



B111

## FABULOUS FIXATION



DESIGNED BY JOAN SOMMERVILLE

# Fabulous Fixation

Designed by Joan Sommerville

Edited: 03/05/10

## Materials:

- Fixation (98.3% cotton/1.7% elastic – 100 yds (relaxed) per 50 g) (Double-Stranded) 10 (12, 14, 14) balls – Originally knit in Bulky Fixation 8 (9, 10, 11) balls
- US 10.5 (6.5 mm) Needles
- Cable Needle (or smaller double point needle)

**Sizes:** 36 (38, 40, 42)” finished bust

## Abbreviations:

K – Knit

P- Purl

Sts – Stitches

PM – Place Marker

CN – Cable Needle

C3R – Slip 2 sts to CN, hold in back; K1, then K2 from CN

C3L – Slip 1 st to CN, hold in front; K2, then K1 from CN

T4R – Slip 2 sts to CN, hold in back; K2, then P2 from CN

T4L – Slip 2 sts to CN, hold in front; P2, then K2 from CN

T3B – Slip 1 st to CN, hold in back; K2, then P1 from CN

T3F – Slip 2 sts to CN, hold in front; P1, then K2 from CN

C4F – Slip 2 sts to CN, hold in front; K2, then K2 from CN

C4B – Slip 2 sts to CN, hold in back, K2, then K2 from CN

**Cable 1** (6 sts = 1 ½”) - Row 1 (Right Side) – K  
Row 2 (and all even rows) – P  
Row 3 – K  
Row 5/7/9 – C3L, C3R  
Row 11 – K

Repeat 12 rows for Pattern.

**Center Cable** (17 sts = 3 ½ “) – Row 1 (right side) – P4, T4R, P1, T4L, P4  
Row 2 – K4, P2, [K1, P1] (2 times), K1, P2, K4  
Row 3 – P3, T3B, [K1, P1] (2 times), K1, T3F, P3  
Row 4 – K3, P2, [K1, P1] (3 times), K1, P3, K3  
Row 5 – P2, T3B, [K1, P1] (3 times), K1, T3F, P2  
Row 6 – K2, P2, [K1, P1] (4 times), K1, P2, K2  
Row 7 – P1, T3B, [K1, P1] (4 times), K1 T3F, P1  
Row 8 – K1, P2, [K1, P1] (5 times), K1, P2, K1  
Row 9 – T3B, [K1, P1] (5 times), K1, T3F  
Row 10 – P2, [K1, P1] (6 times), K1, P2

Row 11 – T3F, [P1, K1] (5 times), P1, T3B  
Row 12 – K1, P2, [K1, P1] (5 times), K1, P2, K1  
Row 13 – P1, T3F, [P1, K1] (4 times), P1, T3B, P1  
Row 14 - K2, P2, [K1, P1] (4 times), K1, P2, K2  
Row 15 - P2, T3F, [P1, K1] (3 times), P1, T3B, P2  
Row 16 - K3, P2, [K1, P1] (3 times), K1, P3, K3  
Row 17 – P3, T3F, [P1, K1] (2 times), P1,

T3B, P3

Row 18 – K4, P2, [K1, P1] (2 times), K1, P2, K4  
Row 19 – P4, C4B, P1, C4F, P4  
Row 20 – K4, P4, K1, P4, K4  
Row 21 – P4, K4, P1, K4, P4  
Row 22 – K4, P4, K1, P4, K4  
Row 23 – P4, C4B, P1, C4F, P4  
Row 24 – K4, P4, K1, P4, K4  
Row 25 – P4, K4, P1, K4, P4  
Row 26 – K4, P4, K1, P4, K4  
Row 27 – P4, C4B, P1, C4F, P4  
Row 28 – K4, P4, K1, P4, K4  
Row 29 – P4, K4, P1, K4, P4  
Row 30 – K4, P4, K1, P4, K4

REPEAT THESE 30 ROWS FOR PANEL

### **BACK:**

Cast on 71 (79, 87, 95) sts and set up the pattern as follows:

Row 1: K1, [P2, K2] (2 (3, 4, 5) times), P2, PM, work Row 1 of Cable 1 over 6 sts, PM, [P2, K2] (2 times), P2, PM, work Row 1 of Center Cable of 17 sts, PM, P2, [K2, P2] (2 times), PM, Work Row 1 of Cable 1 over 6 sts, PM, P2, [K2, P2] (2 (3, 4, 5) times), K1

Next rows: Continued in Patterns as established working the next row of each cable pattern while maintaining the K2, P2 ribbing between the cable sections (K the K stitches, P the P stitches as they face you). Continue until piece measures 12 (12, 15, 15)” from beginning (or desired length to armholes).

Armhole Shaping: Continuing is pattern as established, loosely bind off 6 (6, 8, 9) sts at the beginning of the next 2 rows, then decrease 1 sts at each edge of every other row 4 times.

When armhole measures 6 (6, 7, 7)”, shape neck as follows: Bind off center 21 (21, 25, 29) sts and finish each shoulder alone (continuing pattern as you knit). On outside edge, bind off 8 (8, 12, 12) sts 2 times, then bind of remaining sts.

### **FRONT:**

Work as for back.

**COLLAR:**

Sew right side shoulder seam. Pick up and knit 96 (96, 104, 108) sts. Work in K2, P2 ribbing for 6". Bind off loosely in rib.

Sew collar and shoulder seam. Sew side seams. If desired, work a single crochet around the armhole edge.