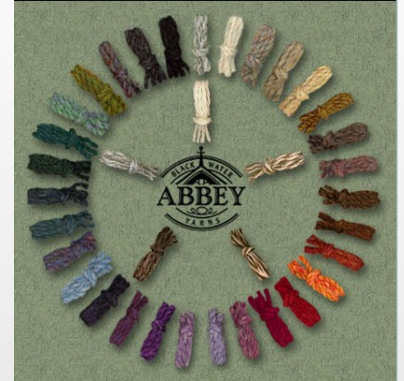


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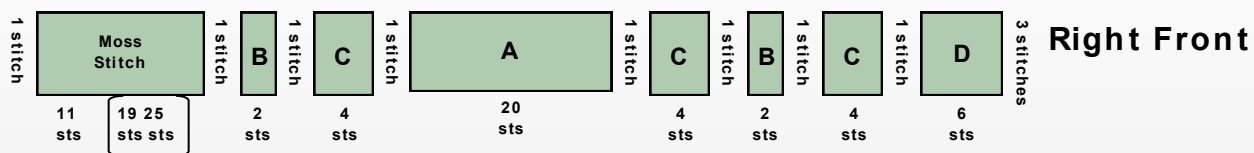


*If you see a faery ring  
In a field of grass,  
Very lightly step around,  
Tiptoe as you pass;  
Last night faeries frolicked there,  
And they're sleeping somewhere near.*

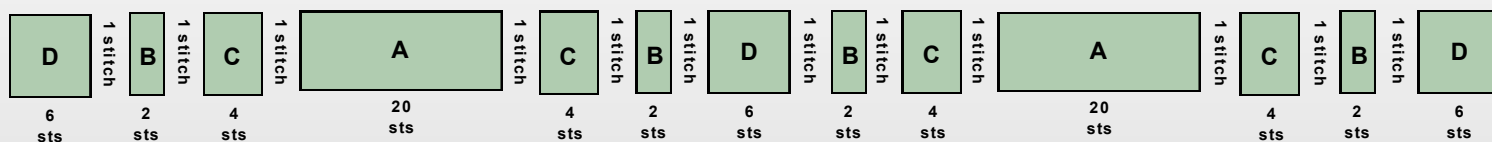
*William Shakespeare*

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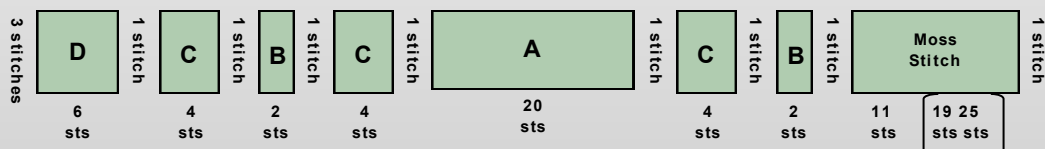
## Bodice Cable Arrangement



## Center Back

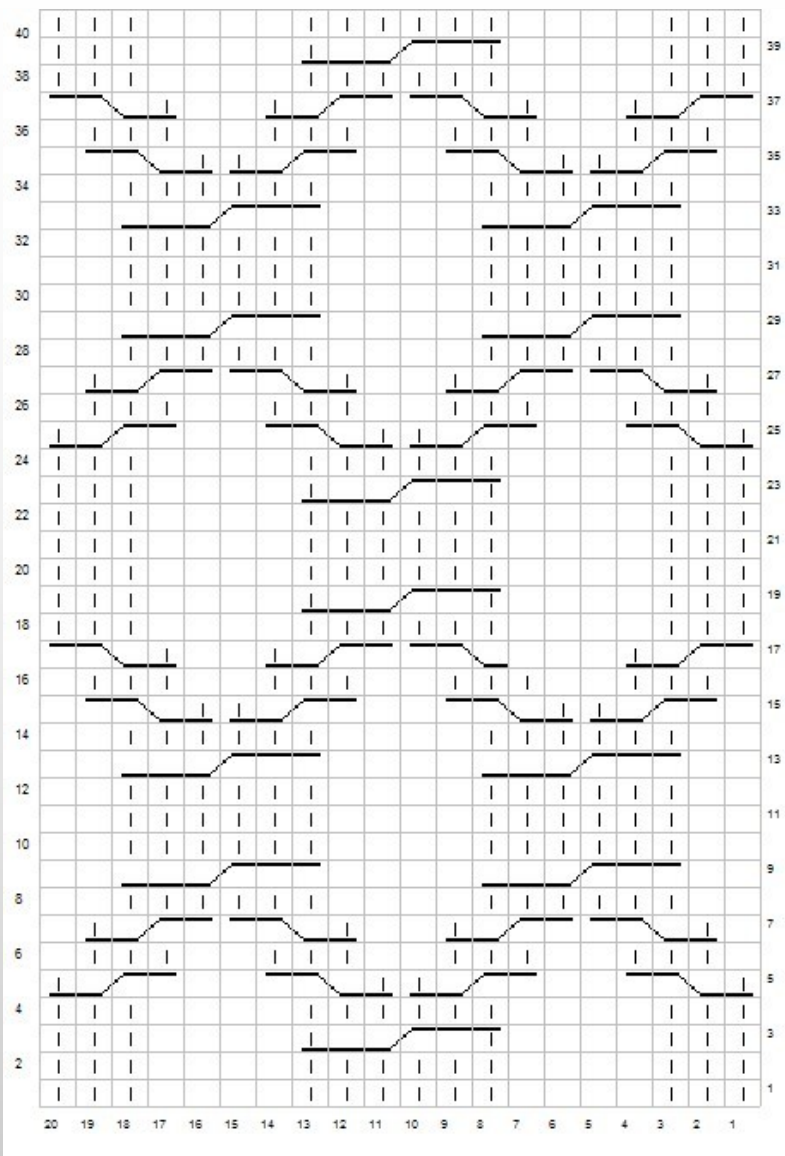


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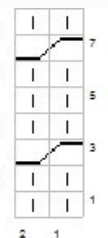


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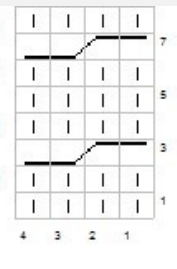
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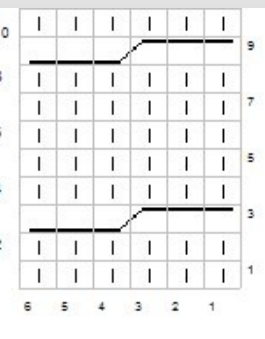
Cable Pattern B



Cable Pattern C



Cable Pattern D

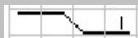


**Note:** Cable A is worked with 3 rev st st stitches on either side for lower border, cuffs, sleeves and hood. Cable A is worked as shown for bodice. This chart depicts two repeats.

## Stitch Key



6-st RC: sl 3 sts to CN, hold to back, k3, k3 from CN



3-1 LPC: sl 3 sts to CN, hold to front, p1, k3 from CN



p on RS, k on WS



4-st RC: sl 2 sts to CN, hold to back, k2, k2 from CN



2-st RC: k 2nd st on L needle, k 1st st on L needle, move both sts to R needle.



k on RS, p on WS



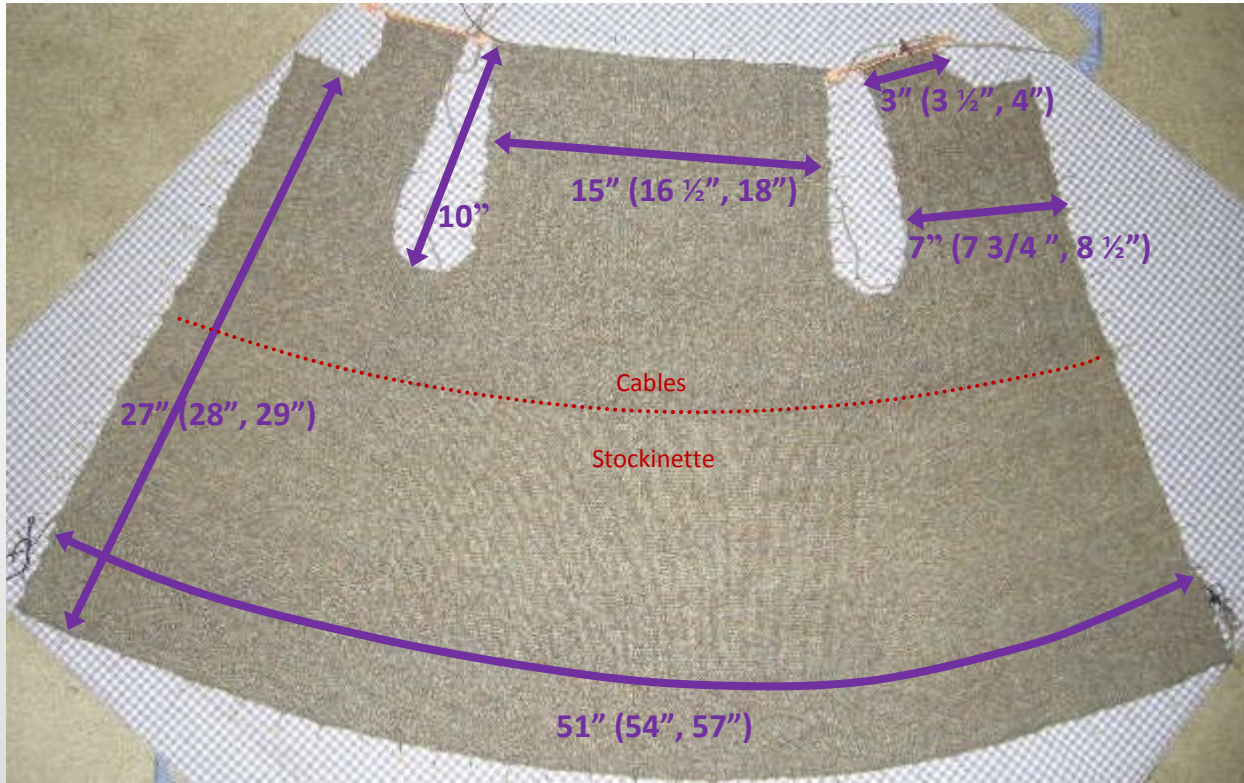
3-1 RPC: sl 1 st to CN, hold to back, k3, p1 from CN

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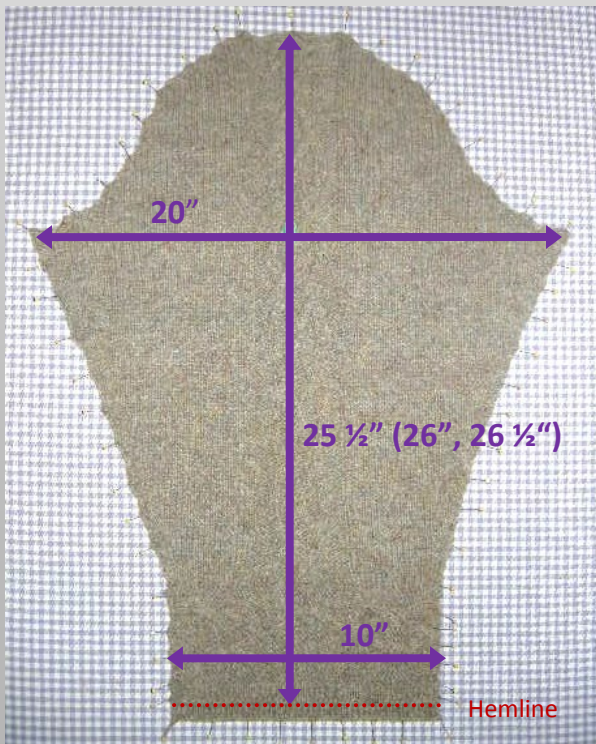
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## Blocking Schematics

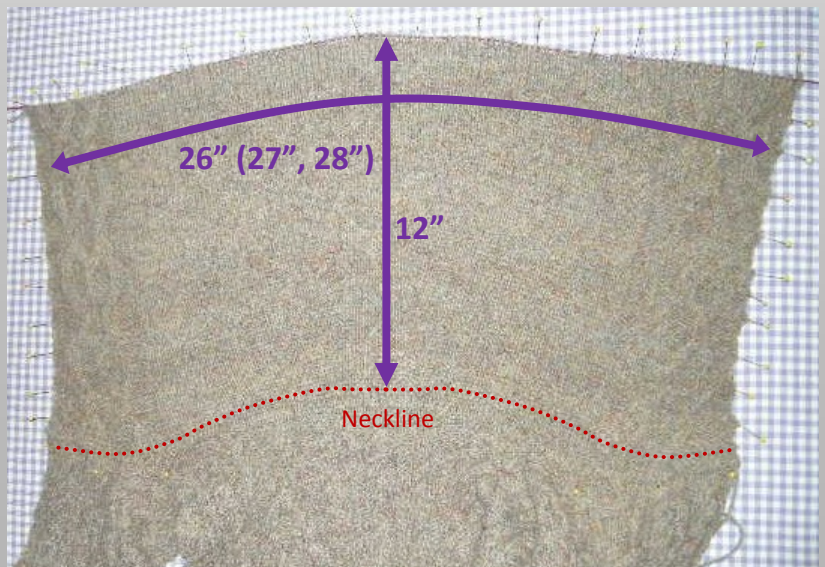
### Body



### Sleeve



### Hood



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## Finished Size

36" (39",42") [91.4(99.1, 106.7) cm] chest circumference  
30" (31",32") [76.2(,78.7,81.3) cm] center back length  
25½" (26",26½") [64.8(66,67.3) cm] sleeve length

## Yarn

Worsted



Shown

Here: Black Water Abbey 2-Ply Worsted 100% wool; 220 yd/4 oz, Bracken, 8 (9,10) skeins 1760 (1980, 2200 yds)



## Needles

Body, Sleeves & Hood size 7 (4.5 mm), Edgings size 5 (3.75 mm), or sizes to obtain gauge. Note: It is helpful to have two 40" circular needles in size 5(3.75 mm), as the front and hood edgings are knit continuously.

## Notions

Stitch holders or waste yarn, stitch markers, cable needle, tapestry needle, sewing thread & needle, 9 size 5/8" (14 mm) shank buttons (JHB International #92072 "Antico" shown).

## Gauge

18 stitches and 24 rows = 4" (10 cm) in stockinette

## Notes

Body is worked in one piece back and forth to armholes, then neckline and armhole shapings continue separately. Sleeves are knit individually and sewn in place. Hood is picked up and knitted from neck edge.

## Special Abbreviations

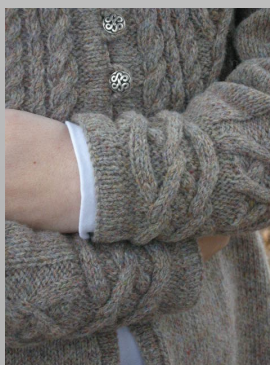
M1R: Bring the tip of the left needle under the strand between stitches, from back to front. Knit this loop.

M1L: Bring the tip of the left needle under the strand between stitches, from front to back. Knit through the back of the loop.

PM: Place Marker

## Lower Cable

With larger needles, CO 26 sts. k3, p4, k6, p4, k3, p3. Continue



Set up cable pattern A (RS): p3, cable pattern A as established,

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working 3 rev st st sts on each side of pattern. Repeat 17 (18, 19) times, until cable measures about 51" (54", 57") [129.5 (137.2, 144.8) cm], ending with row 21. B.O.

With smaller needles. Pick up and knit 262 (278, 290) sts. along one long edge of cable. Work 5 rows back and forth in st. st. k 1 row from WS to form a turning ridge. Work 5 rows st. st. B.O. Fold hem up along turning ridge and sew in place by hand, invisibly from WS.



## Body

Using larger needles, pick up and knit 262 (278, 290) sts along unhemmed edge. PM after 66 (70, 73) and 130 (138, 144) sts. Work back and forth in st. st for 5 rows. Next and every following 6<sup>th</sup> (RS) row, work decreases as follows: k to 7 sts before M, SSK, k5, slip M, k5, k2tog. Repeat at 2<sup>nd</sup> M. Repeat decreases 9 more times, 222 (238, 250) sts. Work 5 rows. Next row (RS), set up bodice cable arrangement, referring to chart. Cable pattern arrangement is the same for all sizes except for Moss stitch areas, which have 11 (19, 25,) sts on each side. Work even in cable pattern until bodice measures 5"(6", 7") [12.7 (15.2, 17.8) cm] from beginning of pattern, ending with a WS row.

Armhole Shaping: Next row (RS) work 53 (57, 60), B.O. 5, work 106 (114, 120), B.O. 5, work 53 (57, 60). Place sts for Right Front and Center Back on holders or waste yarn.

Left Front: Continue working in pattern, shaping armholes as follows: Next 5 RS rows, SSK 1<sup>st</sup> 2 sts (1 st decreased) 48, 52, 55 sts. Continue even until bodice measures 12"(13", 14") [30.5 (33, 35.60) cm] from beginning, ending with a RS row.

Shape Neckline: Next row (WS), B.O. 17 (19, 21) sts, work to end of row. Next 5 WS rows, P2tog, work to end of row. 26 (28, 29) sts. Continue in pattern until bodice front measures 15"(16", 17") [38.1 (40.6, 43.2) cm] from beginning. Place shoulder stitches on holder or waste yarn.



Right Front: Beginning with a WS row, tie in yarn to Right Front. Repeat all shaping in reverse for Right Front, substituting RS for WS, and k2tog for SSK and P2tog.

Back: Beginning with a WS row, tie in yarn and work 1 row. Decrease 1 st at the beginning of the next 10 rows 96 (104, 110) sts. Continue in pattern until bodice back measures 15"(16", 17") [38.1 (40.6, 43.2) cm] from beginning. Place all sts on holders or waste yarn. Block body, referring to blocking schematic.

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## Sleeves

With larger needles, C.O. 26 sts. Work Cable Pattern A as for lower body cable for 3 repeats, until cable measures about 9". B.O. Using smaller needle, pick up and knit 49 sts at one long edge of cable. Work 5 rows in st.st. k 1 row from WS to form a turning ridge. Work 5 rows st. st. B.O. Using larger needles, pick up and knit 60 sts. along unhemmed edge. Next row (WS) set up cable pattern: p17, work 26 sts of cable pattern A, p17. Next & every following 4<sup>th</sup> row, work sleeve increases as follows: k3, M1R, continue in pattern to last 3 sts, M1L, k3. Repeat 20 times more. 102 sts. Work even until sleeve measures 17"(17½", 18") [43.2 (44.5, 45.7) cm] from cuff turning ridge.

Shape Sleeve Cap: B.O. 6 sts at beg of next 2 rows. B.O. 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows. Dec 1 st at beg and end of next 9 RS rows (66 sts). Dec 1 st at beg and end of every 4<sup>th</sup> row, 4 times. B.O. 3 sts at beg of next 10 rows. B.O. rem 28 sts. Make second sleeve to match. Block sleeves, referring to blocking schematic.



## Hood

Join shoulder seams from WS, using three-needle bind-off. With larger needles, pick up and knit 34 (36, 38) sts along Right Front neck edge, 48 (52,52) held sts at Back neck, 34 36, 38) sts along Left Front neck edge. p 1 row. Next row, work 26 sts in cable pattern A, k 32 (36,38) PM, k 32 (36, 38), work 26 sts in cable pattern A. Work 1 WS row. Next & every following 4<sup>th</sup> row, work hood increases as follows: Work in pattern as established until 5 sts before M. M1R, k5, slip M, k5, M1L, work in pattern to end of row.



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Repeat hood increases 11 more times. 140 (148, 152) sts. Continue even until hood measures 12" (30.5 cm) from beginning, ending with a RS row. Place sts on holders or waste yarn and block hood, referring to blocking schematic.

## Finishing

Place 70 (62, 76) hood sts on each of 2 needles. Join hood seam from WS, using 3-needle bind-off.

Front & Hood Edgings: Working from RS with smaller needles, begin at lower right hem edge and pick up sts all the way up front, around hood, and down opposite front, ending at lower left hem edge. Pick up and knit approximately 420 (425, 430) sts. Work 5 rows back and forth in st. st. k 1 row from WS to form a turning ridge. Work 5 rows st. st. B.O. Fold hem up along turning ridge and sew in place by hand, invisibly from WS.

Sew sleeve seams. Fold hem up along turning ridge and sew in place by hand, invisibly from WS. Sew sleeves into armholes. Weave in ends. Sew buttons in place as shown, spacing evenly. Make button loops on opposite edge to match. Make tassel and sew to hood.

