

KNITTING PATTERN

## Firenze

## Cardigan

## MATERIALS

$9(10,11,12,13)$ skeins of Friends Kid Silk color 88
$1(1,1,1,1)$ skein of Glitter Deluxe 30 g
color 18129

Needles 12 mm (US17)

Stitch markers
Tapestry needle

## YARN QUALITY

(a0) Friends Kid Silk, Hobbii
72\% Mohair, 25\% Silk, 3\% Wool
25 g / 0.9 oz = 200 m / 218 yds

Glitter Deluxe 30g, Go Handmade
100\% polyester
$30 \mathrm{~g} / 1.1 \mathrm{oz}=1800-2100 \mathrm{~m} / 1950-$
2300 yds

## GAUGE

7 sts $\times 12$ rows $=10 \mathrm{~cm} \times 10 \mathrm{~cm} / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 4^{\prime \prime}$ In Brioche stitch
with 12 mm (US17) needles

## ABBREVIATIONS

$\mathrm{K}=\mathrm{knit}$
P = purl
St(s) = stitch(es)
RS = right side
WS = wrong side
YO = yarn over
BRIOCHE ST = a double st, consisting of a
yo and a slipped st
WYIB = with yarn in back
WYIF = with yarn in front
SL1P = slip 1 st purlwise
K2tog = knit 2 stitches together

## SIZE

XS (S, M, L, XL)

## MEASUREMENTS

Chest circumference: 67-76 ( 77-86, 87-96, 97-106, 107-116) cm / 26.5-30 ( 30.5-34,
34.5-37.5, 38-41.5, 42-45.5) in

Width: approx. $67(70,76,81,87) \mathrm{cm} / 26.5$
(27.5, 30, 32, 34.5) in

Length: approx. $51(53,54,56,59) \mathrm{cm} / 20$ (20.5, 21.5, 22, 23.5) in

## PATTERN INFORMATION

Firenze Cardigan is knitted from the bottom-up where the body is worked flat, with four strands of Friends Kid Silk. The sleeves are knitted flat too separately and to be sewn together, with four strands of Friends Kid Silk and one of Glitter Deluxe 30g. Perfect for intermediate knitters, but also beginners can try. The cardigan is made in brioche stitch.

If you are in between two sizes, I recommend choosing the bigger one if you would like a more oversized fit or choosing the smaller one for a more fitted look.
Please refer to the size information with the widths and lengths noted to double check the measurements will be to your liking.

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https://shop.hobbii.com/firenze-cardigan

## QUESTIONS

If you have any questions regarding this pattern, please feel free to email us at support@hobbii.com. Please make sure to include the pattern's name and number.

Happy Crafting!

## Pattern



## INFO AND TIPS

Follow the instructions for the size fitting your chest circumference; keep in mind the first number refers to size 1 , the second to size 2 and so forth.
When there is only one number given, it means it applies to all sizes. When there is a " 0 " on your size, it means that instruction doesn't apply to your size.
A comma separates each size indication. A dash separates instructions for the same size. The word '*indications* - repeat **' means you have to repeat indications between asterisks across the row, if not differently subsequent specifications.

When counting stitches, yarn overs are not included in the stitch count.
I recommend circling the number in the pattern which corresponds to the size you are making before starting to knit to prevent any confusion.

Remember a knitted garment will never be exactly the same as another. Each one is unique. It's absolutely normal measurements will be a little bit different from the ones indicated in the pattern.

Remember that if you change the number of needles or stitches to match the measurements specified in the pattern or to achieve a different fit, you will need to recalculate and adjust the other pattern instructions accordingly. If you don't feel confident in performing this calculation due to your level of experience, I advise you to avoid making such modifications.

## Decreases

Brioche k2tog (right leaning brioche decrease)
Slip brioche st knitwise wyib - k1- pass the slipped brioche stitch over the st you just knit slip the resulting stitch back to the left needle purlwise wyib - pass the brioche stitch (second st on the left needle) on the the first stitch - slip the stitch back to your right needle purlwise wyib.

Brioche SSK (left leaning brioche decrease)

Slip the first brioche st knitwise wyib - knit the next st (appears like a purl stitch) and the following brioche st (3 sts in total) together - pass the brioche st you slipped over the three sts you knit together.


## BACK

Work with 4 strands of Friends Kid Silk.
Cast on $49(51,55,59,63)$ sts. Two are edge sts.
Row 1 to Row 4 : work in $1 \times 1$ rib stitch, starting the first row with a knitted st.
Row 5 (WS) : k1(edge st) - *SL1P wyif - yo - k1* - repeat **.
Row 6 (RS) : p1 - *k2tog - p1* - repeat **.
Row 7 to row $61(63,65,67,71)$ : repeat Row 5 and Row 6 , ending with a Row 5, paying attention to the following decreases.
A. Row $30(30,30,30,32)$, or when the piece measures approx. $25(25,25,25,26.5)$ cm/10 (10, 10, 10, 10.5) in : p1 - Brioche SSK - p1 - *k2tog - p1* - repeat ** until there are 4 sts remaining : Brioche k2tog - p1.

## Shoulder decreases

B. Row $58(60,62,64,68)$ or when the piece measures approx. $48(50,52,53,57) \mathrm{cm} /$ $19(19.5,20.5,21,22.5)$ in and Row $60(62,64,66,70)$ : instructions as in point $A$.

Row $62(64,66,68,72)$ : Bind off all the remaining sts of the back. Remember to work together the slipped st and the yo.

## FRONT RIGHT

Work with 4 strands of Friends Kid Silk.

Cast on $25(25,27,27,29)$ sts. One is edge st.
Row 1 to Row 4 : work in $1 \times 1$ rib stitch, starting the first row with a knitted st.
Row 5 (WS) : k1 (edge st) - *SL1P wyif - yo - k1* - repeat ** until there are 4 sts remaining : SL1P wyif - yo - k1 - SL2P wyif.
Row 6 (RS) : k2 - p1 - *k2tog - p1* - repeat **.
Row 7 to row $59(61,63,65,69)$ : repeat Row 5 and Row 6, ending with a Row 5, paying attention to the following decreases.
C. Row $22(22,22,22,24)$ and Row $26(26,26,26,28)$ : k2 - p1 - Brioche SSK - p1 - *k2tog - p1* - repeat **.
D. Row $30(30,30,30,32)$, or when the piece measures approx. $25(25,25,25,26.5)$ $\mathrm{cm} / 10(10,10,10,10.5)$ in : k2 - p1 - *k2tog - p1* - repeat ** until there are 4 sts remaining - Brioche k2tog - p1.

You have $19(19,21,21,23)$ sts on your needle.

## Shoulder decreases

E. Row $56(58,60,62,66)$ or when the piece measures approx. $46.5(48.5,50,51.5,55)$ $\mathrm{cm} / 18.5(19,19.5,20.5,21.5)$ in and Row $58(60,62,64,68)$ : instructions as in point D.

Row $60(62,64,66,70)$ : Bind off all the remaining sts of the front right. Remember to work together the slipped st and the yo.

## FRONT LEFT

Work with 4 strands of Friends Kid Silk.
Cast on $25(25,27,27,29)$ sts. One is edge st.
Row 1 to Row 4 : work in $1 \times 1$ rib stitch, starting the first row with a knitted st.
Row 5 (WS) : SL2P wyif - k1 - *SL1P wyif - yo - k1* - repeat **.
Row 6 (RS) : p1 (edge st) - *k2tog - p1* - repeat ** until there are 4 sts remaining : k2tog - p1 - k2.

Row 7 to row $59(61,63,65,69)$ : repeat Row 5 and Row 6, ending with a Row 5, paying attention to the following decreases.
F. Row $22(22,22,22,24)$ and Row $26(26,26,26,28)$ : p1 - *k2tog - p1* - repeat ** until there are 6 sts remaining : Brioche k2tog - p1-k2.
G. Row $30(30,30,30,32)$, or when the piece measures approx. $25(25,25,25,26.5)$ cm/10 (10, 10, 10, 10.5) in : p1 - Brioche SSK - p1 - *k2tog - p1* - repeat ** until there are 2 sts remaining : k2.

You have $19(19,21,21,23)$ sts on your needle.

## Shoulder decreases

H. Row $56(58,60,62,66)$ or when the piece measures approx. $46.5(48.5,50,51.5,55)$ $\mathrm{cm} / 18.5(19,19.5,20.5,21.5)$ in and Row $58(60,62,64,68)$ : instructions as in point G.

Row $60(62,64,66,70)$ : Bind off all the remaining sts of the front left. Remember to work together the slipped st and the yo.

## SLEEVES

Work with 4 strands of Friends Kid Silk and 1 of Glitter Deluxe 30g.
Cast on 30 (32, 34, 36, 38) sts. Two are edge sts.
Row 1 and Row 2 : work in $1 \times 1$ rib stitch, starting the first row with two knitted st (one edge st and one for the rib).

Row 3 (WS) : k1 (edge st) - k1 - *SL1P wyif - yo - k1* - repeat **.
Row $4(\mathrm{RS})$ : p1 - *k2tog - p1* - repeat ** until there is 1 st remaining : p1.
Row 5 to row $41(45,47,51,53)$ : repeat Row 3 and Row 4, ending with a Row 3.
Row $42(46,48,52,54)$ or when the piece measures approx. $35(38,40,43,45) \mathrm{cm} / 14(15,16$, $17,18)$ in: p1 - *Brioche SSK- p1- k2tog - p1* - repeat ** until there are $5(1,3,5,1)$ sts remaining: follow instruction below.

- SIZE 1 and SIZE 4 : Brioche SSK - p2
- SIZE 2 and SIZE 5 : p1.
- SIZE 3 : k2tog - p2.

You have $20(22,24,24,26)$ sts on your needle.
Row $43(47,49,53,55)$ to Row $(45,49,51,55,57)$ : work in $1 \times 1$ rib stitch, starting the first row with two knitted sts (one edge st and one for the rib).

Row $46(50,52,56,58)$ : Bind off all the sts.
Repeat for the second sleeve.

## JOIN

Join the neck by sewing the bound off edges of the fronts to the bound off edge of the back.
Join the sleeve hole by sewing $29(29,29,29,31)$ sts of the front left lateral side with $29(29$, $29,29,31)$ sts of the back left lateral side; do the same with the right side, as well.

Sew the side sleeve seams by stitching through the first and last stitch of each row of the sleeve.

Sew the sleeve to the body by aligning and joining all stitches of the sleeve with approximately $1 / 2$ of the body stitches, in this way : * sew 1 st - skip 1 st * - repeat **. If you want, you can add a button to keep the cardigan closed


Enjoy!
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