

a kerriknits pattern

Bryce Pillar Cardigan is sure to become the layering piece you always reach for with its classic cables and texture in an easy to wear drop shoulder silhouette. The v-neckline with shawl collar add a blazer-like feel that lends well to dressing up or dressing down. This works up quickly in DK to light worsted weight yarn, where solids and semi-solids will show off the stitch pattern best.

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## **Pattern Information**

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#### Suggested Yarn

Knotty Pine Fiber Co. Laramie Range DK or other DK to light worsted weight yarn that knits to gauge

#### Sizes

34 (38, 42, 46, 50, 54)(58, 62, 66, 70)" / 86.5 (96.5, 106.5, 117, 127, 137)(147.5, 157.5, 167.5, 178) cm

#### Yarn Requirements

1095 (1195, 1360, 1490, 1645, 1795)(1940, 2105, 2305, 2495) yds / 1001 (1093, 1244, 1362, 1504, 1641)(1774, 1925, 2108, 2281) m

#### Gauge

16 sts and 29 rows = 4" / 10 cm in Seed St on larger needles, blocked

#### Needles

Circular needles long enough to accommodate stitches & DPNs (or preferred small circumference needle) in the following sizes:

> US Size 6 / 4 mm (ribbing) US Size 7 / 4.5 mm (main)

Adjust needle size as needed to obtain gauge

#### **Other Notions**

4 large buttons (1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>8</sub>-1<sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub>" / 28-35 mm in diameter), cable needle, stitch markers, removable stitch markers, stitch holders, tapestry needle

#### Pattern Abbreviations

- **BO** Bind off
- C1/2F Hold 1 st in front of work with cn, knit 2 sts from LHN, knit 1 st from cn
- C2/1B Hold 2 sts in back of work with cn, knit 1 st from LHN, knit 2 sts from cn
  - C4B Hold 2 sts in back of work with cn, knit 2 sts from LHN, knit 2 sts from cn
  - C4F Hold 2 sts in front of work with cn, knit 2 sts from LHN, knit 2 sts from cn
  - **cn** Cable needle
  - CO Cast on
- dec('d) Decrease(d)
- **DPN** Double Pointed Needle
- **inc('d)** Increase(d)
- k2(3)tog Knit 2 (3) sts together as one st
  - **kfb** Knit through the front and back loops of the next stitch
  - LHN Left hand needle
  - m1 Insert LHN into ladder between sts. Knit tbl of raised ladder
- p2(3)tog Purl 2 (3) sts together as one st
  - pm Place marker
  - **psso** Lift 2nd stitch on RHN over 1st stitch and off of needle, as you do in a bind off
  - R/Rnd Round
  - **RHN** Right hand needle
    - **RS** Right Side
    - sl slip stitch purlwise with yarn held to WS
  - sl m Slip marker
  - ss(s)k [Sl 1 knitwise] 2 (3) times, knit those 2 (3) sts
    together tbl as one st
  - ss(s)p [Sl 1 knitwise] 2 (3) times, purl those 2 (3) sts
    together tbl as one st
  - **st(s)** Stitch(es)
    - **tbl** Through the back loop(s)
  - WL Wearer's Left
- **Work even** Continue working in pattern(s) as previously established
  - WR Wearer's Right
  - WS Wrong Side
  - yo Yarn over

# Special Techniques

#### 3 Needle Bind Off (3NBO)

**Step 1:** Insert a third needle through the first stitch on each of the other two needles; knit them together as one st. **Step 2:** Repeat Step 1.

**Step 3:** Lift the first stitch on the 3rd needle over the 2nd stitch, as you would in a normal bind off.

**Step 4:** Repeat Steps 2-3 until you have one loop left on the third needle. Pull yarn through and break yarn.

#### Wrap & Turn (W&T)

**RS rows:** With yarn held towards back/WS of work, sl 1 p-wise onto RHN. Bring yarn towards front/RS of work, and slip wrapped st back on LHN. Turn work.

**WS rows:** With yarn held towards front/WS of work, slip st p-wise onto RHN. Bring yarn towards back/RS of work, and slip wrapped st back onto LHN. Turn work.

#### **Picking Up Wraps**

**RS rows:** Slip wrapped stitch onto RHN p-wise, use LHN to pick up wrap, then slip stitch back onto LHN, k2tog to work the wrap and stitch together. (p2tog when stitch needs to appear as purl on RS)

**WS rows:** Use RHN to pick up back leg of wrap and bring up onto LHN, p2tog to work the wrap and stitch together. k2tog when stitch needs to appear as purl on RS)

#### **3-Stitch Buttonhole**

CO 3, sl 1, [sl 1, psso] 3 times, slip stitch from RHN back onto LHN

*Tutorial: <u>kerriknits.com/one-row-buttonhole</u>* 

#### **Backwards Yarnover Bind Off**

byo, k1, pass 2nd and 3rd sts on RHN over 1st st to BO

To work a backwards yarn over (byo), bring yarn towards front of work over RHN, then bring yarn underneath RHN and towards back of work.

*Tutorial: <u>kerriknits.com/backwards-yarnover-bind-off</u>* 

#### 2x2 Rib

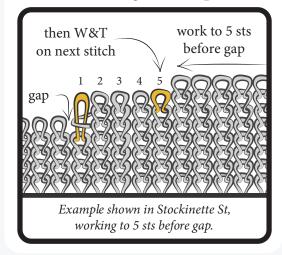
*Multiple of 4+2. When working in the round, work instructions for RS rows only.* 

**RS rows:** [k2, p2] to last 2 sts, k2. **WS rows:** [p2, k2] to last 2 sts, p2.

### Short Row Notes

Wrap placement instructions in this pattern sometimes refer to the gap that is created by a wrap & turn short row. When the pattern says work to 5 sts before gap, this is the number of stitches that are on the LHN before the gap. Execute the W&T on the next stitch. See illustrated example below.

#### Referring to the Gap



# Seed St

Multiple of 2

**Even # sts, worked flat or in the round: R1:** [k1, p1] repeat.

**R2:** [p1, k1] repeat. Repeat R1-R2 for pattern.

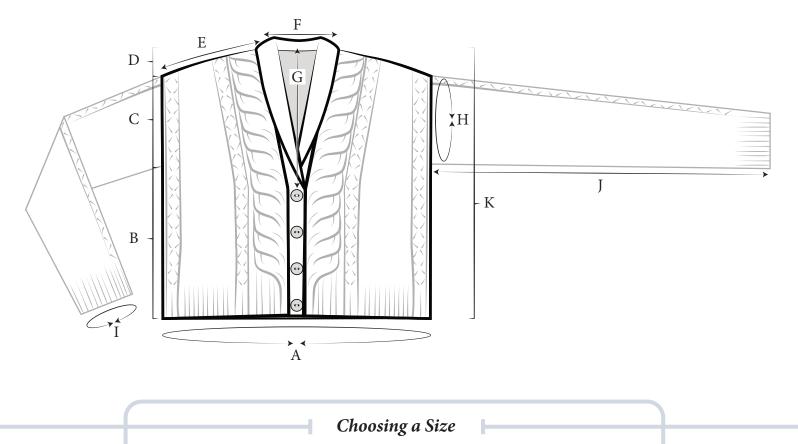
#### Odd # sts, worked flat:

**R1:** k1, [p1, k1] repeat. Repeat R1 for pattern on both RS & WS rows.

#### Odd # sts, worked in the round:

**R1:** k1, [p1, k1] repeat. **R2:** p1, [k1, p1] repeat. Repeat R1-R2 for pattern.

# Schematic and Sizing



Garment sizing is based on the finished chest measurement of the cardigan when buttoned. Sample garment is shown in size 42" / 106.5 cm, worn with 3" / 7.5 cm of positive ease (wearer's bust measures 39" / 99 cm). To achieve a similar look, choose a size that is 2-6" / 5-15 cm bigger than your actual full bust measurement. Keep in mind the garments that you plan to wear with this cardigan. If you wish to wear heavier layers underneath, consider choosing a size that is on the higher end of the ease range, or sizing up.

## **Garment Construction**

This drop-shoulder cardigan with v-neck is worked seamlessly in one piece from the bottom up. There is no waist shaping for an easy fit through the body. The fronts and back are worked separately above the armholes, with short row shaping at the shoulders and then joined with a 3-needle bind off. Sleeves are picked up along the armhole edges and knit in the round to the cuff. The button band is picked up along center front edges to finish the front opening, with short rows shaping the shawl collar.

# Measurement Tables

Size (inches)	34	38	42	46	50	54	58	62	66	70
A - Hip/Chest Circumference	34	38	42	46	50	54	58	62	66	70
B - Side Seam Length	13	13	13	13	13½	13½	13½	14	14	14
C - Armhole length	6¼	6½	7	7½	8	81⁄2	9	91⁄2	10¼	11
D - Shoulder Slope	1¾	2	2¼	2¼	21⁄2	2¾	3	3¼	31/2	3¾
E - Shoulder Seam Length	5¾	6¾	7¾	81⁄2	91⁄2	101⁄2	1111/4	12¼	13¼	14
F - Neck Width	51⁄2	51⁄2	51⁄2	6	6	6	6½	6½	6½	7
G - V Neck Depth	11	111/2	12¼	12¾	13	13¾	14½	14¾	15¼	16¼
H - Bicep Circumference	13½	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21½	23
I - Wrist Circumference	9	9	10	10	10	11	11	11	12	12
J - Underarm Length	17½	17½	18½	18½	18½	18	18	17½	17½	17½
K - Length from Shoulder	21	211/2	22¼	22¾	24	24¾	251/2	26¾	27¾	28¾

all measurements below are finished garment measurements after blocking

Size (cm)	86.5	96.5	106.5	117	127	137	147.5	157.5	167.5	178
A - Hip/Chest Circumference	86.5	96.5	106.5	117	127	137	147.5	157.5	167.5	178
B - Side Seam Length	33	33	33	33	34.5	34.5	34.5	35.5	35.5	35.5
C - Armhole length	16	16.5	18	19	20.5	21.5	23	24	26	28
D - Shoulder Slope	4.5	5	5.5	5.5	6.5	7	7.5	8.5	9	9.5
E - Shoulder Seam Length	14.5	17	19.5	21.5	24	26.5	28.5	31	33.5	35.5
F - Neck Width	14	14	14	15	15	15	16.5	16.5	16.5	18
G - V Neck Depth	28	29	31	32.5	33	35	37	37.5	38.5	41.5
H - Bicep Circumference	34.5	35.5	38	40.5	43	45.5	48.5	51	54.5	58.5
I - Wrist Circumference	23	23	25.5	25.5	25.5	28	28	28	30.5	30.5
J - Underarm Length	44.5	44.5	47	47	47	45.5	45.5	44.5	44.5	44.5
K - Length from Shoulder	53.5	54.5	56.5	58	61	63	65	68	70.5	73

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