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ECO ALPACA CLIMBING LACE CARDIGAN  
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## SIZE AND MATERIALS:

Size	S	M	L	XL
Bust	36"	40"	42"	44"
Finished Bust size	40"	44"	47"	50 ½ "
Length	26 "	26 ½ "	27"	27 ¾ "
Skeins	7	7	8	9

**ECO ALPACA** 100% undyed Baby Alpaca – 220 yds/3.5 oz

(200 m/100 g) shown in color 1517

**Also required:** Knitting needle size US 7 (4.5 mm) or size to obtain gauge, stitch marker, tapestry needle

Model shown is a size L

## GAUGE AND STITCH PATTERNS:

Double Seed Stitch: over an odd number of stitches

Row 1: \*k1p1\* repeat from \*to\* end with k1  
 Row 2: \*p1k1\* repeat from \*to\* end with p1  
 Row 3: \*p1k1\* repeat from \*to\* end with p1  
 Row 4: \*k1p1\* repeat from \*to\* end with k1  
 Repeat Row 1 - 4

Gauge: 21 stitches/30 rows = 4"/4" in Double Seed Stitch pattern needle size US 7

*To save time, check your gauge*

*and read all instructions thoroughly before beginning.*

## INSTRUCTIONS:

### Back:

CO 103(113/121/133)sts. Work in Double Seed Stitch for 30(34/38/42) rows or 3 ¾ (4 ¼ /5 /5 ½ )" ending with a WS row.

Shape waist: (RS) k2tog at the beginning and end of next row. Rep last row every 12<sup>th</sup> row 4 more times – 93(103/111/123) sts rem. Work 9 rows even.

Shape bust: (RS) inc 1 st at beg and end of next row. Repeat last row every 8<sup>th</sup> row 5(5/5/4) more times – 105(115/123/133) sts rem. Work 11 (11/7/11) rows.

Shape armholes: (RS) BO 4 sts at beg of next 2(2/4/4) rows – 97(107/107/117) sts rem. BO 3 sts at beg of next 2(4/4/4) rows – 91(95/95/105) sts remain. BO 2 sts at beg of next 4 rows – 83(87/87/97) sts rem. Dec 1 st at beg of next 6(6/6/10) rows - 77(81/81/87) sts rem. Work 42 (40/42/42) rows even ending with a WS row.

Shape shoulder: (RS) at the beg of next 2 rows bind off 8(8/8/11) sts – 61(65/65/65) sts rem. At the beg of next 2 rows bind off 1 st – 59(63/63/63) sts rem.

Work 8( 8/10/10) rows.

Shape collar: (RS) At the beg and end of the next row inc 1 st. Rep this last row every 12<sup>th</sup> row 2 more times – 65(69/69/69) sts. Work 10(10/12/12) more rows then bind off loosely.

### Fronts:

Left Front:

CO 56(62/66/72) sts.

(RS) Work 47(53/57/63) sts in Double Seed Stitch, pm, work the next 9 sts after the lace graph 1. Work in Double Seed Stitch pattern and follow lace graph (with repeats row 1-12) for 30(34/38/42) rows or 4(4 ½ /5/5 ½ )" from beg ending with a WS row.

Shape waist: (RS) k2tog at the beginning of next row. Repeat last row every 12<sup>th</sup> row 4 more times – 51(57/61/67) sts rem. Work 9 rows even. Shape bust: (RS) inc 1 st at beg of next row. Repeat last row every 8<sup>th</sup> row 5(5/5/4) more times – 57(63/67/72) sts rem. Work 15(11/7/ 11) rows even.

Shape armholes: (RS) BO 4 sts at beg of next row – 53(59/63/68) sts rem. Work one row. BO 0/0/4/4 sts at the beg of the next row - 53(59/59/64) sts rem. Work 0(0/1/1) row. BO 3 sts at beg of next row – 50(56/56/61) sts remain. Work one row. BO 0/3/3/3) at the beg of the next row – 50(53/53/58) sts rem

Work 0(1/1/1) row. BO 2 sts at beg of next row - 48(51/51/56) sts rem. Work one row. Rep last two rows 1(2/1/1) more time(s) – 46(47/49/54) sts rem. Dec 1 st at the beg of next row - 45(46/48/53 ) sts rem. Work one row. Repeat last two rows 2(2/2/4) more times - 43(44/46/49) sts rem.

Work 38(40/42/42) rows even ending with a WS row.

Shape shoulder: (RS) at the beg of the next row BO 8(8/8/11)sts - 35(36/38/38)sts rem. Work one row. At the beg of the next row dec 1 st - 34(35/37/37) sts rem. Work 9(9/11/11) rows.

Shape collar: (RS) at the beg of the next row inc 1 st. Repeat this last row every 12<sup>th</sup> row 2 more times - 37(38/40/ 40)sts rem. Work 10(10/12/12) more rows then BO loosely all stitches in pattern.

Right Front:

CO 56(62/66/72) sts.

(RS) work the first 9 sts after the lace graph 2, pm, work 47(53/57/63) sts in Double Seed Stitch pattern. Work in pattern for 30(34/38/42) rows or 4(4 ½ /5/5 ½)" from beg ending with a RS row.

Shape waist: (RS) k2tog at the end of next row. Repeat last row every 12<sup>th</sup> row 4 more times – 51(57/61/67) sts rem. Work 9 rows even.

Shape bust: (RS) inc 1 st at end of next row. Repeat last row every 8<sup>th</sup> row 5(5/5/4) more times – 57(63/67/72) sts rem. Work 16(12/8/ 12) rows even.

Shape armholes: (WS) BO 4 sts at beg of next row – 53(59/63/68) sts rem. Work one row. BO 0/0/4/4 sts at the beg of the next row - 53(59/59/64) sts rem. Work 0(0/1/1) row. BO 3 sts at beg of next row – 50(56/56/61) sts remain. Work one row. BO 0/3/3/3) at the beg of the next row – 50(53/53/58) sts rem

Work 0(1/1/1) row. BO 2 sts at beg of next row - 48(51/51/56) sts rem. Work one row. Rep last two rows 1(2/1/1) more time(s) – 46(47/49/54) sts rem. Dec 1 st at the beg of next row - 45(46/48/53 ) sts rem. Work one row. Repeat last two rows 2(2/2/4) more times - 43(44/46/49) sts rem.

Work 38(40/42/42) rows even ending with a RS row.

Shape shoulder: (WS) at the beg of the next row BO 8(8/8/11)sts - 35(36/38/38)sts rem. Work one row. At the beg of the next row dec 1 st - 34(35/37/37) sts rem. Work 9(9/11/11)rows.

Shape collar: (WS) at the beg of the next row inc 1 st. Repeat this last row every 12<sup>th</sup> row 2 more times - 37(38/40/ 40)sts rem. Work 10(10/12/12) more rows then BO loosely all stitches in pattern.

Sleeves: (make two)

CO 47(49/51/53) sts.

Continue in double seed stitch pattern for 40(38/ 30/24) rows.

Shape sleeve: (RS) Inc 1 st each end of needle on next row and then every 4<sup>th</sup> row 1(1/2/3) more times – 51(53/57/61) sts. Work 7 rows.

Inc 1 st each end of needle on next row and then every 8<sup>th</sup> row 8(9/9/9) more times - 69(73/77/81)sts. Work even 21(9/9/9) more rows ending with a WS row.

Shape cap: (RS) BO 4 sts at beg of next 2 rows – 61(65/69/73) sts rem.

BO 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows – 55(59/63/67) sts rem.

BO 2 sts at beg of next 2(2/4/4) rows – 51(55/55/59) sts rem.

BO 1 sts at beg of next 6(6/4/4) rows – 45(49/51/55) sts rem. Work 2 rows

BO 1 sts at beg of next 2 rows – 43(47/49/53) sts rem. Work 2 rows

BO 1 sts at beg of next 2 rows – 41(45/47/51) sts rem. Work 2 rows

BO 1 sts at beg of next 2 rows – 39(43/45/49) sts rem. Work 2 rows

BO 1 sts at beg of next 2 rows – 37(41/43/47) sts rem. Work 0(2/2/2) rows

BO 0(1/1/1) sts at beg of next 2 rows – 37(39/41/45) sts rem. Work 0(2/2/2) rows

BO 1 sts at beg of next 4(8/10/10) rows – 33(31/31/35) sts rem

BO 2 sts at beg of next 6(6/8/10) rows – 21(19/15/15) sts rem

BO all sts in next row.

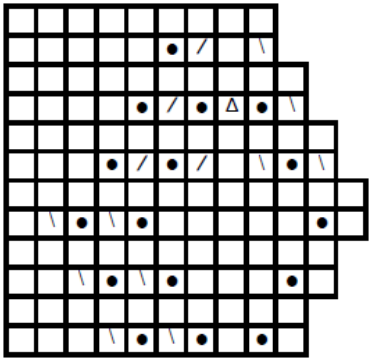
FINISHING:

Block all pieces to measurements. Close shoulder and collar seams. Set in sleeves. Close side and sleeve seams in one seam.

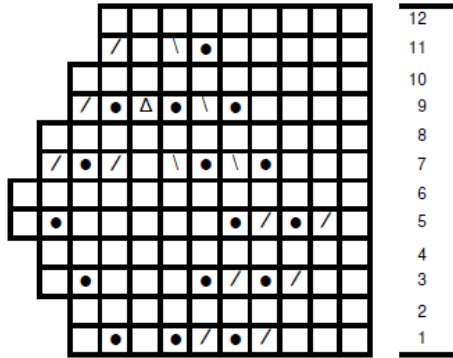
ABBREVIATIONS:






CO	cast on
BO	bind off
beg	beginning
inc	increase
dec	decrease
k	knit
k2tog	knit 2 sts together
p	purl
rep	repeat
st(s)	stitch(es)
WS	Wrong Side
RS	Right Side
yo	yarn over
pm	place a marker
ssk	slip 1 st knitwise, slip 1 st knitwise, k2 sl sts tog through back of loops

Graph 2



Graph 1



-  Slip 1 st, k2tog, pass slipped st over = 2 sts decreased
-  ssk
-  K2tog
-  Yarn over
-  Knit

