

Sweaters and Cardigans

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MEASUREMENTS

To fit age Approximately	New Born	0-3 months	3-6 months	6-12 months	1-2 years	3-4 years	
To fit chest	36 14	41 16	46 18	51 20	56 22	61 24	cm in
Actual size	42 16½	46.5 18¼	56 20	57 22½	62 24½	66.5 26¼	cm in
Length to shoulder	23 9	25.5 10	29 11½	31.5 12½	34.5 13½	38 15	cm in
Sleeve seam	15 6	17.5 7	20.5 8	23 9	25.5 10	28 11	cm in

MATERIALS

King Cole Bounty Aran

Plain Sweater or Cardigan

Main Shade	1	1	1	1	1	2	250g balls
Contrast	small amount of DK yarn						

Cabled Sweater or Cardigan

Main Shade	1	1	1	1	1	2	250g balls
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Also suitable for any King Cole Aran yarn (ball amounts may vary)

TENSION

It is important to check your tension before commencing the garment.

18 sts and 30 rows to 10cm over moss stitch using 5mm (UK6 - USA8) knitting needles or the size required to give the correct tension.

You will also need

- 1 Pair of 4mm (UK8 - USA6) Knitting Needles
- 1 Pair of 4.5mm (UK7 - USA7) Knitting Needles
- 1 Pair of 5mm (UK6 - USA8) Knitting Needles
- Cable Needle

NOTES

After casting off one stitch will remain on the right hand needle which is not included in the instructions that follow.

Where only one figure is given, this applies to all sizes. Where the figure 0 appears, no sts, rows or times are worked for this size.



PLAIN SWEATER

BACK

With 4.5mm needles and A cast on 39 [43: 47 : 53 : 57 : 61]sts.

1st Row (Right side): K1, * P1, K1, rep from * to end.

1st row forms moss-st.

Work 7 rows more in moss-st.

Change to 5mm needles and work 34 [38 : 44 : 48 : 52 : 58] rows more in moss-st.

Shape Armholes

Cast off 2 [3 : 4 : 5 : 6 : 7]sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next and foll 0 [0 : 0 : 1 : 1 : 1] alt row. 33 [35 : 37 : 39 : 41 : 43]sts. **

Work 23 [27 : 31 : 33 : 37 : 41] rows straight in moss-st. ***

Shape Shoulder Flaps

Next Row: Cast off 1 [1 : 1 : 2 : 2 : 1]sts, moss-st 8 [8 : 8 : 8 : 8 : 10], sl rem 23 [25 : 27 : 28 : 30 : 31]sts onto a thread, turn.

9 [9 : 9 : 9 : 9 : 11]sts.

Complete first flap as follows:

Work 12 [12 : 12 : 14 : 14 : 14] rows in moss-st.

**** **Next Row (Making buttonhole):** Moss-st 4 [4 : 4 : 4 : 4 : 5], yrn, work 2tog, moss-st 3 [3 : 3 : 3 : 3 : 4].

Work 3 rows in moss-st.

Next Row: Moss-st 3 [3 : 3 : 3 : 3 : 4], work 3tog, moss-st 3 [3 : 3 : 3 : 3 : 4]. 7 [7 : 7 : 7 : 7 : 9]sts.

Work 1 row in moss-st.

Sl sts onto a thread.

Return to 23 [25 : 27 : 28 : 30 : 31]sts.

Leave 13 [15 : 17 : 17 : 19 : 19]sts on thread for back neck.

With right side facing rejoin yarn to neck edge of rem 10 [10 : 10 : 11 : 11 : 12]sts and moss-st to end.

Next Row: Cast off 1 [1 : 1 : 2 : 2 : 1]sts, moss-st to end. 9 [9 : 9 : 9 : 9 : 11]sts.

Work 7 rows in moss-st.

Complete second flap to match first flap from ****.

Contrast Edging

With 4.5mm needles and right side facing, join in C yarn and pick up and K16 [16 : 16 : 18 : 18 : 18]sts evenly up

right hand side of right shoulder flap, K7 [7 : 7 : 7 : 7 : 9]sts from thread, pick up and K16 [16 : 16 : 18 : 18 : 18]sts evenly down left hand side of flap, K13 [15 : 17 : 17 : 19 : 19]sts from back neck, pick up and K16 [16 : 16 : 18 : 18 : 18]sts evenly up right hand side of left shoulder flap, K7 [7 : 7 : 7 : 7 : 9]sts from thread, then pick up and K16 [16 : 16 : 18 : 18 : 18]sts down left hand side of flap. 91 [93 : 95 : 103 : 105 : 115]sts.

With 5mm needle cast off knitwise.

FRONT

Work exactly as given for Back to **. Work 19 [23 : 27 : 29 : 33 : 37] rows straight in moss-st.

Shape Neck

Next Row: Moss-st 11 [11 : 11 : 12 : 12 : 13], work 2tog, turn. 12 [12 : 12 : 13 : 13 : 14]sts.

Complete first side as follows:

***** Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 3 rows. Place a marker at shoulder edge. Dec 1 st at neck edge on every row until 2sts rem.

Work 2tog and fasten off.

Sl centre 7 [9 : 11 : 11 : 13 : 13]sts onto a thread.

With right side facing rejoin yarn at neck edge of rem 13 [13 : 13 : 14 : 14 : 15]sts, work 2tog, moss-st to end. 12 [12 : 12 : 13 : 13 : 14]sts.

Complete second side to match first side from *****.

Contrast Edging

With 4.5mm needles and right side facing, join in C yarn and pick up and K13 [13 : 13 : 14 : 14 : 15]sts evenly down left side of front neck, K7 [9 : 11 : 11 : 13 : 13]sts from centre front neck, pick up and K13 [13 : 13 : 14 : 14 : 15]sts evenly up right side of front neck. 33 [35 : 37 : 39 : 41 : 43]sts. With 5mm needle cast off knitwise.

SLEEVES

With 4.5mm needles and A cast on 23 [27 : 29 : 31 : 31 : 37]sts and work 10 rows in moss-st as given for Back.

Change to 5mm needles and cont in moss-st inc 1 st at each end of 5th and every foll 6th [5th : 5th : 5th : 5th : 5th] row to 33 [41 : 47 : 53 : 55 : 63]sts. Work straight in moss-st until Sleeve measures 15 [17.5 : 20.5 : 23 : 25.5 : 28]cm, (6 [7 : 8 : 9 : 10 : 11]in) from beg, ending with a wrong side row.

Shape Top

Cast off 2 [3 : 4 : 5 : 6 : 7]sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next and foll 0 [0 : 0 : 1 : 1 : 1] alt row. 27 [33 : 37 : 39 : 39 : 45]sts.

Cast off fairly loosely.

Contrast Edging

With 4.5mm needles and right side facing join in C yarn and pick up and K23 [25 : 27 : 29 : 31 : 33]sts from cast on edge.

With 5mm needle cast off knitwise.

Back and Front Contrast Edgings (Alike)

With 4.5mm needles and right side facing join in C yarn and pick up and K39 [43 : 47 : 53 : 57 : 61]sts from cast on edge.

With 5mm needle cast off knitwise.

MAKE UP

Place markers on front to back shoulders and catch together at armhole edge.

Place centre of sleeve tops to shoulders, then sew Sleeves evenly to Back and Front matching shaping.

Sew up side and sleeve seams.

Sew side edges of front neck from markers to wrong side of back armhole seams. Fold shoulder flaps over and sew on buttons to correspond with buttonholes.

PLAIN CARDIGAN

BACK

Work exactly as given for Back of Plain Sweater to ***.

Shape Shoulders

Next Row: Cast off 10 [10 : 10 : 11 : 11 : 12]sts in moss-st, moss-st 12 [14 : 16 : 16 : 18 : 18], cast off last 10 [10 : 10 : 11 : 11 : 12]sts in moss-st.

Sl rem 13 [15 : 17 : 17 : 19 : 19]sts onto a thread.

LEFT FRONT

With 4.5mm needles and A cast on 33 [37 : 41 : 47 : 51 : 55]sts and work 8 rows in moss-st as given for Back of Plain Sweater.

Change to 5mm needles and work 8 [8 : 12 : 12 : 14 : 14] rows more in moss-st. Place a marker at end of last row (side edge).

Shape Front

** Dec 1 st at front edge on next 4 [6 : 8 : 10 : 12 : 8] rows. 29 [31 : 33 : 37 : 39 : 47]sts.

Dec 1 st at front edge on next and every foll alt row until 18 [19 : 21 : 24 : 26 : 29]sts rem.

Work 1 row, ending with a wrong side row. (When working Right Front work 2 rows at this point, ending with a right side row.)

Shape Armhole

Next Row: Cast off 2 [3 : 4 : 5 : 6 : 7]sts, work to end.

Work 1 row. (When working Right Front omit this row.)

Dec 1 st at armhole edge on next and foll 0 [0 : 0 : 1 : 1 : 1] alt row **at the same time** dec 1 st at front edge on next and every foll 4th row until 10 [10 : 10 : 11 : 11 : 12]sts rem.

Work 7 [11 : 11 : 13 : 13 : 13] rows straight in moss-st.

Cast off in moss-st.

RIGHT FRONT

With 4.5mm needles and A cast on 33 [37 : 41 : 47 : 51 : 55]sts and work 4 [4 : 4 : 4 : 6 : 6] rows in moss-st.

Next Row (Making buttonhole): K1, P1, K1, yfwd, K2tog, work to end.

Work 3 [3 : 3 : 3 : 1 : 1] rows in moss-st. Change to 5mm needles and work 6 [6 : 10 : 10 : 12 : 12] rows more in moss-st. Work buttonhole row once more, then work 1 row in moss-st.

Shape Front

Follow instructions given for Left Front from ** noting variations.

SLEEVES

Work exactly as given for Sleeves of Plain Sweater including Contrast Edging.

Back Contrast Edging

Work exactly as given for Back and Front Contrast Edging given for Plain Sweater.

Lower Left and Right Front Contrast Edgings (Alike)

With 4.5mm needles and right side facing join in C yarn and pick up and K33 [37 : 41 : 47 : 51 : 55]sts evenly from cast on edge.

With 5mm needle cast off knitwise.

Left Front Contrast Edging

With 4.5mm needles and right side facing join in C yarn and pick up and K52 [60 : 66 : 74 : 80 : 90]sts evenly down shaped edge of left front and 16 [16 : 20 : 20 : 22 : 22]sts evenly to cast on edge.

With 5mm needle cast off knitwise.

Right Front and Back Neck Contrast Edging

Sew up right shoulder seam.

With 4.5mm needles and right side facing join in C yarn and pick up and K16 [16 : 20 : 20 : 22 : 22]sts evenly up right front edge to shaping, 52 [60 : 66 : 74 : 80 : 90]sts evenly to shoulder, then K13 [15 : 17 : 17 : 19 : 19]sts from back neck.

With 5mm needle cast off knitwise.

MAKE UP

Sew up left shoulder seam and join edgings.

Place centre of sleeve tops to shoulder seams, then sew Sleeves evenly to Back and Fronts matching shaping.

Sew ribbon to inside of right side seam at marker.

Sew ribbon to left front at beg of shaping.

Sew on buttons.

CABLED SWEATER

BACK

Work exactly as given for Back of Plain Sweater to ***.

Shoulder and Neck Edging

Change to 4mm needles.

Work 5 rows in gst.

Cast off fairly loosely knitwise.

FRONT

With 4.5mm needles cast on 48 [52 : 56 : 62 : 66 : 70]sts.

1st Row (Right side): Moss-st 8 [8 : 10 : 11 : 13 : 13], P1, K4, P1, (moss-st 7 [9 : 9 : 11 : 11 : 13], P1, K4, P1) twice, moss-st 8 [8 : 10 : 11 : 13 : 13].

2nd Row: Moss-st 8 [8 : 10 : 11 : 13 : 13], K1, P4, K1, (moss-st 7 [9 : 9 : 11 : 11 : 13], K1, P4, K1) twice, moss-st 8 [8 : 10 : 11 : 13 : 13].

3rd and 4th Rows: As 1st and 2nd rows.

5th Row: Moss-st 8 [8 : 10 : 11 : 13 : 13], P1, C4, P1, (moss-st 7 [9 : 9 : 11 : 11 : 13], P1, C4, P1) twice, moss-st 8 [8 : 10 : 11 : 13 : 13].

6th Row: As 2nd row.

7th and 8th Rows: As 1st and 2nd rows.

These 8 rows form patt.

Change to 5mm needles and work 34 [38 : 44 : 48 : 52 : 58] rows more in patt.

Shape Armhole

Keeping patt correct cast off 2 [3 : 4 : 5 : 6 : 7]sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next and foll 0 [0 : 0 : 1 : 1 : 1] alt row. 42 [44 : 46 : 48 : 50 : 52]sts.

Work 11 [13 : 17 : 17 : 21 : 23] rows straight in patt.

Shape Neck

Next Row: Patt 16 [16 : 16 : 17 : 17 : 18], sl rem 26 [28 : 30 : 31 : 33 : 34]sts onto a thread, turn.

Complete first side as follows:

** Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 2 rows, then foll alt row. 13 [13 : 13 : 14 : 14 : 15]sts.

Work 7 [9 : 9 : 9 : 9 : 11] rows straight in patt.

Shoulder Edging

Change to 4mm needles.

Work 2 rows in gst dec 3sts over cable panel on first row. 10 [10 : 10 : 11 : 11 : 12]sts.

Next Row (Buttonhole Row): K2 [2 : 2 : 3 : 3 : 3], yfwd, K2tog, K3 [3 : 3 : 3 : 3 : 4], yfwd, K2tog, K1.

Work 2 rows in gst.

Cast off knitwise.

Leave centre 10 [12 : 14 : 14 : 16 : 16]sts on a thread.

With right side facing rejoin yarn at neck edge of rem 16 [16 : 16 : 17 : 17 : 18]sts and patt to end.

Follow instructions given for first side from ** but work buttonhole row as follows:

Buttonhole Row: K2, yfwd, K2tog, K3 [3 : 3 : 3 : 3 : 4], yfwd, K2tog, K1 [1 : 1 : 2 : 2 : 2].

Front Neck Edging

With 4mm needles and right side facing rejoin yarn and pick up and K3sts evenly from side edge of left shoulder edging and 11 [13 : 13 : 13 : 13 : 15]sts evenly down left side of front neck, K across sts from centre front dec 3sts over cable panel, pick up and K11 [13 : 13 : 13 : 13 : 15]sts evenly up right side of front neck and 3sts from side edge of shoulder edging. 35 [41 : 43 : 43 : 45 : 49]sts.

Work 2 rows in gst.

Cast off knitwise.

SLEEVES

Work as given for Sleeves of Plain Sweater excluding contrast edging.

MAKE UP

Place front shoulder edging over back shoulder edging and sew together at armhole edge.

*** Place centre of sleeve tops to shoulders, then sew Sleeves evenly to Back and Front matching shaping.

Sew up side and sleeve seams.

Sew on buttons.

CABLED CARDIGAN

BACK

Work exactly as given for Back of Plain Cardigan.

LEFT FRONT

With 4.5mm needles cast on 28 [30 : 32 : 35 : 37 : 39]sts.

1st Row (Right side): Moss-st 5 [7 : 8 : 9 : 10 : 10], P1, K4, P1, moss-st 5 [5 : 5 : 7 : 7 : 9], P1, K4, P1, moss-st 6 [6 : 7 : 7 : 8 : 8].

2nd Row: Moss-st 6 [6 : 7 : 7 : 8 : 8], K1, P4, K1, moss-st 5 [5 : 5 : 7 : 7 : 9], K1, P4, K1, moss-st 5 [7 : 8 : 9 : 10 : 10].

3rd and 4th Rows: As 1st and 2nd rows.

5th Row: Moss-st 5 [7 : 8 : 9 : 10 : 10], P1, C4, P1, moss-st 5 [5 : 5 : 7 : 7 : 9], P1, C4, P1, moss-st 6 [6 : 7 : 7 : 8 : 8].

6th Row: As 2nd row.

7th and 8th Rows: As 1st and 2nd rows. These 8 rows form patt.

Change to 5mm needles and work 34 [38 : 44 : 48 : 52 : 58] rows more in patt.

Shape Armhole

Keeping patt correct cast off 2 [3 : 4 : 5 : 6 : 7]sts at beg of next row.

Patt 1 row.

** Dec 1 st at armhole edge on next and foll 0 [0 : 0 : 1 : 1 : 1] alt row. 25 [26 : 27 : 28 : 29 : 30]sts.

Work 11 [13 : 17 : 17 : 21 : 23] rows straight in patt.

Shape Neck

Next Row: Patt to last 6 [7 : 8 : 8 : 9 : 9]sts, sl these last 6 [7 : 8 : 8 : 9 : 9]sts onto a thread, turn. 19 [19 : 19 : 20 : 20 : 21]sts. (When working Right Front K first 6 [7 : 8 : 8 : 9 : 9]sts and leave these sts on a thread, then patt to end on this row.)

Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 5 rows, then foll alt row. 13 [13 : 13 : 14 : 14 : 15]sts.

Work 4 [6 : 6 : 6 : 6 : 8] rows straight in patt dec 3sts over cable panel on last row. Cast off in patt.

RIGHT FRONT

With 4.5mm needles cast on 28 [30 : 32 : 35 : 37 : 39]sts.

1st Row: Moss-st 6 [6 : 7 : 7 : 8 : 8], P1, K4, P1, moss-st 5 [5 : 5 : 7 : 7 : 9], P1, K4, P1, moss-st 5 [7 : 8 : 9 : 10 : 10].

2nd Row: Moss-st 5 [7 : 8 : 9 : 10 : 10], K1, P4, K1, moss-st 5 [5 : 5 : 7 : 7 : 9], K1, P4, K1, moss-st 6 [6 : 7 : 7 : 8 : 8].

3rd and 4th Rows: As 1st and 2nd rows.

For 1st and 5th Sizes Only

5th Row (Buttonhole Row): Moss-st 3, yfwd, work 2tog, moss-st 1 [3], P1, C4, P1, moss-st 5 [7], P1, C4, P1, moss-st 5[10].

6th Row: As 2nd row.

For 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 6th Sizes Only

5th Row: Moss-st [6 : 7 : 7 : 8], P1, C4, P1, moss-st [5 : 5 : 7 : 9], P1, C4, P1, moss-st [7 : 8 : 9 : 10].

6th Row: As 2nd row.

For 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 5th and 6th Sizes Only

7th and 8th Rows: As 1st and 2nd rows.

For 4th Size Only

7th Row (Buttonhole Row): Moss-st 3, yfwd, work 2tog, moss-st 2, P1, K4, P1, moss-st 7, P1, K4, P1, moss-st 9.

8th Row: As 2nd row.

For All Sizes

These 8 rows form patt (excluding buttonholes).

Change to 5mm needles and work 35 [39 : 45 : 49 : 53 : 59] rows more in patt

making buttonholes on 7th [3rd : 3rd : 13th : 13th : 5th] and every foll 10th [10th : 12th : 14th : 16th : 16th] row as follows:

Buttonhole Rows: Moss-st 3, yfwd, work 2tog, patt to end.

Shape Armhole

Next Row: Cast off 2 [3 : 4 : 5 : 6 : 7]sts, patt to end.

Keeping buttonholes correct throughout follow instructions given for Left Front from ** noting variation.

SLEEVES

Work as given for Sleeves of Plain Sweater excluding contrast edging.

NECK EDGING

Sew up shoulder seams.

Sl 6 [7 : 8 : 8 : 9 : 9]sts from right front neck onto a 4mm needle, rejoin yarn and pick up and K11 [13 : 13 : 15 : 15 : 17]sts evenly up right front neck, K13 [15 : 17 : 17 : 19 : 19]sts from back neck, pick up and K11 [13 : 13 : 13 : 13 : 15]sts evenly down left front neck, then K6 [7 : 8 : 8 : 9 : 9]sts from thread. 47 [55 : 59 : 59 : 63 : 67]sts.

Work 2 rows in gst.

Cast off knitwise.

MAKE UP

Follow instructions given for Make Up Cabled Sweater from ***.

ABBREVIATIONS

alt	alternate
beg	begin(ning)
cont	continue
inc	increase(ing)
dec	decrease(ing)
K	knit
P	purl
st(s)	stitch(es)
foll	following
patt	pattern
gst	garter stitch (every row knit)
rem	remain(ing)
rep	repeat
sl	slip
tog	together
yfwd	yarn forward
yrn	yarn round needle
A	Aran yarn
C	DK yarn

SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

C4	cable 4, sl next 2sts onto cable needle and leave at back of work, K next 2sts from left hand needle, then K2sts from cable needle.
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