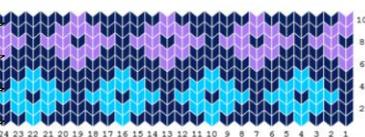


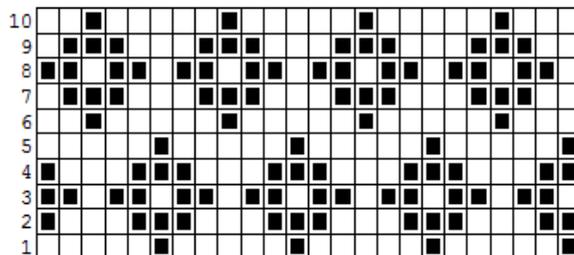
# Borderline Cardigan



This is a hip length cardigan with a Fair Isle border, edge-to-edge front, scoop neck, which is knitted in Yeoman Panama, in two or three colours: main colour with two contrast colours alternating in the border – or it could be knitted with both contrast colours at once in the border [and the main colour only beginning after the border]. Use a brooch to fasten at neck, or stitch a loop and button.



Pattern is as punchcard shown. Or use any pattern which has a five row repeat, or use a 10-12 row repeat if you only want one contrast colour.



**Sizes:** 12 /14/ 16/ 18/ 20/ 22 [close fitting, if you require a looser fit, you might want to choose the next size up]

**Yarn used:** Yeoman Panama – in 3 colours. Main Colour [MC], small quantities of Contrast Colours [CCA and CCB]: I used just under 400g MC for size 14

**Tension:** 27 stitches by 37 rows measures 4 inches . Main tension T7 Border tension T6

## BACK:

1. Cast on **132/ 138/146/150/156/164** stitches in MC and T6
2. Hem Border: Work 13 rows plain, then one row at t8, then 1 row at t6 fair isle pattern for 10 rows [5 rows CCA, then 5 rows CCB] then 2 rows plain. To complete the hem, graft the cast-on stitches to the last row worked.
3. Change to T7 and Stocking stitch, RC000. Work **158/162/166/164/164/168** rows. COR.
4. Armhole shaping. Cast off **6/7/7/8/8/8** stitches at beginning of next 2 rows. COR. Dec 1 stitch at each end of every alternate row for **26/ 26/32/32/34/38** rows. Total **186/190/200/198/200/208** rows with **94/98/100/102/106/110** stitches remaining.
5. Work straight to **232/238/244/246/248/252** rows.
6. Shoulder shaping. Cast off **6/6/7/7/7/7** stitches at beginning of next **4/2/6/6/4/2** rows. Cast off **7/7/7/7/8/8** stitches at beginning of following **2/4 /0/0/2/4** rows. COR.
7. Total **238/244/250/252/254/258** rows with **56/58/58/60/62/64** stitches remaining for back of neck. Knit a few rows of waste yarn and take off machine

