Belle Pullover

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Yarnalia

Level:

Intermediate

Sizes:

XS (S, M, L, XL, 2XL, 3XL, 4XL)

Finished bust circumference:

31 (36, 41, 46, 51.5, 56.5, 61.5, 66.5)"/77 (90, 103, 115, 128, 141, 154, 166) cm

Shown in size S.

Materials:

Yarn A: Yarnalia WOOLY   (worsted weight: 100% Superwash Wool, 219 yds/200 m per 100 g) in Hazelnut - 5 (6, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11) balls.

Yarn B: Yarnalia SKYLARK   (fingering weight: 100% Superwash Wool, 350 yds/320 m per 100 g) in Hazelnut, 1 ball (all sizes).

US Size 8 (5 mm) needles OR SIZE TO OBTAIN GAUGE for body and sleeves.

US Size 7 (4.5 mm) circular and straight needles for cuffs and collar.

Stitch holders, stitch marker, tapestry needle.

Gauge:

22 sts x 22 rows = 4"/10cm in Diamond stitch pattern with yarn A and larger needles, blocked.

24 sts x 24 rows = 4"/10cm over Vertical Open stitch pattern with yarn B and smaller needles, blocked.

Stitch Patterns:

1x1 Twisted Rib
(odd number of sts, worked flat)
Row 1 (RS): [K1tbl, p1], k1tbl.
Row 2 (WS): [P1tbl, k1], p1tbl.
Rep Rows 1-2 for pattern.

1x1 Twisted Rib in the round
(even number of sts, worked in the rnd)
All rnds: [K1tbl, p1] to end.

Diamond Stitch Pattern (multiple of 14 sts +1)
Row 1 (RS): K1, *yo, k2, p3, p3tog, p3, k2, yo, k1; rep from * to end.
Row 2 (WS): *P4, k7, p3; rep from * to last st, p1.
Row 3: K1, *k1, yo, k2, p2, p3tog, p2, k2, yo, k2; rep from * to end.
Row 4: *P5, k5, p4; rep from * to last st, p1.
Row 5: K1, *k2, yo, k2, p1, p3tog, p1, k2, yo, k3; rep from * to end.
Row 6: *P6, k3, p5; rep from * to last st, p1.
Row 7: K1, *k3, yo, k2, p3tog, k2, yo, k4; rep from * to end.
Row 8: *P7, k1, p6; rep from * to last st, p1.
Row 9: P2tog, *p3, k2, yo, k1, yo, k2, p3, p3tog; rep from * to last 13 sts, p3, k2, yo, k1, yo, k2, p3, p2tog.
Row 10: *K4, p7, k3; rep from * to last st, k1.
Row 11: P2tog, *p2, k2, yo, k3, yo, k2, p2, p3tog; rep from * to last 13 sts, p2, k2, yo, k3, yo, k2, p2, p2tog.
Row 12: *K3, p9, k2; rep from * to last st, k1.
Row 13: P2tog, *p1, k2, yo, k5, yo, k2, p1, p3tog; rep from * to last 13 sts, p1, k2, yo, k5, yo, k2, p1, p2tog.
Row 14: *K2, p11, k1; rep from * to last st, k1.
Row 15: P2tog, *k2, yo, k7, yo, k2, p3tog; rep from * to last 13 sts, k2, yo, k7, yo, k2, p2tog.
Row 16: *K1, p13; rep from * to last st, k1.
Rep these 16 rows.

Scallop Edge
Row 1 (RS): K1, *yo, [k1, p1] x4, k1, yo, k1; rep from * to end. 12 sts per repeat +1
Row 2: *K2, p1, [k1, p1] x4, k1; rep from * to last st, k1.
Row 3: K1, *k1, yo, [k1, p1] x4, k1, yo, k2; rep from * to end. 14 sts per repeat +1
Row 4: *K3, p1, [k1, p1] x4, k2; rep from * to last st, k1.
Row 5: K1, *k2, sssk, sl2-k1-p2sso, k3tog, k3; rep from * to end. 8 sts per repeat +1

Row 6: *K3, p3tog, k2; rep from * to last
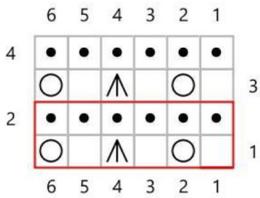st, k1. 6 sts per repeat +1
Vertical Open Stitch Pattern (multiple of
6 sts +1)
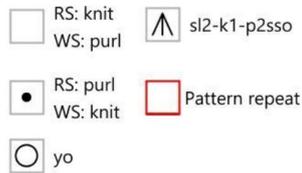Row 1 (RS): *K1, yo, k1, sl2-k1-p2sso, k1, yo;
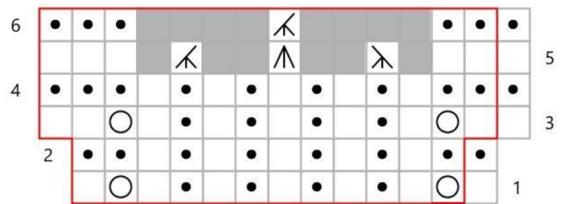rep from *, end k1.
Row 2 (WS): Knit.
Rep these 2 rows.

Vertical Open Stitch Pattern

Key

RS: knit / WS: purl	sl2-k1-p2sso
RS: purl / WS: knit	Pattern repeat
yo	

Scallop Edge

Key

RS: knit / WS: purl	yo	RS: k3tog / WS: p3tog
RS: purl / WS: knit	sssk	sl2-k1-p2sso
		Pattern repeat / no stitch

Diamond Stitch Pattern

Key

RS: knit / WS: purl	
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yo	
p3tog	
p2tog	
Pattern repeat	
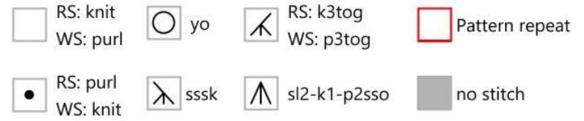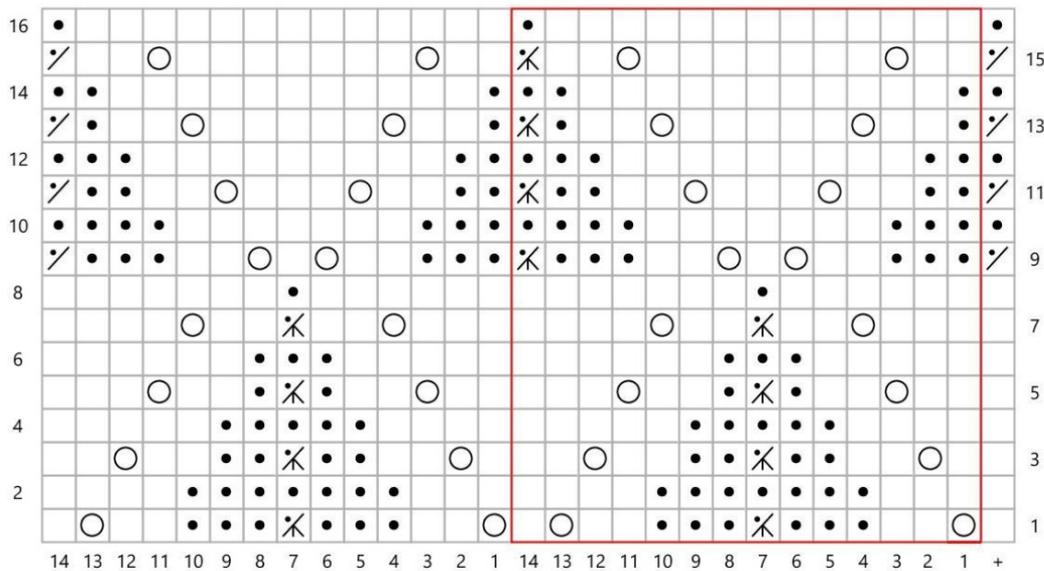
Instructions:

Body (make 2 – Back and Front are identical):

With yarn A and larger needles, CO 87 (101, 115, 129, 143, 157, 171, 185) sts.
Establish Twisted Rib as follows (RS): Sl1, work in 1x1 Twisted Rib to last st, k1.
Work until rib measures 0.5"/1.5 cm, ending with a WS row.
Establish Diamond Stitch as follows (RS): Sl1, work pattern to last st, working pattern repeat 6 (7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13) times, k1.
Work as established until piece measures 14.5 (15, 15.5, 16, 16.5, 17, 17.5, 18)"/37 (38, 39.5, 40.5, 42, 43, 44.5, 45.5) cm or desired length to underarm, ending with a WS row.

Shape armholes:

Row 1 (RS): BO 3 sts, work to end. 3 sts decreased
Row 2 (WS): BO 3 sts, work to last 2 sts, k2tog. 4 sts decreased
Rows 3 & 4: BO 2 sts, work to last 2 sts, k2tog. 3 sts decreased each row; 6 sts decreased total
Rows 5 & 6: BO 1 st, work to last 2 sts, k2tog. 2 sts decreased each row; 4 sts decreased total
Row 7: Work to last 2 sts, k2tog. 69 (83, 97, 111, 125, 139, 153, 167) sts
Work 1 WS row in patt.
Dec Row 1 (RS): Sl1, ssk, work in patt last 3 sts, k2tog, k1. 2 sts decreased
Cont in patt and rep Dec Row 1 every RS row another 4 times. 59 (73, 87, 101, 115, 129, 143, 157) sts

Work 1 WS row in patt.
Dec Row 2 (RS): Sl1, sssk, work in patt to last 4 sts, k3tog, k1. 4 sts decreased
Cont in patt and rep Dec Row 2 every RS row another 8 (9, 10, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21) times. 23 (33, 43, 45, 51, 57, 63, 69) sts
Work even in patt until armhole measures 8.5 (9, 9.5, 10, 10.5, 11, 11.5, 12)"/21.5 (23, 24, 25.5, 26.5, 28, 29, 30.5) cm.
Place sts on holder.

Sleeves (make 2):

With yarn A and smaller needles CO 59 (61, 63, 65, 67, 69, 71, 73) sts.
Establish 1x1 Twisted Rib with selvedge as for body and work for 1.5"/4 cm, ending with a WS row.
Change to larger needles and establish Diamond Stitch as follows (RS): Sl1, k0 (1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 0), work Diamond Stitch to the last 1 (2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 1) st(s), k to end.

Work as established for 2"/5 cm, ending with a WS row.
Inc Row (RS): Sl1, m1, work to last st, m1, k1. 2 sts increased
Cont in patt and rep Inc Row every 2 (2, 2, 1.5, 1, 1, 0.75, 0.75)"/5 (5, 5, 4, 2.5, 2.5, 2, 2) cm another 6 (6, 6, 8, 11, 14, 18, 21) times, working new stitches into Diamond pattern. 73 (75, 77, 79, 81, 83, 85, 87) sts

Work even in patt until sleeve measures 17.5 (18, 18.5, 19, 19.5, 20, 20.5, 21)"/44.5 (45.5, 47, 48.5, 49.5, 51, 52, 53.5) cm or

desired length to underarm, ending with a WS row.

Shape armholes:

Row 1 (RS): BO 3 sts, work to end. 3 sts decreased
Row 2 (WS): BO 3 sts, work to last 2 sts, k2tog. 4 sts decreased
Rows 3 & 4: BO 2 sts, work to last 2 sts, k2tog. 3 sts decreased each row; 6 sts decreased total
Rows 5 & 6: BO 1 st, work to last 2 sts, k2tog. 2 sts decreased each row; 4 sts decreased total
Row 7: Work to last 2 sts, k2tog. 55 (57, 59, 65, 73, 81, 91, 99) sts
Work 1 WS row in patt.

Dec Row (RS): Sl1, ssk, work in patt last 3 sts, k2tog, k1. 2 sts decreased
Cont in patt and rep Dec Row 1 every RS row another 15 (15, 15, 18, 18, 17, 16, 15) times. 23 (25, 27, 27, 35, 45, 57, 67) sts
Work 1 WS row in patt.

Sizes XL, 2XL, 3XL & 4XL ONLY:
Double Dec Row (RS): Sl1, sssk, work in patt to last 4 sts, k3tog, k1. 4 sts decreased
Cont in patt and rep Double Dec Row every RS row another - (-, -, -, -, 1, 3, 6, 8) time(s). - (-, -, -, -, 27, 29, 29, 31) sts
Work 1 WS row in patt.

All sizes:
Work even in patt until armhole measures 8.5 (9, 9.5, 10, 10.5, 11, 11.5, 12)"/21.5 (23, 24, 25.5, 26.5, 28, 29, 30.5) cm.

Place sts on holder.

Collar:
Bottom Scallop:
With yarn B and smaller needles CO 173 (183, 193, 203, 213, 223, 233, 243) sts.
Set-up Row (WS): Sl1, purl to last st, k1.
Work Rows 1-6 of Scallop Edge as follows: Sl1, work patt to last st, k1. 105 (111, 117, 123, 129, 135, 141, 147) sts remain after final row
Work even in St st for 1"/2.5 cm then place live sts on holder or spare needle.

Top Scallop:
Work as for bottom scallop through Row 6 of Scallop Edge. Note: Do not continue in St st.

Join scallops:
With Bottom Scallop on spare needle, hold Bottom Scallop needle behind Top Scallop needle and knit first stitch from Top/Front Scallop together with first stitch from Bottom/Back Scallop. Continue in this manner until all sts are joined.
Next row (WS): Sl1, knit to end.

Begin Vertical Open Stitch pattern, working all rows as follows: Sl1, work in patt to last st, k1.

Work even in patt for 3.25 (3.5, 3.75, 4, 4.25, 4.5, 4.75, 5)"/8.5 (9, 9.5, 10, 11, 11.5, 12, 12.5) cm, ending with a WS row. Place

live sts on holder. Do not cut yarn B.

Finishing:
Block all pieces.
Sew side seams; attach and seam the sleeves.

Beginning at center back, place held body and sleeve stitches on smaller circular needle as follows: 12 (17, 22, 23, 26, 29, 32, 35) back left sts, 23 (25, 27, 27, 27, 29, 29, 31) left sleeve sts, 23 (33,43, 45, 51, 57, 63, 69) front sts, 23 (25, 27, 27, 27, 29, 29, 31) right sleeve sts, remaining 11 (16, 21, 22, 25, 28, 31, 34) back right sts. 92 (116, 140, 144, 156, 172, 184, 200) sts total
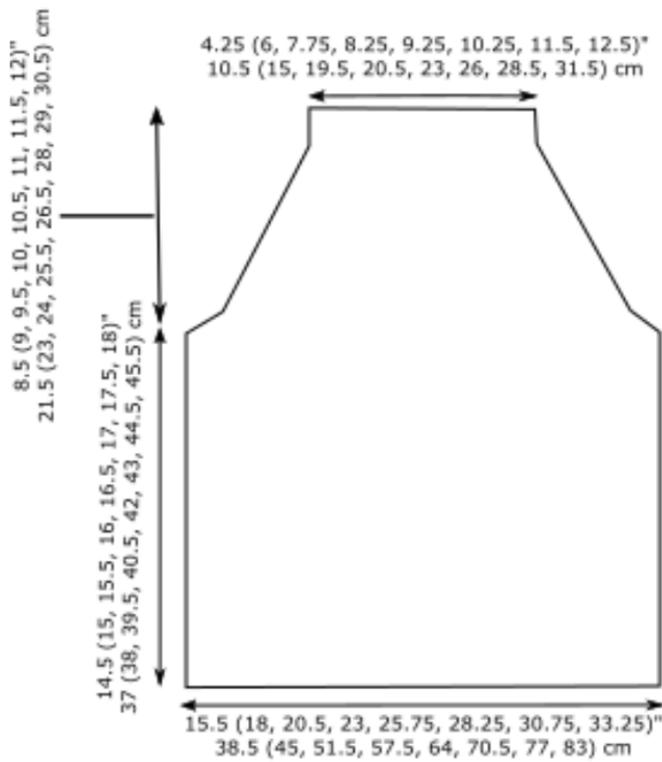
Join yarn A, PM, and knit 1 rnd, increasing or decreasing +13 (-5, -23, -21, -27, -37, -43, -53) sts evenly. 105 (111, 117, 123, 129, 135, 141, 147) sts remain

Place collar stitches on spare needle and hold in front, align right collar edge with center back, and with 1 strand each of A & B held together, knit 1 collar stitch together with 1 body stitch all the way around, joining the entire neckline, then m1 at center back to get even number of sts.
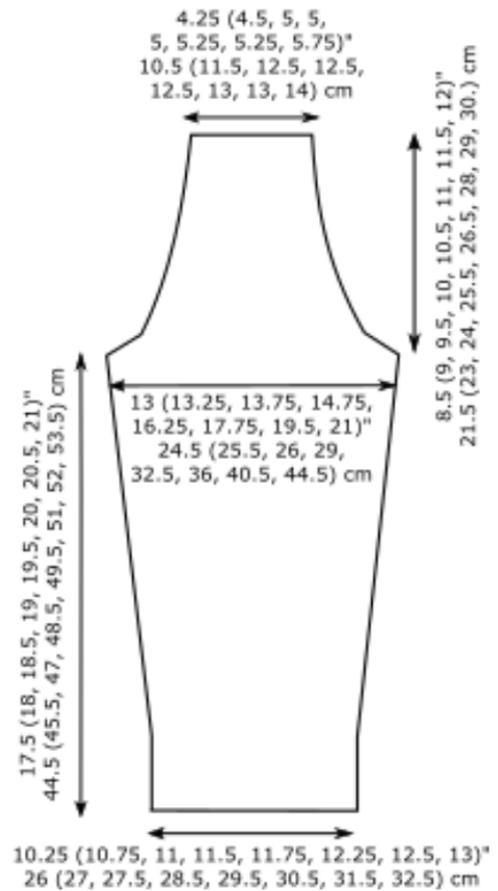
With yarn A only, work in 1x1 Twisted Rib in the rnd for 0.5"/1.5 cm, then BO all sts in rib.

Weave in all ends.

BACK/FRONT

4.25 (6, 7.75, 8.25, 9.25, 10.25, 11.5, 12.5)"
10.5 (15, 19.5, 20.5, 23, 26, 28.5, 31.5) cm

8.5 (9, 9.5, 10, 10.5, 11, 11.5, 12)"
21.5 (23, 24, 25.5, 26.5, 28, 29, 30.5) cm

14.5 (15, 15.5, 16, 16.5, 17, 17.5, 18)"
37 (38, 39.5, 40.5, 42, 43, 44.5, 45.5) cm

15.5 (18, 20.5, 23, 25.75, 28.25, 30.75, 33.25)"
38.5 (45, 51.5, 57.5, 64, 70.5, 77, 83) cm

SLEEVES

4.25 (4.5, 5, 5,
5, 5.25, 5.25, 5.75)"
10.5 (11.5, 12.5, 12.5,
12.5, 13, 13, 14) cm

8.5 (9, 9.5, 10, 10.5, 11, 11.5, 12)"
21.5 (23, 24, 25.5, 26.5, 28, 29, 30.) cm

13 (13.25, 13.75, 14.75,
16.25, 17.75, 19.5, 21)"
24.5 (25.5, 26, 29,
32.5, 36, 40.5, 44.5) cm

17.5 (18, 18.5, 19, 19.5, 20, 20.5, 21)"
44.5 (45.5, 47, 48.5, 49.5, 51, 52, 53.5) cm

10.25 (10.75, 11, 11.5, 11.75, 12.25, 12.5, 13)"
26 (27, 27.5, 28.5, 29.5, 30.5, 31.5, 32.5) cm

Abreviations:

BO: bind off

CO: cast on

cont: continue

dec: decrease

inc: increase

k: knit

k2tog: knit 2 stitches together (1 st decreased)

k3tog: knit 3 stitches together (2 sts decreased)

m1: make 1 – lift strand between stitches from front to back and knit into back loop.

p: purl

p2tog: purl 2 stitches together (1 st decreased)

p3tog: purl 3 stitches together (2 sts decreased)

patt: pattern

PM: place marker

rep: repeat

rnd(s): round(s)

RS: right side

sl: slip purlwise

sl2-k1-p2sso: slip 2 together knitwise, knit next st, then pass the 2 slipped stitches over (2 sts decreased)

ssk: slip 1 knitwise twice then knit the 2 stitches together through back loops (1 st decreased)

sssk: slip 1 knitwise x3 then knit the 3 stitches together through back loops (2 sts decreased)

st(s): stitch(es)

St st: Stockinette stitch (knit on RS, purl on WS)

tbl: through the back loop

WS: wrong side

yo: yarn over