

# ROWAN

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## Lacy Shrug

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### YARN

S	M	L	XL	
To fit bust				
81-86	91-97	102-107	112-117	cm
32-34	36-38	40-42	44-46	in
<b>Rowan Classic Pure Silk DK</b>				
11	12	13	14	x 50gm

(photographed in Tranquil 156)

### NEEDLES

1 pair 3¼mm (no 10) (US 3) needles  
 1 pair 4mm (no 8) (US 6) needles  
 3¼mm (no 10) (US 3) circular needle

### BUTTONS – 6

### TENSION

22 sts and 30 rows to 10 cm measured over st st using 4mm (US 6) needles. 1 patt rep (22 sts) measures 9 cm.

### SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

**Cluster 2, 3 or 5** = with yarn at back (RS) of work slip 2, 3 or 5 sts from left needle onto right needle, bring yarn to front (WS) of work between needles and slip same sts back onto left needle, take yarn back to back (RS) of work between needles and slip same sts back onto right needle.

**Pattern note:** The number of sts varies whilst working patt. All st counts given relate to the original number of sts and do **NOT** include any sts made whilst working patt.

**LEFT BODY** (worked sideways, beg at cuff)

Using 4mm (US 6) needles cast on 133 sts.

**Row 1 (RS):** K1, \*yfwd, (K1 tbl, P3) 5 times, K1 tbl, yfwd, K1,

rep from \* to end.

**Row 2:** P1, \*P2, (K3, P1) 4 times, K3, P3, rep from \* to end.

**Row 3:** K1, \*yfwd, K1 tbl, yfwd, (K1 tbl, P3) 5 times, (K1 tbl, yfwd) twice, K1, rep from \* to end.

**Row 4:** P1, \*P4, (K3, P1) 4 times, K3, P5, rep from \* to end.

**Row 5:** K1, \*yfwd, K1 tbl, yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso, yfwd, (K1 tbl, P2tog, P1) 5 times, K1 tbl, yfwd, K2tog, yfwd, K1 tbl, yfwd, K1, rep from \* to end.

**Row 6:** P1, \*P6, (K2, P1) 4 times, K2, P7, rep from \* to end.

**Row 7:** K1, \*K1 tbl, (yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso) twice, yfwd, (K1 tbl, P2) 5 times, K1 tbl, yfwd, (K2tog, yfwd) twice, K1 tbl, K1, rep from \* to end.

**Row 8:** P1, \*P7, (K2, P1) 4 times, K2, P8, rep from \* to end.

**Row 9:** K1, \*K1, (yfwd, K2tog) twice, yfwd, K1 tbl, yfwd, (K1 tbl, P2tog) 5 times, (K1 tbl, yfwd) twice, (sl 1, K1, pssso, yfwd) twice, K2, rep from \* to end.

**Row 10:** P1, \*P9, (K1, P1) 4 times, K1, P10, rep from \* to end.

**Row 11:** sl 1, K1, pssso, \*(yfwd, K2tog) 3 times, K1 tbl, yfwd, (K1 tbl, P1) 5 times, K1 tbl, yfwd, K1 tbl, (sl 1, K1, pssso, yfwd) 3 times, slip 2 sts as though to K2tog, K1, pass 2 slipped sts over, rep from \* to last 27 sts, (yfwd, K2tog) 3 times, K1 tbl, yfwd, (K1 tbl, P1) 5 times, K1 tbl, yfwd, K1 tbl, (sl 1, K1, pssso, yfwd) 3 times, K2tog.

**Row 12:** As row 10.

**Row 13:** K1, \*(K2tog, yfwd) twice, K2tog, K1, K1 tbl, yfwd, (sl 1, K1, pssso) twice, sl 1, K2tog, pssso, (K2tog) twice, yfwd, K1 tbl, K1, sl 1, K1, pssso, (yfwd, sl 1, K1, pssso) twice, K1, rep from \* to end.

**Row 14:** Cluster 2, (P7, Cluster 5, P7, Cluster 3) 5 times, P7, Cluster 5, P7, Cluster 2.

These 14 rows form patt. (6 patt reps across rows.)

Cont in patt until work meas 45 [46: 47: 47] cm, ending with RS facing for next row.

Place markers at both ends of last row to denote top of sleeve seam.

Cont straight until work meas 10.5 [13: 14.5: 18.5] cm from markers, ending with **WS** facing for next row.

Place marker on centre st of last row.

**Next row (WS):** Patt to marked st, inc in marked st, patt to end. 134 sts.

Move marker to **between** the 2 centre sts.

### Divide for neck

**Next row (RS):** Patt to marker and turn, leaving rem sts on a holder. 67 sts, 3 patt reps across rows.

Work each side of neck separately.

Keeping patt correct, cont straight until work meas 12.5 [12.5: 13: 13] cm from dividing row, ending with RS facing for next row.\*\*

Break yarn and leave sts on a holder.

With RS facing, rejoin yarn to rem sts, patt to end. 67 sts, 3 patt reps.

Keeping patt correct, cont straight until work meas 12.5 [12.5: 13: 13] cm from dividing row, ending with RS facing for next row.

Cast off.

### RIGHT BODY

Work as given for left body to \*\*.

Cast off.

With RS facing, rejoin yarn to rem sts, patt to end. 3 patt reps across rows.

Keeping patt correct, cont straight until work meas 12.5 [12.5: 13: 13] cm from dividing row, ending with RS facing for next row.

### Join body sections

Holding sts left on left body holder against right body sts, with RS together, cast off both sets of sts together (to form centre back seam).

### MAKING UP

Press.

Join both sleeve seams from cast-on edges to markers at underarm using back stitch, or mattress stitch if preferred.

### Hemband

With RS facing and using 3/4mm (US 3) circular needle, pick up and knit 54 [58: 65: 74] sts along row-end edge of left front from cast-off edge to top of left sleeve seam, 112 [124: 138: 152] sts across entire row-end edge of back to top of right sleeve seam, then 54 [58: 65: 74] sts along row-end edge of right front to cast-off edge. 220 [240: 268: 300] sts.

**Row 1 (WS):** K1, P2, \*K2, P2, rep from \* to last st, K1.

**Row 2:** K3, \*P2, K2, rep from \* to last st, K1.

These 2 rows form rib.

Cont in rib until hemband meas 11 cm from pick-up row, ending with RS facing for next row.

Cast off in rib.

### Button band

Using 3/4mm (US 3) needles cast on 5 sts.

**Row 1 (RS):** K2, P1, K2.

**Row 2:** K1, (P1, K1) twice.

These 2 rows form rib.

Cont in rib until button band, when slightly stretched, fits up entire left front opening edge, from cast-off edge of hem band to neck edge of front cast-off edge, ending with RS facing for next row.

Break yarn and leave sts on a holder.

Slip stitch button band in place.

Mark positions for 6 buttons on the band – first to come 1 cm up from lower edge, 3rd to come 1 cm below hem band pick-up row, 2nd to come halfway between first and 3rd, 6th to come level with last RS row of button band, and rem 2 buttons evenly spaced between 3rd and 6th buttons.

### Button loop band

Using 3/4mm (US 3) needles cast on 5 sts.

Cont in rib as given for button band as follows:

Work 4 rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

Now make first button loop as follows:

**Next row (RS):** Insert right needle into first st on left needle as though to K this st tbl, take yarn round needle and draw loop through leaving original st on left needle, slip this new loop back onto left needle, \*insert right needle into new loop now on left needle as though to K this st, take yarn round needle and draw loop through letting previous loop slip off left needle, slip this new loop back onto left needle, rep from \* until this chain of loops is approx 2.5 cm long, K2tog (this is last loop of chain and first st of rib), K1, P1, K2.

Making a further 5 button loops in this way to correspond with positions marked for buttons on button band, cont in rib until this band, when slightly stretched, fits up entire right front opening edge, from cast-off edge of hem band to neck edge of front cast-off edge, ending with RS facing for next row.

Do NOT break yarn.

Slip stitch button loop band in place.

### Neckband

With RS facing and using 3/4mm (US 3) needles, rib 5 sts of button loop band, pick up and knit 27 sts along row-end edge of right side of neck, 54 sts across row-end edge of back neck, and 27 sts along row-end edge of left side of neck to button band, then rib 5 sts of button band. 118 sts.

**Row 1 (WS):** (K1, P1) twice, K to last 4 sts, (P1, K1) twice.

**Row 2:** K2, P1, K to last 3 sts, P1, K2.

Rep last 2 rows twice more.

Cast off in patt (on WS).

