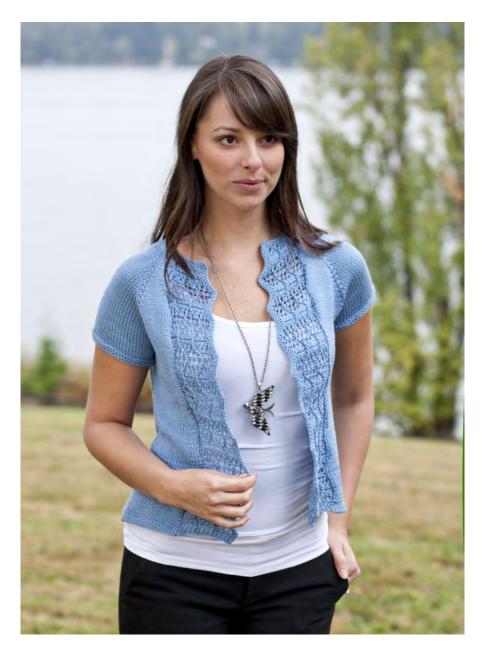




Ultra Pima Summer Waves Cardigan







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This summer cardigan is great for wearing over a tank top or a sundress. Because the Ultra Pima Cotton is relatively light, it is great to wear even on a super hot summer day, but also works great to ward off an evening or air conditioning chill.

The cardigan is worked seamless, from the top-down. The pretty lace panels are worked by picking up stitches from the front side seams. Because it is a top down knit, the cardigan can easily be lengthened or shortened.

Sizes: XS (S, M, L, XL, 2XL, 3XL)

34 (36, 39, 44, 46, 52, 55)" finished chest measurement 21 (21, 21, 23, 23, 23, 25)" finished length at center back

Materials:

Cascade Ultra Pima (100% cotton – 220 yds) – 4 (4, 4, 5, 5, 6) color # 3772

U.S. 7 (4 mm) 32" circular needle -- or size needle to get gauge

U.S. 7 (4 mm) DPN needle – or size needle to get gauge

U.S. 5 (3.75 mm) 32" circular needle

U.S. 5 (3.75 mm) DPN needle

Optional: U.S. 1 or 2 circular needle – to pick up stitches

Stitch Markers
Scrap Yarn to hold stitches

Tapestry Needle

Gauge: 20 sts & 28 rows – 4"

Abbreviations:

st/sts stitch/stitches

CO cast on bind off

PM place stitch marker
SM slip stitch marker
WS wrong-side row
RS right-side row

P purl K knit

slip 1 st as if to knit, slip 1 st as if to knit, knit slipped sts together

K2tog K 2 sts together

YO yarn over

kfb knit front back into 1 stitch (increases into 2 sts)

Directions:

Using larger sized needle, CO 40 (46, 52, 54, 60, 66, 76) sts.

Set-up Row (WS) – P2, PM, P4 (6, 8, 8, 10, 10, 12), PM, P28 (30, 32, 34, 36, 42, 48), PM, P4 (6, 8, 8, 10, 10, 12), PM, P2.

Raglan Increase Row (RS) - * K to 1 stitch before marker, kfb, SM, kfb * - four times, K to end. (8 sts increased)

Next Row (WS) - P all sts, slip markers.

Repeat last two rows - 25 (27, 30, 33, 35, 38, 40) more times. 248 (270, 300, 326, 348, 378, 404) - total number of sts on needle. 28 (30, 33, 36, 38, 41, 43) sts each for front, 56 (62, 70, 76, 82, 88, 94) sts for each sleeve, 80 (86, 94, 102, 108, 120, 130) sts for back.

Lower Body Dividing Row -

K to marker, remove marker;

place next 56 (62, 70, 76, 82, 88, 94) sts on waste yarn for sleeve, remove marker;

CO 2 (2, 2, 4, 4, 4, 4) sts, PM, CO 2 (2, 2, 4, 4, 4, 4) sts;

K to marker, remove marker;

place next 56 (62, 70, 76, 82, 88, 94) sts on waste yarn for sleeve, remove marker;

CO 2 (2, 2, 4, 4, 4, 4) sts, PM, CO 2 (2, 2, 4, 4, 4, 4) sts;

K to end.

144 (154, 168, 190, 200, 218, 232) - total number of sts on needle for connected fronts and back.

Work in stockinette st until work measures 11 (10, 9, 11, 10, 9, 11)" from underarm, or desired length, finishing with a RS Row.

Please note: Each lace pattern repeat is 2" wide, thus any length increase needs to be in additional 2" increments.

Change to smaller size needle, work 5 rows in garter stitch (knit all rows). BO all sts loosely in 6^{th} row.

Sleeves - work two

Place 56 (62, 70, 76, 82, 88, 94) sts from waste yarn onto larger size needles for sleeve, Pick-up* 2 (2, 2, 4, 4, 4, 4) sts, PM, Pick-up 2 (2, 2, 4, 4, 4, 4) sts – continue to work in the round.

* Pick-up the sts from the cast-on edge where fronts & back are connected.

60 (66, 74, 84, 90, 96, 102) sts on needle.

Work 6 rows in stockinette st or to desired length.

Change to smaller size needle, work 5 rows in garter stitch. BO all sts loosely in 6th row.

Front Lace Band – work two

Optional: Use U.S. 1 or U.S. 2 needle to pick up stitches for the front lace bands, this ensures a more professional looking seam where stitches were picked up, once stitches have been picked up, change to smaller sized needle to work lace pattern.

Otherwise use smaller sized needle to pick up stitches for the front lace bands and continue working with smaller sized needles:

Right Side Front Band:

Pick-up 93 (93, 93, 104, 104, 104, 115) sts at right front band.

Set-up Row (WS) - P1, PM,* P11, PM * - 8 (8, 8, 9, 9, 9, 10) times, K4.

Next Row (RS) – K4, work 11 sts lace repeat – (8 (8, 8, 9, 9, 9, 10), K1 times. Next Row (WS) – P all sts until last 4 sts, K4.

Repeat last two rows until 2 - 8-row lace repeats have been worked. Work lace pattern until row 6 of lace pattern which is a WS row.

Work 5 rows in garter stitch (knit all rows). BO all sts loosely in 6th row.

Left Side Front Band:

Pick-up 93 (93, 93, 104, 104, 104, 115) sts at left front band.

Set-up Row (WS) - K4, * PM, P11 * - 8 (8, 8, 9, 9, 9, 10) times, PM, P1.

Next Row (RS) – K1, work 11 sts lace repeat – 8 (8, 8, 9, 9, 9, 10) times, K4. Next Row (WS) – K4, P all sts to end.

Repeat last two rows until 2 – 8-row lace repeats have been worked. Work lace pattern until row 6 of lace pattern which is a WS row.

Work 5 rows in garter stitch (knit all rows). BO all sts loosely in 6th row.

Neckline:

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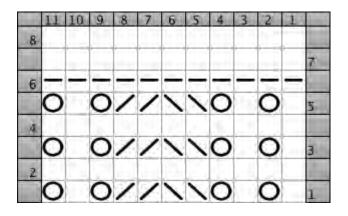
Otherwise use smaller sized needle to pick up stitches for the front lace bands and continue working with smaller sized needles:

Pick-up 48 (54, 60, 62, 68, 74, 84) sts. Work 5 rows in garter stitch (knit all rows). BO all sts loosely in 6th row.

Finishing:

Weave in ends, block cardigan. Enjoy J

Lace Pattern: 11 sts & 8 rows



Key:	
Knit	
k (DC) K	
(RS) Knit (WS) Purl	
Knit 2 Together	
k2tog (RS) Knit 2 stitches together	
(WS) Purl 2 Together	
Purl	
P .	
(RS) Purl	
(WS) Knit	
Slip Slip Knit	
(RS) slip, slip, knit slipped st:	together
(WS) slip, slip, purl slipped st	
Yarn Over	s together
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(RS) Yarn Over	
(WS) Yarn Over	

Row #1 (RS): k1, yo, k1, yo, ssk, ssk, k2tog, k2tog, yo, k1, yo

Row #2 (WS): p11

Row #3 (RS): k1, yo, k1, yo, ssk, ssk, k2tog, k2tog, yo, k1, yo

Row #4 (WS): p11

Row #5 (RS): k1, yo, k1, yo, ssk, ssk, k2tog, k2tog, yo, k1, yo

Row #6 (WS): k11 Row #7 (RS): k11 Row #8 (WS): p11