

## Feminine Wraps

### Difficulty Level



### Materials

#### YARN

SERENITY 50g balls

Garments pictured are in colour #1 (blossom).

6 7 8 9 10 11

Use only the yarn specified - other yarns may give different results. Quantities are approximate as they can vary between knitters. Be sure to check the ball bands to ensure all yarn is from the same dye lot.

#### NEEDLES

1 pair 4mm (UK 8) (US 6) Knitting Needles.

A Wool Needle for sewing seams.

#### TENSION

**22 sts and 30 rows to 10 cm over stocking st, using 4.00mm Needles.**

To work a 15 cm x 15 cm tension square, use 4.00mm Needles, cast on 33 sts. Work 46 rows stocking st. Cast off loosely.

Please check your tension carefully. If less sts use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

### Size

#### To Fit Bust

76	86	97	107	117	127	cm
30	34	38	42	46	50	in

#### at underarm

82	92	104	114	124	134	cm
32½	36	41	45	49	52½	in

#### Length

56	57	58	59	60	61	cm
22	22½	23	23	23½	24	in

#### Sleeve Length

15	16	16	17	18	19	cm
6	6½	6½	6½	7	7½	in

### Instructions

#### BACK

Using 4.00mm Needles, cast on 93 (103-117-127-139-149) sts.

**1st row** (wrong side) - Knit.

Work in stocking st (beg with a knit row) until work measures 17 cm, noting 14 cm has been allowed for trim, ending with a purl row.

Work a further 14 rows stocking st.

#### SHAPE ARMHOLES

Cast off 5 (7-9-10-12-13) sts at beg of next 2 rows ... 83 (89-99-107-115-123) sts.

Dec one st at each end of every row until 77 (83-89-97-105-109) sts rem, then in every foll alt row until 73 (77-81-87-93-97) sts rem.




Cont without shaping until **armhole** measures 20 (21-22-23-24-25) cm, ending with a purl row.

#### SHAPE SHOULDERS

Cast off 6 (7-7-9-11-12) sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Cast off rem 61 (63-67-69-71-73) sts loosely.

#### LEFT FRONT

Using 4.00mm Needles, cast on 33 (37-45-49-55-61) sts.

**1st row** (wrong side) - Knit.

Work in stocking st (beg with a knit row) until work measures 17 cm, noting 14 cm has been allowed for trim, ending with a purl row. \*\*

#### SHAPE FRONT SLOPE

Dec one st at end (front edge) of next row, then in every foll - 4th (4th-alt-alt-alt-alt) row 3 (3-3-2-2-4) times, **sizes M, L, XL and XXL only** - then in every foll 4th row (1-2-2-1) time/s.

**All Sizes** ... 29 (33-40-44-50-55) sts.

Work 1 (1-3-1-1-1) row/s.

#### SHAPE ARMHOLE

**Next row** - Cast off 5 (7-9-10-12-13) sts, knit to last 0 (0-2-0-0-0) sts, Ko (0-2-0-0-0) tog ... 24 (26-30-34-38-42) sts.

Work 1 row.

Dec one st at armhole edge in every row 3 (3-5-5-5-7) times, then in every foll alt row 2 (3-4-5-6-6) times, **AT SAME TIME** dec one st at front edge in next (next-3rd-next-next-next) row, then in every foll 4th row until 6 (7-7-9-11-12) sts rem.

Cont without shaping until **armhole** measures same as Back to beg of shoulder shaping, ending with a purl row.

#### SHAPE SHOULDER

Cast off rem 6 (7-7-9-11-12) sts.

#### RIGHT FRONT

Work as for Left Front to \*\*.

## SHAPE FRONT SLOPE

Dec one st at beg (front edge) of next row, then in every foll - 4th (4th-alt-alt-alt-alt) row 3 (3-3-2-2-4) times, **sizes M, L, XL and XXL only** - then in every foll 4th row (2-2-2-1) time/s.

All Sizes ... 29 (33-39-44-50-55) sts.

Work 2 (2-0-2-2-2) rows.

## SHAPE ARMHOLE

Next row - Cast off 5 (7-9-10-12-13) sts, purl to end ... 24 (26-30-34-38-42) sts.

Dec one st at armhole edge in every row 3 (3-5-5-5-7) times, then in every foll alt row 2 (3-4-5-6-6) times, **AT SAME TIME** dec one st at front edge in next (next-3rd-next-next-next) row, then in every foll 4th row until 6 (7-7-9-11-12) sts rem.

Cont without shaping until **armhole** measures same as Back to beg of shoulder shaping, ending with a purl row.

Work 1 row.

## SHAPE SHOULDER

Cast off rem 6 (7-7-9-11-12) sts.

## ZIG ZAG LACE TRIM (knitted sideways)

**Patons recommends using Mattress Stitch Seam.**

Join side seams of Back and Fronts.

Using 4.00mm Needles, cast on 25 sts.

Knit 1 row (wrong side).

**Beg patt - 1st row** (right side) - Sl 1, K8, (yfwd, K2tog) 7 times, yfwd, K2 ... 26 sts.

**2nd and foll alt rows** - Knit.

**3rd row** - Sl 1, K11, (yfwd, K2tog) 6 times, yfwd, K2 27 sts.

**5th row** - Sl 1, K14, (yfwd, K2tog) 5 times, yfwd, K2 28 sts.

**7th row** - Sl 1, K17, (yfwd, K2tog) 4 times, yfwd, K2 29 sts.

**9th row** - Sl 1, K28.

10th row - Cast off 4 sts, knit to end 25 sts.

Rows 1 to 10 incl form patt.

Cont in patt until trim measures (slightly stretched) evenly along cast on edge of Back and Fronts, ending with a 9th row.

Cast off very loosely knitways.

Sew straight side edge of trim to cast on edge of Back and Fronts.

## CAP SLEEVES

Using 4.00mm Needles, cast on 55 (59-63-67-71-75) sts.

Knit 3 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side).

Cont in garter st, dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll 4th row until 29 (33-41-43-45-49) sts rem, then in every foll alt row until 15 (15-15-17-17-17) sts rem.

Work 1 row. Cast off rem sts knitways.

Join shoulder seams. Sew sleeves in position, placing centre of cast off edge of sleeve to shoulder seam and rem of sleeve approx  $\frac{3}{4}$  along amhole.

Cast off loosely knitways.

## ZIG ZAG LACE FRONT BAND

Work as for Zig Zag Lace Trim of Back and Fronts until trim fits evenly along fronts and across back neck, ending with a 9th row.

Cast off very loosely knitways.

Sew straight side edge of trim to fronts and across back neck, easing to fit.

## KNITTING ABBREVIATIONS

**K** = knit

**P** = purl

**alt** = alternate

**approx** = approximately

**beg** = begin or beginning

**cont** = continue

**dec** = decrease, decreased, decreases or decreasing

**foll** = following or follows

**garter st** = every row knit

**inc** = increase, increased, increases or increasing

**incl** = inclusive

**patt** = pattern

**psso** = pass slipped stitch(es) over

**rem** = remain, remains, remainder or remaining

**rep** = repeat

**sl** = slip

**stocking st** = 1 row knit, 1 row purl (knit side is right side)

**st, sts** = stitch or stitches

**tog** = together

**cm** = centimetre(s)

**mm** = millimetre(s)

**g** = gram(s)

**ins** = inches

**o** = no rows, stitches or times

**yfwd** = yarn forward - bring yarn under needle, then over into knitting position again, thus making a stitch.

**yrn** = yarn round needle - take yarn right round needle into purling position, thus making a stitch.

**NOTE:** When instructions read - "Cast off 2 sts" (or similar stitches), the stitch left on the right hand needle after casting off, is counted as one stitch.

**M1 = Make 1** - pick up loop which lies before next stitch, place on left hand needle and knit (or purl) into back of loop.