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PATTERN  
**1012**

# Two for Tea

*Designed exclusively for Brown Sheep Company by Diane Zangl*

From under a jacket at the office to an evening on the town, this set will go anywhere. Long stitches, created by working double yarn-overs, give a slightly open look to the fabric of the tank top. A scooped neckline adds to the almost-camisole look. The cardigan is lady-like refinement at its best. Openwork panels are demure, yet elegant. The lowered neckline and modified set-in sleeves speed the knitting process. Fronts are left open, or can be secured with clasps. Reverse single crochet finishes all edges of both pieces.

## SIZE

Woman's small (medium, large, extra-large) Instructions are given for smallest size, with larger sizes in parentheses. When only 1 number is given, it applies to all sizes. Model shown in size small.

## FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

### Tank:

**Bust:** 36 (38, 42, 46)"

**Armhole depth:** 6½, (7, 7½, 8)"

**Side to underarm:** 13 (14, 14, 15)"

### Jacket:

**Bust:** 38 (40, 44, 48)"

**Armhole depth:** 7 (7½, 8, 8½)"

**Side to underarm:** 14 (15, 15, 16)"

**Sleeve length:** 5 (5, 6, 6)"

## MATERIALS

- Brown Sheep *Serendipity Tweed* 60% cotton/40% wool (100g/210 yds per skein) 2 (2, 3, 4) skeins #ST01 Baby's Breath (A) for tank, 1 skein #ST04 Yellow Buttercup (B) for tank, 4 (4, 5, 6) skeins for jacket
- Size 5 (3.75mm) needles *or size needed to obtain gauge*
- Size H/8 (5mm) crochet hook
- Safety-pin style stitch markers
- Stitch holders

## GAUGE

22 sts x 25 rows = 4" in Openwork Stripe pat

16 sts x 20 rows = 4" in Teacup pat

To save time and ensure proper fit, take time to check gauge.

## DESIGNER NOTES

When working shaping, make sure to keep st count accurate. Openwork pattern must have both a yo *and* corresponding decrease st. If both cannot be worked, keep sts in St st.

## STITCH GLOSSARY

**Tbl:** Through back loop.

**Sc:** Single crochet

### Openwork Stripe Pat

**Row 1 (RS):** Knit.

**Row 2:** Purl.

**Row 3:** Knit, wrapping yarn around needle twice for each st.

**Row 4:** Purl, dropping extra wraps. Tug on work to straighten long sts.

Rep Rows 1-4 for pat.

### Teacup Pat (multiple of 7 sts + 5)

**Row 1 (RS):** K2, \*p1, k6; rep from \* to last 3 sts, p1, k2.

**Rows 2 and 6:** P2, \*k1, p6; rep from \* to last 3 sts, k1, p2.

**Row 3:** K2, \*p1, k1, k2tog, [yo] twice, ssk, k1; rep from \* to last 3 sts, p1, k2.



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**Row 4:** Rep Row 2, working [p1-tbl] twice into double yo of previous row.

**Row 5:** K2, \*p1, k2tog, yo, k2, yo, ssk; rep from \* to last 3 sts, p1, k2.

Rep Rows 1-6 for pat.

## TANK TOP

### BACK

With A, cast on 81 (85, 95, 103) sts. Purl 1 row.

Work even in Openwork Stripe pat until back measures approx 13 (14, 14, 15)" from beg, ending with Row 4 of pat.

#### Shape underarm

Bind off 3 (3, 4, 4) sts at beg of next 2 rows. Dec 1 st each end every RS row 7 (8, 9, 11) times – 61 (63, 69, 73) sts.

Work even until back measures 4½ (5, 5½, 6)" above bound-off underarm sts, ending with a WS row.

#### Shape back neck

Mark center 27 (29, 33, 35) sts.

**Next row (RS):** Work to marker, join second ball of yarn and bind off marked sts, work to end of row.

Working on both sides of neck with separate balls of yarn, dec 1 st at each neck edge every row 3 times.

Work even until armhole measures 6½ (7, 7½, 8)" above bound-off underarm sts.

Bind off remaining 14 (14, 15, 16) sts at each shoulder.

### FRONT

Work as for back until front measures 2 ½ (3, 3 ½, 3)" above bound-off underarm sts, ending with a WS row.

Shape front neck as for back, dec every RS row instead of every row 3 times.

Work even until armhole measures same as for back above bound-off underarm sts. Bind off shoulder sts.

### EDGINGS

Sew shoulder and side seams. Beg at side seam with B, work 1 row sc around lower edge, making sure to keep work flat. Do not turn. Working from left to right, work 1 sc in each sc of previous row. Fasten off.

Rep edging around neck and arm openings.

## JACKET

### BODY

With B, cast on 173 (180, 201, 215) sts. Knit 1 row.

Work even in Teacup pat until body measures 14 (15, 15, 16)" from beg, ending with a WS row.

#### Divide for fronts and back

Place markers 43 (45, 50, 54) sts in from each end. You will have 87 (90, 101, 107) sts for the back and 43 (45, 50, 54) sts for each front.

**Next row (RS):** Work to 8 (8, 9, 10) sts before first marker and place sts just worked on holder for right front, bind off next 16 (16, 18, 20) sts for right underarm, work to 8 (8, 9, 10) sts before next marker, place remaining sts on second holder for left front and underarm.

### BACK

Working on back sts only, dec 1 st each end every RS row 3 (3, 4, 5) times – 65 (68, 75, 77) sts.

Work even until armhole measures 7 (7½, 8, 8½)" above bound-off underarm sts, ending with a WS row.

#### Shape back neck and shoulders

Mark center 25 (28, 33, 33) sts.

**Next row (RS):** Work to first marker, join second ball of yarn and bind off marked sts, work to end of row.

Working on both sides of neck with separate balls of yarn, dec 1 st at each neck edge every row 3 times, **at the same time** bind off at each arm edge 6 sts twice, then 5 (5, 7, 7) sts once.

### LEFT FRONT

Sl sts from second holder to needle. With RS facing, join yarn at underarm. Bind off 16 (16, 18, 20) sts, work to end of row.

Dec 1 st at arm edge every RS row 3 (3, 4, 5) times – 32 (34, 37, 39) sts.

Work even until front measures 4 (4½, 5, 5½)" above bound-off underarm sts, ending with a RS row.

#### Shape neck

**Next row (WS):** Bind off 10 (12, 12, 14) sts work to end of row.

Dec 1 st at neck edge every RS row 5 (5, 6, 6) times – 17 (17, 19, 19) sts.

Work even until armhole measures same as for back above bound-off underarm sts. Bind off at arm edge 6 sts twice, then 5 (5, 7, 7) sts once.

### RIGHT FRONT

Sl sts from holder to needle. With WS facing, join yarn at underarm, work to end of row. Work as for left front, reversing shaping.

### SLEEVES

With B, cast on 61 (61, 68, 75) sts. Knit 1 row.

Work in Teacup pat, inc 1 st each end every 10th row 2 (3, 2, 2) times, working added sts into pat – 65 (67, 72, 79) sts.

Work even until sleeve measures 5 (5, 6, 6)" from beg, ending with a WS row. Mark each end st for underarm.

Work even for 10 (10, 10, 12) rows more. Dec 1 st each end every RS row 3 (3, 4, 5) times.

Bind off rem 59 (61, 64, 69) sts.

### ASSEMBLY

Sew shoulder seams. Sew sleeves into armholes, matching underarm markers to center bound-off sts of body. Sew sleeve seams.

### EDGINGS

Work edgings as for tank top around entire body opening and lower sleeve edges.

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