

## Mitered Cardigan

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Level: Intermediate



### FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Women's S (M, L, XL, 2X)

**Bust:** 36 (40, 44, 48, 54)"

**Length:** 22½ (22½, 25, 25, 27½)"

### MATERIALS

**Deborah Norville Collection®** *Everyday Soft Worsted* by Premier® Yarns (100% anti-pilling acrylic, 113g/203 yds)

- #100-08 Pine Green (MC) – 3 (4, 4, 5, 6) skeins
- #100-15 Sagebrush (CC1) – 2 (2, 3, 3, 3) skeins
- #100-14 Carmel (CC2) – 2 (2, 3, 3, 3) skeins

**Needle:** US Size 8 (5mm) knitting needles *or size needed to obtain gauge*

**Notions:** 2 locking markers, tapestry needle

### GAUGE

18 sts and 24 rows = 4" in Stockinette

One modular rectangle = 5" x 2½"

**Save time, check your gauge.**

### PATTERN NOTES

Modular rectangles are made first, each one being picked up and knit above the previous one. Once four strips of rectangles are complete, the other sweater sections are picked up and knit from these.

### STITCH GUIDE

#### Rectangle

Cast on 10 sts, cast on 1 st for corner and place removable marker THRU this st, cast on (or pick up across top of previous rectangle) 20 sts, cast on 1 st for corner as before, cast on 10 sts.

**Row 1 (WS):** \*Knit to marked st, p1; rep from \* once more, knit to end.

**Row 2 (RS):** \*Knit to 1 st before marked st, sl next 2 sts tog as if to k2tog, slip next st, insert left needle through all 3 sts from the left and knit them together (centered double decrease made); rep from \* once more, knit to end – 4 sts dec'd.

Repeat these 2 rows until 2 sts remain.

**Last Row (WS):** P2tog. Finish off.

## INSTRUCTIONS

### Cardigan

#### Rectangle #1

Cast on and work first 7 rows in MC, 2 rows CC1, then finish rectangle in MC.

#### Rectangle #2

Cast on and pick up first 7 rows in CC2, 2 rows in MC, then finish rectangle in CC2.

#### Rectangle #3

Cast on and pick up first 7 rows in CC1, 2 rows in CC2, then finish rectangle in CC1.

Repeat color sequence of rectangles 1-3 to make a vertical strip of 9 (9, 10, 10, 11) rectangles. Make 4 of these vertical strips.

#### Left Front Panel

Using CC2, pick up and knit 101 (101, 113, 113, 123) sts along left edge of one strip. Knit one row. Cut yarn. Join MC. Working in stockinette, bind off 4 (4, 5, 5, 5) sts at beg of every RS row 7 (9, 7, 8, 8) times, then bind off 5 (0, 3, 0, 2) sts once. Bind off all sts on next row. Measure 7½ (8, 8½, 9, 9½)" from shoulder for underarm placement, place marker.

#### Right Front Panel

Using CC2, pick up and knit 101 (101, 113, 113, 123) sts along right edge of one strip. Knit one row. Cut yarn. Join MC. Working in stockinette, bind off 4 (4, 5, 5, 5) sts at beg of every WS row 7 (9, 7, 8, 8) times, then bind off 5 (0, 3, 0, 2) sts once. Bind off all sts on next row. Measure 7½ (8, 8½, 9, 9½)" from shoulder for underarm placement, place marker.

#### Back Center Panel

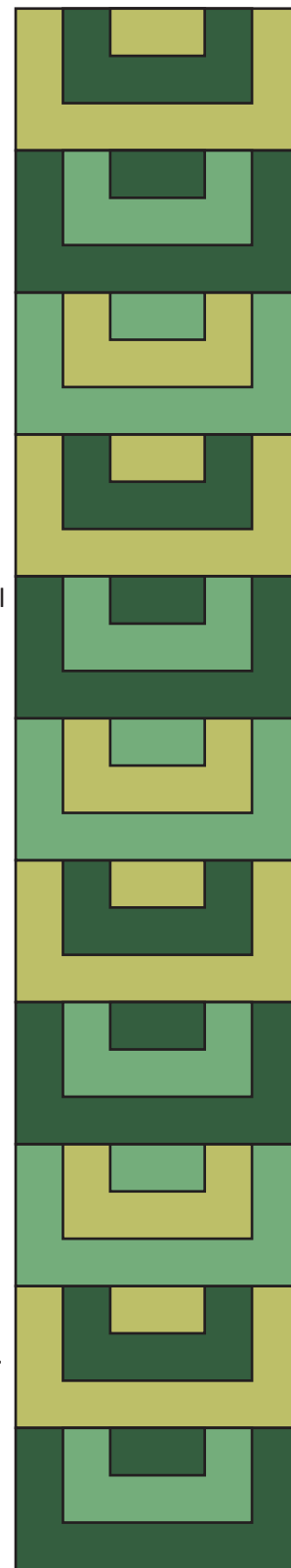
Using CC2, pick up and knit 101 (101, 113, 113, 123) sts along left edge of one strip. Knit one row. Cut yarn. Join MC. Work even in stockinette until center panel measures 6". Cut MC. Join CC2. Knit 2 rows. Bind off loosely. Sew bound off edge to right edge of last strip. Measure 7½ (8, 8½, 9, 9½)" from shoulder for underarm placement, place marker.

#### Left Underarm Panel

Using CC1, pick up and knit 67 (65, 74, 72, 81) sts along right edge of left front strip, from hem underarm marker. Knit one row. Cut yarn. Join MC. Work even in stockinette until side panel measures 2 (3, 4, 5, 6)", place marker at underarm edge for sleeve seam placement, continue in stockinette for another 2 (3, 4, 5, 6)". Cut MC. Join CC1 and knit 2 rows. Bind off loosely.

#### Right Underarm Panel

Using CC1, pick up and knit 67 (65, 74, 72, 81) sts along left edge of right front strip, from underarm marker to hem. Knit one row. Cut yarn. Join MC. Work even in stockinette until side panel measures 2 (3, 4, 5, 6)", place marker at underarm edge



for sleeve seam placement, continue in stockinette for another 2 (3, 4, 5, 6)". Cut MC. Join CC1 and knit 2 rows. Bind off loosely.

Sew shoulder seams.

### **Sleeves**

Using CC1, pick up and knit 67 (72, 76, 81, 85) sts between underarm markers along side edge of strips. Knit 1 row. Cut CC1. Join MC. Work even in stockinette for 2 (3, 4, 5, 6)". Place marker on each end of row to match markers on underarm panels. Continue in stockinette, decreasing 1 st at each end of next RS row and every 8th (6th, 6th, 4th, 4th) following row 14 (16, 17, 19, 21) times. Work even on 37 (38, 40, 41, 41) sts until sleeve measures 20 (19, 18, 17, 16)" from marker. Cut MC. Join CC1, knit 2 rows. Cut CC1. Join CC2, knit 2 rows. Bind off.

Sew each underarm panel to back strip. Sew sleeve seam from cuff only to markers. Sew straight portion of sleeve to underarm panel, centering sleeve seam to marker on underarm panel.

### **Bottom Border**

Using CC1, pick up and knit 180 (198, 216, 234, 252) sts around bottom edge, from left front to right front. Knit 1 row. Cut CC1. Join CC2. Knit 2 rows. Bind off.

### **Front Edging**

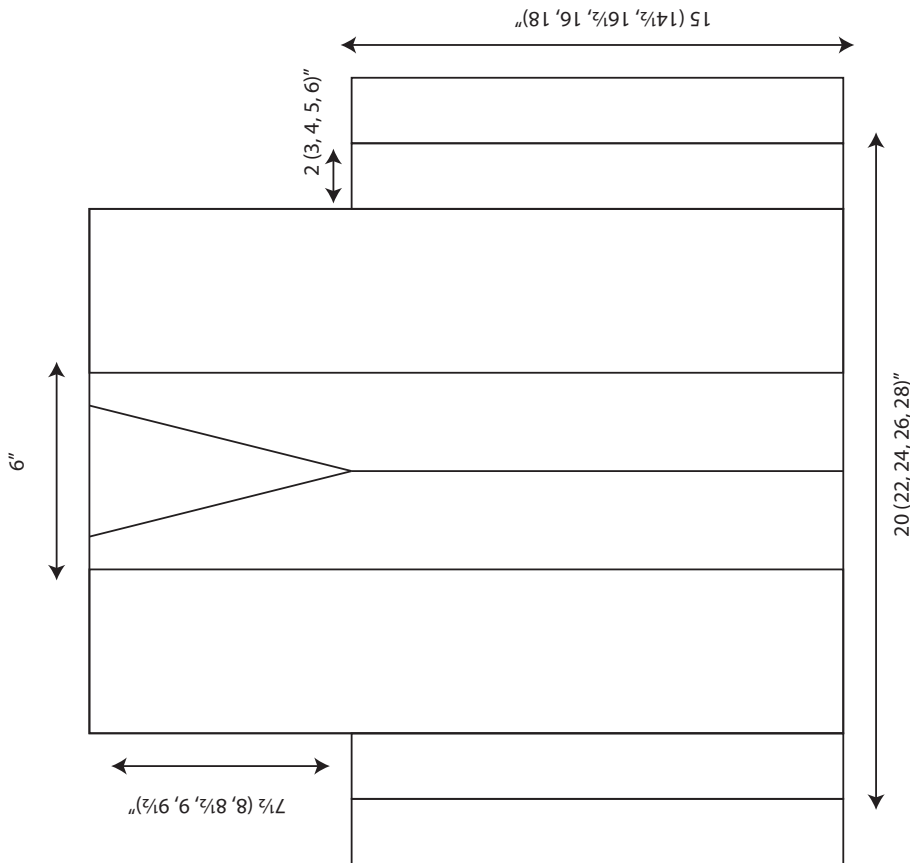
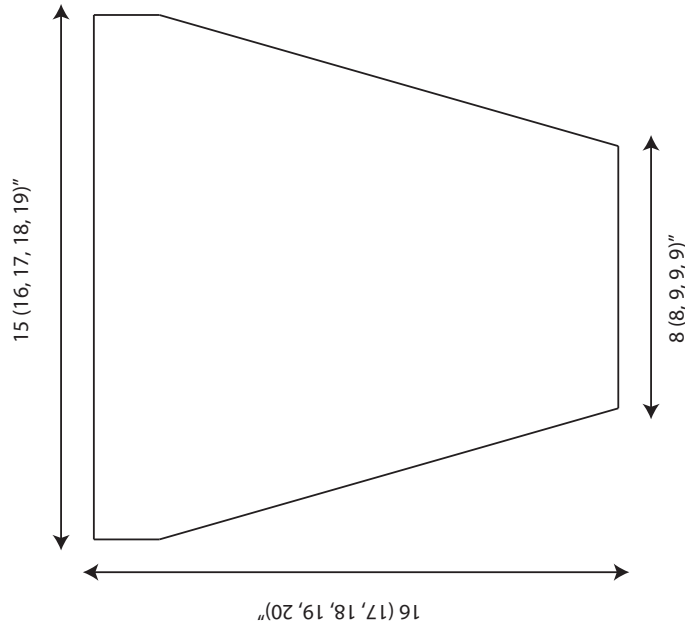
Using CC1, pick up and knit 114 (114, 126, 126, 136) sts along right front edge from hem to shoulder, pick up and knit 27 sts across back neck edge, pick up and knit 114 (114, 126, 126, 136) sts along left front edge from shoulder to hem. Knit 1 row, do not cut yarn. Join CC2, knit 2 rows, do not cut yarn. Mark buttonhole placement for 5 buttonholes along right front edge. Next row, using CC1, knit across, working (yo, k2tog) at each buttonhole placement. Knit 1 row. Cut CC1. Knit 2 rows with CC2. Bind off loosely.

### **FINISHING**

Sew buttons to left front to correspond with buttonholes.  
Weave in ends.

### **Abbreviations:**

<b>CC</b>	contrasting color
<b>dec('d)</b>	decrease(d)
<b>k2tog</b>	knit 2 together
<b>k3tog</b>	knit 3 together
<b>MC</b>	main color
<b>p2tog</b>	purl 2 together
<b>pm</b>	place marker
<b>sl</b>	slip
<b>st(s)</b>	stitch(es)
<b>tog</b>	together
<b>yo</b>	yarn over



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