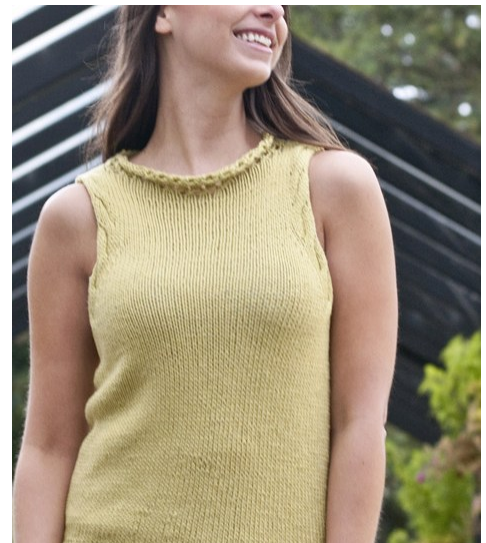




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Pima Silk
Creamy Cables



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Finished Measurements:

36,(38,40,42,44)"

Materials:

Yarn: Cascade Pima Silk 200gms total-4 skeins #5200

Size 6 Needles, or size to obtain gauge

Size 8 Needles, or size to obtain gauge

Cable Needle

Blunt Tapestry Needle

Gauge:

16 sts and 24 rows to 4" in stockinette stitch using larger needles

Stitch Patterns:

C6B

1) Slip next 3 sts to cable needle and hold at back. Knit next 3 sts from left hand needle, then knit the 3 sts from cable needle.

2 and all even rows) Purl all stitches

3,5,7) Knit all stitches

8)Purl all stitches

Repeat above 8 rows for C6B

C6F

Knit as for C6B, holding cable needle to front of work instead of the back

Ribbing:

1)*K1,P1; repeat from * to end

2)*P1,K1; repeat from * to end

Notes:

Cables are worked on a stockinette stitch background, with no purl stitches on either side.

Two edge stitches are selvedge stitches, and are to be knitted on RS rows, and purled on WS rows. Ribbing stitch pattern does not include selvedge stitches

Pattern:

Back/Front: (make 2 the same)

Using smaller needle, cast on 76, (80,84,88,92). Knit 10 rows ribbing pattern, ending with WS.

Begin working in stockinette stitch on all stitches. When work is 12" from beginning, begin armhole shaping. Bind off 4 sts at the beginning of the next 2 rows. Work decreases as follows:

lows:

1)K3, C6B, k1, k2tog, k to 12 sts from end, ssk, k1, C6F,k3,

2, and all WS rows) Purl all stitches

3,5,7) K 10, k2tog,k to 12 sts from end, knit to end.

8)Purl all stitches

Repeat rows 1-8 until 50, (54,58,62,66) sts remain.

Continue knitting on these stitches, continuing cable in pattern, until armhole in 7" long

Back Neck Shaping:

Continuing cable as established, work 22, (24,26,28,30) sts, *k2tog, yo, repeat from * twice,

knit to end. Work a WS row. Work 21, (23,25,27,29) sts, *k2tog, yo, repeat from * three times, knit to end. Work a WS row.

Shoulders:

1)Bind off 9, (11,13,15,17), *k2tog, yo, repeat from * 15 times, knit to end.

2) Bind off 9, (11,13,15,17), purl all neck stitches.

3) K1, *k2tog, yo, repeat from *, end k1

4, and all WS rows)Purl all stitches

Repeat rows 3 and 4 two more times.

Knit 2 rows, then bind off all stitches

Finishing:

Sew side seams. Sew in all ends.