



## Design No: 80 Silk Road Shoulder Cape



**WOOLYBUTT Exclusive Design**

**Size: fits all**

**Materials: Cleckheaton Country Silk 8ply 50g x 5  
10mm straight needles  
10mm circular needle  
8mm circular needle  
6mm circular needle  
4mm circular needle**



## **Instructions:**

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The front and back are worked as two separate pieces to begin with, then they are joined onto a circular needle of a smaller size.

Thereafter the garment is shaped by needle size causing a slight decreasing, then flaring onto a larger needle size and by increasing to make the “collar”.

### **Front**

Using 10mm straight needles, cast on 80 stitches, knit four rows.

Row 5: knit

Row 6: k4, purl to last 4 stitches, k4.

Repeat rows 5 & 6 12 times (or to the length you want).

Knit Front onto an 8mm circular needle.

### **Back**

Repeat as for Front making sure back and front are a similar length.

Knit Back onto the same circular needle (8mm) as Front, finishing off ends as necessary (160 stitches).

Hereafter knit in Rounds.

At each “join” knit last and first stitches together, thereby decreasing two stitches (158 stitches).

Knit 3 rounds on 8mm needles.

At each join, purl 7 stitches (to maintain edging).

Change to 6mm circular needle.

Knit 5 rounds.

On 6<sup>th</sup> round k2tog at “join” (156 stitches).

Round 7 & 8 as above (152 stitches).

Change to 4mm circular needle and proceed as above for 3 rows (146 stitches).

Next row: \*k7, k2tog., repeat from \* to end (112 stitches)

Next row: knit

Next row: knit onto 10mm circular needle - \*k7, “inc”, repeat to end.

Repeat this row (140 stitches).

Knit 5 more rows plain.

Cast off (neck will roll).

Make crochet flowers and attach.

Crochet Flower Pattern (make two):

Leave 30-40cm “tails” at the beginning and end.

To begin: ch 6, join with a slip stitch to form ring.

Rnd 1: ch2 (work as 1 dc), work 15dc into ring. Join with sl st to beginning chain.

Rnd 2: \*ch5, skip 2dc, sl st into next dc, repeat from \* around, ending with a sl st to bas of beginning ch.

Rnd 3: in each of 5ch space, work (1dc, 5tr, 3tr, 5tr, 1dc) all around, ending with a sl st to beginning chain, finish off.