

Lacey Cabled Sweater Washcloth



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Size: approximately 7 ½-inches wide at bottom and 8-inches tall

Materials: 2.5 ounces worsted weight cotton; 10-in knitting needles, US sizes 6 & 8; cable needle; 2 row markers

Abbreviations:

BO	Bind Off
C4B	Slip 2 stitches onto cable needle and hold at back of work, knit next 2 stitches from left-hand needle, then knit stitches from cable needle.
C4F	Same as C4B except hold in front of work.
C8F	Slip 4 stitches onto cable needle and hold in front of work, knit next 4 stitches from left-hand needle, then knit stitches from cable needle.
K	Knit
K2tog	Knit 2 together
P	Purl
P2tog	Purl 2 together
RS	Right Side
SSK	Slip, slip, knit 2 together
sts	stitches
WS	Wrong Side
yfn	yarn forward and round needle
yon	yarn over needle

With smaller needles, cast on 42 sts.

Ribbing

Row 1 (WS): P2, (K2, P2) across

Row 2 (RS): K2, (P2, K2) across

Rows 3-6: repeat rows 1 & 2

Row 7 (WS) set up row: (P2, K2)4 times, K1, P8, K1, (K2, P2)4 times.

Change to larger needles and work pattern.

Pattern

Row 1: (K1, P1)3 times, P2, K4, P2, K2tog, yfrn, P1, C8F, P1, K2tog, yfrn, P2, K4, P2, (K1, P1)3 times.

Row 2: (P1, K1)3 times, K2, P4, K2, P2, K1, P8, K1, P2, K2, P4, K2, (P1, K1)3 times.

Row 3: (K1, P1)3 times, P2, C4F, P2, yon, SSK, P1, C4B, K4, P1, yon, SSK, P2, C4F, P2, (K1, P1)3 times.

Row 4 and all even rows through 36: repeat row 2

Row 5: (K1, P1)3 times, P2, K4, P2, K2tog, yfrn, P1, K8, P1, K2tog, yfrn, P2, K4, P2, (K1, P1)3 times.

Row 7: (K1, P1)3 times, P2, K4, P2, yon, SSK, P1, C4B, K4, P1, yon, SSK, P2, K4, P2, (K1, P1)3 times.

Row 9: repeat row 5

Row 11: repeat row 3

Row 13: repeat row 5

Row 15: repeat row 7

Row 17: repeat row 1

Row 19: (K1, P1)3 times, P2, C4F, P2, yon, SSK, P1, K4, C4B, P1, yon, SSK, P2, C4F, P2, (K1, P1)3 times.

Row 20: Place a row marker at beginning and end of row.

Row 21: repeat row 5

Row 23: (K1, P1)3 times, P2, K4, P2, yon, SSK, P1, K4, C4B, P1, yon, SSK, P2, K4, P2, (K1, P1)3 times.

Row 25: repeat row 5

Row 27: repeat row 19

Row 29: repeat row 5

Row 31: repeat row 23

Row 33: repeat row 1

Row 35: repeat row 3

Row 36: repeat row 2

Begin Neck Shaping

Row 37: (K1, P1)3 times, P2, K4, P2, K2tog, yfrn, P1, BO 8 K sts, P1, K2tog, yfrn, P2, K4, P2, (K1, P1)3 times.

Row 38 (Back of Left side): (P1, K1)3 times, K2, P4, K2, P2tog, K1. (Back of Right side) Add yarn K1, P2tog, K2, P4, K2 (P1, K1)3 times.

Row 39 (Right front): (K1, P1)3 times, P2, K4, P1, P2tog, P1. (Left front) P1, P2tog, P1, K4, P2, (K1, P1)3 times.

Row 40: (P1, K1)3 times, K2, P4, K2tog, K1. K1, K2tog, P4, K2, (P1, K1)3 times.

Row 41: (K1, P1)3 times, P2tog, C4F, P2tog. P2tog, C4F, P2tog, (K1, P1)3 times.

Row 42: (P1, K1)3 times, K1, P4, K1. K1, P4, K1, (P1, K1)3 times.

Row 43: (K1, P1)3 times, P1, K4, P1. P1, K4, P1, (K1, P1)3 times.

Row 44: (P1, K1)3 times, K1, P4, K1. K1, P4, K1, (P1, K1)3 times.

Row 45: BO in pattern. DO NOT CUT YARN!!!! BO in pattern. DO NOT CUT YARN!!!!

Neck Band

Slip loop from right front onto size 6 needle and (with RS facing) pick up and K 21 more sts around neck. (22 sts)
Using size 6 needles work rows 1 - 5 of Ribbing. BO in pattern on row 6. Cut, leaving a 6-inch tail. Weave in end.

Sleeve

Slip loop from left front onto size 6 needle and (with RS facing) pick up and K 17 more sts along left side, ending at row marker (18 sts on needle). Using size 6 needles work rows 1 - 5 of Ribbing. BO in pattern on row 6. Cut, leaving a 6-inch tail. Weave in end.

With RS facing and size 6 needle, join yarn to right side of sweater at row marker. Pick up and K 18 sts. Work rows 1 - 5 of Ribbing. BO in pattern on row 6. Cut, leaving a 6-inch tail. Weave in remaining ends.