RS row, turn and work to end of foll WS row.

Cont in patt as set over all sts until Left Front meas 68 [69:70:71] cm from beg, ending with RS facing for next row.

**Next row (RS):** Cast off 20 [21:23:25] sts, k to end, dec 4 sts evenly over the cables = 35 sts.

## Neckband

Cont in g-st over rem 35 sts for 3 rows. Cast off sts loosely.

## RIGHT FRONT

Using 4.5 mm needles, cast on 71 [74:78:82] sts.

**1<sup>st</sup> row:** \*k2, p2; rep from \*, end p1 [k2:k2:k2].

**2<sup>nd</sup> row:** Work sts as they appear.

These 2 rows form k2, p2 rib.

Work in k2, p2 rib for 2 cm, ending with RS facing for next row. Change to 5 mm needles.

**Next row (RS):** p1 (for Rev St-st), p5, C4F, k4, C4B, p2, k2, p5, k10, p2, k2, p5, C4F, k4, C4B, p2, k2 (for 61 sts Patt 4), p9 (for Rev St-st) [p4 (for Rev St-st), k2 (for St-st), p6 (for Rev St-st): p8 (for Rev St-st), k2 (for St-st), p6 (for Rev St-st):p5 (for Rev St-st), k2 (for St-st), p5 (for Rev St-st), k2 (for St-st), p6 (for Rev St-st)].

Cont in patt as set until Right Front meas 49 cm from beg, ending with WS facing for next row.

## Armhole shaping

Cast off 3 [3:4:5] sts at beg of next WS row and 2 [2:2:3] sts at beg of foll WS row. Dec 1 st at end of every foll alt row 3 [5:6:6] times = 63 [64:66:68] sts.

Cont in patt as set until Right Front meas 58 [59:60:61] cm from beg, ending with WS facing for next row.

## Neck shaping

Work in short rows as foll:

**Next row (WS):** Patt to last 12 sts, turn, work double st, patt to end of row.

**Next row (WS):** Patt to last 20 sts, turn, work double st, patt to end of row.

Cont in this way to work 6 less sts at end of foll WS rows, 4 less sts at end of foll WS row, 3 less sts at end of foll WS row, 2 less sts at end of foll 3 WS rows, and 1 less st at end of foll 4 WS rows, and always work double st at end of each WS row, turn and work to end of foll RS row.

Cont in patt as set over all sts until Right Front meas 68 [69:70:71] cm from beg, ending with WS facing for next row.

**Next row (WS):** Cast off 20 [21:23:25] sts, k to end, dec 4 sts evenly over the cables = 35 sts.

## Neckband

Cont in g-st over rem 35 sts for 3 rows. Cast off sts loosely.

## SLEEVES (both alike)

Using 4.5 mm needles, cast on 48 [52:56:56] sts.

**1<sup>st</sup> row:** \*k2, p2; rep from \* to end.

**2<sup>nd</sup> row:** Work sts as they appear.

These 2 rows form k2, p2 rib.

Work in k2, p2 rib for 10 cm, ending with WS facing for next row.

Work in rib on next WS row, inc 6 sts evenly spaced across = 54 [58:62:62] sts. Change to 5 mm needles.

**Next row (RS):** p1 (for Rev St-st) [p3 (for Rev St-st: k3 (for St-st), p2 (for Rev St-st):k3 (for St-st), p2 (for Rev St-st)], C4F, k4, C4B, p5, k2 p2, k10, p5, k2, p2, C4F, k4, C4B (for 52 sts Patt 5), p1 (for Rev St-st) [p3 (for Rev St-st): p2 (for Rev St-st), k3 (for St-st): p2 (for Rev St-st), k3 (for St-st)].

Cont in patt as set and inc 1 st each side every 8<sup>th</sup> row 9 [8:6:1] times, every foll 0 [6<sup>th</sup>:6<sup>th</sup>:6<sup>th</sup>] row 0 [1:3:10] times = 72 [76:80:84] sts.

Work inc sts in patt as foll: 2 sts Rev St-st, 2 sts St-st, 5 sts Rev St-st [2 sts St-st, 7 sts Rev St-st:9 sts Rev St-st:11 sts Rev St-st]. Cont in patt as set until Sleeve meas 45 [44:43:42] cm from beg, ending with WS facing for next row.

### Cap shaping

Cast off 3 [3:4:5] sts at beg of next 2 rows, 2 [2:2:3] sts at beg of foll 2 rows, dec 1 st each side every foll alt row 14 times, cast off 2 sts at beg of foll 2 rows and 3 sts at beg of foll 2 rows. When Sleeve meas 60 [59:58:57] cm from beg, cast off rem 24 [28:30:30] sts.

Work 2<sup>nd</sup> sleeve in same way.

## TO MAKE UP

Pin pieces to measurements, cover with clean, damp towels and allow to dry. Join shoulder seams with mattress st. Set in sleeves. Join side and sleeve seams with mattress st.

### Front band

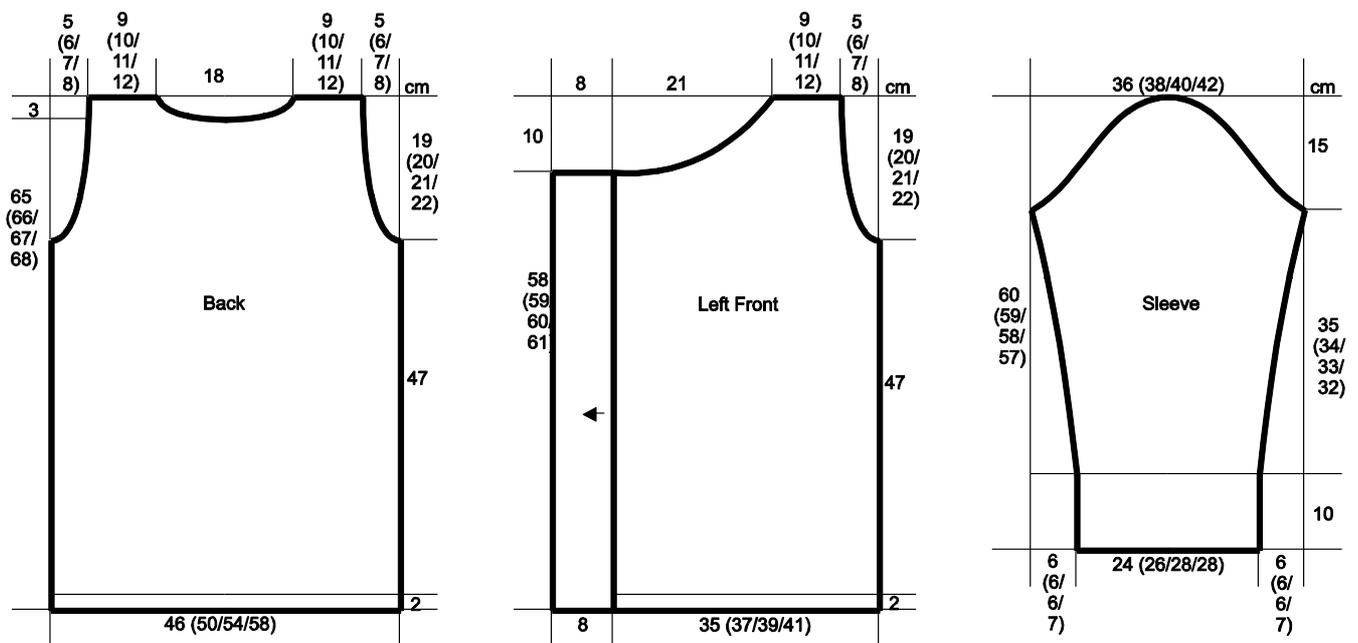
Using 4.5 mm needles, pick up 98 sts along left front edge.

**1<sup>st</sup> row:** \*k2, p2; rep from \*, end k2.

**2<sup>nd</sup> row:** Work sts as they appear.

These 2 rows form k2, p2 rib.

Work in k2, p2 rib for 8 cm. Cast off sts loosely in patt.



	= 1 knit st
	= 1 purl st
	= C4F: sl 2 sts to cn and hold to front of work, k2, k2 from cn
	= C4B: sl 2 sts to cn and hold to back of work, k2, k2 from cn
	= C5F: sl 2 sts to cn and hold to front of work, k3, k2 from cn
	= C5B: sl 3 sts to cn and hold to back of work, k2, k3 from cn

