





**Slushie** Designed by Aubrey Busek

DIFFICULTY Easy

WOMEN'S VERSION SIZES Small (Medium, Large, 1X, 2X, 3X, 4X, 5X) Shown in Small size with approx. 3-4" of positive ease.

#### **FINISHED MEASUREMENTS**

**Bust (with fronts touching):** 37½ (41¼, 45, 49¾, 53½, 57¼, 61, 64½)" **Length:** 17 (17½, 18, 19, 19½, 20, 21, 21½)"

### MATERIALS

Universal Yarn Uptown Baby Sport (100% anti-pilling acrylic; 100 g/ 361 yds)

- 212 Princess (A) 4 (4, 4, 5, 6, 6, 6, 7) skeins
- 214 Violet (B) 4 (4, 4, 5, 6, 6, 6, 7) skeins

**Needle:** US Size 8 (5 mm) straight (or your preferred needle for knitting flat) *or size needed to obtain gauge* **Notions:** Tapestry needle, stitch markers, removable stitch markers, stitch holders or waste yarn

Knit. Relax. Smile. Repeat!

#### GAUGE

13 sts x 20 rows = 4" in Loop stitch with colors A and B held together as one strand **Save time, check your gauge.** 

#### **PATTERN NOTES**

Slushie is a modern statement piece that is sure to get heads turning. This open, cropped cardigan is easy to throw over any simple ensemble and turn it into something magical. Two frosty shades of Uptown Baby Sport are held together while working playful loop stitches. Worked at a loose and airy gauge, you'll knit this piece in no time. The best part? We've included instructions for both children's and adult sizes – so you and your mini-me can match on your next trip for a sweet summer treat!

Slushie is intended to be worn with positive ease. For best fit, we recommend choosing a size 3-6" larger than your actual bust measurement.

This cardigan is knit flat in pieces and seamed. One strand of colors A and B are held together as one strand in this pattern. Most of the fabric is worked in Loop stitch, but a garter stitch selvedge is maintained throughout the pattern, making seaming easier during finishing.

### STITCH GUIDE

#### Loop Stitch

\* Insert RH ndl as if to knit. Bring the yarn bet the crossed ndls from back to front as if to knit, and wrap the yarn around your thumb, forming a loop at the front of the work. Bring the yarn to the back of the work and insert the RH ndl into the first st on the LH ndl and knit. You now have 2 loops on the RH ndl. SI the first loop over the  $2^{nd}$ , as if to bind off – 1 loop stitch created; rep from \* to end as indicated in patt

### WOMEN'S VERSION BACK Hem

With colors A and color B held together as one, cast on 63 (69, 75, 83, 89, 95, 101, 107) sts. Work 4 rows in Garter St.

#### Main Body

**Row 1 (RS):** K3, pm, work in Loop Stitch to last 3 sts, pm, k3.

Row 2 (WS): Knit, slipping markers as you come to them.

Cont in patt as est'd until piece meas 10 (10, 10, 10½, 10½, 10½, 11, 11)" from cast-on edge, ending with a WS Row. Place a removable marker

on each side to denote armholes.

Cont in patt as est'd until piece meas 5¾ (6¼, 6¾, 7¼, 7¾, 8¼, 8¾, 9¼)" from armhole markers, ending with a WS row.

#### Shape Back Neck

**Next Row (RS):** Cont as est'd over 26 (29, 31, 35, 37, 40, 42, 45) Right Back sts, bind off center 11 (11, 13, 13, 15, 15, 17, 17) sts, cont as est'd over 26 (29, 31, 35, 37, 40, 42, 45) Left Back sts. Place Right Back sts on holder or waste yarn.

#### Shape Left Back Neck

Row 1 (WS): Cont in patt as est'd to end. Row 2 (RS): Bind off 2, cont in patt as est'd to end – 24 (27, 29, 33, 35, 38, 40, 43) sts rem. Rep Rows 1-2, one more time – 22 (25, 27, 31, 33, 36, 38, 41) sts rem.

Cont even in Garter St, if necessary, until piece meas 7 (7½, 8, 8½, 9, 9½, 10, 10½)" from armhole markers, ending with a WS Row. Bind off all sts. Return Right Back sts to ndl, ready to work a WS Row.

#### Shape Right Back Neck

**Row 1 (WS):** Bind off 2, cont in patt as est'd to end – 24 (27, 29, 33, 35, 38, 40, 43) sts rem. **Rows 2(RS):** Cont in patt as est'd to end. Rep Rows 1-2, one more time – 22 (25, 27, 31, 33, 36, 38, 41) sts rem. Cont even in Garter St, if necessary, until piece meas 7 (7½, 8, 8½, 9, 9½, 10, 10½)" from armhole markers, ending with a WS Row. Bind off all sts.

#### **LEFT FRONT**

#### Hem

With colors A and color B held together as one, cast on 31 (34 (37, 41, 44, 47, 50, 53) sts. Work 4 rows in Garter St. **Main Front** 

Knit, Relax, Smile, Repeat!

**Row 1 (RS):** K3, pm, work In Loop Stitch to last 3 sts, pm, k3.

Row 2 (WS): Knit, slipping markers as you come to them.

Cont in patt as est'd until piece meas 10 (10, 10, 10½, 10½, 10½, 11, 11)" from cast-on edge, ending with a WS Row. Place a removable marker to denote armhole. Cont in patt as est'd until piece meas 2 (2½, 3, 3, 3½, 3½, 4, 4½)" from armhole marker, ending with a RS Row.

### Shape Left Front Neck

Bind off 2 sts at the beg of the next WS Row – 29 (32, 35, 39, 42, 45, 48, 51) sts rem.

**Dec Row (RS):** Cont in patt as est'd to last 3 sts, ssk, k1 – 1 st dec'd – 28 (31, 34, 38, 41, 44, 47, 51) sts rem.

**Even Row (WS):** Cont in patt as est'd to end. Rep Dec Row and Even Row, 6 (6, 7, 7, 8, 8, 9, 9) more times, 22 (25, 27, 31, 33, 36, 38, 41) sts rem.

Work even in patt as est'd until piece meas 6½ (7, 7½, 8, 8½, 9, 9½, 10)" from armhole marker, ending with a WS row. Work even in Garter st until piece meas 7 (7½, 8, 8½, 9, 9½, 10, 10½)" from armhole marker. Bind off all sts.

#### **RIGHT FRONT**

Work as for Left Front to Neck Shaping. Shape Right Front Neck

Bind off 2 sts at the beg of the next RS Row – 29 (32, 35, 39, 42, 45, 48, 51) sts rem.

**Even Row (WS):** Cont in patt as est'd to end. **Dec Row (RS):** K1, k2tog, cont as est'd to end – 1 st dec'd.

Rep Even Row and Dec Row, 6 (6, 7, 7, 8, 8, 9, 9) more times, 22 (25, 27, 31, 33, 36, 38, 41) sts rem.

Work even in patt as est'd until piece meas 6½ (7, 7½, 8, 8½, 9, 9½, 10)" from armhole marker, ending with a WS row. Work even in Garter st until piece meas 7 (7½, 8, 8½, 9, 9½, 10, 10½)" from armhole marker. Bind off all sts.

SLEEVES

Hem

With colors A and B held together as one, cast on 36 (36, 36, 40, 40, 40, 44, 44) sts. Work 4 rows in Garter St.

### **Main Sleeve**

**Row 1 (RS):** K3, pm, work in Loop Stitch to last 3 sts, pm, k3.

**Row 2 (WS):** Knit, slipping markers as you come to them.

Cont in patt as est'd until piece meas approx 1" from cast-on edge, ending with a WS Row.

### Shape Sleeve

Note: Maintain increased sts in Loops pattern as established throughout Sleeve Shaping.

**Inc Row (RS):** K1, m1, cont as est'd to last st, m1, k1 – 2 sts inc'd, 38 (38, 38, 42, 42, 42, 46, 46) sts. Rep Inc Row every 12 (10, 8, 8, 6, 6, 6, 4) rows, 1 (2, 4, 3, 3, 8, 8, 1) more time(s), then rep Inc Row every 14 (12, 10, 10, 8, 8, 8, 6) rows, 3 (3, 3, 4, 5, 2, 2, 10) times – 8 (10, 14, 14, 16, 20, 20, 22) sts inc'd, 46 (48, 52, 56, 58, 62, 66, 68) sts.

Work even in patt as est'd until piece meas 13<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" from cast-on edge.

Work 4 rows in Garter St. Bind off all sts.

### FINISHING

Gently wash and block pieces to finished measurements. Weave in ends. Sew shoulder seams. Sew Sleeves to Body, using armhole markers as a guide. Sew Side and Sleeve seams.

Knit, Relax, Smile, Repeat!



## CHILDREN'S VERSION SIZES 1-2 (2-4, 4-6, 6-8, 8-10) Years Shown in 6-8 Year size. Refer to

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### FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

**Chest (with fronts touching):** 21 (22¼, 24½, 27, 28¼)" **Length:** 8½ (9¼, 10¼, 11, 12)"

#### MATERIALS

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### GAUGE

13 sts x 20 rows = 4" in Loop stitch Save time, check your gauge.

### **PATTERN NOTES**

This is the mini-me version of the women's Slushie. Like its adult counterpart, this precious cropped jacket features fun, loopy stitches throughout. Minimal shaping, three-quarter length sleeves, an oversized fit, and open front make this piece great for little ones who grow quickly!

The children's version of Slushie is intended to be worn with several inches of positive ease. If you are not sure what size to knit, we recommend sizing up.

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## BACK

Hem With colors A and B held together as one strand, cast on 36 (38, 42, 46, 48) sts. Work 4 rows in Garter St. Main Back

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**Row 1 (RS):** K3, pm, work in Loop Stitch to last 3 sts, pm, k3.

Row 2 (WS): Knit, slipping markers as you come to them.

Cont in patt as est'd until piece meas 5 (5½, 6, 6½, 7) from cast-on edge. Place a removable marker on each side to denote armholes. Cont working as est'd until piece meas 2½ (2¾, 3¼, 3½, 4)" from armhole markers, ending with a WS Row.

### Shape Back Neck

Next Row (RS): Cont as est'd over 14 (15, 17, 18, 19) Right Back sts, bind off center 8 (8, 8, 10, 10) sts, cont as ests'd over 14 (15, 17, 18, 19) Left Back sts. Place Right Back sts on holder or waste yarn.

## Shape Left Back Neck

Row 1 (WS): Cont in patt as est'd to end.

**Row 2 (RS):** Bind off 2, cont in patt as est'd to end – 12 (13, 15, 16, 17) sts rem.

Rep Rows 1-2, one more time – 10 (11, 13, 14, 15) sts rem.

Cont even in Garter st until piece meas  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ( $3\frac{3}{4}$ ,  $4\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " from armhole markers, ending with a WS Row. Bind off all sts. Return Right Back sts to ndl, ready to work a WS Row.

### Shape Right Back Neck

**Row 1 (WS):** Bind off 2, cont in patt as est'd to end – 12 (13, 15, 16, 17) sts rem.

Row 2: Cont as est'd to end.

Rep Rows 1-2, one more time – 10 (11, 13, 14, 15) sts rem.

Cont even in Garter st until piece meas  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ( $3\frac{3}{4}$ ,  $4\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $4\frac{1}{2}$ , 5)" from armhole markers, ending with a WS Row. Bind off all sts.

## LEFT FRONT

### Hem

With colors A and B held together as one strand, cast on 18 (19, 21, 23, 24) sts.

Work 4 rows in Garter St.

### **Main Front**

**Row 1 (RS):** K3, pm, work in Loop Stitch to last 3 sts, pm, k3.

Row 2 (WS): Knit, slipping markers as you come to them.

Cont in patt as est'd until piece meas 5 (5½, 6, 6½, 7) from cast-on edge. Place a removable marker on each side to denote armholes. Cont in patt as est'd until piece meas  $1\frac{1}{2}(1\frac{1}{4}, 1\frac{3}{4}, 1\frac{1}{2}, 2)$ " from armhole marker, ending with a RS row.

# Left Front Neck Shaping

**Row 1 (WS):** Bind off 3, cont in patt as est'd to end – 15 (16, 18, 20, 21) sts rem.

**Row 2 (RS):** Cont in patt as est'd to last st, k1. **Row 3:** Bind off 2, cont in patt as est'd to end – 13 (14, 16, 18, 19) sts rem.

**Rows 4-5:** Rep Rows 2-3 – 11 (12, 14, 16, 17) sts rem.

Row 6: Rep Row 2.

**Row 7:** Bind off 1 (1, 1, 2, 2), cont in patt as est'd to end – 10 (11, 13, 14, 15) sts rem.

Cont even in patt as est'd, if necessary, until piece meas 3 (3%, 3%, 4, 4%)" from armhole markers, ending with a WS row.

Cont even in Garter st until piece meas  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ( $3\frac{3}{4}$ ,  $4\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $4\frac{1}{2}$ , 5)" from armhole markers, ending with a WS Row. Bind off all sts.

## **RIGHT FRONT**

Work as for Left Front until piece meas  $1\frac{1}{4}$  ( $1\frac{1}{4}$ ,  $1\frac{3}{4}$ ,  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , 2)" from armhole marker, ending with a WS row.

### **Right Front Neck Shaping**

**Row 1 (RS):** Bind off 3, cont in patt as est'd to end – 15 (16, 18, 20, 21) sts rem.

**Row 2 (WS):** Cont in patt as est'd to last st, k1. **Row 3:** Bind off 2, cont in patt as est'd to end – 13 (14, 16, 18, 19) sts rem.

**Rows 4-5:** Rep Rows 2-3 – 11 (12, 14, 16, 17) sts rem.

Row 6: Rep Row 2.

**Row 7:** Bind off 1 (1, 1, 2, 2), cont in patt as est'd to end – 10 (11, 13, 14, 15) sts rem. Cont even in patt as est'd, if necessary, until piece meas 3 (3¼,  $3\frac{3}{4}$ , 4,  $4\frac{1}{2}$ )" from armhole markers, ending with a WS row.

Cont even in Garter st until piece meas  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ( $3\frac{3}{4}$ ,  $4\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $4\frac{1}{2}$ , 5)" from armhole markers, ending with a WS Row. Bind off all sts.

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## SLEEVES

## Cuff

Cast on 23 (25, 27, 29, 33) sts. Work 4 rows in Garter St.

## **Main Sleeve**

**Row 1 (RS):** K3, pm, work in Loop Stitch to last 3 sts, pm, k3.

Row 2 (WS): Knit, slipping markers as you come to them.

Cont in patt as est'd until piece meas 4½ (5½, 6½, 7½, 8½)" from cast-on edge, ending with a WS Row.

Work 4 rows in Garter St. Bind off all sts.

#### FINISHING

Gently wash and block pieces to finished measurements. Weave in ends. Sew shoulder seams. Sew Sleeves to Body, using armhole markers as a guide. Sew Sleeve and Side seams.

### Abbreviations

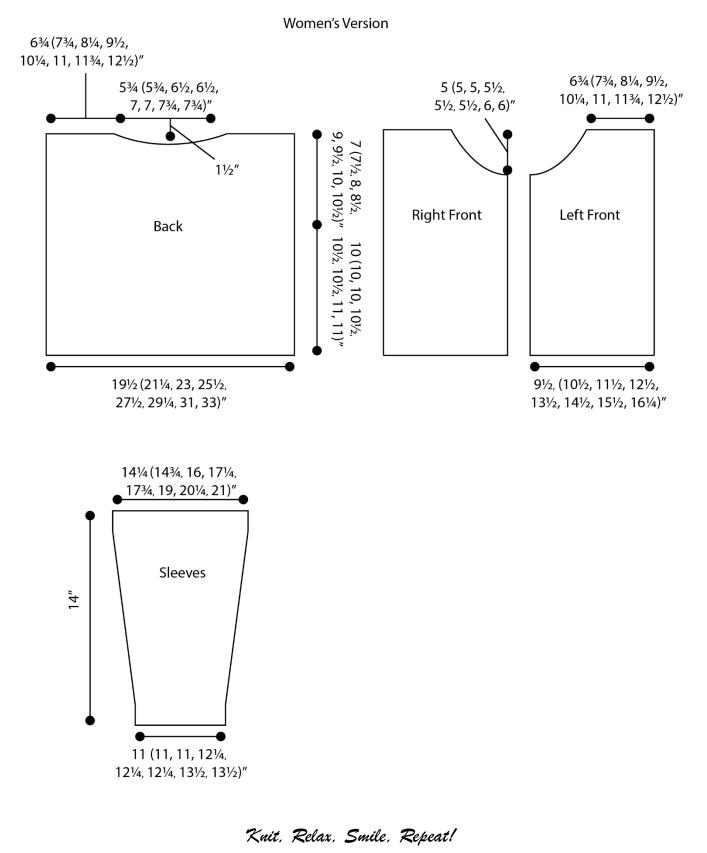
beg	begin(ning)
cont	continue
dec('d)	decrease(d)
est'd	established
garter st	knit every row
inc('d)	increase(d)
k	knit
k2tog	knit 2 stitches together (1 st dec'd)
garter st	knit every row
m	marker
m1L	insert left needle from front to
	back under horizontal strand of
	yarn lying between st just
	worked and next st, knit or purl
	this st through the back loop (1 st inc'd)
m1R	insert left needle from back to
	front under horizontal strand of
	yarn lying between st just
	worked and next st, knit or purl
	this st through the front loop (1
	st inc'd)
meas	measures
ndl	needle
patt	pattern

pm rem RS ssk	place marker remain(ing) repeat right side slip next 2 sts individually knitwise, slip them back to left needle in this position, knit them together through the back loops (1 st dec'd)
st(s)	stitch(es)

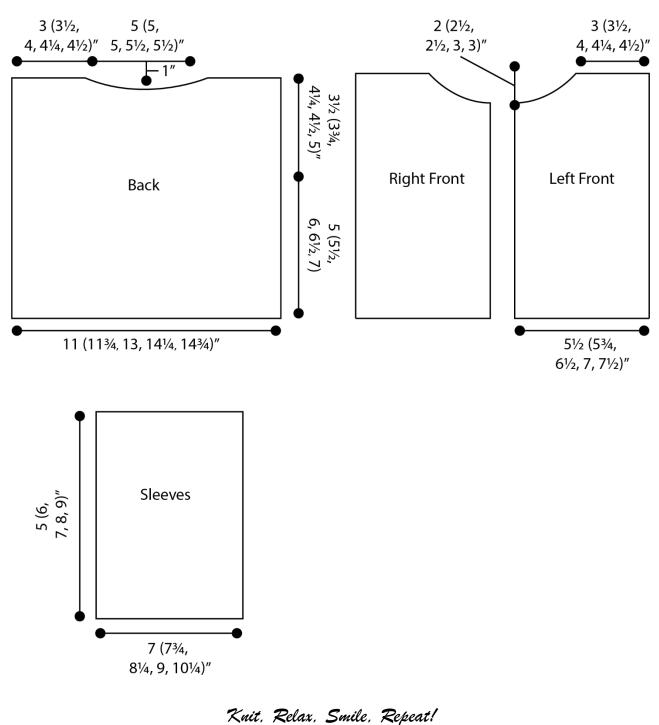


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Children's Version

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