

CY1510 SILCARESS DK SUMMER TOP

Actual Measurement	in(cm)	36 (91)	42 (107)	48(122)
Length		20 (51)	21(53)	22(56)

Cygnet Silcaress DK 2297 Mellow 2 3 100g balls

A pair of 4 mm (US 7) Knitting needles. Stitch holder

TENSION

22 sts and 32 rows to 10 cm, 4 ins measured over stst on 4mm needles

If fewer stitches are obtained use a thicker needle, if more use a thinner needle

ABBREVIATIONS

K Knit P Purl st(s) stitches stst stocking stitch (1 row K, 1 row P) beg beginning rept repeat tog together g st garter stitch (every row K) dec decrease cont continue rem remaining rs right side

FRONT

Cast on 99[115,133] sts and work 6 rows in K1, P1 rib.

Now work in stst for 30[31,32,] cm, 12[12.5,12.75] in, end with a P row.

Commence Armhole

Cast on 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows. 105[121,139]sts

Next row K to end.

Next row K3, P to last 3 sts, K3.

Rept last 2 rows until armholes measure 11.5 cm, 4 ½ in, end with a P row.

Shape Neck

Next row K42[49,57] sts, turn and work on these sts only.

Next row P2tog, P to last 3 sts, K3.

Keeping 3 sts at armhole edge in g st **at same time** dec one st at neck edge in every row for next 8 rows. 33[40,48] sts.

Cont without further shaping until armhole measures 20.5[21.5,23]cm, 8[8 ½, 9] in, ending with a P row. Cast off loosely.

With rs facing, slip centre 21[23,25] sts to a holder, rejoin yarn to rem 42[49,57] sts and K to end.

Next row K3, P to last 2 sts, P2tog.

Keeping 3 sts at armhole edge in g st at same time dec one st at neck edge in every row for next 8 rows. 33[40,48] sts.

Cont without further shaping until armhole measures 20.5[21.5,23]cm, 8[8 1/2, 9] in ending with a K row. Cast off.

RIGHT BACK

Cast on 49[57,67] sts.

Next row [K1, P1] to last 3 sts, K3.

Next row K3, [K1, P1] to end.

Rept last 2 rows twice more.

Next row K to last 3 sts, K3.

Next row K3, P to end.

Rept last 2 rows until work measures same as Front to armhole end with a P row.

Commence Armhole

Next row Cast on 3 sts, K to end. 52[60,70]sts

Next row K3, P to last 3 sts, K3.

Rept last 2 rows until armholes measure 11.5 cm, 4 ½ in, end with a K row.

Shape Neck

Next row Cast off 10[10,11] sts, P to last 3 sts, K3. 42[50,59] sts.

Keeping 3 sts at armhole edge in g st **at same time** dec one st at neck edge in every row for next 9 rows. 33[41,50] sts.

Cont without further shaping until armhole measures same as Front ending with a P row. Cast off loosely.

LEFT BACK

Cast on 49[57,67] sts.

Next row K3, [P1, K1] to end.

Next row [P1, K1] to last 3 sts, K3.

Rept last 2 rows twice more.

Next row K to end.

Next row P to last 3 sts, K3.

Rept last 2 rows until work measures same as Front to armhole end with a K row.

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NECK EDGING

Join shoulder seams. With rs facing and commencing at neck edge of Left back, pick up and K8[8,9] sts along cast off sts, 21[23,25] sts up neck edge, 21[23,25] sts down front neck edge, 21[23,25] sts from holder, 21[23,25] sts up front neck edge, 21[23,25] sts down right back neck edge and K8[8,9] sts along cast off edge. 100[108,118]sts. Knit 3 rows. Cast off loosely.

FINISHING OFF

Join side and underarm seams. Join centre back seam leaving lower edge open for 12.5cm, 5 in.

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