



Cocoon Cardigan

Level: Intermediate

SIZES

S (M, L, 1X, 2X)

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

To Fit Chest: 38 (42, 46, 50, 54)''

Length: 28''

MATERIALS

Premier® Yarns Retro Velvet® (100% Polyester; 10oz/280g 306 yds/280m)

- #1088-03 Light Gray – 3 (3, 3, 3, 4) balls

Hook: US Size J/10 (6 mm) crochet hook *or size needed to obtain gauge*

Notions: Tapestry needle, removable stitch markers, scissors, tape measure

GAUGE

10 sts x 9 rows = 4'' in Third Loop Half Double Crochet

Save time; check your gauge.

STITCH GUIDE

Third Loop Half Double Crochet (*any number of sts + 2 for foundation ch*)

Note: Rather than working into the stitch as you normally would, you will work into the 'third loop' of the half double crochet stitch. The horizontal line at the back of the stitch is the third loop. Working into this loop creates a unique, ribbing effect.

Row 1 (RS): Hdc in 3rd ch from hook and in each ch to end, turn.

Row 2: Ch 2 (*does not count as st here*), hdc in third loop of each st to end.
Repeat Row 2 for Pattern.

FPdc: Yo, insert hook from front around post of dc in the row below, working from right to left, [yo, pull through 2 loops] twice.

BPdc: Yo, insert hook from back around post of dc in the row below, working from right to left, [yo, pull through 2 loops] twice.

Raised Double Rib (*even number of sts + 2 for the foundation ch*)

Row 1 (RS): Dc in 4th ch from hook (3 skipped chs count as dc), dc in each ch across, turn.

Row 2: Ch 2 (counts as st here), *1 FPdc around next dc, 1 BPdc around next dc; rep from * across, 1 FPdc around beg ch-3, turn.

Row 3: Ch 2 (counts as st here), *1 FPdc around next st, 1 BPdc around next st; rep from * across, 1 FPdc around beg ch-2, turn.
Rep Row 3 for pattern.

CARDIGAN

Back

Ch 63. Work **Third Loop Half Double Crochet** until piece measures 41 (43, 45, 47, 49)'' from beginning ch. Using diagram as a reference, fold corners to form sleeves. Sew sleeve seams leaving a 6'' opening for armhole.

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Edging

Measure 5" up from bottom edge of each side of Cardigan Front and place a marker at each point. With RS facing, join yarn at first marker and hdc evenly around bottom edge to opposite marker, turn.

Beginning with Row 2, work **Raised Double Rib** for 8". Fasten off.

Cuff (Make 2)

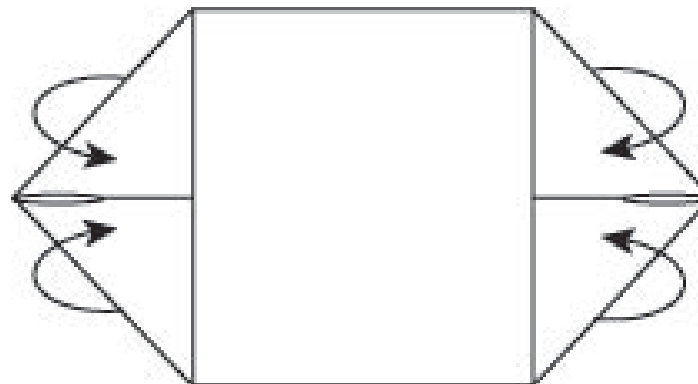
With RS facing, work 30 hdc evenly around armhole. Work **Raised Double Rib** for 3". Fasten off. Sew seam. Repeat for 2nd armhole.

FINISHING

Weave in ends.

Abbreviations

beg	beginning
ch(s)	chain(s)
dc	double crochet
hdc	half double crochet
rep	repeat(ing)
RS	right side
st(s)	stitch(es)
yo	yarn over



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