

25-11 Silk Shrug



Suggested yarn:

- Pierrot Yarns Silk100 Bouclé Fingering [100% silk; 273 yds/250m per 1.76 oz./50g cone]; color #4505 light lavender, 4 cones [160g]

Tools/Notions:

- 2.7mm (approx. US 2) and 3.3mm (approx. US 3) straight knitting needles or sizes necessary to achieve gauge
- 2.7mm (approx. US 2) circular knitting needle or size necessary to achieve gauge

Finished measurements:

- center back neck-to-cuff 53.5cm/21.06"
- length 90cm/35.43"

Gauge (10cm/4" square):

- pattern stitch A: 23 sts and 29 rows
- pattern stitch B: 21 sts and 29 rows

Gauge may vary according to individual knitting style. Change needle size if necessary to achieve gauge. Alternatively, rework pattern with your own gauge measurements.

Knitting Tips

Body: Cast on with crochet provisional cast-on and begin working in pattern stitch. Work even in pattern stitches A and B (that is, no increases or decreases), taking care to align starting points of pattern stitches. Using waste yarn, place markers at neck/hem opening on body where indicated. For left sleeve (bind-off side), work evenly spaced decreases, then continue in k2p2 ribbing. Bind off in pattern. Pick up live stitches from provisional cast-on edge and work cuff in the same manner as other cuff.

Finishing: Seam sleeve undersides with mattress stitch. Pick up stitches around neck/hem opening and work k2p2 ribbing in the round. Bind off in pattern.

Abbreviations:

circ = circular needle
L = left
pm = place marker
PU = pick up
R = right
rnds = rounds

