# **Sideways Knit Doll Cardigan** by **Beate Beaumont**

A doll sized variation of Crystal Erb Junkins' "Corinne" cardigan with kind permission by the author



#### Size

Fits 18" dolls

# **Materials**

40g of 4-ply/fingering/sock yarn, 3, 3.25 or 3.5mm needles, whichever size necessary to obtain gauge.

The instructions are for the blue cardigan pictured, the other two were made from 3-ply yarns with some mohair content.

#### **Notions**

3 stitch markers

Stitch holders or spare circular needles or dpns, (bamboo dpns are light weight and not slippery).

3 small buttons.

## Gauge

22 sts = 10cm/4" in garter stitch 50 rows = 10cm/4" in garter stitch

# **Pattern Notes**

The cardigan is knitted all in garter stitch back and forth in rows.

Shaping is achieved by short rows throughout (no wrapping).

3 button holes will be worked into the upper portion of the right front edge.

## **Left Front**

CO 34 sts

K 5 rows garter stitch,

Row 6: K3 pm, K6 pm, K10 pm, K15, this completes the front border and sets up for the Short Row Sequence

# **Short Row Sequence**

Row 1 (RS): K to first marker, turn work.

Rows 2, 4, 6 (WS): K to end.

Row 3 (RS): K to second marker, turn work.

Row 5 (RS): to third marker, turn work.

Rows 7-8: K all sts.

Work Rows 1-8 of Short Row Sequence a total of 4 times, then work Rows 1-7 once more

#### **Left Sleeve**

Next Row (WS): K14, place last 20 sts on holder, remove marker.

CO 18 sts for sleeve = 32 sts on needle

Next Row (RS) is row 1 of Short Row Sequence, pm after st 13, turn work.

Work Rows 1-8 of Short Row Sequence a total of 9 times, then work Rows 1-7 once more.

#### **Back**

Next Row (WS): K14, place last 18 sts on holder, K 20 held sts from previous holder, this joins the front and back without a seam.

Work 1-8 of Short Row Sequence a total of 10 times, then work Rows 1-7 once more.

#### **Right Sleeve**

Work as for left sleeve.

## **Right Front**

Next Row (WS): K14, place last 18 sts on holder, K20 held sts from previous holder, this joins the left front with the back.

Work Rows 1-8 of Short Row Sequence a total of 5 times, remove markers.

K 2 rows.

Next Row (RS): K18, yo, K2tog, K4, yo, K2tog, K4 yo, K2tog, K2.

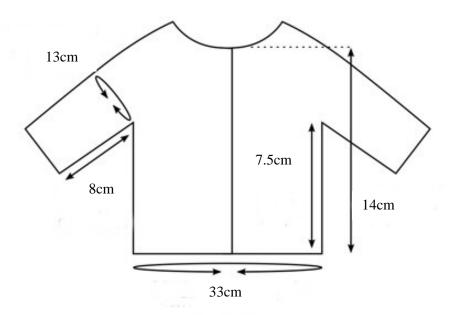
K 2 rows, bind off.

#### **Finishing**

With WS facing, pick up and K 1st in each st along CO edge of one sleeve. Graft (3-needle bind-off) to held sts. Repeat for the other sleeve.

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Weave in ends, sew on buttons.



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