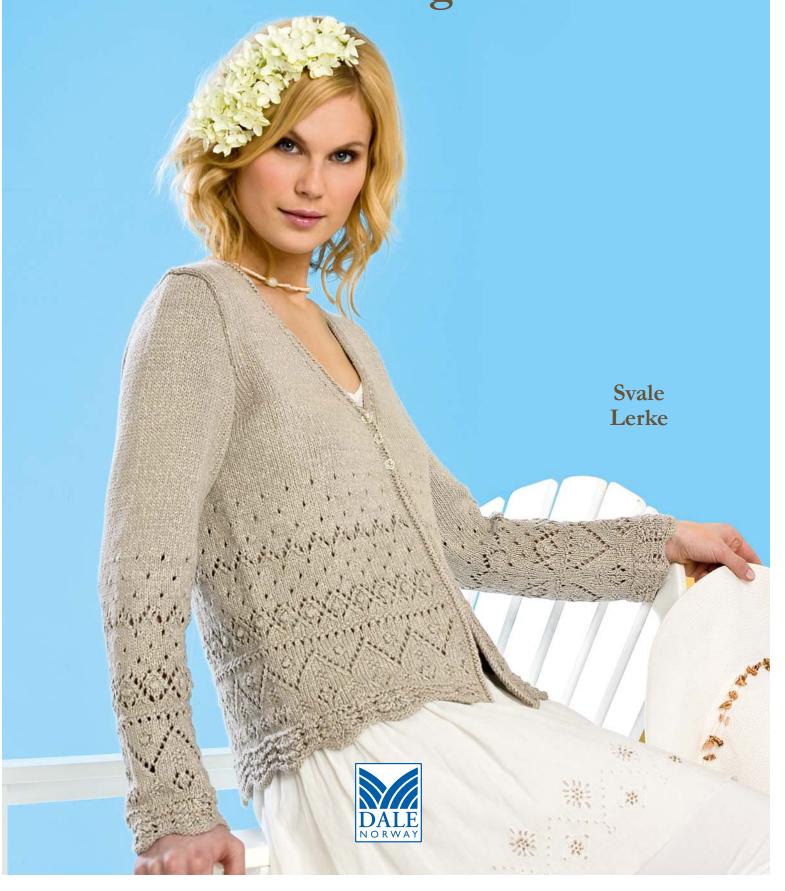
Dale of Norway
Cardigan



MATERIALS: Svale or Lerke

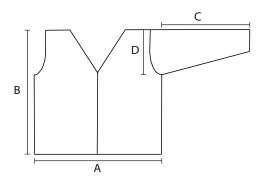
SIZES:	XS	S	M	L	XL	
Svale: Lerke:					700 gr 650 gr	birch 9831 clay 3461

SUGGESTED NEEDLE SIZES: Cir and dp needles in sizes 3mm and 3.5mm, crochet hook in size 2.5mm and st markers. *Note:* US and metric needle sizes often do not match exactly and size equivalencies have changed. The original version of this pattern was written to use metric size needles; if in doubt as to whether a given US needle size is the same as a metric size, use the metric size needle. As always, please take the time to check your gauge carefully and change needle sizes as needed to obtain the correct gauge.

GAUGE: 22 sts over St st and Pattern B using larger needles = 4''(10cm).

ACCESSORIES: Svale Cardigan, 1094yds(1000m) silver metallic thread and 3 small buttons; and Lerke Cardigan, 1 large button and crystal beads in matching color (optional).

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS:



- **A** = Chest Width: 32 ³/₄"(34 ⁵/₈", 37", 39", 41")/ 83cm(88cm,94cm,99cm,104cm)
- **B** = Body Length: 22"(22 ⁷/₈", 23 ⁵/₈", 24 ³/₈", 25 ¹/₄")/ 56cm(58cm,60cm,62cm,64cm)
- **C** = Sleeve Length to Underarm: $17 \, ^3/_8$ " ($17 \, ^3/_4$ ", $18 \, ^1/_8$ ", $18 \, ^1/_2$ ", $18 \, ^7/_8$ ")/ 44cm(45cm,46cm,47cm,48cm)
- **D** = Armhole Depth: 7 ¹/₈"(7 ¹/₂", 7 ⁷/₈", 8 ¹/₄", 8 ⁵/₈")/ 18cm(19cm,20cm,21cm,22cm)

Watch gauge carefully to obtain the correct finished measurements!

SVALE CARDIGAN

BODY: With larger cir needle and 1 strand each of Svale and metallic thread held tog, C O 211/225/239/253/267 sts. Working back and forth, beg with a WS row and work Pattern A (RS rows end with first st of rep), and dec 2 sts in each rep across last row (181/193/205/217/229 sts). Set Pattern B across next row in this manner: Beg at right-hand side of graph and work first 5 sts, work 12-st rep 14/15/16/17/18 times, then work rem 8 sts as shown. Next row, beg at left-hand side of graph and work first 8 sts as shown, work 12-st rep 14/15/16/17/18 times, then work rem 5 sts. Complete pattern as set, then beg St st and

work until body measures 13 3 / $_4$ "(14 1 / $_8$ ", 14 1 / $_2$ ", 15", 15 3 / $_8$ ")/35cm(36cm, 37cm,38cm,39cm) from bottom edge, ending with a WS row.

FRONT NECK SHAPING: Next row, k 1 st, ssk, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k 1 st (179/191/203/215/227 sts). Work 3 rows without dec. Work 1 dec row (177/189/201/213/225 sts), then work 2 rows without dec; body should measure approx 15"(15 3 /₈", 15 3 /₄", 16 1 /₈", 16 1 /₂")/38cm(39cm, 40cm,41cm,42cm) from bottom edge. Next row, work first 40/43/46/49/52 sts, C OFF the next 7 sts for armhole, work next 83/89/95/101/107 sts, C OFF the next 7 sts for armhole, then work to end of row. Cont working back and fronts separately.

BACK & NECK OPENING: Working back and forth, cont St st and C OFF 3 sts at the beg of next 2/2/2/4/4 rows, 2 sts at the beg of next 2/4/4/2/4 rows, then dec 1 st at the beg and end of every other row 3/2/3/3/2 times (67/71/75/79/83 sts). Work without further shaping until armhole measures 5 ⁷/₈"(6 ¹/₄", 6 ³/₄", 7 ¹/₈", 7 ¹/₂")/15cm(16cm, 17cm,18cm,19cm). Next row, work first 20/21/22/23/24 sts, C OFF the next 27/29/31/33/35 sts for neck opening, then work to end of row. Working each side of back separately, cont St st and C OFF every other row at neck edge, 2 sts twice, then 1 st once (15/16/17/18/19 sts). Work without further shaping until armhole measures 7 ¹/₈" (7 ¹/₂", 7 ⁷/₈", 8 ¹/₄", 8 ⁵/₈")/18cm(19cm,20cm,21cm,22cm), then C OFF. Complete other side of back to match, placing neck shaping on opposite side.

LEFT FRONT: Working back and forth, beg with a RS row. Cont dec at front neck edge on first row, alternate every other row, then every fourth row 8/8/9/9/10 times, then every other row 0/1/0/1/0 time. AT THE SAME TIME, C OFF at the beg of every RS row, 3 sts 1/1/1/2/2 time(s), 2 sts 1/2/2/1/2 time(s), then 1 st 3/2/3/3/2 times (15/16/17/18/19 sts). Work without further shaping until armhole measures 7 ¹/s" (7 ¹/2", 7 ²/s", 8 ¹/4", 8 ⁵/s")/18cm(19cm,20cm,21cm,22cm), then C OFF. Complete right front to match, placing armhole shaping at beg of WS rows and neck shaping on opposite side.

SLEEVES: With larger dp needles and 1 strand each of Svale and metallic thread held tog, C O 57 sts. Join and, working in the rnd, mark beg of rnd. Set pattern across first rnd in this manner: Work 14-st rep 4 times, then k last st. Cont last st of every rnd in St st, then complete pattern as set and dec 2 sts in each rep on rnd 14 as shown on graph (49 sts). P last st of every rnd and work Pattern B over rem 48 sts. AT THE SAME TIME, inc 1 st at the beg and end of every eleventh/ninth/eighth/seventh/sixth rnd 9/11/13/15/17 times, leaving p st at end of rnd between inc sts and working inc sts into pattern; make sure each yo can be worked with its corresponding dec before working into pattern to keep st counts correct (67/71/75/79/83 sts). Work without further inc until sleeve measures 17 ³/₈" (17 ³/₄", 18 ¹/₈", 18 ¹/₂", 18 ⁷/₈")/44cm(45cm,46cm,47cm,48cm) from bottom edge, ending last rnd 4 sts before end of rnd.

SLEEVE CAP: C OFF the next 7 sts for underarm, then work to end of rnd (60/64/68/72/76 sts). Working back and forth, cont pattern and C OFF 3 sts at the beg of first 2 rows, then 2 sts at the beg of next 4 rows. Dec 1 st at the beg and end of every other row 11/12/13/14/15 times. C OFF 2 sts at the beg of next 4 rows, then C OFF rem 16/18/20/22/24 sts. Make second sleeve to match.

FINISHING: Lay body and sleeves out to finished measurements and steam lightly. Neatly sew fronts and back tog at shoulders.

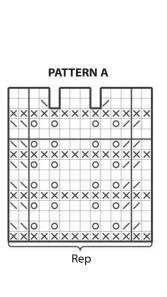
BUTTONHOLE PLACKET: With smaller cir needle, 1 strand each of

Svale and metallic thread held tog, and with RS facing, pick up 12 sts per 2"(5cm) along right front opening edge from lower edge to center back of neck using a crochet hook 1/2-metric size smaller than needles to pick up sts k-wise. Working back and forth, beg with a WS row and k 1 row. Work 2 rows of St st. Next row, k to 18 sts below beg of v-neck shaping, work (k2tog, yo twice, ssk, k 3 sts) twice, k2tog, yo twice, ssk, then k to end of row. K 1 row, working each (yo twice) as k 1 st, k 1 tbl. C OFF neatly k-wise. Work button placket to match, omitting buttonholes. Neatly sew plackets tog at center back of neck. Securely sew buttons to button placket under buttonholes. Pin sleeves into armholes, placing centers of sleeves at shoulder seams.

LERKE CARDIGAN

Working with 1 strand of Lerke throughout, make cardigan same as Svale cardigan through finishing. Work plackets same as Svale Cardigan, working only 1 buttonhole on right placket approx 1 ¹/₈" (3cm) below start of front neck shaping.

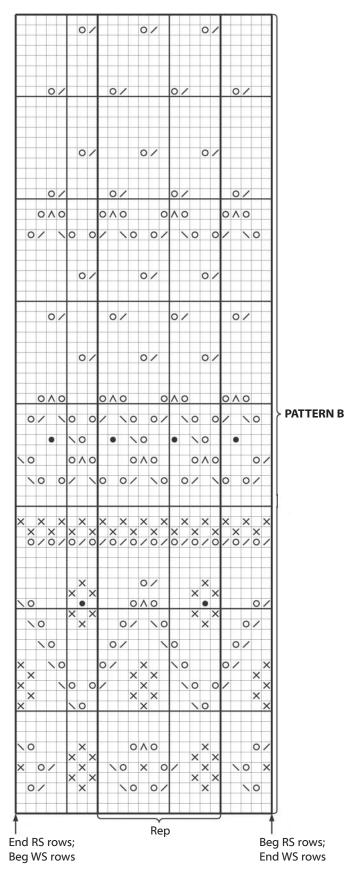
BUTTON LOOP: With crochet hook, make a chain approx $19^{3}/4^{\circ}$ (50cm) long. Thread cord through buttonhole, adjusting ends so one end is 2"(5cm) longer than the other. Knot cords leaving a loop approx 1"(2cm) to use as button loop. Securely sew button to left front approx $1^{-1}/8^{\circ}$ (3cm) below start of neck shaping. If desired, securely sew faceted beads to placket along front and neck edges as shown in photo. Pin sleeves into armholes, placing centers of sleeves at shoulders, then neatly sew sleeves to body.



= k on RS, p on WS
 = p on RS, k on WS
 = yo
 = ssk

Z = k2togM = slip 1 st k-wise, k2tog, psso

= bobble = k into (front, back, then front)
 of next st (3 sts), turn; p 3 sts and
 turn; slip 1 st, k2tog, psso







ABBREVIATIONS

approx = approximately

beg = begin(ning)CC = contrast color

ch = chain

CO = cast on

COFF = cast offcir = circular

cm = centimeter(s)

cn = cable needle cont = continu(e)(ing)

dec = decreas(e)(ing)

dp = double pointed

g st = garter stitch

gr = gram(s)

inc = increas(e)(ing)

k = knit

k-wise = knitwise, as if to knit

k2tog = knit 2 stitches together

m = meter(s)

MC = main color

mm = millimeter(s)

p = purl

p-wise = purlwise, as if to purl

psso = pass slipped stitch(es) over

p2tog = purl 2 stitches together

rem = remain(ing)(der)rep = repeat(s)(ing)

rnd(s) = round(s)

RS = right side(s)

sk2p = slip 1 stitch knitwise, knit 2 sttiches

together, pass slip stitch over

ssk = slip (1 stitch knitwise) twice, insert left needle through the front of both loops and knit both stitches together

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st(s) = stitch(es)

St st = stockinette stitch

tbl = through the back of the loop(s)

tog = together

WS = wrong side(s)

yd(s) = yard(s)

yo = yarn over needle to make 1 stitch

LERKE

52% Merino Wool/48% Cotton DK Weight Yarn. Care Instructions: Machine wash (delicate cycle) or hand wash in cold water using mild/neutral detergent. Dry flat; do not put in dryer. May be dry cleaned.

SVALE

50% Cotton/40% Viscose/10% Silk DK Weight Yarn. Care Instructions: Machine wash (delicate cycle) or hand wash in cold water using mild/neutral detergent. Dry flat; do not put in dryer. May be dry cleaned.



bleach



cycle spin



Steam lightly with steam iron, if needed



Dry Clean with perchlorethylene using normal methods

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