

Pillow Cover in Cable Pattern

Approx. 15¾ x 17" [40 x 43cm]

Materials: Approx. 7 balls (approx. 82yd/75m each) of Lana Grossa **Cashsilk** (40% polyamide, 30% bamboo, 15% silk, 15% cashmere) in beige (col 9); size 10 and 11 [6 and 8mm] needles, cable needle [cn]. Five ¾" [20mm] mother-of-pear buttons in natural [by Union Knopf, item 18001, col 99].

Reverse Stockinette stitch: p on RS; k on WS.

Cable Pattern: Work over 62 sts according to chart. Numbers at right edge of chart indicate RS rows; numbers at left edge of chart indicate WS rows. On all WS rows not shown on chart, work sts as they appear or according to chart key. K all yo's. For ribbed edging, work rows 1-10 once, working 5 buttonholes on row 5 as charted. For cable pattern, work rows 11-44 once, then work rows 29-44 three times, then work rows 45-52 once – 90 rows in cable pattern.

Gauge: 15 sts and 25 rows = 4" [10 cm] in in reverse Stockinette st on smaller needles; 15 sts and 23 rows = 4" [10 cm] in in cable pattern on larger needles.



Front and back: Worked in one piece, begin at lower front edge. With smaller needles, cast on 62 sts and work chart rows 1-9 for ribbed edging, working buttonholes on row 5 as charted. Next, p 1 WS row [= chart row 10]. Change to larger needles and work in cable pattern as instructed until piece measures 15¾" [39cm] from ribbed edging. Change to smaller needles and work in reverse Stockinette st for back until piece measures 15¾" [39cm] from cable pattern, ending with a RS row. P next WS row, then work ribbed edging for 1½" [4cm], omitting buttonholes. Bind off all sts in pattern.

Finishing: Pin piece to measurements and block with damp towels. Fold cover in half and sew side edges from RS with mattress st. Sew buttons.

Chart key:

- ⊕ = selvage st
 - = k1
 - ▢ = p1
 - = yo
 - ▧ = p2tog
 - ⊗ = yo, sl1 pwise on RS, ptog st and its yo on WS
- = sl4 to cn and hold in front of work, k4, k4 from cn
 = sl4 to cn and hold in back of work, k4, k4 from cn

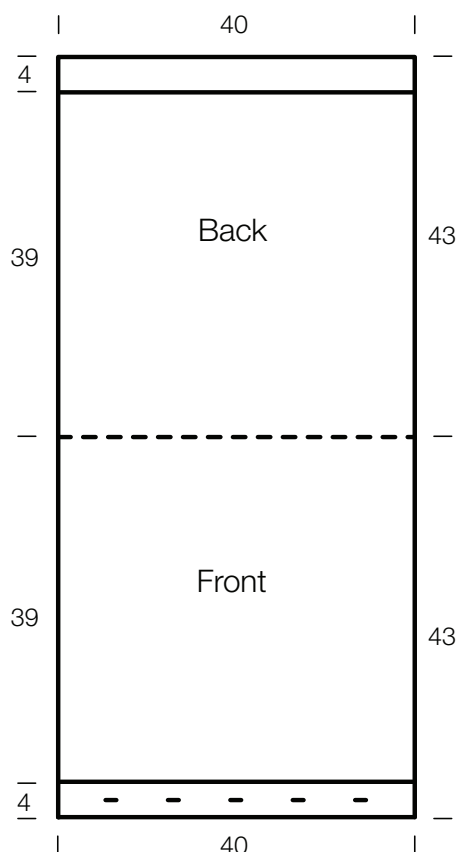


Chart:

