



CIRCE

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WE CAN BE HEROES

Sophistication and intrigue personified, Circe delivers on silhouette and shape like none other. The dolman sleeves, nipped waist and richly textured panels create flattering lines without overpowering the wearer.

Knitting Circe is an adventure and wearing her a delight. The polished and shapely garment can be dressed up or down, and looks just as chic combined with tattered old jeans as with something more ornate and festive.



TECHNICAL INFORMATION

CONSTRUCTION

Circe is a top-down sweater with dolman shaped sleeves. You will start by working two cabled strips that run from the neckline over the shoulders down the sleeves. Stitches are picked up from these strips and worked down using short rows to shape the shoulders. Once the upper front and back are finished, you will join them to work the lower body in the round.

For the lower sleeves, stitches are picked up from the sleeve edge, and worked in the round to the desired length.

SIZES

XS [S, M, L, 1X, 2X, 3X]

Finished upper hip measurement: 75 [85, 94, 105, 115.5, 123.5, 134.5] cm / 29.5 [33.5, 37, 41.25, 45.5, 48.75, 53]"

The sweater is designed to fall at the upper hip with no ease. If you want to lengthen your sweater, choose a size with an upper hip measurement that is closer to your full hip circumference.

Sample is shown in size S with no ease at the upper hip.

YARN

Biches & Bûches Le Petit Lambswool, 100% wool, 248 m / 270 yards per 50 gr (colorway blue green) **held together with**

Biches & Bûches Le Petit Silk & Mohair, 30% silk and 70% kid mohair, 212 m / 232 yard per 25 gr (colorway blue green)

950 [1000, 1100, 1200, 1350, 1450, 1550] m / 1040 [1100, 1200, 1310, 1480, 1590, 1700] yards of each yarn.

NEEDLES

Needle A (for the body and the sleeves)

One 100 cm / 40" circular needle, one 80 cm / 32" circular needle and a set of needles for working a small circumference in the round (DPNs, 1 long circular or 2 short circulars) in size needed to obtain gauge listed. Suggested needle size: 3.75 mm / US #5.

Needle B (for the ribbing of the body and sleeves)

One 80 cm / 32" circular needle and a set of needles for working a small circumference in the round (DPNs, 1 long circular or 2 short circulars).

Suggested needle size: 3.25 mm / US #3.

Needle C (for the I-cord around the neckline)

One 40 cm / 16" circular needle.

Suggested needle size: 4 mm / US #6.

GAUGE

Measured after blocking.

Ridged Stockinette Stitch: 18 sts x 30 rows = 10 x 10 cm / 4 x 4".

Trinity Stitch: 22 sts x 30 rows = 10 x 10 cm / 4 x 4".

Cable Panels: 22 sts x 30 rows = 10 x 10 cm / 4 x 4".

NOTIONS

Stitch markers, tapestry needle.



STITCH PATTERNS

Ridged Stockinette Stitch

(worked flat)

Row 1 (RS): purl.

Row 2 (WS): purl.

Row 3: knit.

Row 4: purl.

Row 5 & 6: work Row 3 & 4.

Row 7 & 8: work Row 3 & 4.

Ridged Stockinette Stitch

(worked in the round)

Round 1: purl.

Round 2 - 8: knit.

Trinity Stitch (worked flat)

Multiple of 4 sts.

Row 1 (RS): purl.

Row 2 (WS): (kpk, p3tog) to end.

Row 3: purl.

Row 4: (p3tog, kpk) to end.

Trinity Stitch (worked in the round)

Round 1: purl.

Round 2: (pkp, k3tog) to end.

Round 3: purl.

Round 4: (k3tog, pkp) to end.

Cable Panels

See Charts. For swatching purposes you can use the Cable Panel Chart on page 13.

When working flat the Charts are read from bottom to top, and from right to left on RS (odd numbered) rows and from left to right on WS (even numbered) rows.

When working in the round you will work on the RS only, and all rows of the Charts are read from right to left.

TECHNIQUES

German Short Rows

The upper front and back of the sweater are shaped using German short rows. German short rows are worked as follows.

Work the number of stitches as indicated by the Charts. Turn your work. With the yarn in front, slip the first stitch purlwise. Bring the yarn over the needle to the back of your work and pull; this creates a double stitch (ds). Work the next st according to the Chart.

When working over the ds on the next row, work the two legs of the ds as one.

I-cord Bind Off

Step 1: CO 3 sts using a cable cast on.

Step 2: knit the first two sts.

Step 3: knit the next two sts together through the back loop.

Step 4: Slip the three sts from the RH needle back to the LH needle.

Step 5: repeat Step 2 – 4 until you have 3 sts on the LH needle. BO these sts kwise.

DIRECTIONS

UPPER FRONT

Shoulder Strap wearers left side

With Needle A CO 15 sts. Work the Shoulder Strap Chart until the strap measures 51 [52.5, 55.5, 57.5, 57.5, 59, 60.5] cm / 20 [20.75, 21.75, 22.75, 22.75, 23.25, 23.75]" from CO edge, ending with a RS row.

Break yarn, and place the Shoulder Strap sts on waste yarn.

Shoulder Strap wearers right side

Repeat the instructions for **Shoulder strap wearers left side**.

Do not break yarn, and place the shoulder strap sts on waste yarn.

Picking up sts from the right Shoulder Strap

Next, you will pick up and knit sts from the right shoulder strap for the front of the body and the sleeve.

With working yarn, Needle A and the RS facing, turn the strap 90 degrees clockwise, and PU and k 103 [106, 112, 115, 115, 118, 121] sts along the long edge of the Shoulder Strap.

Upper Right Shoulder

Next, you will start the upper right shoulder cable panel by working the Upper Front Shoulder Chart A on page 12. Work German Short Rows (see TECHNIQUES) and increases as indicated by the Chart to shape the shoulder and the front neck.

Work the Upper Front Shoulder Chart A as follows, note that the first row (Row 2) of the Chart is a WS row.

Work Row 2 - 7 of Upper Front Shoulder Chart A.

Work the remaining rows of the Upper Front Shoulder Chart A as follows.

Row 8 (WS): work Chart, pm, p 8 [9, 11, 12, 12, 13, 14] sts, turn.

Row 9 (RS): ds, k to m, slm, work Chart to end.

Row 10: work Chart, slm, p to ds, p ds, p 8 [9, 11, 12, 12, 13, 14] sts, turn.

Row 11: ds, k to m, slm, work Chart.

Row 12: work Chart, slm, p to ds, p ds, p 8 [9, 11, 12, 12, 13, 14] sts, turn.

Row 13: ds, p to m, slm, work Chart to last 3 sts, pm, work Chart.

Do not break yarn, and set the Upper Right Shoulder aside.

Picking up sts for the Left Front

With a new ball of yarn, you're going to PU and k sts from the left shoulder strap.

Position your strap with the wrist side with the live sts to your LH side. Starting at the cast on edge (= neck side), PU and k 103 [106, 112, 115, 115, 118, 121] sts along the **upper** long edge of the strap using a long yarn tail, so the ball with the working yarn will remain at the neck side of the strap. Slide your sts to the other end of the needle, ready to work a RS row.

Upper Left Shoulder

Work the Upper Front Shoulder Chart B on page 12 as follows, note that the first row (Row 1) of the Chart is a RS row.

Work Row 1 - 6 of Upper Front Shoulder Chart B.



Work the remaining rows of the Upper Front Shoulder Chart B as follows.

Row 7 (RS): work Chart, pm, k 8 [9, 11, 12, 12, 13, 14] sts, turn.

Row 8 (WS): ds, p to m, slm, work Chart.

Row 9: work Chart, slm, k to ds, k ds, k 8 [9, 11, 12, 12, 13, 14] sts, turn.

Row 10: ds, p to m, slm, work Chart.

Row 11: work Chart to m, slm, k to ds, k ds, k 8 [9, 11, 12, 12, 13, 14] sts, turn.

Row 12: ds, p to m, slm, work Chart to last 3 sts, pm, work Chart.

You have now established the first cable panels. From here on, you will be working the Cable Panel Chart on page 13 for these panels.

Break yarn and set the Upper Left Shoulder aside.

Joining Shoulders & Set Up Second Cable Panel

Next, you are going to join both upper shoulders by casting on sts for the front neck and working over the sts of the left shoulder. For the set up of the second cable panel, work the Set Up Charts 2.

The center panel is worked in Trinity Stitch. When you are instructed to work the Trinity Stitch, please refer to the explanation for this stitch (worked flat) under STITCH PATTERNS.

Pick up the needle with the Upper Right Shoulder, this is your RH needle.

With the working yarn, CO 22 [22, 26, 26, 30, 34, 34] sts using a backward loop CO; 134 [137, 147, 150, 154, 161, 164] sts.

Pick up the needle with your Upper Left Shoulder. This is your LH needle. Work Row 1 over the sts on your LH needle; 246 [252, 268, 274, 278, 288, 294] sts.

Row 1 (RS): p to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, p to ds, p ds, pm, work Set Up Chart 2a.

Row 2 (WS): work Set Up Chart 2a, slm, p to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, p to m, slm, work the Cable Panel Chart, slm, p to ds, p ds, pm, work Set Up Chart 2b.

Row 3: work Set Up Chart 2b, slm, k to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, work Trinity Stitch to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart to m, slm, k to m, slm, work Set Up Chart 2a.

Row 4: work Set Up Chart 2a, slm, p to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, work Trinity Stitch to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, p to m, work Set Up Chart 2b.

Row 5 & 6: work Row 3 & 4 once more.

Row 7: work Row 3 once more, pm, k7, turn.

Row 8: ds, p to m, slm, work Row 4 once more, pm, p7, turn.

You have now established the second cable panels.

Continue as follows.

Row 1 (RS): ds, k to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, p to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, work Trinity Stitch to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, p to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, k to ds, k ds, k7, turn.

Row 2 (WS): ds, (p to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm) twice, work Trinity Stitch to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, p to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, p to ds, p ds, p7, turn.

Row 3: ds, (k to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm) twice, work Trinity Stitch to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, k to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, k to ds, k ds, k7, turn.

Row 4: work Row 2 once more.



Set up Third Cable Panel

For the set up of the third cable panels you are going to work the Set Up Charts on page 13.

Row 1 (RS): pm, ds, (k to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm) twice, work Trinity Stitch to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, k to m, slm, work the Cable Panel Chart, slm, k to ds, k ds, pm, work Set Up Chart 3a.

Row 2 (WS): work Set Up Chart 3a, slm, (p to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart to m, slm) twice, work Trinity Stitch to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart to m, slm, p to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart to m, slm, p to ds, p ds, slm, work Set Up Chart 3b.

Row 3: work Set Up Chart 3b, slm, (k to m, slm, work the Cable Panel Chart to m, slm) twice, work Trinity Stitch to m, slm, (work Cable Panel Chart to m, slm, k to m, slm) twice, work Set Up Chart 3a.

Row 4: work Set Up Chart 3a, slm, (p to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart to m, slm) twice, work Trinity Stitch to m, slm, (work Cable Panel Chart to m, slm, p to m, slm) twice work Set Up Chart 3b.

Row 5: work the Set Up Chart 3b, slm, (p to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm) twice, work Trinity Stitch to m, slm, (work the Cable Panel Chart, slm, p to m, slm) twice, work Set Up Chart 3a.

Row 6: work Row 4.

Row 7: work Row 3.

Row 8 : work Row 2.

You have now established the third cable panel with garter stitch edges.

Continue Front Sleeves & Body

Next, you will continue to work the front of the Sleeves and the Body in pattern as established until the sleeves measure 10.5 [11, 11, 11.5, 11.5, 12.5, 13] cm / 4 [4.25, 4.25, 4.5, 4.5, 5, 5]" at the side edges measured from the pick up row.

For the ridged stockinette panels between the cable panels, do not forget to work a purl row on the RS every 8th row.

End with a WS row.



Shaping the sleeves

Next, you are going to shape the underside of the sleeves by binding off sts.

Next row (RS): BO 12 [10, 10, 8, 8, 8, 8] sts kwise, work in patt to end.

Next row (WS): BO 12 [10, 10, 8, 8, 8, 8] sts pwise, work in patt to end; 222 [232, 248, 258, 262, 272, 278] sts.

Work the last two rows 3 times more; 150 [172, 188, 210, 214, 224, 230] sts.

Next row (RS): BO 6 [6, 6, 6, 5, 5, 4] sts kwise, work in patt to end.

Next row (WS): BO 6 [6, 6, 6, 5, 5, 4] sts pwise, work in patt to end; 138 [160, 176, 198, 202, 214, 222] sts

Work the last two rows 2 [3, 3, 4, 4, 4, 4] times more; 114 [124, 140, 150, 164, 174, 190] sts.

Next row (RS): BO 3 sts kwise, work in patt to end.

Next row (WS): BO 3 sts pwise, work in patt to end; 108 [118, 134, 144, 158, 168, 184] sts.

Work the last two rows 0 [0, 1, 1, 2, 2, 3] time(s) more; 108 [118, 128, 138, 146, 156, 166] sts.

Next row (RS): BO 2 sts kwise, work in patt to end.

Next row (WS): BO 2 sts pwise, work in patt to end; 104 [114, 124, 134, 142, 152, 162] sts.

Work the last two rows once more; 100 [110, 120, 130, 138, 148, 158] sts.

Break yarn, and transfer sts to spare needle or waste yarn.

UPPER BACK

Next, you are going to pick up sts for the back of your sweater, starting with the wearers right side. To ensure the cable panels on the back align with those on the

front, mark the pick-up edge of your Shoulder Strap with lockable stitch markers. Place the stitch markers in line with the first and last stitch of every cable panel.

Upper Right Back Shoulder

Place your work in front of you, with the live sts of the front closest to you. Starting at the neck side of the right shoulder strap, PU and k 103 [106, 112, 115, 115, 118, 121] sts using a long yarn tail, so the ball with the working yarn will remain at the neck side of the strap.

To ensure the cable panels of the back will be aligned with those on the front you will be picking up 15 sts until your first marker, 24 [27, 33, 36, 36, 39, 42] sts until your second marker, 21 sts until your third marker, 21 sts until your fourth marker, and 22 sts until the edge with the live shoulder strap stitches.

Slide your sts to the other end of the needle, ready to work a RS row.

Work the Upper Back Shoulder Chart A on page 14 as follows, note that the first row (Row 1) of the Chart is a RS row.

Row 1 - 6: work Upper Back Shoulder Chart A.

Row 7 (RS): work Upper Back Shoulder Chart A, slm, k 8 [9, 11, 12, 12, 13, 14] sts, turn.

Row 8 (WS): ds, p to m, slm, work Upper Back Shoulder Chart A.

Break yarn.

Upper Left Back Shoulder

Pick up and knit the stitches for the left sleeve and back shoulder as follows.

Place your work in front of you, with the front of the sweater closest to you. Starting at the wrist side of the left shoulder strap, PU and k 103 [106, 112, 115, 115, 118, 121] sts along the long edge of the strap.



To ensure the cable panels of the back will be aligned with those on the front, you will be picking up 22 sts until your first marker, 21 sts until your second marker, 21 sts until your third marker, 24 [27, 33, 36, 36, 39, 42] sts until your fourth marker, and 15 sts until the edge of the shoulder strap.

Work the Upper Back Shoulder Chart B on page 14 as follows, note that the first row (Row 2) of the Chart is a WS row.

Row 2 - 7: work Upper Back Shoulder Chart B.

Row 8 (WS): work Upper Back Shoulder Chart B, slm, p 8 [9, 11, 12, 12, 13, 14] sts, turn.

Row 9 (RS): ds, k to m, slm, work Upper Back Shoulder Chart B, pm.

Joining Upper Shoulders

Next, you are going to join the upper back shoulders by casting on sts for the back neck.

Next Row (RS): pm, with working yarn, CO 28 [28, 32, 32, 36, 40, 40] sts using a backward loop CO.

Work over the upper right back sts as follows: pm, work Row 1 of Cable Panel Chart, slm, k to ds, k ds, k 8 [9, 11, 12, 12, 13, 14] sts, turn.

Next Row (WS): ds, p to m, slm, work Cable panel Chart, slm, p to m, slm, work Cable panel Chart, slm, p to ds, p ds, p 8 [9, 11, 12, 12, 13, 14] sts, turn.

Next Row: ds, k to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, work Trinity Stitch to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, k to ds, k ds, k 8 [9, 11, 12, 12, 13, 14] sts, turn.

Next Row: ds, p to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, work Trinity Stitch to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, p to ds, p ds, p 8 [9, 11, 12, 12, 13, 14] sts, turn.

Set Up Second Cable Panel

Row 1 (RS): ds, p to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, work Trinity Stitch to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, p to ds, p ds, slm, work Set Up Chart 2a.

Row 2 (WS): work Set Up Chart 2a, slm, p to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, work Trinity Stitch to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, p to ds, p ds, slm, work Set Up Chart 2b.

Row 3: work Set Up Chart 2b, slm, k to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, work Trinity Stitch to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, k to m, slm, work Set Up Chart 2a.

Row 4: work Set Up Chart 2a, slm, p to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, work Trinity Stitch to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, p to m, slm, work Set Up Chart 2b.

Row 5 & 6: work Row 3 & 4 once more.

Row 7: work Row 3 once more, slm, k7, turn.

Row 8: ds, p to m, slm, work Row 4 once more, slm, p7, turn.

You have now established the second cable panel.

Continue as follows.

Row 1 (RS): ds, k to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, p to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, work Trinity Stitch to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, p to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, k to ds, k ds, k7, turn.

Row 2 (WS): ds, (p to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm) twice, work Trinity Stitch to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, p to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart to m, slm, p to ds, p ds, p7, turn.

Row 3: ds, (k to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm) twice, work Trinity Stitch to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, k to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, k to ds, k ds, k7, turn.

Row 4: work Row 2 once more.

Set Up Third Cable Panel

You are now going to work the Set Up Charts for the third cable panels. Follow the directions under **Set Up Third Cable Panel** on page 6. This time, ignore instructions to pm.

You have now established the third cable panels with garter stitch edges.

Continue Back Sleeves & Body

Next, you will continue to work the back of the Sleeves and the Body in pattern as established until the sleeves measure 10.5 [11, 11, 11.5, 11.5, 12.5, 13] cm / at the side edges.

For the Ridged Stockinette panels between the cable panels, do not forget to work a purl row on the RS every 8th row.

Make sure you work the same number of rows as you did for the front, and end with a WS row.

Shaping the Sleeves

Next, you are going to shape the underside of the sleeves by binding off sts.

Work the directions under **Shaping the Sleeves** on page 7. This time, do not break yarn.

LOWER BODY

Next, you will join the front & back lower body and start working in the round. Since you will be working on the RS of the work only, you will need to adjust working the stitch patterns accordingly. From here on, every row of the Cable Panel Chart should be read from the RH to the LH side. The Ridged Stockinette panels and the center front & back Trinity Stitch panels will be worked according the directions under **Ridged Stockinette Stitch (worked in the round)** and **Trinity Stitch (worked in the round)** (see STITCH PATTERNS on page 3).

Joining front and back

Transfer the front sts to a spare circular needle.

Work in patt over the the back sts until last 2 sts. Slip these 2 sts from the LH to the RH needle. Slip the 2 sts to the needle with the front sts and k (or p, if you're working a purl round) the 2 back sts tog with the the first front st (k3tog or p3tog). Place marker and work over the front sts to the last 2 sts. Slip these 2 sts from the LH to the RH needle. Slip the 2 sts to the needle with the back sts and k (or p) the 2 front sts tog with the the first back st (k3tog or p3tog). Place BOR m; 196 [216, 236, 256, 272, 292, 312] sts.

Next, you are going to work the lower body in pattern while shaping it by working decreases. Since you will work the decreases in the Ridged Stockinette side panels, you will need to decrease in pattern. This means that you will work the decrease round as a knit or a purl round. The directions below describe both options. Work the one (**decrease round knit** or **decrease round purl**) that is suited for your work.

Next round: work in patt to BOR, sl BOR m.

Next round - decrease round knit: k1, ssk, work in patt to 3 sts bef m, k2tog, k1, slm, k1, ssk, work in patt to 3 sts bef BOR, k2tog, k1, sl BOR m; 192 [212, 232, 252, 268, 288, 308] sts.

or

decrease round purl: p1, ssp, work in patt to 3 sts bef m, p2tog, p1, slm, p1, ssp, work in patt to 3 sts bef BOR, p2tog, p1, sl BOR m; 192 [212, 232, 252, 268, 288, 308] sts.

Work the last two rounds 3 times more (= a round without decreasing followed by a decrease round knit **or** a decrease round purl) 180 [200, 220, 240, 256, 276, 296] sts.



Decrease sequence body

Work 5 rounds in pattern.

Work a decrease round (knit or purl); 176 [196, 216, 236, 252, 272, 292] sts.

Work the decrease sequence 4 times more; 160 [180, 200, 220, 236, 256, 276] sts.

Work in patt without decreasing until the body measures approx 15 cm / 6" from where front and back are joined, or to desired length minus 8 cm / 3.25". End with Round 8 of the Ridged Stockinette Stitch pattern.

Ribbing

Sizes S, L, 1X and 3X only

Replace BOR m as follows.

Rem BOR m, k1, place new BOR m.

All sizes:

Set up round: With Needle B, p to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, p13 [13, 15, 17, 19, 19], p2tog, p to m, slm, work Cable panel Chart, slm, p to m, rem m, p2tog, p to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, p13 [13, 15, 17, 19, 19], p2tog, p to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm, p to 2 sts bef BOR, p2tog, sl BOR m; 156 [176, 196, 216, 232, 252, 272] sts.

Next round: (k1 tbl, (p1, k1tbl) to m, slm, work Cable Panel Chart, slm) four times, (k1 tbl, p1) to BOR.

Work the last round until the ribbing measures 8 cm / 3.25".

Next round: BO all sts kwise.

LOWER SLEEVES

Seam the underside of the sleeves using mattress stitch.

With Needle A, starting at the sleeve seam, PU and k 18 [20, 20, 20, 20, 22, 24] sts to the live shoulder strap stitches, pm, k2tog, work shoulder strap in patt to last 2 sts, ssk, pm, PU and k 17 [19, 19, 19, 19, 21, 23] sts to seam, place BOR m; 48 [52, 52, 52, 52, 56, 60] sts.

Decrease sequence sleeves

Next round: k to m, slm, work shoulder strap in patt to m, slm, k to BOR sl BOR m.

Work the last round 5 times more.

Next round - decrease round: k1, ssk, k to m, slm, work in patt to m, slm, k to 2 sts bef BOR, k2tog, sl BOR m; 46 [50, 50, 50, 50, 54, 58] sts.

Work the decrease sequence twice more; 42 [46, 46, 46, 46, 50, 54] sts.

Work in patt until the sleeve measures approx 61.5 [63, 64.5, 66.5, 66.5, 68, 69] cm / 24.25 [24.75, 25.5, 26.25, 26.25, 26.75, 27.25]" from the CO edge of the shoulder strap, or to desired length minus 3 cm / 1.25".

Ribbing Sleeves

Set up round: with Needle B, p to m, rem m, p1, pm, work in patt to 1 st bef m, pm, p1, rem m, p to BOR, sl BOR m.

Next round: (p1, k1tbl) to m, slm, work in patt to m, k1tbl (p1, k1tbl) to BOR, sl BOR m.

Work the last round until the ribbing measures 3 cm / 1.25".

Next round: BO all sts kwise.

NECKLINE FINISHING

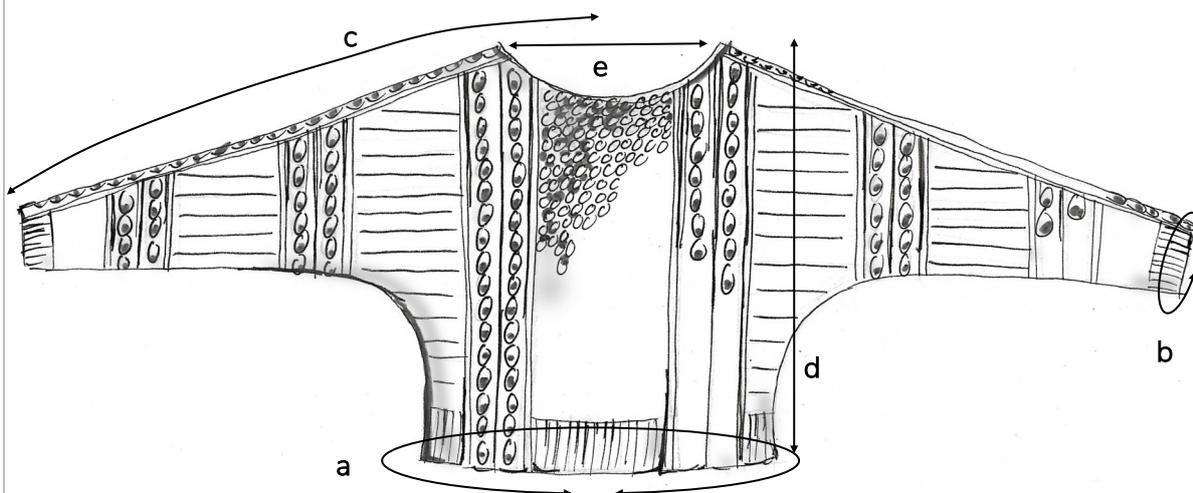
With RS facing and Needle C, starting at center back, PU and k 18 [18, 20, 20, 22, 24, 24] sts to the shoulder strap, PU and k 13 sts from the shoulder strap, PU and k 46 [46, 50, 50, 54, 58, 58] sts to second shoulder strap, PU and k 13 sts from the shoulder strap, PU and k 18 [18, 20, 20, 22, 24, 24] sts to center back; 108 [108, 116, 116, 124, 132, 132] sts.

Work an I-cord Bind Off around the neckline (see TECHNIQUES).

FINISHING

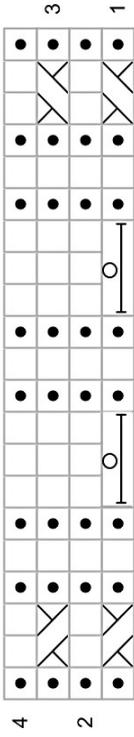
Sew the end and the beginning of the I-cord around the neckline together. Weave in all ends. Wet block your sweater to measurements given in schematic.

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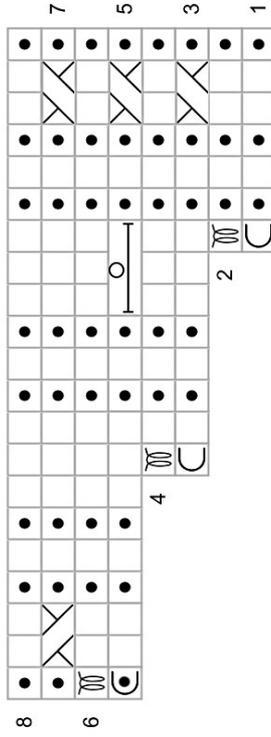


- a 75 [85, 94, 105, 115.5, 123.5, 134.5] cm / 29.5 [33.5, 37, 41.25, 45.5, 48.75, 53]"
- b 22 [24.5, 24.5, 24.5, 24.5, 26.5, 29] cm / 8.75 [9.75, 9.75, 9.75, 9.75, 10.5, 11.5]"
- c 72 [73.5, 76, 78, 79, 81.5, 92.5] cm / 28.25 [29, 30, 30.75, 31.25, 32, 36.5]"
- d 53.5 [54.5, 55, 56.5, 57, 58, 59] cm / 21 [21.5, 21.75, 22.25, 22.5, 22.75, 23.25]"
- e 21 [21, 23, 23, 25, 26.5, 26.5] cm / 8.25 [8.25, 9, 9, 9.75, 10.5, 10.5]"

Cable Panel Chart

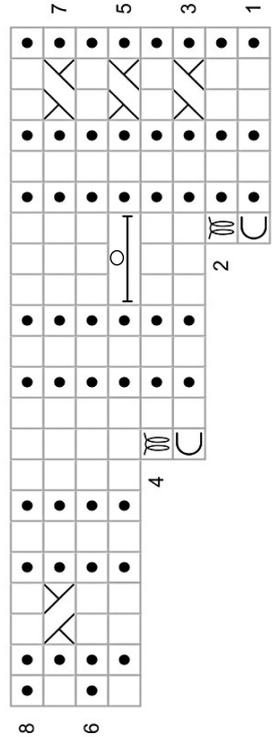


Set Up Charts 2



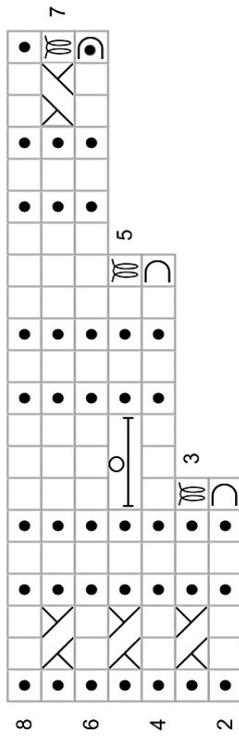
Set Up Chart 2a

Set Up Charts 3

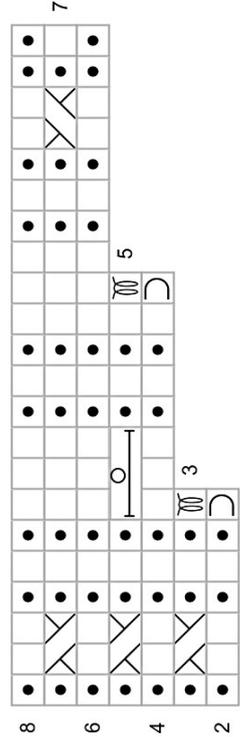


Set Up Chart 3a

Set Up Chart 2b



Set Up Chart 3b



ABBREVIATIONS

(x, x) = the brackets represent a repeat. Directions within the bracket should be repeated as instructed.

approx = approximately

bef = before

BO = bind off

BOR = beginning of round

CO = cast on

ds = double stitch (see German Short Rows under TECHNIQUES)

k = knit

k2tog = knit 2 sts together (right leaning decrease)

k3tog = knit 3 sts together (right leaning double decrease)

kfb = knit into front and back (1 stitch increased)

kfbf = knit into front, back, front (2 sts increased)

kpk = knit, purl, knit in the same stitch

kwise = knitwise

kyok = knit 1 st, yarn over, knit 1 st.

LH = left hand

LT = left twist.; slip 2 sts knitwise, one at a time. Slip them back to the LH needle in turned position. Knit the second st through the back loop, then knit the first and second sts together through the back loop. Remove the sts just worked from LH needle.

m = marker

p = purl

p2tog = purl 2 sts together (right leaning decrease)

p3tog = purl 3 sts together (right leaning double decrease)

pfb = purl into front and back (1 stitch increased)

kfbf = purl into front, back, front (2 sts increased)

pkp = purl, knit, purl in the same stith

pm = place marker

pwise = purlwise

PU = pick up

RH = right hand

RS = right side

RT = right twist.; knit 2 sts together, leaving them on the LH needle. Insert RH needle between the same two sts and knit the first st again. Remove the sts just worked from LH needle.

sl = slip (purlwise with yarn in back on RS and yarn in front on WS, unless otherwise stated)

ssk/ssp = slip, slip, knit /slip, slip purl (left leaning decrease); slip 2 st as to k, one at a time, slip the sts back to the LH needle, knit/purl tbl.

slm = slip marker

st(s) = stitch(es)

St st = stockinette stitch

tbl = through the back loop

WS = wrong side

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