

Classic Elite Yarns

Intrigue Bolero

This piece is knit with the back, two fronts and sleeves as separate pieces with panels of lace in each. The seams provide the super soft yarn with stability and direction. Both the fronts and back begin at the lower edge and worked even to the armholes, which are shaped for set-in sleeves. The front bands and neck trim are picked up once the garment is sewn together.

The sleeve caps are shaped to be set-in and there is one repeat of the lace panel at the sleeve cuff to add a little scallop and flare.

Once finished a ribbon is simply threaded through the fabric of the bottom of the front trims to tie the fronts closed.



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SIZES: Small (Medium, Large, Extra Large, 2X Large)

Finished Measurements: 34½ (38¼, 42, 45¾, 50½)"

MATERIALS:

Intrigue by **Classic Elite** (92% cashmere, 5% polyester, 3% nylon; 50 gram hank = approx 125 yards)

- 4 (5, 7, 8, 9) hanks

Needles

- One pair size US 8 (5 mm)

Or size to obtain gauge

- Stitch markers
- 1 yard of ¼" ribbon

GAUGE: 17 sts and 24 rows = 4" in Stockinette Stitch. **Take time to save time, check your gauge.**

SPECIAL TERMS:

yo: Yarn over (1 st increased).

ssk: (**slip, slip, knit**) Slip 2 sts, 1 at a time, knitwise to the RH needle; return sts to LH needle in turned position and knit them together through the back loops (1 st decreased).

k2tog: Knit 2 sts together (1 st decreased).

sk2p: Slip 1 st knitwise, from the LH needle to the RH needle, k2tog, pass slipped st over knit st created by k2tog (2 sts decreased).

PATTERN STITCHES:

Stockinette Stitch (St st): Knit on RS, purl on WS.

Back Rib: (multiple of 8 sts)

Row 1: (RS) *P4, k4; rep from * to end.

Row 2: Knit the knit sts and purl the purl sts as they face you.

Rep Row 2 for Back Rib.

Lace Panel: (panel of 17 sts)

(also, see chart on page 2)

Row 1: (RS) K1, yo, k3, ssk, k5, k2tog, k3, yo, k1.

Row 2: P6, k5, p6.

Row 3: K2, yo, k3, ssk, p3, k2tog, k3, yo, k2.

Row 4: P7, k3, p7.

Row 5: K3, yo, k3, ssk, p1, k2tog, k3, yo, k3.

Row 6: P8, k1, p8.

Row 7: K4, yo, k3, sk2p, k3, yo, k4.

Row 8: Purl.

Rep Rows 1–8 for Lace Panel.

Front Rib: (multiple of 8 sts)

Row 1: (RS) *K4, p4; rep from * to end.

Row 2: Knit the knit sts and purl the purl sts as they face you.

Rep Row 2 for Front Rib.

Reverse Stockinette Stitch (Rev St st):

Purl on RS, knit on WS.

NOTES:

1. Work armhole and cap dec sts as follows:

Back and Cap: (RS) K1, ssk, work to last 3 sts as est, k2tog, k1. **Left Front:** (RS) K1, ssk, work to end as est. **Right Front:** (RS) Work to last 3 sts as est, k2tog, k1.

2. Work neck dec sts as follows: **Back:** (RS)

Work to 3 sts before neck edge as est, k2tog, k1; on other side, k1, ssk, work to end as est. **Left Front:** (RS) Work to last 3 sts as est, k2tog, k1. **Right Front:** (RS) K1, ssk, work to end as est.

BACK

CO 72 (80, 88, 96, 104) sts. **Est Back Rib:** (RS) K2 (0, 2, 0, 2), p0 (2, 0, 2, 0), k0 (4, 0, 4, 0), work to last 6 (2, 6, 2, 6) sts in Back Rib, p4 (2, 4, 2, 4), k2 (0, 2, 0, 2). Work even as est, knit the knit sts and purl the purl sts as they face you, until pc meas 1½" from beg, end WS row.

Est Lace Panel: (RS) Work 17 (21, 25, 29, 33) sts in St st, place marker (pm), work 17 sts in Lace Panel, pm, work 4 sts in St st, pm, work



ABBREVIATIONS

approx – approximately

beg – begin(ning)

BO – Bind Off

CO – Cast On

cont – continue

dec – decrease

EOR – Every Other Row

est – establish(ed)

k – knit

k2tog – see Special Terms

LH – Left Hand

meas – measures

p – purl

pc – piece

pm – place marker

rem – remain(ning)

rep – repeat

Rev St st – Reverse Stockinette Stitch

RH – Right Hand

RS – Right Side

sk2p – see Special Terms

ssk – see Special Terms

st(s) – stitch(es)

St st – Stockinette Stitch

WS – Wrong Side

yo – see Special Terms

