

*Knit 2 columns of cables with 2 purl stitches on each side of each cable.
The cables are reversed and alternate creating the braided (plait) appearance.*

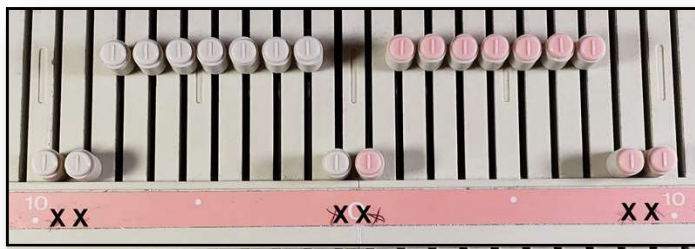
Cable 1:

- Remove the **LEFT** 2 stitches and hold them aside.
- Transfer the **RIGHT** 2 stitches to the empty needles.
- Replace the held stitches on the newly emptied needles

Cable 2:

- Remove the **RIGHT** 2 stitches and hold them aside
- Transfer the **LEFT** 2 stitches to the empty needles
- Replace the held stitches on the newly emptied needles.

1. Cast on 40 stitches with any method (left 20-1, right 1-20)
2. Knit 6 rows (carriage on the right)
3. Mark the needlebed, indicating the cable stitches and the purl columns



4. Knit 3 rows
5. *Work **Cable 1** over needles: L5-2 | R4-7
Carefully Knit 1 row
Knit 3 rows (Reform XX purl stitches)
6. Work **Cable 2** over needles: L7-4 | R2-5
Carefully knit 1 row
Knit 3 rows (Reform XX purl stitches)
7. Work **Cable 1** over needles: L5-2 | R4-7
Carefully knit 1 row
Knit 3 rows (Reform XX purl stitches)
8. Work **Cable 2** over needles: L7-4 | R2-5
Carefully knit 1 row
Knit 3 rows (Reform XX purl stitches)*
9. Repeat from * to * at least 1 more time.



This is a 16 row repeat.

Following the chart, the cables are worked on rows 4, 8, 12 and 16.

Reform 2 stitches on each side of the cables as you knit

