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When I first began creating knitting patterns in 2018, most of my designs were round yoke colorwork sweater patterns. I enjoyed them and knitters around the world seemed to like them, too. As I advanced in knitting, I began branching out and using additional techniques—cables, brioche, lace and even simple stockinette or rib stitch designs. Colorwork sparks my creativity, letting me paint with yarn like an artist with a brush. Cables weave rich textures, crafting cozy sweaters to ward off the Northeast’s bitter winters. Tuck stitch amazes me, blending colors and intricate textures in endless ways. Slip stitch creates fabrics with beautiful drape. Rib stitch and stockinette offer simple, everyday comfort, making even quiet days at home feel special. Although most knitters have gotten to know my designs through my colorwork creations, I had a longing to bring and showcase more of the skills I have acquired throughout the years. I slowly began sprinkling my patterns with little cables, some rib stitch and brioche. It was exhilarating to be able to design anything I was inspired to.

An opportunity to write a book came to me in the fall of 2021—what a blessing! It was a long journey with lots of learning along the way that I am extremely grateful for. My first book, *Only Yoking*, was published a year and a half later in April of 2023 and consisted of 12 round yoke sweaters. After concluding this project, I craved another challenge. One of the things I love so much about knitting is that I feel there is always something new to learn, and different ways to do an already mastered technique. I wanted to learn new things and move forward. That’s when I threw myself into studying knitting techniques to expand on this craft.

When I was offered to write a book with Laine Publishing, I knew this was the time to use all I have been learning. To dig deep and utilize the ideas I’ve been saving for a special project. Given the freedom to design anything I was inspired to and to work with the wonderful Laine team couldn’t have been any better of a way to let my creativity flow. I joke that I’m not sure what I will do after writing this book, because my biggest dream and aspiration has come to fruition.

This book is a collection of my favorite knitting techniques and projects. Here you will find colorwork, slip stitch, cables, stockinette, tuck stitch and ribbed stitch patterns, with a little garter stitch and lace for good measure. Sweaters, swanchos, short sleeved tops, vests, hats, shawls, socks, mittens and a cardigan—I think if you’re a knitter, there is a project here you will enjoy.

*Olga*

# Preface



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# Abbreviations

**2DecL** Left-leaning double decrease: slip 1, knit 2 together, slip the first stitch over the second.

**2DecR** Right-leaning double decrease: slip 2 stitches knitwise, one at a time, place them back onto left-hand needle knitwise, knit these 2 stitches together through the back loop, place the stitch back onto left-hand needle, slip the following stitch over the first one.

**bef** before

**BOR** beginning of round

**brk** Brioche knit: knit the stitch and the yarn over(s) together.

**brkDecL** Left-leaning brioche double decrease: slip 1 stitch (and its yarn over) knitwise, knit the next purl stitch and the following knit st (with its yarn over) together; slip the first stitch over the second, tighten.

**brkDecR** Right-leaning brioche double decrease: slip 2 stitches knitwise one at a time, slip back to LH needle purlwise, knit them together through the back loop; slip stitch to LH needle. Slip the second stitch on LH needle over the first, slip this stitch to RH needle and tighten.

**brkyobr** brioche knit, yarn over and brioche knit again into the same stitch

**brp** Brioche purl: purl the stitch and the yarn over(s) together.

**Bunny Ear Decrease** Knit 2 stitches together, but only let the first of the 2 stitches slip off the needle; slip the 2nd of the 2 stitches knitwise as well as the

following stitch (slip them one by one); replace these 2 stitches back onto the left-hand needle purlwise and knit them together through the back loop.

**C4dec** Center quadruple decrease: slip 3 stitches knitwise together at the same time; knit 2 together, then slip the 3 previously slipped stitches over the new one.

**CC1/2/3** contrast color 1/2/3

**CDD** Center Double Decrease: slip 2 stitches knitwise together at the same time; knit 1, then slip the 2 previously slipped stitches over the new one.

**circ** circular

**CN** cable needle

**CO** cast on

**dec('d)** decrease(d)

**DPNs** double pointed needles

**est** established

**k** knit

**kb** Knit below: place your right-hand needle under the 2/3 strands of yarn in front of the stitch, knit them together with the stitch on the left-hand needle.

**kbfb** knit into the back, front, back of the same stitch

**kfbf** knit into the front, back, front of the same stitch

**Kp** knit, then purl into the same stitch

**k2tog** knit 2 together

**k2togM** Knit 2 together modified: slip 1 stitch purlwise; slip the next stitch purlwise, then slip it back to your left-hand needle knitwise (twisting the stitch); replace the 2 stitches back onto the left-hand needle, and knit them together regularly. This twists the last stitch so that it matches all of the other twisted knit stitches in the pattern.

**k3tog** knit 3 together

**k3togM** Knit 3 together modified: slip 2 stitches purlwise; slip the next stitch purlwise, then slip it back to your left-hand needle knitwise (twisting the stitch); replace all 3 stitches back onto the left-hand needle, and knit all 3 together regularly. This twists the last stitch so that it matches all of the other twisted knit stitches in the pattern.

**klyok1** knit, yarn over and knit again into the same stitch

**LH** left hand

**m** marker

**MC** main color

**m1L** make 1 left leaning

**m1Lp** make 1 left leaning, purlwise

**m1R** make 1 right leaning

**m1Rp** make 1 right leaning, purlwise

**N1** needle 1

<b>N2</b> needle 2	<b>tbl</b> through back loop
<b>patt</b> pattern	<b>turn</b> use your favorite short row method
<b>p</b> purl	<b>WS</b> wrong side
<b>Pk</b> purl, then knit into the same stitch	<b>wyib</b> with yarn in back
<b>PM</b> place marker	<b>wyif</b> with yarn in front
<b>p2tog</b> purl 2 together	<b>w&amp;t</b> wrap and turn
<b>Rep</b> repeat	<b>yo</b> yarn over
<b>RH</b> right hand	<b>yoL</b> Yarn over to left-leaning increase: insert your right-hand needle into the yarn over purlwise and knit. You are essentially using the yarn over to mL.
<b>rm</b> remove marker	<b>yoLp</b> Yarn over to purlwise left-leaning increase: insert your right-hand needle into the yarn over from back to front (it will be tight), purl. You are essentially using the yarn over to create a mLp.
<b>Rnd(s)</b> round(s)	<b>yoR</b> Yarn over to right-leaning increase: slip the yarn over knitwise, then slip it back to the left-hand needle purlwise; insert your right-hand needle into the yarn over knitwise and knit. You are essentially using the yarn over to mL.
<b>RS</b> right side	<b>yoRp</b> Yarn over to purlwise right-leaning increase: slip the yarn over knitwise, then slip it back to the left-hand needle purlwise; insert your right-hand needle into the yarn over as if to purl, then purl. You are essentially using the yarn over to create a mLp.
<b>sl</b> slip	<b>*-*</b> repeat instructions within asterisks
<b>sllyo</b> Slip one yarn over: slip 1 stitch purlwise while simultaneously making a yarn over over the slipped stitch.	<b>(-)</b> Used in longer repeats, where a repeat exists within a repeat. Rep instructions within parentheses.
<b>sllyo+</b> Slip one yarn over plus: slip 1 stitch purlwise with any yarn overs that are already there, while simultaneously making a yarn over over the slipped stitch.	
<b>ssk</b> slip, slip, knit	
<b>sssk</b> slip, slip, slip, knit	
<b>ssp</b> slip, slip, purl	
<b>st(s)</b> stitch(es)	

**Cable stitch explanations**

**1/1 LC** 1/1 left cross: Place 1 st on CN and hold to front of work, k1, then k1 from CN.

**1/1 RC** 1/1 right cross: Place 1 st on CN and hold to back of work; k1, then k1 from CN.

**1/1/1 LPT** 1/1/1 left purl twisted: Place 1 st on 1st CN and hold to front, place next st on 2nd CN and hold to back, k1 tbl; p 1 from 2nd CN, k1 tbl from 1st CN.

**1/1/1 RPT** 1/1/1 right purl twisted: Place 1 st on 1st CN and hold to back, place next st on 2nd CN and also hold to back, k1 tbl; p1 from 2nd CN, k1 tbl from 1st CN.

**1/2 LC** 1/2 left cross: Place 1 st on CN and hold to front of work, k2, then k1 from CN.

**2/1 LC** 2/1 left cross: Place 2 sts on CN and hold to front of work, k1, then k2 from CN.

**2/1 RC** 2/1 right cross: Place 1 st on CN and hold to back of work; k2, then k1 from CN.

**3/1 LPC** 3/1 left purl cross: Place 3 sts on CN and hold to front of work; p1, then k3 from CN.

**3/1 RPC** 3/1 right purl cross: Place 1 st on CN and hold to back of work; k3, then p1 from CN.

**3/2 LPC** 3/2 left purl cross: Place 3 sts on CN and hold to front of work; p2, then k3 from CN.

**3/2 RPC** 3/2 right purl cross: Place 2 sts on CN and hold to back of work; k3, then p2 from CN.

**3/3 LC** 3/3 left cross: Place 3 sts on CN and hold to front of work, k3, then k3 from CN.

**3/3 RC** 3/3 right cross: Place 3 sts on CN and hold to back of work; k3, then k3 from CN.

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# General Notes

## **Sizing**

To choose a size when knitting a garment in this book, look to the finished measurements section at the beginning of each pattern. There you will also find the recommended fit, but you can choose with your own preference. If you decide to size down in one of the roomier sweaters, pay attention to not only the chest but also the finished sleeve circumference.

## **Yarn**

The yarn for each of the patterns in this book was carefully chosen for the specific techniques and characters of the project. I greatly recommend every one of them! With that said, of course you can substitute for different yarn. Pay attention to the fiber content in the original knitted items and try to stick to something similar, if possible—especially in the brioche and tuck stitch patterns. Every yarn behaves differently with different techniques and some that are preferable in one kind of project, may not be suitable for another.

## **Yardage**

Yardage is given at the beginning of each pattern, for each size. Even with perfect gauge, different yarns in many hands can behave differently, so the yardage

is approximate. If you would like to, for example, lengthen the body or sleeves of a garment, this will require more yarn.

### **Needles**

Needle sizes in each pattern are a suggested starting point. It is crucial to get the correct gauge, especially with garments. If your gauge does not match the specifications in the instructions, your sweater/vest/hat/mittens/socks will not fit as intended and you will use a different amount of yarn than given in the pattern. Items that do not have to fit, like shawls, still benefit from using the correct gauge as the finished fabric will match the intended design. Start by swatching with the suggested needle size, and wet block the fabric. After it is dry, check if your swatch matches the gauge for the pattern. From there, you can decide to either continue with the needle size you used, or to swatch again with a larger or smaller size needle.

### **Charts**

All charts are read from the bottom up; from right to left on the right side of work and from left to right on the wrong side of work. Stitch symbol abbreviations can be found next to the chart. The “Abbreviations” section of this book will explain the meaning of those.

### **Blocking**

I recommend blocking most knitwear, especially items that have a specific fit, like garments. The only things that can go without this step in my opinion, are ribbed hats, mittens and socks. If you like a more glove-like fit in your accessories, you can either be careful not to stretch the knitwear horizontally while wet, or skip blocking altogether. For everything else: Soak your knits in tepid water with a little wool wash for 15–20 minutes. Gently squeeze out the water without wringing your knitwear. If you'd like, you can now place it between two towels, roll it up and press gently. This will help rid the knit of as much water as possible. Lay out your finished object on blocking mats or any flat surface, shape and let dry. The drying may take quite a bit in cold weather, so make sure you leave your blocking somewhere where it won't be bothered.

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# Carlson

*Carlson* is a classic sweater in modern times—the one you reach for when you want to look and feel put together, time and time again. The interesting texture is so fun to knit. Running my fingers atop the knitted fabric helped me slow down and enjoy every row. If you haven't tried working a tuck stitch yet, grab your needles. A thrilling—yet surprisingly easy—adventure awaits!



*Carlson* is worked from the bottom up—both in the round and flat. The lower body is worked in the round and then split to work the back and front yoke flat. After the shoulders are joined, sleeve stitches are picked up at the edge of the armhole and sleeves are worked in the round. To finish the sweater, stitches are picked up and worked in the round to create that classic v-neck collar.

### Sizes

(1, 2, 3) 4, 5, 6 (7, 8, 9)

### Finished measurements

**Chest circumference:** (34.75, 39.5, 44) 48.5, 53, 57.75 (62.25, 66.75, 71.5)" / (88.5, 100, 112) 123, 134.5, 146.5 (158, 169.5, 181.5) cm.

**Body length (hem to underarm):** 10.25" / 26 cm.

**Sleeve circumference:** (11.5, 12.5, 14.25) 16, 17.75, 19.5 (21, 23.5, 25.75)" / (29, 32, 36) 40.5, 45, 49.5 (53.5, 59.5, 65.5) cm.

**Sleeve length (underarm to tip of cuff):** 17.5" / 44.5 cm.

**Suggested fit:** 6–12" / 15–30.5 cm of positive ease.

### Materials

**Yarn:** Brooklyn Tweed Imbue Sport – 100% merino wool, 50 g / 190 yds / 174 m – in 3 colors.

Look for a springy, worsted spun, sport weight yarn in a 3 or 4-ply construction to substitute for the yarn used in the sample.

**Colors used:** Peat (MC), Crepe (CC1), Amaro (CC2).

**MC:** (571, 646, 721) 795, 869, 946 (1020, 1095, 1170) yds / (523, 591, 660) 727, 795, 865 (932, 1002, 1070) m.

**CC1:** (731, 828, 924) 1019, 1113, 1212 (1308, 1403, 1500) yds / (669, 758, 845) 932, 1018, 1109 (1197, 1283, 1372) m.

**CC2:** (83, 94, 104) 115, 126, 137 (147, 158, 168) yds / (76, 86, 95) 106, 116, 126 (135, 145, 154) m.

**Needles:** US 5 / 3.75 mm, US 3 / 3.25 mm and US 2 / 2.75 mm circular needles.

**Other:** Tapestry needle, scrap yarn.

### Gauge

14 sts × 48 rows in tuck stitch pattern in 4" / 10 cm, on smaller needles.

### PATTERN

#### LOWER BODY

##### Hem

Using US 3 / 3.25 mm needles, CC2 and the Italian Tubular Cast-On Method, CO (122, 138, 154) 170, 186, 202 (218, 234, 250) sts, PM after (61, 69, 77) 85, 93, 101 (109, 117, 125) sts for side. Do NOT join, you will first work flat.

Switch to US 5 / 3.75 mm needles.

**Row 1:** \*k1, sl1 wyif\*, rep \*-\* to end.  
Rep Row 1 one more time.

PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

**Rnd 2:** \*k1, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.  
Rep Rnd 2 three more times.

Cut CC2, join CC1. Knit one round.  
Work Rnd 2 once.

Cur CC1, join MC. Knit one round.  
Work Rnd 2 five times total.

##### Body

Switch to US 3 / 3.25 mm and join CC1.

**Rnd 1:** \*sl1yo, k1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnds 2–4:** same as Rnd 1 (slip both the st and the yo(s) when instructed to sl1yo).

Switch to US 2 / 2.75 mm, drop CC1 and pick up MC.

**Rnd 5:** \*brk, sl1yo\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 6:** \*k1, brk\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Switch to US 3 / 3.25 mm, drop MC and pick up CC1.

**Rnd 7:** \*k1, sl1yo\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnds 8–10:** same as Rnd 7 (slip both the st and the yo(s) when instructed to sl1yo).





Switch to US 2 / 2.75 mm, drop CCl and pick up MC.

**Rnd 11:** \*slyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 12:** \*brk, kl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnds 1–12 (8, 7, 6) 6, 6, 6 (6, 6, 6) more times.

To lengthen the cropped body, work more repeats of Rnds 1–12 here. Every repeat adds 1" / 2.5 cm of length. Remember that this will require more yarn than the pattern states.

### Split center front

Switch to US 3 / 3.25 mm, drop MC and pick up CCl.

**Rnd 1:** \*slyo, kl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Cut both yarns and move the first (32, 36, 40) 44, 48, 52 (56, 60, 64) sts from LH to RH needle. PM for center front—this is the new BOR. Join CCl and continue to the following sts (still working in the round):

**Rnd 2:** slyo+, \*kl, slyo+\*, rep \*-\* all the way around to 3 sts bef the new BOR m, then perform a bunny ear decrease, rm and replace it in the middle of the 2 sts. (-1 st)

**Row 3 (RS):** slyo+, \*kl, slyo+\*, rep \*-\* to last st bef BOR m, kl.

**Row 4 (WS):** sll wyif, slyo+, \*pl, slyo+\*, rep \*-\* to last st bef BOR m, pl.

Switch to US 2 / 2.75 mm, drop CCl and pick up MC.

**Row 5:** sll wyib, brk\*, \*slyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 6:** sll wyif, pl, \*brp, pl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, pl. (60, 68, 76) 84, 92, 100 (108, 116, 124) sts; (30, 34, 38) 42, 46, 50 (54, 58, 62) sts for each side

### Decrease repeat:

*Sizes 2–9 only:*

Switch to US 3 / 3.25 mm, drop MC and pick up CCl.

**Row 1 (RS):** ssk, slyo, \*kl, slyo\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, k2tog. (-2 sts)

**Row 2 (WS):** sll wyif, slyo+, \*pl, slyo+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

**Row 3:** kl, slyo+, \*kl, slyo+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 4:** sll wyif, slyo+, \*pl, slyo+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

Switch to US 2 / 2.75 mm, drop CCl and pick up MC.

**Row 5:** kl, brk, \*slyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 6:** sll wyif, pl, \*brp, pl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

Rep Rows 1–6 (-, 1, 3) 3, 3, 3 (3, 3, 3) more time(s).

(-, 64, 68) 76, 84, 92 (100, 108, 116) front sts; (-, 32, 34) 38, 42, 46 (50, 54, 58) sts for each front yoke side

*All sizes resume.*

### Split front and back

Switch to US 3 / 3.25 mm, drop MC and pick up CCl.

**Row 1:** ssk, \*slyo, kl\*, rep \*-\* to first m, mL; place the next (61, 69, 77) 85, 93, 101 (109, 117, 125) sts on scrap yarn or stitch holder from here to next m, removing both markers (these sts will later become the back yoke). Place the following (30, 34, 34) 38, 42, 46 (48, 52, 56) sts on another piece of scrap yarn or stitch holder—these sts will later become the left front yoke. Remove BOR m and continue where you left off. (30, 32, 34) 38, 42, 46 (50, 54, 58) sts

### FRONT YOKE

#### Right (when worn) front yoke

**Next row (WS) – CCl:** sll wyif, \*pl, slyo+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

**Row 1:** kl, \*slyo+, kl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 2:** sll wyif, \*pl, slyo+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

Switch to US 2 / 2.75 mm, drop CCl and pick up MC.

**Row 3:** kl, \*brk, slyo\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 4:** sll wyif, \*brp, pl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

#### Decrease repeat:

Switch to US 3 / 3.25 mm, drop MC and pick up CCl.

**Row 5:** ssk, \*slyo, kl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl. (-1 st)

**Row 6:** sll wyif, \*pl, slyo+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

**Row 7:** kl, \*slyo+, kl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 8:** sll wyif, \*pl, slyo+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

Switch to US 2 / 2.75 mm, drop CCl and pick up MC.

**Row 9:** kl, \*brk, slyo\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 10:** sll wyif, \*brp, pl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

Switch to US 3 / 3.25 mm, drop MC and pick up CCl.

**Row 11:** ssk, slyo, \*kl, slyo\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl. (-1 st)

**Row 12:** sll wyif, slyio+, \*pl, slyio+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

**Row 13:** kl, slyio+, \*kl, slyio+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 14:** sll wyif, slyio+, \*pl, slyio+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

Switch to US 2 / 2.75 mm, drop CCl and pick up MC.

**Row 15:** kl, brk, \*slyio, brk\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 16:** sll wyif, pl, \*brp, pl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

Rep Rows 5–16 (3, 4, 5) 5, 6, 6 (7, 7, 7) more times.  
(22, 22, 22) 26, 28, 32 (34, 38, 42) sts

Switch to US 3 / 3.25 mm, drop MC and pick up CCl.

**Row 17:** kl, \*kl, slyio\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 18:** sll wyif, \*slyio+, pl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

**Rows 19–20:** same as Rows 17–18 (slip both the st and the yo(s) when instructed to slyio).

Switch to US 2 / 2.75 mm, drop CCl and pick up MC.

**Row 21:** kl, \*slyio, brk\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

*Sizes 1, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 only:*

**Row 22:** sll wyif, \*pl, brp\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

Switch to US 3 / 3.25 mm, drop MC and pick up CCl.

**Row 23:** kl, \*slyio, kl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 24:** sll wyif, \*pl, slyio+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

**Rows 25–26:** same as Rows 23–24 (slip both the st and the yo(s) when instructed to slyio).

Switch to US 2 / 2.75 mm, drop CCl and pick up MC.

**Row 27:** kl, \*brk, slyio\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 28:** sll wyif, \*brp, pl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

*Sizes 1, 4, 5 only:* rep Rows 17–21 one more time.

*Sizes 6, 7, 8, 9 only:* rep Rows 17–28 (-, -, -) -, -, 1 (1, 2, 3) more times. Then rep Rows 17–21 once.

*All sizes resume.*

Using US 3 / 3.25 mm and MC, loosely bind off all sts: pl, \*pl, pull 1st st over, brp, pull 1st st over\*, rep \*-\* to last st, pl, pull 1st st over, cut yarn leaving a tail for weaving in, pull through the last st and tighten genty.

### Left (when worn) front yoke

Place the (28, 32, 34) 38, 42, 46 (48, 52, 56) left front yoke sts onto US 2 / 2.75 mm needle and get your US 3 / 3.25 mm needle ready to work right away. Join CCl ready to work a RS row.

**Row 1 (RS):** mlR, \*kl, slyio\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, k2tog.

**Row 2 (WS):** sll wyif, \*slyio+, pl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

**Row 3:** kl, \*kl, slyio+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 4:** sll wyif, \*slyio+, pl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif. Switch to US 2 / 2.75 mm, drop CCl and pick up MC.

**Row 5:** kl, \*slyio, brk\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 6:** sll wyif, \*pl, brp\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

### Decrease repeat:

Switch to US 3 / 3.25 mm, drop MC and pick up CCl.

**Row 7:** kl, slyio, \*kl, slyio\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, k2tog.

**Row 8:** sll wyif, slyio+, \*pl, slyio+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

**Row 9:** kl, slyio+, \*kl, slyio+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 10:** sll wyif, slyio+, \*pl, slyio+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

Switch to US 2 / 2.75 mm, drop CCl and pick up MC.

**Row 11:** kl, brk, \*slyio, brk\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 12:** sll wyif, pl, \*brp, pl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

Switch to US 3 / 3.25 mm, drop MC and pick up CCl.

**Row 13:** kl, \*kl, slyio\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, k2tog.

**Row 14:** sll wyif, \*slyio+, pl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

**Row 15:** kl, \*kl, slyio+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 16:** sll wyif, \*slyio+, pl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

Switch to US 2 / 2.75 mm, drop CCl and pick up MC.

**Row 17:** kl, \*slyio, brk\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 18:** sll wyif, \*pl, brp\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif. Rep Rows 7–18 (3, 4, 5) 5, 6, 6 (7, 7, 7) more times.  
(22, 22, 22) 26, 28, 32 (34, 38, 42) sts

Switch to US 3 / 3.25 mm, drop MC and pick up CCl.

**Row 19:** kl, \*slyio, kl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 20:** sll wyif, \*pl, sllyo+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

**Rows 21–22:** same as Rows 19–20 (slip both the st and the yo(s) when instructed to sllyo).

Switch to US 2 / 2.75 mm, drop CCl and pick up MC.

**Row 23:** kl, \*brk, sllyo\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

*Sizes 1, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 only:*

**Row 24:** sll wyif, \*brp, pl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

Switch to US 3 / 3.25 mm, drop MC and pick up CCl.

**Row 25:** kl, \*kl, sllyo\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 26:** sll wyif, \*sllyo+, pl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

**Rows 27–28:** same as Rows 25–26 (slip both the st and the yo(s) when instructed to sllyo).

Switch to US 2 / 2.75 mm, drop CCl and pick up MC.

**Row 29:** kl, \*sllyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

Rep Rows 18–23 one more time.

*Sizes 1, 4, 5 only:* rep Rows 18–23 one more time.

*Sizes 6, 7, 8, 9 only:* rep Rows 18–29 (–, –, –) –, –, 1 (1, 2, 3) more times. Then rep Rows 18–23 once.

*All sizes resume.*

Using US 3 / 3.25 mm and MC, loosely bind off all sts: pl, \*brp, pull 1st st over, pl, pull 1st st over\*, rep \*-\* to last st, pl, pull 1st st over, cut yarn leaving a tail for weaving in, pull through the last st and tighten gently.

Break CCl. Using US 3 / 3.25 mm and MC, loosely bind off all sts: pl, \*brp, pull 1st st over, pl, pull 1st st over\*, rep \*-\* to last st, pl, pull 1st st over, cut yarn leaving a tail for weaving in, pull through the last st and tighten gently.

## BACK YOKE

Place (61, 69, 77) 85, 93, 101 (109, 117, 125) back sts onto US 2 / 2.75 mm needle.

Switch to US 3 / 3.25 mm, drop MC and join CCl, ready to work a RS row.

**Row 1 (RS):** mlR, sllyo, \*kl, sllyo\*, rep \*-\* to end, mlL. (+2 sts)

**Row 2 (WS):** sll wyif, sllyo+, \*pl, sllyo+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

**Row 3:** kl, \*sllyo+, kl\*, rep \*-\* to end.

**Row 4:** sll wyif, sllyo+, \*pl, sllyo+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

Switch to US 2 / 2.75 mm, drop CCl and pick up MC.

**Row 5:** kl, brk, \*sllyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 6:** sll wyif, pl, \*brp, pl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif. (63, 71, 79) 87, 95, 103 (111, 119, 127) sts

### Repeat:

Switch to US 3 / 3.25 mm, drop MC and pick up CCl.

**Row 7:** k2, \*sllyo, kl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 8:** sll wyif, pl, \*sllyo+, pl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

**Rows 9–10:** same as Rows 7–8 (slip both the st and the yo(s) when instructed to sllyo).

Switch to US 2 / 2.75 mm, drop CCl and pick up MC.

**Row 11:** kl, sllyo, \*brk, sllyo\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 12:** sll wyif, brp, \*pl, brp\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

Switch to US 3 / 3.25 mm, drop MC and pick up CCl.

**Row 13:** kl, sllyo, \*kl, sllyo\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 14:** sll wyif, sllyo+, \*pl, sllyo+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

**Rows 15–16:** same as Rows 13–14 (slip both the st and the yo(s) when instructed to sllyo).

Switch to US 2 / 2.75 mm, drop CCl and pick up MC.

**Row 17:** kl, brk, \*sllyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 18:** sll wyif, pl, \*brp, pl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

Rep Rows 7–18 (3, 3, 4) 5, 6, 7 (8, 9, 10) more times. Then rep Rows 7–12 once. Break MC.

## Separate for shoulders

Switch to US 3 / 3.25 mm, drop MC and pick up CCl.

**Row 1 (RS):** kl, \*sllyo, kl\* (11, 11, 11) 13, 14, 16 (17, 19, 21) times, loosely BO (17, 25, 33), 33, 37, 37 (41, 41, 41), \*sllyo, kl\*, rep \*-\* to end.



(23, 23, 23) 27, 29, 33 (35, 39, 43) sts for each shoulder

You can keep the right shoulder sts on your needles or put them on scrap yarn / st holder. You will now be working on the left back shoulder.

### Left (when worn) back shoulder

**Row 2 (WS):** sl1 wyif, sllyo+, \*p1, sllyo+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sl1 wyif.

**Row 3:** kl, sllyo+, \*kl, sllyo+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 4:** same as Row 2 (slip both the st and the yo(s) when instructed to sllyo).

Switch to US 2 / 2.75 mm, drop CCl and join MC.

**Row 5:** kl, brk, \*sllyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 6:** sl1 wyif, p1, \*brp, p1\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sl1 wyif.

Switch to US 3 / 3.25 mm, drop MC and pick up CCl.

**Row 7:** ssk, \*sllyo, kl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl. (-1 st)  
(22, 22, 22) 26, 28, 32 (34, 38, 42) sts

**Row 8:** sl1 wyif, \*p1, sllyo+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sl1 wyif.

**Row 9:** kl, \*sllyo+, kl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 10:** same as Row 8. Cut CCl (slip both the st and the yo(s) when instructed to sllyo).

Switch to US 2 / 2.75 mm, drop CCl and join MC.

**Row 11:** kl, \*brk, sllyo\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

Using US 3 / 3.25 mm and MC, loosely bind off all sts: p1, \*brp, pull 1st st over, p1, pull 1st st over\*, rep \*-\* to last st, p1, pull 1st st over, cut yarn leaving a long tail for sewing, pull through the last st and tighten gently. Bring left front and left back shoulders together and graft them together.

### Right (when worn) back shoulder

Place right back shoulder sts onto US 3 / 3.25 mm needles. Join CCl, ready to work a WS row.

**Next row (WS):** sl1 wyif, sllyo+, \*p1, sllyo+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sl1 wyif.

**Row 1 (RS):** kl, sllyo+, \*kl, sllyo+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 2 (WS):** sl1 wyif, sllyo+, \*p1, sllyo+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sl1 wyif.

Switch to US 2 / 2.75 mm, drop CCl and join MC.

**Row 3:** kl, brk, \*sllyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 4:** sl1 wyif, p1, \*brp, p1\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sl1 wyif.

Switch to US 3 / 3.25 mm, drop MC and pick up CCl.

**Row 5:** kl, \*kl, sllyo\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, k2tog. (-1 st)  
(22, 22, 22) 26, 28, 32 (34, 38, 42) sts

**Row 6:** sl1 wyif, \*sllyo+, p1\*, rep \*-\* to last st, p1.

**Row 7:** kl, \*kl, sllyo+\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 8:** same as Row 6 (slip both the st and the yo(s) when instructed to sllyo).

Switch to US 2 / 2.75 mm, drop CCl and join MC.

**Row 9:** kl, \*sllyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

Using US 3 / 3.25 mm and MC, loosely bind off all sts: p1, \*p1, pull 1st st over, brp, pull 1st st over\*, rep \*-\* to last st, p1, pull 1st st over, cut yarn leaving a long tail for sewing, pull through the last st and tighten gently. Bring right front and right back shoulders together and graft them together.

## SLEEVE

*Both sleeves are worked the same.*

With US 2 / 2.75 mm and MC, at the center of the underarm, pick up and knit 2 sts. Then, pick up and knit (40, 44, 50) 56, 62, 68 (74, 82, 90) sts going around the armhole edge and ending where you began (about 4 sts into every 7 edge sts). PM for BOR and join to work in the round.  
(40, 44, 50) 56, 62, 68 (74, 82, 90) sts

Switch to US 3 / 3.25 mm, drop MC and pick up CCl.

**Rnd 1:** \*kl, sllyo\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnds 2-4:** same as Rnd 1 (slip both the st and the yo(s) when instructed to sllyo).

Switch to US 2 / 2.75 mm, drop CCl and join MC.

**Rnd 5:** \*sllyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 6:** \*brk, kl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Switch to US 3 / 3.25 mm, drop MC and pick up CCl.

**Rnd 7:** \*sllyo, kl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnds 8-10:** same as Rnd 7 (slip both the st and the yo(s) when instructed to sllyo).

Switch to US 2 / 2.75 mm, drop CCl and join MC.

**Rnd 11:** \*brk, sllyo\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 12:** \*kl, brk\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Switch to US 3 / 3.25 mm, drop MC and pick up CCl.

**Rnd 13:** k3tog, sllyo, \*kl, sllyo\*, rep \*-\* to end. (-2 sts)

**Rnd 14:** \*kl, sllyo+\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnds 15–16:** rep Rnd 14 (slip both the st and the yo(s) when instructed to sllyo).

Switch to US 2 / 2.75 mm, drop CCl and join MC.

**Rnd 17:** \*sllyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 18:** \*brk, kl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Switch to US 3 / 3.25 mm, drop MC and pick up CCl.

**Rnds 19–24:** same as Rnds 7–12.

Switch to US 3 / 3.25 mm, drop MC and pick up CCl.

**Rnd 25:** \*kl, sllyo\*, rep \*-\* to last 6 sts, sssk, sllyo, kl, sllyo. (-2 sts)

**Rnd 26:** \*kl, sllyo+\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnds 27–28:** rep Rnd 25 (slip both the st and the yo(s) when instructed to sllyo).

Switch to US 2 / 2.75 mm, drop CCl and join MC.

**Rnd 29:** \*sllyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 30:** \*brk, kl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Switch to US 3 / 3.25 mm, drop MC and pick up CCl.

**Rnds 31–36:** same as Rnds 7–12.

Rep Rnds 13–36 six more times. Then rep Rnds 13–24 once more.

### Cuff

Switch to US 5 / 3.75 mm. Continue with MC.

**Rnd 1:** \*kl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 1 seven more times.

Cut MC, pick up CCl.

Knit one round, then work Rnd 1 once.

Cut CCl, join CC2.

Knit one round, then work Rnd 1 eight times total.

Bind off loosely, in patt.

Repeat for second sleeve.

### COLLAR

Pick up your US 5 / 3.75 mm needles and join MC.

Beginning at the right shoulder seam and going across the back to the left shoulder seam pick up and knit (27, 31, 33) 37, 39, 41 (43, 43, 43) sts (about 2 into every 3 edge sts). Going down the left front yoke edge towards the front center, pick up and knit (26, 30, 38) 46, 50, 58 (62, 70, 78) sts (about 2 into every 3 edge sts). PM, pick up and knit one st in the very center front, PM. Finally, going up the right front yoke edge and finishing where you began at the right shoulder, pick up and knit (26, 30, 38) 46, 50, 58 (62, 70, 78) sts (about 2 into every 3 edge sts). PM for BOR and join to work in the round. (80, 94, 110) 122, 134, 142 (152, 160, 168) sts

**Rnd 1:** \*p1, kl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR, slipping markers as you come to them.

**Rnd 2:** \*p1, kl\* to 1 st bef m, CDD, kl, \*p1, kl\*, rep \*-\* to end. (You will have to remove the two markers on either side of the center stitch to perform the CDD and then replace them).

**Rnd 3:** \*p1, kl\*, rep \*-\* to m, sm, kl, sm, kl, \*p1, kl\* to BOR.

**Rnd 4:** p1, \*kl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to 1 st bef m, CDD, \*p1, kl\* to BOR.

Rep Rnds 1–2 one more time.

Cut MC, join CCl.

Knit one round, then rep Rnd 4 once.

Cut CCl, join CC2.

Knit one round, then rep Rnds 2–4 once.

Bind off loosely, in patt.

### FINISHING

Weave in ends and wet block to measurements.



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# Penny

*Penny* is what you grab on your way out the door, realizing it's colder out there than you dressed for. This half vest half pinafore goes on over your head and is tied at the waist. It is worked in 1×1 half-twisted rib stitch, making the sizing versatile.





*Penny* is worked beginning at the bottom front, working flat up to the shoulders. Once the neck opening stitches are bound off, each shoulder is worked separately and then connected again to work flat down the back to the bind off edge. Stitches are then picked up around the neck opening where a long collar is worked, folded towards the inside and connected to its cast on edge, creating a plush double collar. Four ties are worked in the front and back at the waist to finish.

### Sizes

1 (2) 3

### Finished measurements

**Neck circumference:** 17.5 (19.25) 20.75" / 44.5 (49) 52.5 cm.

**Width:** 11 (15) 19" / 28 (38) 48 cm.

**Length:** 25" / 63.5 cm – all sizes.

### Materials

**Yarn:** Clinton Hill Cashmere Bespoke DK – 100% Italian Cashmere, 50 g / 125 yds / 114 m.

**Color used:** French Grey.

**Yarn amount:** 410 (560) 709 yds / 375 (512) 649 m.

**Needles:** US 6 / 4 mm, US5 / 3.75 mm circular needles.

**Other:** Tapestry needle, scrap yarn.

### Gauge

20 sts × 24 rows in \*k1 tbl, p1\* in 4" / 10 cm worked flat, on larger needles.

## PATTERN

### FRONT

Using the long tail CO method, with larger needles CO 55 (75) 95 sts.

**Next row (WS):** sl2 wyif, k1, \*p1 tbl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, sl2 wyif.

**Row 1 (RS):** k2, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, k2.

**Row 2 (WS):** sl2 wyif, k1, \*p1 tbl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, sl2 wyif.

Rep Rows 1–2 until work measures 17" / 43 cm from the cast-on edge.

### SHOULDERS

K2, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* 4 (8) 12 more times, 2decR, p1, BO 21 (25) 29 sts in patt, 2decL, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, k2.

You will now be working on the right (when worn) shoulder (where working yarn now sits). You can either keep the left shoulder on the cable of your needles or place the sts on hold.

15 (23) 31 sts for each shoulder

### Right (when worn) shoulder

**Next row (WS):** sl2 wyif, \*k1, p1 tbl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, k1.

**Row 1 (RS):** k1, 2decL, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, k2. (-2 sts)

**Row 2 (WS):** sl2 wyif, \*k1, p1 tbl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, k1. Rep Rows 1–2 two more times.

**Row 3:** k1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, k2.

**Row 4:** sl2 wyif, \*k1, p1 tbl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, k1. Rep Rows 3–4 three more times.

**Row 5:** k1, kbfb, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, k2. (+2 sts)

**Row 6:** sl2 wyif, \*k1, p1 tbl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, k1. Rep Rows 5–6 two more times. Cut yarn and keep sts on the cable of your needles. You will now go back to the sts you've had on hold and work the left shoulder. Join ready to work a WS row.

15 (23) 31 sts

### Left (when worn) shoulder

**Next row (WS):** k1, \*p1 tbl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, sl2 wyif.

**Row 1 (RS):** k2, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to last 4 sts, 2decR, k1.



**Row 2 (WS):** k1, \*p1 tbl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, sl2 wyif.

Rep Rows 1–2 two more times.

**Row 3:** k2, \*p1, k1 tbl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, k1.

**Row 4:** k1, \*p1 tbl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, sl2 wyif.  
Rep Rows 3–4 three more times.

**Row 5:** k2, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, kFbf, k1.

**Row 6:** k1, \*p1 tbl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, sl2 wyif.  
Rep Rows 5–6 two more times.

15 (23) 31 sts

### Join shoulders

Continuing where you left off:

K2, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, kFbf, k1, using the backwards loop method, CO 21 (25) 29 sts; place left shoulder sts onto needles and join: k1, kBfb, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, k2.

55 (75) 95 sts

### BACK

**Next row:** sl2 wyif, k1, \*p1 tbl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, sl2 wyif.

**Row 1 (RS):** k2, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, k2.

**Row 2 (WS):** sl2 wyif, k1, \*p1 tbl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, sl2 wyif.

Rep Rows 1–2 until work measures 18" / 46 cm from the neckline sts you just cast on.

Bind off loosely, in patt.

### COLLAR

Beginning at center back and making sure you're working on the RS, with larger needles pick up and knit 88 (96) 104 sts around the neckline (one into every edge st). PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

**Rnd 1:** \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 1 until collar measures 10" / 25.5 cm from the CO edge. Bind off loosely, in patt. Fold the collar to the inside and whip stitch the bind off edge to the CO edge where you picked up sts for the collar.

## TIES

### Front side ties

**Left tie:** Lay your work RS and front up. At the left side (when worn) measure 4" / 10 cm from the bottom edge (or put the vest on and mark where it hits your waist, then start about half an inch below that mark). With smaller needles, pick up and knit 5 sts along the edge—1 into each edge st, as follows: pick up and knit 1, \*yo, pick up and knit 1\*, rep \*-\* once more.

**Next row (WS):** sll wyif, \*k1, sll wyif\*, rep \*-\* to end.

**Row 1 (RS):** k1, \*sll wyif, k1\*, rep \*-\* to end.

**Row 2 (WS):** sll wyif, \*k1, sll wyif\*, rep \*-\* to end.

Rep Rows 1–2 until tie measures 15" / 38 cm.

**Bind off:** k1, \*k2tog, sl 1st st over 2nd\*, rep \*-\* once more. Cut yarn and pass through the last st, tighten.

**Right tie:** fold the front RS together to the side. On the right side (when worn) of the front, mark where the top of the left side tie hits. Unfold; beginning where you left a mark, with smaller needles pick up and knit 5 sts as follows: pick up and knit 1, \*yo, pick up and knit 1\*, rep \*-\* once more.

**Next row (WS):** sll wyif, \*k1, sll wyif\*, rep \*-\* to end.

**Row 1 (RS):** k1, \*sll wyif, k1\*, rep \*-\* to end.

**Row 2 (WS):** sll wyif, \*k1, sll wyif\*, rep \*-\* to end.

Rep Rows 1–2 until tie measures 15" / 38 cm.

**Bind off:** k1, \*k2tog, sl 1st st over 2nd\*, rep \*-\* once more. Cut yarn and pass through the last st, tighten.

### Back side ties

**Left tie:** lay your work down back side up, matching up the bottoms so that the CO edge and the bind-off edge are flush. On the left side, see where the front tie hits and begin casting on sts at the same point, as follows: pick up and knit 1, \*yo, pick up and knit 1\*, rep \*-\* once more.

**Next row (WS):** sll wyif, \*k1, sll wyif\*, rep \*-\* to end.

**Row 1 (RS):** k1, \*sll wyif, k1\*, rep \*-\* to end.

**Row 2 (WS):** sll wyif, \*k1, sll wyif\*, rep \*-\* to end.

Rep Rows 1–2 until tie measures 15" / 38 cm.

**Bind off:** k1, \*k2tog, sl 1st st over 2nd\*, rep \*-\* once more. Cut yarn and pass through the last st, tighten.

Make the right tie the same way as the left.

## FINISHING

Weave in ends and wet block to measurements.

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# Ark

*Ark* is inspired by texture! Garter stitch is an easy, enjoyable way to add some “bumps” in your knitting, especially on a stockinette canvas. To keep things interesting, I used a tuck stitch pattern that keeps you wanting to knit just another row, to reveal the next textured section. If you’re a fan of texture and cozy knitting sessions, pick your colors and get started!





*Ark* is a wide half-circle shawl. Worked from the center top, stitches are increased at each side rapidly. Sections of stockinette, garter and tuck stitch create a beautiful striped textured effect.

### Sizes

One size.

### Finished measurements

**Width:** 80" / 203 cm.

**Height:** 30" / 76 cm.

### Materials

**Yarn:** A Wandering Flock Baby Paca – 50% extra fine merino, 30% baby alpaca, 20% nylon, 100 g / 400 yds / 365 m – in 4 colors.

**Colors used:** Pure (MC), Neon Pink (C1), Dusty Blue (C2), Citrine (C3).

**MC:** 494 yds / 452 m.

**CC1:** 160 yds / 147 m.

**CC2:** 168 yds / 154 m.

**CC3:** 208 yds / 191 m.

**Needles:** US 5 / 3.75 mm and US 3 / 3.25 mm long circular needles.

**Other:** Tapestry needle.

### Gauge

Stockinette and garter: 20 sts × 28 rows worked flat, in 4" / 10 cm, on larger needles.

Tuck stitch: 20 sts × 48 rows worked flat, in 4" / 10 cm, on smaller needles.

## PATTERN

### SECTION 1

With MC and larger needles, CO 5 sts.

**Set-up row (WS):** p2, kpk, p2.

**Row 1 (RS):** k2, yo, k to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 2 (WS):** sl2 wyif, Kp, p to last 3 sts, Pk, sl2 wyif.

Rep Rows 1–2 one more time.

Join CC1, drop MC.

**Row 3:** k2, yo, k to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 4:** sl2 wyif, Pk, k to last 3 sts, Kp, sl2 wyif.

Rep Rows 3–4 one more time.

Cut CC1, pick up MC.

Work Rows 1–2 two times total (4 rows).

Join CC2, drop MC.

**Row 5:** k2, yo, k to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 6:** sl2 wyif, Pk, k to last 3 sts, Kp, sl2 wyif.

Rep Rows 5–6 one more time.

Cut CC2, pick up MC.

Work Rows 1–2 two times total (4 rows).

Join CC3, drop MC.

**Row 7:** k2, yo, k to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 8:** sl2 wyif, Pk, k to last 3 sts, Kp, sl2 wyif.

Rep Rows 7–8 one more time.

Cut CC3, pick up MC.

Work Rows 1–2 three times total (6 rows).

67 sts

### Tuck stitch repeat

Switch to smaller needles and join CC1.

With CC1:

**Row 1 (RS):** k2, yo, k1, \*sllyo, k1\* to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 2 (WS):** sl2 wyif, p1 tbl, p1, \*sllyo+, p1\* to last 3 sts, p1 tbl, sl2 wyif.

**Row 3:** k2, yo, sllyo+, \*k1, sllyo+\* to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 4:** sl2 wyif, p1 tbl, sllyo+, \*p1, sllyo+\* to last 3 sts, p1 tbl, sl2 wyif.

With MC:

**Row 5:** k2, yo, sllyo, \*brk, sllyo\* to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 6:** sl2 wyif, p1 tbl, brp, \*p1, brp\* to last 3 sts, p1 tbl, sl2 wyif.

Rep Rows 1–6 four more times. Cut CC1.

97 sts

### SECTION 2

Switch to larger needles.

Pick up MC.

**Row 1:** k2, yo, k to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 2 (WS):** sl2 wyif, Kp, p to last 3 sts, Pk, sl2 wyif.

Rep Rows 1–2 two more times.

Join CC2, drop MC.

**Row 3:** k2, yo, k to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 4:** sl2 wyif, Pk, k to last 3 sts, Kp, sl2 wyif.

Rep Rows 3–4 one more time.

Cut CC2, pick up MC.

Work Rows 1–2 two times total (4 rows).

Join CC3, drop MC.

**Row 5:** k2, yo, k to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 6:** sl2 wyif, Pk, k to last 3 sts, Kp, sl2 wyif.

Rep Rows 5–6 one more time.

Cut CC3, pick up MC.

Work Rows 1–2 two times total (4 rows).

Join CC1, drop MC.

**Row 7:** k2, yo, k to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 8:** sl2 wyif, Pk, k to last 3 sts, Kp, sl2 wyif.

Rep Rows 7–8 one more time.

Cut CC1, pick up MC.

Work Rows 1–2 three times total (6 rows).

161 sts

### Tuck stitch repeat

Switch to smaller needles and join CC2.

With CC2:

**Row 1 (RS):** k2, yo, k1, \*sllyo, k1\* to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 2 (WS):** sl2 wyif, p1 tbl, p1, \*sllyo+, p1\* to last 3 sts, p1 tbl, sl2 wyif.

**Row 3:** k2, yo, sllyo+, \*k1, sllyo+\* to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 4:** sl2 wyif, p1 tbl, sllyo+, \*p1, sllyo+\* to last 3 sts, p1 tbl, sl2 wyif.

With MC:

**Row 5:** k2, yo, sllyo, \*brk, sllyo\* to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 6:** sl2 wyif, p1 tbl, brp, \*p1, brp\* to last 3 sts, p1 tbl, sl2 wyif.

Rep Rows 1–6 four more times. Cut CC2.

191 sts

## SECTION 3

Switch to larger needles.

Pick up MC.

**Row 1 (RS):** k2, yo, k to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 2 (WS):** sl2 wyif, Kp, p to last 3 sts, Pk, sl2 wyif.

Rep Rows 1–2 two more times.

Join CC3, drop MC.

**Row 3:** k2, yo, k to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 4:** sl2 wyif, Pk, k to last 3 sts, Kp, sl2 wyif.

Rep Rows 3–4 one more time.

Cut CC3, pick up MC.

Work Rows 1–2 two times total (4 rows).

Join CC1, drop MC.

**Row 5:** k2, yo, k to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 6:** sl2 wyif, Pk, k to last 3 sts, Kp, sl2 wyif.

Rep Rows 5–6 one more time.

Cut CC1, pick up MC.

Work Rows 1–2 two times total (4 rows).

Join CC2, drop MC.

**Row 7:** k2, yo, k to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 8:** sl2 wyif, Pk, k to last 3 sts, Kp, sl2 wyif.

Rep Rows 7–8 one more time.

Cut CC2, pick up MC.

Work Rows 1–2 three times total (6 rows).

255 sts

### Tuck stitch repeat

Switch to smaller needles and join CC3.

With CC3:

**Row 1 (RS):** k2, yo, k1, \*sllyo, k1\* to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 2 (WS):** sl2 wyif, p1 tbl, p1, \*sllyo+, p1\* to last 3 sts, p1 tbl, sl2 wyif.

**Row 3:** k2, yo, sllyo+, \*k1, sllyo+\* to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 4:** sl2 wyif, p1 tbl, sllyo+, \*p1, sllyo+\* to last 3 sts, p1 tbl, sl2 wyif.

With MC:

**Row 5:** k2, yo, sllyo, \*brk, sllyo\* to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 6:** sl2 wyif, p1 tbl, brp, \*p1, brp\* to last 3 sts, p1 tbl, sl2 wyif.



Rep Rows 1–6 four more times. Cut CC3.  
285 sts

## SECTION 4

Switch to larger needles.

Pick up MC.

**Row 1 (RS):** k2, yo, k to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 2 (WS):** sl2 wyif, Kp, p to last 3 sts, Pk, sl2 wyif.

Rep Rows 1–2 two more times.

Join CCl, drop MC.

**Row 3:** k2, yo, k to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 4:** sl2 wyif, Pk, k to last 3 sts, Kp, sl2 wyif.

Rep Rows 3–4 one more time.

Cut CCl, pick up MC.

Work Rows 1–2 two times total (4 rows).

Join CC2, drop MC.

**Row 5:** k2, yo, k to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 6:** sl2 wyif, Pk, k to last 3 sts, Kp, sl2 wyif.

Rep Rows 5–6 one more time.

Cut CC2, pick up MC.

Work Rows 1–2 two times total (4 rows).

Join CC3, drop MC.

**Row 7:** k2, yo, k to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 8:** sl2 wyif, Pk, k to last 3 sts, Kp, sl2 wyif.

Rep Rows 7–8 one more time.

Cut CC3, pick up MC.

Work Rows 1–2 three times total (6 rows).

349 sts

Switch to smaller needles.

**Step 1:** Work the tuck stitch repeat below using CCl as CC.

**Step 2:** Cut CCl, join CC2 and work the repeat with CC2 as CC.

**Step 3:** Cut CC2, join CC3 and work the repeat with CC3 as CC.

**Step 4:** Cut CC3, join CCl and work the repeat with CCl as CC.

**Step 5:** Cut CCl, join CC3 and work the repeat with CC3 as CC.

**Step 6:** Cut CC3, join CC2 and work the repeat with CC2 as CC.

**Step 7:** Cut CC2, join CCl and work the repeat with CCl as CC.

## Tuck stitch repeat

With CC:

**Row 1 (RS):** k2, yo, k1, \*sllyo, k1\* to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 2 (WS):** sl2 wyif, p1 tbl, p1, \*sllyo+, p1\* to last 3 sts, p1 tbl, sl2 wyif.

**Row 3:** k2, yo, sllyo+, \*k1, sllyo+\* to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 4:** sl2 wyif, p1 tbl, sllyo+, \*p1, sllyo+\* to last 3 sts, p1 tbl, sl2 wyif.

With MC:

**Row 5:** k2, yo, sllyo, \*brk, sllyo\* to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 6:** sl2 wyif, p1 tbl, brp, \*p1, brp\* to last 3 sts, p1 tbl, sl2 wyif.

391 sts

## FINISHING

Cut CCl, pick up MC.

Switch to larger needles.

**Row 1 (RS):** k2, yo, k to last 2 sts, yo, k2.

**Row 2 (WS):** sl2 wyif, Kp, k to last 3 sts, Pk, sl2 wyif.

Rep Rows 1–2 one more time.

399 sts

Bind off, using Jeny's Super Stretchy Bind-Off Method.

Weave in ends and wet-block. When laying out your shawl to dry, shape it: the cast-on edge should be in a straight line at the top and the bind-off edge in a half moon curve at the bottom.



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# Dovetail

*Dovetail* is the epitome of a cozy swoncho, or a “blanket sweater”. Brioche stitch creates the squishiest of fabrics, and the super wide fit makes this garment the most comfortable item in the closet. It is simply a necessity—especially in cold climates.



*Dovetail* is worked from the top down in brioche stitch—both in the round and flat. After the neckband and short row neck shaping, the front and back yokes are worked flat. After joining at the underarm, the body is worked in the round for a short time before it is separated again to create a deep, high-low split hem. At the same time, decreases are made on each side of the body. Stitches are picked up around the arm opening, from where sleeves emerge.

### Sizes

(1, 2) 3, 4

### Finished measurements

**Chest circumference:** (49.25, 65.25) 81.25, 97.25" / (125, 166) 206.5, 247 cm.

**Body length (underarm to hem):** 5" / 13 cm.

**Sleeve circumference:** (12, 14.5) 17.25, 20" / (30.5, 37) 44, 51 cm.

**Sleeve length:** 10.5" / 26.5 cm.

**Suggested fit:** 20–50" / 51–127 cm positive ease.

### Materials

**Yarn:** Brooklyn Tweed Shelter – 100% Targhee-Columbia Wool, 50 g / 140 yds / 128 m.

Look for a woolen spun, worsted weight yarn that is soft and airy, to substitute for the yarn used in the sample

**Color used:** Iceberg.

**Yarn amount:** (667, 884) 1100, 1317 yds / (610, 808) 1006, 1204 m.

**Needles:** US 8 / 5 mm and US6 / 4 mm circular needles.

**Other:** Tapestry needle, scrap yarn.

### Gauge

12 sts × 32 rows in 4" / 10 cm, in brioche stitch in the round and flat, with smaller needles.

## PATTERN

### Neckband

Using larger needles and the provisional cast on method, CO 60 sts (all sizes).

**Row 1 (RS):** \*kl, pl\*, rep \*-\* to end.

PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

**Rnd 2:** \*kl, pl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 2 until work measures 3" / 7.5 cm. Place the sts from the cast on onto another set of circular needles. Fold the neckband in half lengthwise so that the cast on sts meet the live sts. With larger needles, knit the two sets of sts together by knitting each st from the needle with live sts together with a st from the cast on—do this all around.

### Short row back shaping

Switch to smaller size needles.

**Row 1 (RS):** \*kl, sllyo\*, rep \*-\* 2 more times, w&t.

**Row 2 (WS):** \*brk, sllyo\*, rep \*-\* to m, sm, sllyo, pl, sllyo, pl, sllyo, w&t.

**Row 3:** brp, \*sllyo, brp\*, rep \*-\* to m, sm, \*brk, sllyo\*, rep \*-\* to last wrapped st, kl, sllyo, w&t.

**Row 4:** \*brk, sllyo\*, rep \*-\* to m, sm, sllyo, \*brp, sllyo\*, rep \*-\* to wrapped st, pl, sllyo, w&t.

Rep Rows 3–4 three more times.

**Row 5:** brp, \*sllyo, brp\*, rep \*-\* to BOR. Cut yarn.

Slip 14 sts to RH needle. Join yarn and with larger needles: m1R, k3, m1L. Place the next 27 sts onto scrap yarn / st holder—this will later be worked as the front. Turn work and continue where you left off knitting, working over 5 sts.

## BACK

### Right (when worn) shoulder

**Row 1 (WS):** purl.

**Row 2 (RS):** knit.

Rep Rows 1–2 (13, 20) 29, 37 more times. Then work Row 1 once. Cut yarn and place sts on scrap yarn / st holder.





**Left (when worn) shoulder**

You just finished the right shoulder. Go back to the live sts on your needles, join yarn ready to work a RS row.

**Row 1 (RS):** m1R, k3, m1L. (+2 sts)

Work flat over these 5 sts you just knitted, and let the rest of the sts rest on your needles.

**Row 2 (WS):** purl.

**Row 3 (RS):** knit.

**Row 4 (WS):** purl.

Rep Rows 3–4 (13, 20) 29, 37 more times. Cut yarn and place sts on scrap yarn / st holder.

**Back shoulders**

Lay your work so that you are looking at the RS of the front yoke, with the live back sts at the top and the held front sts at the bottom; long shoulder pieces going out to each side. Beginning on the furthest right edge of the shoulder piece (right at where the 5 shoulder sts are on hold), with smaller needles, pick up and knit (20, 30) 42, 52 sts going towards the live back sts. When you get to the back neck sts, m1R, PM and work these sts: s1lyo, \*brk, s1lyo\*, rep \*-\* to end. PM, m1L and pick up and knit (20, 30) 42, 52 sts along the edge of the other shoulder piece, ending at the very end of the shoulder stitches that are on hold (about 2 into every 3 edge sts). (Remove old BOR marker). (69, 89) 113, 133 sts

**Back yoke**

**Set-up row (WS):** k1, sl2 wyif, \*kl, s1lyo\*, rep \*-\* (1, 3) 5, 7 more times, k1, PM, \*s1lyo, kl\*, rep \*-\* (0, 1) 3, 5 more times, PM, s1lyo, \*kl, s1lyo\*, rep \*-\* to m, sm, brk, \*s1lyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to m, sm, \*s1lyo, kl\*, rep \*-\* (4, 6) 8, 9 more times, s1lyo, PM, \*kl, s1lyo\*, rep \*-\* (0, 1) 3, 5 more times, PM, kl, \*s1lyo, kl\*, rep \*-\* to last 3 sts, sl2 wyif, kl.

**Row 1 (RS):** k3, s1lyo \*brk, s1lyo\*, rep \*-\* to m, sm, brkyobr, s1lyo, \*brk, s1lyo\*, rep \*-\* to m, sm, brkDecl, \*s1lyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to m, sm, work chart to m, sm, \*brk, s1lyo\*, rep \*-\* to 3 sts bef m, brkDecl, sm, s1lyo, \*brk, s1lyo\*, rep \*-\* to 1 st bef m, brkyobr, sm, s1lyo, \*brk, s1lyo\*, rep \*-\* to last 3 sts, k3.

**Row 2 (WS):** k1, sl2 wyif, brk, \*s1lyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to

m, sm, s1lyo, kl, \*s1lyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to m, sm, s1lyo, \*brk, s1lyo\*, rep \*-\* to m, sm, work chart to m, sm, s1lyo, \*brk, s1lyo\*, rep \*-\* to m, sm, \*brk, s1lyo\*, rep \*-\* to 2 sts bef m, kl, s1lyo, sm, brk, \*s1lyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to last 3 sts, sl2 wyif, kl.

**Row 3:** k3, \*s1lyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to 3rd m, sm, work chart, sm, \*brk, s1lyo\*, rep \*-\* to last 3 sts, k3. (slip markers as you come to them)

**Row 4:** k1, sl2 wyif, \*brk, s1lyo\*, rep \*-\* to 3rd m, sm, work chart, sm, \*s1lyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to last 3 sts, sl2 wyif, kl. (slip markers as you come to them)

**Rows 5–8:** rep Rows 3–4, twice.

**Rep Rows 1–8:** (3, 4) 5, 6 more times.

On the next row, remove all markers.

**Row 9:** k3, s1lyo, \*brk, s1lyo\*, rep \*-\* to last 3 sts, k3.

**Row 10:** k1, sl2 wyif, brk, \*s1lyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to last 3 sts, sl2 wyif, kl.

Rep Rows 9–10 six more times.

Cut yarn and place sts on scrap yarn / st holder.

**FRONT**

Lay your work RS up. With smaller needles, pick up and knit (20, 30) 42, 52 sts along the right shoulder edge (about 2 into every 3 edge sts). When you get to the neckband sts that are being held on scrap yarn: m1R, PM. Place 27 held neckband sts back onto needles and work these sts: s1lyo, \*kl, s1lyo\*, rep \*-\* to end. PM, m1L and pick up and knit (20, 30) 42, 52 sts along the edge of the other shoulder edge (about 2 into every 3 edge sts). (69, 89) 113, 133 sts

Work just like “Back yoke” but don’t cut yarn or put sts on hold at the end.

**LOWER BODY**

Join and work front and back in the round

**Row 1 (RS):** k1, s1lyo, klyok1, s1lyo, \*brk, s1lyo\*, rep \*-\* to last 3 sts, klyok1, s1lyo, kl; using the backwards loop method CO (1, 3) 3, 5 sts, PM for side, CO (0, 2) 2, 4 sts. Place back sts back onto needles and join to work: k1, s1lyo, klyok1, s1lyo, \*brk, s1lyo\*, rep \*-\* to

last 3 sts, klyokl, slyyo, kl; using the backwards loop method CO (1, 3) 3, 5 sts, PM for BOR, CO (0, 2) 2, 4 sts. Join to work in the round.  
(148, 196) 244, 292 sts

**Rnd 2:** \*slyyo, brp\*, rep \*-\* to BOR (p the sts without a yo instead of brp).

**Rnd 3:** kl, slyyo, \*brk, slyyo\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 4:** \*slyyo, brp\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 5:** \*brk, slyyo\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 6:** \*slyyo, brp\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

To lengthen the body, rep Rnds 5–6, every 8 rnds will add 1" / 2.5 cm. This will require more yarn than stated in the pattern.

**Rnd 7:** \*(brk, slyyo) 3 times, brkDecL, slyyo, (brk, slyyo) to 10 sts bef m, brkDecR, slyyo, (brk, slyyo) to m, sm\*, rep \*-\* to BOR. (8 sts dec'd)

**Rnd 8:** \*slyyo, brp\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 9:** \*brk, slyyo\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 10:** \*slyyo, brp\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnds 11–14:** rep Rnds 9–10, twice.

Rep Rnds 7–14 two more times.

### Separate front and back

**Row 1 (RS):** \*brk, slyyo\*, rep \*-\* 2 more times, brkDecL, slyyo, \*brk, slyyo\*, rep \*-\* to 10 sts bef m, brkDecR, slyyo, \*brk, slyyo\*, rep \*-\* to 2 sts bef m, brk. Place the following sts from here to BOR on scrap yarn / st holder, removing both markers. Held sts will later be worked as the back.

**Row 2 (WS):** sll wyif, brk, \*slyyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

**Row 3:** kl, slyyo, \*brk, slyyo\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 4:** sll wyif, brk, \*slyyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

**Rows 5–8:** rep Rows 3–4, twice.

### Front hem

**Row 1 (RS):** kl, slyyo, brk, slyyo, brk, slyyo, brkDecL, slyyo, \*brk, slyyo\*, rep \*-\* to last 9 sts, brkDecR, slyyo, brk, slyyo, brk, slyyo, kl. (-4 sts)

**Row 2 (WS):** sll wyif, brk, \*slyyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

**Row 3:** kl, slyyo, \*brk, slyyo\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 4:** sll wyif, brk, \*slyyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

**Rows 5–8:** rep Rows 3–4, twice.

Rep Rows 1–8 three more times.

Bind off loosely, in patt.

### Back hem

Place back sts back onto smaller needles, join yarn ready to work a RS row.

**Row 1 (RS):** ssk first k st and brk st tog, slyyo, brk, slyyo, brk, slyyo, brkDecL, slyyo, \*brk, slyyo\*, rep \*-\* to last 10 sts, brkDecR, slyyo, brk, slyyo, brk, slyyo, k2tog brk st and k st.

**Row 2 (WS):** sll wyif, brk, \*slyyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

**Row 3:** kl, slyyo, \*brk, slyyo\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 4:** sll wyif, brk, \*slyyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

**Rows 5–8:** rep Rows 3–4, twice.

**Row 1 (RS):** kl, slyyo, brk, slyyo, brk, slyyo, brkDecL, slyyo, \*brk, slyyo\*, rep \*-\* to last 9 sts, brkDecR, slyyo, brk, slyyo, brk, slyyo, kl. (-4 sts)

**Row 2 (WS):** sll wyif, brk, \*slyyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

**Row 3:** kl, slyyo, \*brk, slyyo\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 4:** sll wyif, brk, \*slyyo, brk\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

**Rows 5–8:** rep Rows 3–4, twice.

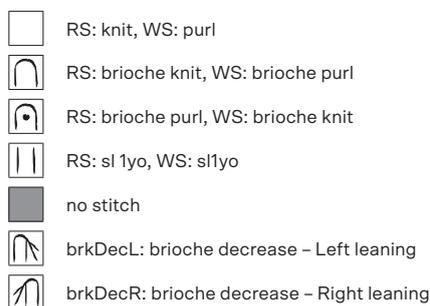
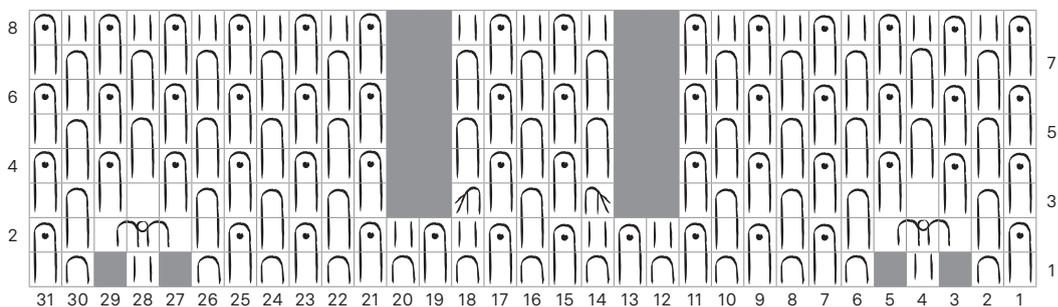
Rep Rows 1–8 five more times.

Bind off loosely, in patt.

### SLEEVES

*Both sleeves are worked the same.*

Beginning at about the center of the underarm, using smaller needles pick up and knit (16, 20) 24, 28 sts up the armhole edge (about 1 into every 3 edge sts) to the held shoulder sts. Place the 5 held sts onto needle and work: kl, perform a bunny ear decrease, kl. Going down the armhole, pick up and knit (16, 20) 24, 28 sts at the edge (about 1 into every 3 edge sts) ending where you began picking up sts for the sleeve.



PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

(36, 44) 52, 60 sts

**Rnd 1:** \*k1, sl1yo\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 2:** \*sl1yo, brp\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

#### Decrease repeat:

**Rnd 1:** \*brk, sl1yo\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 2:** \*sl1yo, brp\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnds 1–2, (6, 5) 3, 3 more times.

**Rnd 3:** \*brk, sl1yo\*, rep \*-\* 2 more times, brkDecR, sl1yo, \*brk, sl1yo\*, rep \*-\* to last 10 sts, brkDecL, sl1yo, \*brk, sl1yo\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 4:** \*sl1yo, brp\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep the Decrease Repeat (3, 4) 5, 6 more times.

(20, 24) 28, 32 sts

Rep Rnds 1–2, (3, 0) 5, 0 times.

Bind off all sts, in patt. Do NOT cut yarn. You will have one st on your needle.

#### Cuff

Pick up and knit (19, 23) 27, 31 sts around the bind off edge (1 into every edge st) - you will have (20, 24) 28, 32 sts including the last bind off st.

**Rnd 1:** \*k1, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 1 fourteen more times.

Fold the cuff to the inside and whip stitch the live sts to the edge where you picked up and knitted sts (it will look like a raised row of sts on the inside).

Repeat for second sleeve.

#### FINISHING

Weave in ends and wet block to measurements.

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# En Avant

Simple yet with dainty details, classic and timeless. The front scoops around the toes in a ballet slipper shape and the ribbed front lets the sock conform to your foot while providing textural interest. The lovely fold-over picot cuff makes you feel elegant as you gracefully prance around “En Avant”.



*En Avant* socks are worked from the toe up, in the round, seamlessly. An easy stitch pattern is first worked to shape the toe. The heel is shaped using the Fleegle Heel method.

## Sizes

(1) 2 (3)

## Finished measurements

The ribbed stitch at the front of the foot and leg make the sock quite stretchy, so the width in sizing is a bit flexible. If you would like tightly fitted socks, do not stretch them width-wise while blocking.

**Width:** (7.25) 8.5 (10)" / (18.5) 21.5 (25.5) cm.  
Foot length is customizable.

## Materials

**Yarn:** Julie Asselin Nomade – 80% SW Merino, 20% Nylon, 115 g / 4 oz / 500 yds / 457 m.

**Color used:** Forager.

**Yarn amount:** (321) 378 (440) yds / (294) 346 (403) m.

**Needles:** US 2 / 2.75 mm needles for sock knitting; long cable to use with magic loop method or DPNs.

**Other:** Tapestry needle, for weaving in ends.

## Gauge

24 sts × 32 rows in stockinette in the round and flat, in 4" / 10 cm.

## PATTERN

### TOE

Using Judy's Magic Cast On method, CO (8) 12 (16) sts between the two needles—(4) 6 (8) on each needle. PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

**Rnd 1:** knit all sts on both needles.

**Rnd 2:** \*k2, m1L, k to last 2 sts on needle, m1R, k2\*, rep \*-\* for second needle. (+4 sts)

**Rep Rnd 2:** (2) 3 (4) more times.  
(20) 28 (36) sts

Rep Rnds 1–2 six more times.  
(44) 52 (60) sts

### FOOT

**Rnd 1:** N1: knit; N2: work Chart A.  
Rep Rnd 1 until you have worked the entire Chart A.

**Rnd 2:** N1: knit; N2: work in est patt (last row of Chart A).  
Rep Rnd 2 until sock is (3) 4 (5)" / (7.5) 10 (12.5) cm shorter than desired length. You will have to try your sock onto your foot for best results. (Either count your rounds as you work or count them before moving on to the gusset so that both of the socks end up the same size).

### Gusset

**Rnd 1:** N1: k1, m1L, k to last st, m1R, k1; N2: work in est patt. (+2 sts)

**Rnd 2:** N1: knit; N2: work in est patt.

**Rep Rnds 1–2:** (9) 11 (13) more times.  
(42) 50 (58) sts on 1st needle, (22) 26 (30) sts on 2nd needle.

### Turn heel

You will now be working flat on the sts on N1 only.

**Row 1 (RS):** k (23) 27 (31), k2tog, k1, turn.

**Row 2 (WS):** pull tight & sl 1 wyif, p5, ssp, p1, turn.

**Row 3:** pull tight & sl 1 wyib, k to 1 st bef the gap created on the last RS decrease, k2tog, k1, turn.

**Row 4:** pull tight & sl 1 wyif, p to 1 st bef the gap created on the last WS decrease, ssp, p1, turn.

Rep Rows 3–4 until all but 2 sts on each end have been worked.

**Row 5:** pull tight & sl 1 wyib, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, turn.

**Row 6:** pull tight & sl 1 wyif, p to last 3 sts, ssp, turn.

**Rnd 7:** pull tight & sl 1 wyib, k to last 2 sts, k2tog; N2: work in patt.







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# Midge

*Midge* evokes a sense of sentimentality that carries the warmth of cherished memories from times past. It features an all-over colorwork design that is extremely meditative to knit. The end result is a sweater with a contemporary yet nostalgic feel.



*Midge* is worked from the bottom up, in the round, seamlessly. The body and sleeves are worked piece by piece and then joined together at the underarm. The yoke is then shaped with raglan decreases, short rows are worked at the back of neck and finished with a ribbed collar.

## Sizes

(1, 2, 3) 4, 5, 6 (7, 8, 9) 10

## Finished measurements

**Chest circumference:** (38.5, 43.25, 46.5) 51.25, 54.5, 59.25 (62.5, 67.25, 70.5) 75.25" / (98, 110, 118) 130, 138.5, 150.5 (159, 171, 179) 191 cm.

**Body length (from underarm to hem):** 13" / 33 cm.

**Sleeve circumference:** (13.5, 15.25, 16.75) 16.75, 18.25, 18.25 (20, 21.75, 21.75) 23.25" / (34.5, 38.5, 42.5) 42.5, 46.5, 46.5 (51, 55, 55) 59 cm.

**Sleeve length:** 18" / 46 cm.

**Suggested fit:** 6–12" / 15–30.5 cm of positive ease.

## Materials

**Yarn:** La Bien Aimée Sport Nouveau – 100% Non-Superwash Merino Wool, 100 g / 328 yds / 300 m.

**Colors used:** Rust (MC), Peach Sweater (CC1), Lichen (CC2).

### Yarn amount:

**MC:** (598, 660, 722) 785, 847, 909 (971, 1034, 1096) 1558 yds / (547, 604, 661) 718, 775, 832 (888, 946, 1003) 1425 m.

**CC1:** (265, 293, 320) 348, 376, 403 (431, 459, 486) 514 yds / (243, 268, 293) 319, 344, 369 (395, 420, 445) 470 m.

**CC2:** (134, 148, 161) 175, 189, 203 (217, 231, 245) 259 yds / (123, 136, 148) 160, 173, 186 (199, 212, 224) 237) m.

**Needles:** US 6 / 4 mm (main), US 4 / 3.5 mm (ribbing), US 3 / 3.25 mm (cast on).

**Other:** Tapestry needle, scrap yarn or stitch holders.

## Gauge

20 sts × 26 rows in colorwork stockinette in the round, on larger needles, in 4" / 10 cm.

## PATTERN

### LOWER BODY

#### Hem

Using the smallest needles, with MC and Italian Tubular Cast-On, CO (192, 216, 232) 256, 272, 296 (312, 336, 352) 376 sts. Do NOT join in the round.

Switch to ribbing needles.

**Row 1:** \*kl, sl1 wyif\*, rep \*-\* to end.

Rep Row 1 two more times. PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

**Rnd 2:** \*kl, p1\*, rep \*-\* (47, 53, 57) 63, 67, 73 (77, 83, 87) 93 more times, PM for side, \*kl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to end.

**Rnd 3:** \*kl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to end.

Rep Rnd 3 until hem measures 3" / 7.5 cm.

#### Body

Switch to main needles.

Knit 2 rounds.

**Rnd 1:** work Chart A to m, sm, then work Chart A again, to BOR.

Rep Rnd 1 until you have worked Chart A 10 times total, then work the same for 5 more rounds, ending ready to work Row 6 of Chart A. Cut yarns and place all sts on scrap yarn or st holder, keeping the side marker in place.

### SLEEVE

*Both sleeves are worked the same.*

Using the smallest needles, with MC and Italian Tubular Cast-On, CO (44, 52, 52) 60, 60, 60 (68, 76, 76) 84 sts.

Switch to ribbing needles.

**Row 1:** \*kl, sl1 wyif\*, rep \*-\* to end.

Rep Row 1 two more times. PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

**Rnd 2:** \*kl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to end.

Rep Rnd 2 until the cuff measures 3" / 7.5 cm.



*Sizes 1, 2, 4 only:* work Rnd 2 three more times.

*All sizes resume.*

Switch to main needles.

Knit 2 rounds.

Work Chart B to end.

*Sizes 1, 2, 4 only:*

Work Rows 7–27 of Chart B.

Work Chart A 3 times, then work only Rows 1–2 of Chart A.

*Sizes 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 only:*

Work rows 7–50 of Chart B.

(68, 76, 84) 84, 92, 92 (100, 108, 108) 116 sts

When finished with the first sleeve, cut yarns and place sts on scrap yarn or st holder. When finished with the second sleeve – break all yarn but keep the sts on your needles.

### **Join body to sleeves**

If you've been working the second sleeve with long cable needles, you can continue with the same ones. If you used a short cable or DPNs, you'll need to use the same longer cable needles you worked the body with.

Beginning where you left off on the second sleeve: slip 4 sts from RH to LH needle. Join MC and BO 8 sts. Join CC2 and work Chart C to end.

Place the body sts back onto needles. Place the first 4 sts onto a piece of scrap yarn or yarn holder. PM, join to sleeve you just worked: work Chart D to 4 sts bef side m, cut yarn. Place the next 8 sts onto scrap yarn or st holder, removing the m as you come to it. Place second sleeve sts back onto needles. Slip 4 of the sleeve sts from RH to LH needle. Join MC and BBO 8 sts. PM, join sleeve to body: work Chart C to the end of the sleeve sts. PM, join to body: work Chart D to 4 last sts. Place the last 4 sts on scrap yarn or st holder (4 sts following these sts are



already on hold. You can place these 2 pairs of 4 sts together). PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

(296, 336, 368) 392, 424, 448 (480, 520, 536) 576 sts

## YOKE

**Rnd 1:** \*work Chart C to m, sm, work Chart D to m, sm\*, rep \*-\* once more.

Rep Rnd 1, until you get to the end of Chart D.

You will now continue to work Rnd 1, but begin the next round working Row 3 of Chart D (where instructed to work Chart D), while continuing where you left off on Chart C as follows:

**Rnd 2:** \*work Chart C to m, sm, work Chart D to m, sm\*, rep \*-\* once more.

Rep Rnd 2 until you get to the end of Chart C.

Remember where you left off on Chart D at this point.

**Rnd 3:** \*work Chart E to m, sm, work Chart D to m, sm\*, rep \*-\* once more.

*Size 1:* rep Rnd 3 until you have worked Rows 1-2 of Chart E.

*Size 2:* rep Rnd 3 until you have worked Rows 1-6 of Chart E.

*Size 3:* rep Rnd 3 until you have worked Rows 1-10 of Chart E.

*Size 4:* rep Rnd 3 until you have worked Rows 1-13 of Chart E.

*Size 5:* rep Rnd 3 until you have worked Rows 1-18 of Chart E.

*Size 6:* rep Rnd 3 until you have worked Rows 1-21 of Chart E.

*Size 7:* rep Rnd 3 until you have worked Rows 1-26 of Chart E.

*Size 8:* rep Rnd 3 until you have worked Rows 1-29 of Chart E.

*Size 9:* rep Rnd 3 until you have worked Rows 1-32 of Chart E.

*Size 10:* rep Rnd 3 until you have worked Rows 1-35 of Chart E.

\*\*If you finish working Chart D in this section, start again on Row 3 of the Chart as you did above.

(84, 100, 108) 112, 116, 120 (124, 144, 144) 164 sts  
(20, 24, 24) 30, 28, 34 (32, 38, 40) 46 sts each front and back

(22, 26, 30) 26, 30, 26 (30, 34, 32) 36 sts each sleeve

## Short row neck shaping

Break CC1 and CC2, continuing only with MC.

**Row 1 (RS):** \*k1, ssk, k to 3 sts bef m, k2tog, k1, sm\*, rep \*-\* 2 more times, k1, ssk, k1, w&t. (-7 sts)

**Row 2 (WS):** ssp, pl, sm, \*pl, p2tog, p to 3 sts bef m, ssp, pl, sm\*, rep \*-\* 2 more times, pl, p2tog, pl, w&t. (-8 sts)

**Row 3:** k2tog, k1, sm, \*k1, ssk, k to 3 sts bef m, k2tog, k1, sm\*, rep \*-\* once more, k1, ssk, k to 3 sts bef m, k2tog, w&t. (-7 sts)

**Row 4:** \*p to 3 sts bef m, ssp, pl, sm, pl, p2tog\*, rep \*-\* once more, p to 2 sts bef m, w&t. (-4 sts)

**Row 5:** \*k to m, sm\*, rep \*-\* once more, k1, ssk, k to 5 sts bef last wrapped st, w&t. (-1 sts)

**Row 6:** p to m, sm, pl, p2tog, p to 3 sts bef m, ssp, pl, sm, pl, p2tog, p to 5 sts bef last wrapped st, w&t. (-3 sts)

**Rows 7-8:** same as Rows 5-6. (-4 sts)

**Row 9:** k to BOR.

## NECKBAND

Switch to smaller needles.

**Rnd 1:** \*k1, pl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 1 until neckband measures 1.5" / 4 cm.

Bind off using the sewn bind off method.

Go to the underarm area and graft the 8 live body sts to the sleeve, to close up the gap. Repeat for other underarm.

## FINISHING

Weave in ends and wet block to measurements.

**NB! All the charts for Midge can be found at the end of the ebook.**

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# Marsh

*Marsh* is the roomy, thick, cozy sweater that is kept by the door throughout all seasons. Whether worn layered to keep warm on morning farm chores in frigid weather or thrown on for a chilly summer evening, it gets lots of wear.



*Marsh* is worked from the top down, in the round and flat, seamlessly. The pattern begins with the back yoke, followed by each of the two shoulders and the front yoke. After the underarm is reached and the front and back yokes are joined, the lower body is worked and finished with a high-low split hem. Stitches are picked up around the sleeve opening and worked in the round to the cuff. Lastly, a double neckband is worked and whip stitched to the inside of the neckline.

### Sizes

(1, 2, 3) 4, 5, 6 (7, 8, 9)

### Finished measurements

**Chest circumference:** (38.25, 43, 47.5) 52, 56.5, 61 (65.75, 70.25, 75)" / (97, 109, 120.5) 132, 143.5, 155 (167, 178.5, 190.5) cm.

**Body length (underarm to front hem):** 12.25" / 31 cm.

**Sleeve circumference:** (16.75, 18, 20.25) 20.25, 21.5, 22.5 (23.75, 26, 28.5)" / (42.5, 45.5, 51.5) 51.5, 54.5, 57.5 (60, 66, 72) cm.

**Sleeve length:** 17.5" / 44.5 cm.

**Suggested fit:** 8–20" / 20–51 cm positive ease.

### Materials

**Yarn:** Camellia Fiber Company Som Aran – 51% Baby Alpaca, 40% Pima Cotton, 9% Merino, 50 g / 109 yds / 100 m.

**Color used:** Moonflower.

**Yarn amount:** (789, 885, 978) 1070, 1163, 1256 (1352, 1447, 1544) yds / (722, 810, 895) 979, 1064, 1149 (1237, 1324, 1412) m.

**Needles:** US 9 / 5.5 mm and US 7 / 4.5 mm circular needles.

**Other:** Tapestry needle, scrap yarn.

### Gauge

14 sts × 28 rows in Charted pattern in 4" / 10 cm, in stockinette and flat, on larger needles.

## PATTERN

### BACK YOKE

With larger needles and the long tail CO method, CO (13, 15, 17) 19, 21, 23 (25, 27, 29) sts. Place removable st markers on the first and last st of the cast on row. These markers will mark the spot where you will begin picking up sts later.

*Sizes 1, 3, 5, 7, 9 only:*

**Row 1 (WS):** p2, m1Rp, p to last 2 sts, m1Lp, p2. (+2 sts)

**Row 2 (RS):** k2, m1L, k to last 2 sts, m1R, k2. (+2 sts)

**Row 3 (WS):** same as Row 1. (+2 sts)  
(19, –, 23) –, 27, – (31, –, 35) sts

*Sizes 2, 4, 6, 8 only:*

**Set-up row (WS):** purl.

*All sizes resume.*

You will be making increases on every row, so work the first and last 3 sts of each row loosely to avoid a tight edge.

Work Chart A (3, 4, 4) 5, 5, 6 (6, 7, 7) times total.  
(55, 63, 71) 79, 87, 95 (103, 111, 119) sts

Place removable st markers at the first and last st of the row on your needles right now. These markers will mark the spot where you will be picking up sts later.

Work Chart B 3 times total. Then work rows 1–6 of the Chart.

**Row 1 (RS):** k1, m1L, sl 2 wyif, \*k1, sl 3 wyif\*, rep \*-\* to last 4 sts, k1, sl 2 wyif, m1R, k1. (+2 sts)

**Row 2 (WS):** pl, m1Rp, p to last st, m1Lp, pl. (+2 sts)

**Row 3 (RS):** k1, m1L, k1, \*sl 3 wyif, k1\*, rep \*-\* to last st, m1R, k1. (+2 sts)

**Row 4 (WS):** same as Row 2. (+2 sts)

Cut yarn and place sts on st holder or scrap yarn.  
(63, 71, 79) 87, 95, 103 (111, 119, 127) sts

## FRONT YOKE

**Left yoke**

Lay your work in front of you, RS up. Along the left diagonal edge between the 2 markers (beginning at the CO edge and ending where you finished increases and placed markers), using larger needles, pick up and knit (20, 24, 28) 32, 32, 36 (40, 44, 44) sts. You can now remove the markers on this side.

**Row 1 (WS):** purl.

Work Chart C, then Chart D.

Cut yarn, place sts on st holder or scrap yarn.  
(23, 27, 31) 35, 35, 39 (43, 47, 47) sts

**Right yoke**

Along the right diagonal edge between the 2 markers (just as on the left side), pick up and knit (20, 24, 28) 32, 32, 36 (40, 44, 44) sts. Remove markers placed earlier.

**Row 1 (WS):** purl.

Work Chart E, then Chart F. Do not cut yarn as you did on the left side.

(23, 27, 31) 35, 35, 39 (43, 47, 47) sts

**Join front yokes**

**Row 1 (RS):** kl, \*kb, k3\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, kl, m1R, kl. Using the backwards loop method, CO (7, 7, 7) 7, 15, 15 (15, 15, 23) sts. Place left yoke sts back onto your needles and join: kl, m1L, k4, kb, \*k3, kb\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

(55, 63, 71) 79, 87, 95 (103, 111, 119) sts

**Row 2 (WS):** purl.

Work Chart B (2, 2, 2) 3, 3, 3 (3, 4, 4) times total. Then work rows 1-6 of the Chart, once more.

**Row 3 (RS):** kl, m1L, sl 2 wyif, \*kl, sl 3 wyif\*, rep \*-\* to last 4 sts, kl, sl 2 wyif, m1R, kl. (+2 sts)

**Row 4 (WS):** pl, m1Rp, p to last st, m1Lp, pl. (+2 sts)

**Row 5 (RS):** kl, m1L, kl, \*sl 3 wyif, kl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, m1R, kl. (+2 sts)

**Row 6 (WS):** same as Row 4. (+2 sts)  
(63, 71, 79) 87, 95, 103 (111, 119, 127) sts

## LOWER BODY

**Join front to back**

**Row 1 (RS):** kl, m1L, k4, \*kb, k3\*, rep \*-\* to last 6 sts, kb, k4, m1R, kl. Using the backwards loop method, CO 2 sts (all sizes). Place back sts onto needles and join: kl, m1L, PM for side, k4, \*kb, k3\*, rep \*-\* to last 6 sts, kb, k4, m1R, kl. Using the backwards loop method, CO 2 sts (all sizes). Join to work in the round.

**Next rnd:** kl, kl tbl, PM for BOR, k to 6 sts bef m, kl tbl, k4, kl tbl, sm, k to BOR.

(134, 150, 166) 182, 198, 214 (230, 246, 262) sts

**Body**

**Rnd 1:** \*work Chart G to 6 sts bef m, sl1 wyib, p4, sl1 wyib, sm\*, rep \*-\* once more.

**Rnd 2:** \*work Chart G to 6 sts bef m, kl tbl, k4, kl tbl, sm\*, rep \*-\* once more.

Rep Rnds 1-2 until you've worked the Chart 5 times total. On the last round, work as est until the last 3 sts, sl 3 sts to RH needle, rm, slip them back to LH needle and PM. This is the new BOR.

**Split front and back**

**Row 1 (RS):** m1R, kl tbl, pl, kl tbl, pl, kl tbl, work row 1 of Chart H to 8 sts bef m, kl tbl, pl, kl tbl, pl, kl tbl, m1L. Place the sts from here to the BOR m on st holder or scrap yarn, removing both st markers as you come to them. These back sts will be worked later.

**Row 2 (WS):** sl1 wyif, pl tbl, kl, pl tbl, kl, pl tbl, work Chart H to last 6 sts, pl tbl, kl, pl tbl, kl, pl tbl, sl1 wyif.

**Row 3:** kl, kl tbl, pl, kl tbl, pl, kl tbl, work Chart H to last 6 sts, kl tbl, pl, kl tbl, pl, kl tbl, kl.

**Row 4:** sl1 wyif, pl tbl, kl, pl tbl, kl, pl tbl, work Chart H to last 6 sts, pl tbl, kl, pl tbl, kl, pl tbl, sl1 wyif.

Rep rows 3-4 until you have worked Chart H to end.

**Front hem**

Switch to smaller size needles.

**Row 1 (RS):** kl, kl tbl, \*p1, kl tbl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 2 (WS):** sl1 wyif, pl tbl, \*kl, pl tbl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sl1 wyif.



Rep Rows 1–2 four more times. Using the larger needles, bind off loosely, in patt.

### Back hem

Place back sts back onto main size needles, join yarn ready to work a RS row.

**Row 1 (RS):** m1R, k1 tbl, p1, k1 tbl, p1, k1 tbl, work row 1 of Chart H to last 5 sts, k1 tbl, p1, k1 tbl, p1, k1 tbl, m1L.

**Row 2 (WS):** sll wyif, p1 tbl, k1, p1 tbl, k1, p1 tbl, work Chart H to last 6 sts, p1 tbl, k1, p1 tbl, k1, p1 tbl, sll wyif.

**Row 3:** k1, k1 tbl, p1, k1 tbl, p1, k1 tbl, work Chart H to last 6 sts, k1 tbl, p1, k1 tbl, p1, k1 tbl, k1.

**Row 4:** sll wyif, p1 tbl, k1, p1 tbl, k1, p1 tbl, work Chart H to last 6 sts, p1 tbl, k1, p1 tbl, k1, p1 tbl, sll wyif.

Rep Rows 3–4 until you have worked Chart H 2 times total.

To finish the body, repeat the instructions for “front hem”.

## NECKBAND

*Sizes 1, 2, 3, 4 only:*

Beginning at the right back shoulder seam with smaller needles, pick up and knit (11, 13, 15) 17, –, – (–, –, –) sts along the back neck edge (1 st into every edge st). Now going down the slope to the front, pick up and knit 22 sts (2 sts into every 3 edge sts). Where you get to the casted on front neck sts, pick up and knit (9, 9, 9) 9, –, – (–, –, –) sts (1 st into every edge st and 1 st on each side in the gap) and then go up the slope and finish where you began by picking up and knitting 22 sts (2 sts into every 3 edge sts) up along the sloped edge, and 1 more st at the end. PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

*Sizes 5, 6, 7, 8 only:*

Beginning at the right back shoulder seam with smaller needles, pick up and knit (–, –, –) –, 19, 21 (23, 25, 27) sts along the back neck edge (1 st into every edge st). Now going down the slope to the front, pick up and knit 18 sts (about 1 st into every 2 edge sts). Where you get to the casted on front neck sts, pick up and knit (–, –, –) –, 17, 17 (17, 17, 23) sts

(1 st into every edge st and 1 st on each side in the gap) and then go up the slope and finish where you began by picking up and knitting 18 sts (about 1 st into every 2 edge sts) up along the sloped edge, and 1 more st at the end. PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

*Size 9 only:*

Beginning at the right back shoulder seam with smaller needles, pick up and knit 27 sts along the back neck edge (1 st into every edge st). Now going down the slope to the front, pick up and knit 18 sts (about 1 st into every 2 edge sts). Where you get to the casted on front neck sts, pick up and knit 15 sts (about 2 sts into every 3 edge sts and 1 st on each side in the gap) and then go up the slope and finish where you began by picking up and knitting 18 sts (about 1 st into every 2 edge sts) up along the sloped edge, and 1 more st at the end. PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

(64, 66, 68) 70, 72, 74 (76, 78, 78) sts

*All sizes resume.*

**Rnd 1:** \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 1 nine more times.

Purl one rnd.

Rep Rnd 1 nine more times.

Bind off loosely, in patt. Leave about a 25" / 63.5 cm long tail.

Fold the neckband towards the inside of the sweater – it will naturally fold at the purl rnd. Whip stitch the bind-off edge to the edge where you picked up sts for the neckband, being careful to do so loosely.

## SLEEVE

*Both sleeves are worked the same.*

With larger size needles, beginning at the edge of the underarm, working the underarm sts first and then going around the arm hole, pick up and knit 6 sts at the underarm sts where garter st with a k1 tbl on each side was worked – 1 st into every edge st; then pick up and knit (53, 57, 65) 65, 69, 73 (77, 85, 93) sts around

the armhole (about 1 st into every 2 edge sts). PM for BOR and join to work in the round.  
(59, 63, 71) 71, 75, 79 (83, 91, 99) sts

**Rnd 1:** k1 tbl, k4, k1 tbl, work Chart H to BOR.  
**Rnd 2:** sl1 wyib, p4, sl1 wyib, work Chart H to BOR.  
Rep Rnds 1–2 until you have worked the Chart twice.

**Rnd 3:** k2tog tbl, k2, k2tog, work Chart H to BOR.  
(-2 sts)  
**Rnd 4:** sl1 wyib, p2, sl1 wyib, work Chart H to BOR.  
**Rnd 5:** k1 tbl, k2, k1 tbl, work Chart H to BOR.  
**Rnd 6:** sl1 wyib, p2, sl1 wyib, work Chart H to BOR.  
Rep Rnds 5–6 until you have worked the Chart twice.

**Rnd 7:** k2tog tbl, k2tog, work Chart H to BOR.  
(-2 sts)  
**Rnd 8:** sl2 wyib, work Chart H to BOR.  
**Rnd 9:** k2 tbl, work Chart H to BOR.  
**Rnd 10:** sl2 wyib, work Chart H to BOR.  
Rep Rnds 9–10 until you have worked the Chart nine times total, from the beginning of the sleeve. Then work Rnds 9–10 until you've worked Rows 1–6 of the Chart.  
(55, 59, 67) 67, 71, 75 (79, 87, 95) sts

## Cuff

Witch to smaller needles.

### Rnd 1:

*Sizes 1, 3, 4, 7 only:*

\*k2tog, k1\*, rep \*-\* to last st, k1.

*Sizes 2, 5, 9 only:*

\*k2tog, k1\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, k2tog.

*Sizes 6, 8 only:*

\*k2tog, k1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

(37, 39, 45) 45, 47, 50 (53, 58, 63) sts

*Sizes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 9 only:*

Rnd 2: k2tog tbl, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

(36, 38, 44) 44, 46, 50 (52, 58, 62) sts

*All sizes resume.*

**Rnd 3:** \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.  
Rep Rnd 2 nine more times.  
Bind off, in patt.

Repeat for second sleeve.

## FINISHING

Weave in ends and wet block to measurements.



CHART A

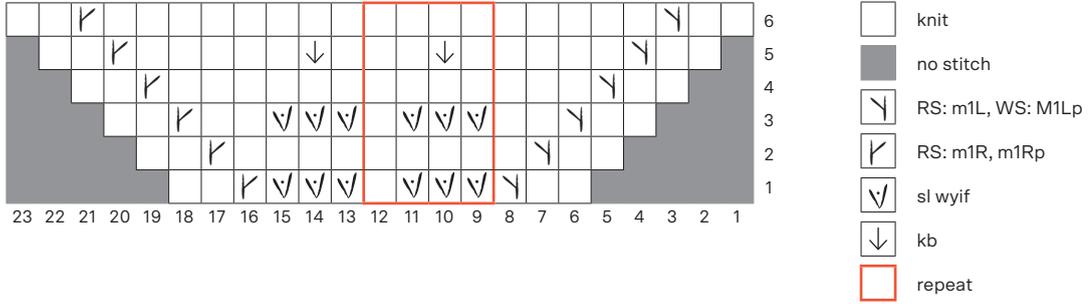


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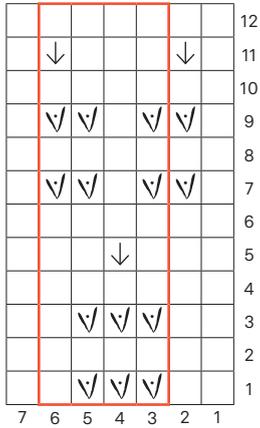


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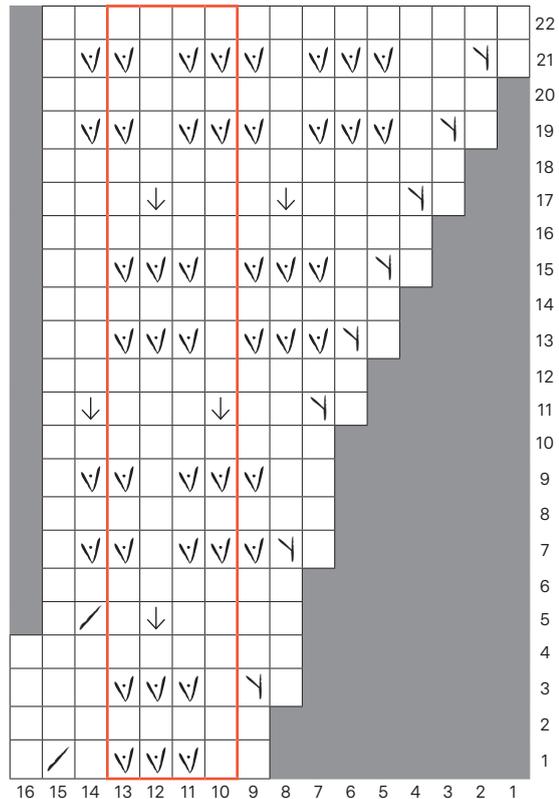
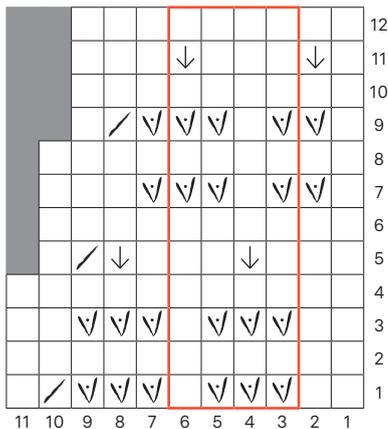


CHART C





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# Pirouette

This classic v-neck vest can be worn either alone or over a blouse. The clean lines of the twisted rib are broken up with twirling cables at the hem and around the neckline. Vests are such a great way to add some knitwear to an outfit and are very versatile to style.





*Pirouette* is worked from the bottom up, flat and in the round, in half twisted rib stitch. Cables are worked at the hem and on either side of the front neckline. Once the body is knitted, front and back shoulders are grafted together after which the neckband and armholes are finished with ribbing.

### Sizes

(1, 2, 3) 4, 5, 6 (7, 8, 9)

### Finished measurements

**Chest circumference:** (31.25, 36, 40.75) 45.5, 50.5, 55.25 (60, 64.75, 69.5)" / (79.5, 91.5, 103.5) 115.5, 128.5, 140 (152.5, 164.5, 176.5) cm.

**Body length (from underarm to front hem):** 9" / 22.5 cm.

**Suggested fit:** 0–4" / 0–10 cm of positive ease.

### Materials

**Yarn:** Clinton Hill Cashmere Bespoke DK – 100% Italian Cashmere, 50 g / 125 yds / 114 m.

**Color used:** Light Sand.

**Yarn amount:** (425, 490, 556) 621, 688, 755 (822, 889, 976) yds / (389, 448, 509) 568, 629, 690 (752, 813, 893) m.

**Needles:** US 5 / 3.75 mm & US 3 / 3.25 mm circular needles.

**Other:** Cable needle, tapestry needle, scrap yarn.

### Gauge

20 sts × 28 rows in \*k1 tbl, p1\* and charted cable stitch in 4" / 10 cm, in the round and flat, on larger needles.

## PATTERN

### BODY

#### Back hem

Using the long tail cast on method and larger needles, CO (77, 89, 101) 113, 125, 137 (149, 161, 173) sts.

**Set-up row (WS):** sl2 wyif, k1, \*p1 tbl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, sl2 wyif.

**Row 1 (RS):** k2, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, k2.

**Row 2 (WS):** sl2 wyif, k1, \*p1 tbl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, sl2 wyif.

Rep Rows 1–2 one more time.

**Row 3:** k2, p1, work Chart A to last 2 sts, k2.

**Row 4:** sl2 wyif, work Chart A to last 3 sts, k1, sl2 wyif.

Rep Rows 3–4 until you finish Chart A.

Rep Rows 1–2 four times total.

Cut yarn and place all sts on st holder or scrap yarn.

#### Front hem

Work front hem exactly as back hem, but keep the sts on your needles and don't cut the yarn at the end.

#### Join front and back

**Set-up Rnd:** k2, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, k2, PM. Using the backwards loop method, CO 1 st. Place back hem sts back onto needles and join: k2, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, k2. Using the backwards loop method, CO 1 st. PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

(156, 180, 204) 228, 252, 276 (300, 324, 348) sts

**Rnd 1:** k2, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to 2 sts bef m, k2, sm, k3, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to last 3 sts, k3.

Rep Rnd 1 until work measures 2" / 5 cm from the join.

**Rnd 2:** k2, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* (14, 17, 20) 23, 26, 29 (32, 35, 38) more times, PM, work Chart B, k1 tbl, p1, k1 tbl, work Chart C, PM, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to 2 sts bef m, k2, sm, k3, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to last 3 sts, k3.

**Rnd 3:** k2, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to m, sm, work Chart B, k1 tbl, p1, k1 tbl, work Chart C, sm, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to 2 sts bef m, k2, sm, k3, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to last 3 sts, k3.

Rep Rnd 3 two more times.

#### Split front for v-neck

**Rnd 1:** k2, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to m, sm, work

Chart B, perform a bunny ear decrease, work Chart C, sm, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to 2 sts bef m, k2, sm, k3, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to last 3 sts, k3. (-1 st)  
Cut yarn.

Slip the first (38, 44, 50) 56, 62, 68 (74, 80, 86) sts to RH needle (from BOR to the center of the bunny ear decrease). Join yarn, ready to work a WS row.

**Row 2 (WS):** m1R, p1 tbl, work Chart B, sm, k1, \*p1 tbl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to 2 sts bef m, p2, sm, p3, k1, \*p1 tbl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to 3 sts bef m, p2, sm, p3, k1, \*p1 tbl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to m, work Chart C, p1 tbl, m1L. (+2 sts)

**Row 3 (RS):** k1, k1 tbl, work Chart C, sm, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to 2 sts bef m, k2, sm, k3, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to 3 sts bef m, k3, sm, k2, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to m, sm, work Chart B, k1 tbl, k1.

**Row 4 (WS):** k1, p1 tbl, work Chart B, sm, k1, \*p1 tbl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to 2 sts bef m, p2, sm, p3, k1, \*p1 tbl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to 3 sts bef m, p2, sm, p3, k1, \*p1 tbl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to m, work Chart C, p1 tbl, k1.

(157, 181, 205) 229, 253, 277 (301, 325, 349) sts

**Row 5:** k1, k1 tbl, work Chart C, sm, p1, k2tog tbl, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to 2 sts bef m, k2, sm, k3, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to 3 sts bef m, k3, sm, k2, \*p1, k1 tbl\*, rep \*-\* to 3 sts bef m, k2togM, p1, sm, work Chart B, k1 tbl, k1. (-2 sts)

**Row 6:** k1, p1 tbl, work Chart B, sm, k1, p1 tbl, \*p1 tbl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to 2 sts bef m, p2, sm, p3, k1, \*p1 tbl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to 3 sts bef m, p3, sm, p2, \*k1, p1 tbl\*, rep \*-\* to 2 sts bef m, p1 tbl, k1, sm, work Chart C, p1 tbl, k1.

**Row 7:** k1, k1 tbl, work Chart C, sm, p1, k1 tbl, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to 2 sts bef m, k2, sm, k3, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to 3 sts bef m, k3, sm, k2, \*p1, k1 tbl\*, rep \*-\* to 2 sts bef m, k1 tbl, p1, sm, work Chart B, k1 tbl, k1.

**Row 8:** same as Row 6.

**Row 9:** k1, k1 tbl, work Chart C, sm, p1, k2tog tbl, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to 2 sts bef m, k2, sm, k3, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to 3 sts bef m, k3, sm, k2, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to 3 sts bef m, k2togM, p1, sm, work Chart B, k1 tbl, k1. (-2 sts)

**Row 10:** k1, p1 tbl, work Chart B, sm, k1, \*p1 tbl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to 2 sts bef m, p2, sm, p3, k1, \*p1 tbl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to 3 sts bef m, p3, sm, p2, k1, \*p1 tbl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to m, sm, work Chart C, p1 tbl, k1.

**Row 11:** k1, k1 tbl, work Chart C, sm, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to 2 sts bef m, k2, sm, k3, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to 3 sts bef m, k3, sm, k2, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\*

to m, sm, work Chart B, k1 tbl, k1.

**Row 12:** same as Row 10.

Rep Rows 5–8 one more time.

(151, 175, 199) 223, 247, 271 (295, 319, 343) sts

### Split front and back

K1, k1 tbl, work Chart C, sm, p1, k2tog tbl, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to 2 sts bef m, k1 tbl, place all the sts you just worked from beginning of the row to here on st holder or scrap yarn (this will later be worked as the front right yoke). BO 3 sts, removing the marker as you come to it. P1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to 3 sts bef m, k1, place all the sts you worked from BO to here on st holder or scrap yarn (this will later be worked as the back yoke). BO 3 sts, removing the marker as you come to it. P1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to 3 sts bef m, k2togM, p1, sm, work Chart B, k1 tbl, k1.

(34, 40, 46) 52, 58, 64 (70, 76, 82) sts

### FRONT YOKE

#### Left (when worn) front yoke

**Set-up row (WS):** k1, p1 tbl, work Chart B, sm, \*k1, p1 tbl\*, rep \*-\* to end, using the backwards loop method, CO 1 st. (+1 st)

**Row 1 (RS):** k1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to m, sm, work Chart B, k1 tbl, k1.

**Row 2 (WS):** k1, p1 tbl, work Chart B, sm, \*k1, p1 tbl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, k1.

(35, 41, 47) 53, 59, 65 (71, 77, 83) sts

**Row 3:** k1, k1 tbl, \*p1, k1 tbl\*, rep \*-\* to 3 sts bef m, k2togM, p1, sm, work Chart B, k1 tbl, k1. (-1 st)

**Row 4:** k1, p1 tbl. Work Chart B, sm, k1, p2 tbl, \*k1, p1 tbl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, k1.

**Row 5:** k1, k1 tbl, \*p1, k1 tbl\*, rep \*-\* to 2 sts bef m, k1 tbl, p1, sm, work Chart B, k1 tbl, k1.

**Row 6:** same as Row 4.

**Row 7:** k1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to 3 sts bef m, k2togM, p1, sm, work Chart B, k1 tbl, k1. (-1 st)

**Row 8:** k1, p1 tbl. Work Chart B, sm, \*k1, p1 tbl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, k1.

**Row 9:** k1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to m, sm, work Chart B, sm, k1 tbl, k1.

**Row 10:** same as Row 8.



**Rep Rows 3–10:** (7, 8, 8) 9, 9, 10 (10, 11, 11) more times.  
**Rep Rows 3–6:** (1, 0, 1) 0, 1, 0 (1, 0, 1) time.  
 (18, 23, 28) 33, 38, 43 (48, 53, 58) sts

Bind off, in patt.

### Right (when worn) front yoke

Place right front yoke sts back onto larger needles.

Join yarn, ready to work a WS row.

**Set-up row (WS):** m1R, \*p1 tbl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to m, sm, work Chart C, p1 tbl, kl. (+1 st)

**Row 1 (RS):** kl, k1 tbl, work Chart C, sm, \*p1, k1 tbl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 2 (WS):** kl, \*p1 tbl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to m, sm, work Chart C, p1 tbl, kl.

(35, 41, 47) 53, 59, 65 (71, 77, 83) sts

**Row 3:** kl, k1 tbl, work Chart C, sm, p1, k2 tog tbl, kl tbl, \*p1, k1 tbl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl. (-1 st)

**Row 4:** kl, \*p1 tbl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to 3 sts bef m, p2 tbl, kl, sm, work Chart C, p1 tbl, kl.

**Row 5:** kl, k1 tbl, work Chart C, sm, p1, k2 tbl, \*p1, k1 tbl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 6:** same as Row 4.

**Row 7:** kl, k1 tbl, work Chart C, sm, p1, k2tog tbl, \*p1, k1 tbl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 8:** kl, \*p1 tbl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to m, sm, work Chart C, p1 tbl, kl.

**Row 9:** kl, k1 tbl, work Chart C, sm, \*p1, k1 tbl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 10:** same as Row 8.

**Rep Rows 3–10:** (7, 8, 8) 9, 9, 10 (10, 11, 11) more times.

**Rep Rows 3–6:** (1, 0, 1) 0, 1, 0 (1, 0, 1) time.

(18, 23, 28) 33, 38, 43 (48, 53, 58) sts

Bind off, in patt.

### BACK YOKE

Place the back yoke sts back onto larger needles. Join yarn, ready to work a WS row.

**Set-up row (WS):** m1R, p1 tbl, \*kl, p1 tbl\*, rep \*-\* to end, m1L. (+2 sts)

**Row 1 (RS):** kl, k1 tbl, \*p1, k1 tbl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, kl.

**Row 2 (WS):** kl, \*p1 tbl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to end.

**Rep Rows 1–2:** (31, 33, 35) 37, 39, 41 (43, 45, 47) more times.

(77, 89, 101) 113, 125, 137 (149, 161, 173) sts

### Separate back shoulders

Work in est patt for (20, 25, 30) 35, 40, 45 (50, 55, 60) sts, k2togM, kl, BO (31, 33, 35) 37, 39, 41 (43, 45, 47) sts,

k2tog tbl, work in est patt to end.

(22, 27, 32) 37, 42, 47 (52, 57, 62) sts

You will now be working on the left (when worn) back shoulder. You can let the right shoulder sts rest on the needle's cable or move them to a st holder / scrap yarn.

### Left (when worn) back shoulder

**Set-up row (WS):** kl, work in patt to last st, kl.

**Row 1 (RS):** kl, k2tog tbl, work in patt to last st, kl. (-1 st)

**Row 2 (WS):** kl, work in patt to last st, kl.

Rep Rows 1–2 three more times.

(18, 23, 28) 33, 38, 43 (48, 53, 58) sts

Bind off in patt, leave about a 20" / 51 cm long tail of yarn. Use the tail to graft the left back shoulder and front left shoulder bind-offs together.

### Right (when worn) back shoulder

**Set-up row (WS):** kl, work in patt to last st, kl.

**Row 1 (RS):** kl, work in patt to last 3 sts, k2togM, kl. (-1 st)

**Row 2 (WS):** kl, work in patt to last st, kl.

Rep Rows 1–2 three more times.

(18, 23, 28) 33, 38, 43 (48, 53, 58) sts

Bind off in patt, leave about a 20" / 51 cm long tail of yarn. Use the tail to graft the right back shoulder and front right shoulder bind-offs together.

### NECKBAND

Beginning at the center back neckline, with smaller needles pick up and knit (74, 76, 78) 82, 84, 86 (90,

92, 94) sts going along the edge down to the center front, PM, pick up and knit 1 st right in the center, PM, then pick up and knit (74, 76, 78) 82, 84, 86 (90, 92, 94) sts going back up the front on the other side and along the back neckline – right back to where you started (about 2 sts into every 3 edge sts). PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

**Rnd 1:** \*kl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to m, sm, kl, sm, p1, \*kl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 2:** kl, \*p1, kl\*, rep \*-\* to 1 st bef m, CDD (you will need to remove the markers as you perform the CDD and then replace them on each side of the new st), \*kl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR. (-2 sts)

**Rnd 3:** \*kl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to 1 st bef m, kl, sm, kl, sm, \*kl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 4:** \*kl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to 1 st bef m, CDD, p1, \*kl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR. (-2 sts)

**Rnd 5:** \*kl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnds 2–5 one more time.

**Bind off:** with larger needle, bind off sts in patt to 1 st bef m, CDD, then bind off the rest of the sts in patt.

**Rnds 5–7:** rep Rnds 1–3.

**Bind off:** with larger needle, CDD, rm, bind off all sts in patt.

Repeat for second sleeve.

## FINISHING

Weave in ends and wet block to measurements.

## ARMBAND

*Both armbands are worked the same.*

Beginning at the center of the underarm, with smaller needles, pick up and knit (100, 104, 108) 112, 116, 120 (124, 128, 132) sts going up and around the armhole, ending where you began (about 2 sts into every 3 edge sts). PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

(100, 104, 108) 112, 116, 120 (124, 128, 132) sts

**Rnd 1:** \*kl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to 1 st bef BOR m.

**Rnd 2:** CDD (you will need to remove the BOR m, perform the CDD, and replace the m before moving the resulting st to RH needle), kl, \*p1, kl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 3:** kl, \*kl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to 1 st bef BOR m.

**Rnd 4:** CDD (you will need to remove the BOR m, perform the CDD, and replace the m before moving the resulting st to RH needle), p1, \*kl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

CHART A

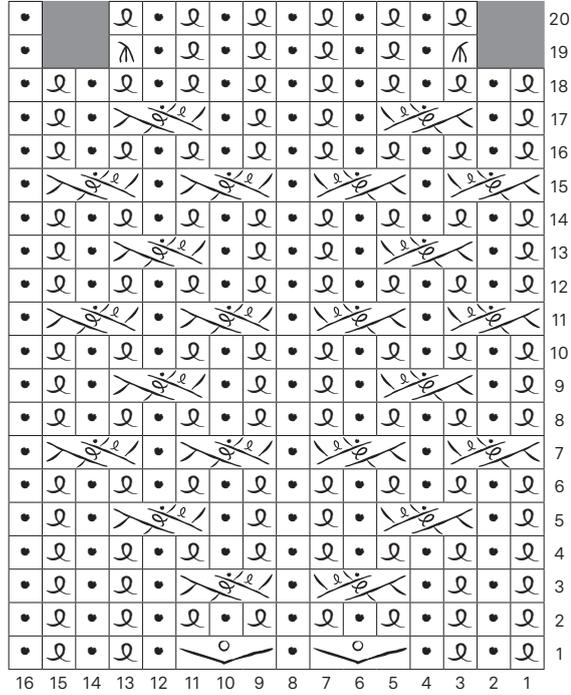


CHART B



CHART C





# 80

# Native

These mittens utilize the squishy, stretchy, yet strong half-twisted rib stitch. Mittens often get lost in our big family and I don't think we're alone. Knit up a new pair in no time to replace a pair of lost mittens or gift a freshly (and quickly) knitted pair to someone special in your life.





*Native* mittens are worked from the cuff up to the fingertips, in half twisted rib stitch. After the long cuff is finished, increases are made to widen the mittens and accommodate the thumb. Once thumb stitches are placed on hold, the length of the mitten is finished. Finally, the thumb stitches go back onto the needles and the mitten is finished.

### Sizes

1 (2) 3

### Finished measurements

Rib stitch is very stretchy and has great recovery, so the sizing is flexible. If you would like to have a tight fitting mitten, pick a size based on measurements below but do not block the mittens when finished.

**Palm width:** 5.5 (7.25) 8.75" / 14 (18.5) 22 cm.

**Palm length:** 4.25 (5) 5.75" / 11 (13) 14.5 cm.

### Materials

**Yarn:** Yarn Citizen Harmony Worsted – 50% Wool, 50% Alpaca, 100 g / 211 yds / 192 m.

Yarn Citizen Trinity Cashmere – 49% Super Baby Alpaca, 39% Mulberry Silk, 12% Cashmere, 25 g / 247 yds / 225 m.

(Yarns are held together).

**Colors used in sample:** Limestone (Harmony Worsted), Almond (Trinity Cashmere).

### Yarn amount:

Harmony Worsted: 120 (138) 157 yds / 110 (126) 144 m.

Trinity Cashmere: 112 (129) 147 yds / 102 (118) 134 m.

**Needles:** US 8 / 5 mm small circular needle, DPNs or long circular needles to be used with magic loop method.

**Other:** Tapestry needle, scrap yarn.

### Gauge

20 sts × 18 rows worked in \*k1 tbl, p1\* in the round, in 4" / 10 cm.

## PATTERN

### RIGHT MITTEN

#### Cuff

Using the long tail method, CO 30 (36) 42 sts. PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

**Rnd 1:** \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 1 until work measures 4.5" / 11.5 cm from the cast-on edge.

#### Increases for thumb

**Rnd 1:** k1 tbl, \*p1, k1 tbl\*, rep \*-\* 4 (5) 6 more times, PM, mL, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR. (+1 st)

**Rnd 2:** work in patt to m, sm, mLp, k1 tbl, work in patt to BOR. (+1 st)

**Rnd 3:** work in patt to m, sm, mL, p1, work in patt to BOR. (+1 st)

**Rnd 4:** work in patt to m, sm, mLp, k1 tbl, work in patt to BOR. (+1 st)

**Rep Rnds 1–4:** 1 (2) 3 more times (in Rnd 1 where instructed to PM – slip marker instead).

38 (48) 58 sts

#### Place thumb stitches on hold

Work in patt to m, RM and place the previous 11 (13) 15 sts you just worked on a piece of scrap yarn. Continue where you left off: mL, work in patt to BOR. Join to work in the round again.

28 (36) 44 sts

Work in est patt until work measures 3.25 (3.5) 3.75" / 8.5 (9) 9.5 cm from where the thumb sts were placed on hold. If you would like to shorten or lengthen the palm, you can do that here by working less or more rounds.

#### Decreases

**Rnd 1:** \*k3tog tbl, p1, (k1 tbl, p1) 3 (5) 7 times total, k3togM p1\*, rep \*-\* once more. (-8 sts)

**Rnd 2:** work in patt. (k tbl the k sts, p the p sts)

**Rnd 3:** \*k3tog tbl, p1, (k1 tbl, p1) 1 (3) 5 times total, k3togM, p1\*, rep \*-\* once more. (-8 sts)

**Rnd 4:** work in patt.  
12 (20) 28 sts

*Sizes 2 & 3 only:*

**Rnd 5:** \*k3tog tbl, p1, \*k1 tbl, p1\* – (1) 3 times total, k3togM, p1\*, rep \*-\* once more. (-8 sts)

**Rnd 6:** work in patt.  
– (12) 20 sts

*Size 3 only:*

**Rnd 7:** \*k3tog tbl, p1, k1 tbl, p1, k3togM, p1\*, rep \*-\* once more. (-8 sts)

**Rnd 8:** work in patt.  
– (-) 12 sts

*All sizes resume.*

**Dec Round:** \*C4dec, p1\*, rep \*-\* once more. (-8 sts)  
4 sts

Cut yarn, leaving a long tail. Thread the tail onto a darning needle and weave through the remaining 4 stitches, letting them fall off the knitting needles. Pull the yarn through the center of these sts to the WS and pull tightly but gently so as to not break the yarn. Weave in ends.

## Thumb

Place the first 6 (7) 8 sts of the thumb onto one DPN. Place the last 5 (6) 7 sts onto another DPN, join yarn and pick up and knit 1 st in the area where the thumb opening meets the fingers part of the mitten. PM for BOR and join to work in the round.  
6 (7) 8 sts on each needle

**Rnd 1:** \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.  
Rep Rnd 1 until thumb is at the total desired length.  
**Rnd 2:** \*k2tog tbl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.  
6 (7) 8 total sts

**Rnd 3:**

*Sizes 1 & 3 only:* \*k2tog tbl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.  
*Size 2 only:* \*k2tog tbl\*, rep \*-\* 2 more times, k1 tbl.  
3 (4) 4 total sts

Cut yarn, leaving a long tail. Thread the tail onto a darning needle and weave through the remaining stitches, letting them fall off the knitting needles.

## LEFT MITTEN

### Cuff

Work the same way as the right cuff.

### Increases for thumb

**Rnd 1:** \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* 9 (10) 11 more times, m1R, PM, \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR. (+1 st)

**Rnd 2:** work in patt to 1 st bef m, k1 tbl, m1Rp, sm, work in patt to BOR. (+1 st)

**Rnd 3:** work in patt to 1 st bef m, p1, m1R, sm, work in patt to BOR. (+1 st)

**Rnd 4:** work in patt to 1 st bef m, k1 tbl, m1Rp, sm, work in patt to BOR. (+1 st)

**Rep Rnds 1–4:** 1 (2) 3 more times (in Rnd 1 where instructed to PM – slip marker instead).  
38 (48) 58 sts

### Place thumb sts on hold

Work in patt to 1 st bef m, p1, m1R, work in patt to BOR and place the last 11 (13) 15 sts you just worked (from BOR back to m) on a piece of scrap yarn. Continue where you left off: work in patt to BOR (where thumb sts begin), join to work in the round.  
28 (36) 44 sts

Work in est patt until work measures 3.25 (3.5) 3.75" / 8.5 (9) 9.5 cm from where the thumb sts were placed on hold. If you would like to shorten or lengthen the palm, you can do that here by working less or more rounds.

Work Decreases and Thumb the same way as in the right mitten.

## FINISHING

You may wet block to measurements or leave the mittens unblocked and let them conform to your hands as you put them on.



# 86

# Prostota

In my native tongue, “Prostota” means “simplicity”. Oftentimes, I am inspired to design elaborate colorwork yokes or an all-over cable knit sweater. Other times, I really want a simple, elegant sweater to feel put together in. This is that sweater.





*Prostota* is worked from the top down, in the round seamlessly, in half brioche stitch. After the collar and yoke are worked, the work is separated and stitches are placed on hold for the sleeves which are worked after the lower body is completed.

### Sizes

(1, 2, 3) 4, 5, 6 (7, 8, 9) 10

### Finished measurements

**Chest circumference:** (32, 36, 40) 44, 48, 52 (56, 60, 64) 68" / (81, 91.5, 101.5) 112, 122, 132 (142, 152.5, 162.5) 173 cm.

**Body length (underarm to hem):** 13.5" / 34 cm.

**Sleeve circumference:** (12.5, 13, 14.5) 16, 17.5, 19 (20.5, 22, 23.5) 25" / (32, 33, 37) 40.5, 44.5, 48 (52, 56, 60) 63.5 cm.

**Sleeve length:** 17.5" / 44.5 cm.

**Suggested fit:** 2–6" / 5–15 cm positive ease.

### Materials

**Yarn:** mYak Fibers Baby Yak Medium – 100% baby yak, 50 g / 1.76 oz, 128 yds / 117 m.

**Color used:** Pink Pearl.

**Yarn amount:** (816, 918, 1020) 1122, 1224, 1326 (1428, 1530, 1632) 1734 yds / (747, 840, 933) 1026, 1120, 1213 (1306, 1399, 1493) 1586 m.

**Needles:** US 4 / 3.5 mm circular needles.

**Other:** Tapestry needle, scrap yarn.

### Gauge

16 sts × 32 rows in half brioche pattern in 4" / 10 cm, in the round.

## PATTERN

### COLLAR

Using the long tail cast on method, loosely CO (64, 68, 72) 76, 80, 84 (88, 92, 96) 100 sts. PM for BOR and

join to work in the round (M marks the right back shoulder).

**Set-up row:** \*kl, pl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 1:** \*sllyo, pl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 2:** \*brk, pl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnds 1–2 eight more times. Rep Rnd 1 while placing markers: work 7, PM, work (25, 27, 29) 31, 33, 35 (37, 39, 41) 43, PM, work 7, PM, work to BOR.

### Short row neck shaping

**Row 1 (RS):** brk, pl & turn.

**Row 2 (WS):** sllyo, sm, kl, \*brp, kl\*, rep \*-\* to m, sm, brp, kl & turn.

**Row 3:** sllyo, sm, pl, \*sllyo, pl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR m, sm, brk, pl, brk, pl & turn.

**Row 4:** sllyo, kl, sllyo, sm, kl, \*brp, kl\*, rep \*-\* to 2 sts past the last turn, then turn.

**Row 5:** \*sllyo, pl\* to BOR m, sm, \*brk, pl\*, rep \*-\* to 2 sts past the last turn, then turn.

**Row 6:** sllyo, \*kl, sllyo\*, rep \*-\* to BOR m, sm, kl, \*brp, kl\* to 2 sts past the last turn, then turn.

Rep Rows 5–6 two more times.

**Row 7 (RS):** \*sllyo, pl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

## YOKE

### Raglan increases

Resume working in the round. On the first round, resolve the last 2 wrapped sts as you come to them.

**Rnd 1:** \*brkyobr, pl, (brk, pl), rep (-) to 1 st bef m, brkyobr, sm, pl, (brk, pl) twice, brkyobr, pl, (brk, pl), rep (--) to 6 sts bef m, brkyobr, pl, (brk, pl) twice, sm\*, rep \*-\* once more. (+16 sts)

**Rnd 2:** \*sllyo, pl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 3:** \*brk, pl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 4:** \*sllyo, pl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnds 5–6:** rep Rnds 3–4.

**Rep Rnds 1–6:** (8, 9, 10) 11, 12, 13 (14, 15, 16) 17 more times.

(208, 228, 248) 268, 288, 308 (328, 348, 368) 388 sts (61, 67, 73) 79, 85, 91 (97, 103, 109) 115 sts each front and back

(43, 47, 51) 55, 59, 63 (67, 71, 75) 79 sts each sleeve

## Separate for sleeves

*Size 1:* \*brkyobr, pl, (brk, pl) to last st bef m, brkyobr. Remove marker, place the stitches you just worked from previous marker to here on scrap yarn / st holder. Continue to following sts: pl, (brk, pl) to m, sm\*, rep \*-\* once more. (+8 sts)

*Sizes 2-10:* \*brkyobr, pl, (brk, pl) to last st bef m, brkyobr. Remove marker, place the stitches you just worked from previous marker to here on scrap yarn / st holder. Continue to following sts: pl, (brk, pl) twice, brkyobr, pl, (brk, pl) to 5 sts bef m, brkyobr, pl, (brk, pl) twice, sm\*, rep \*-\* once more. (+16 sts)

(216, 244, 264) 284, 304, 324 (344, 364, 384) 404 sts  
(61, 71, 77) 83, 89, 95 (101, 107, 113) 119 sts each front and back

(47, 51, 55) 59, 63, 67 (71, 75, 79) 83 sts each sleeve

**Next rnd:** using the backwards loop method, CO (3, 1, 3) 5, 7, 9 (11, 13, 15) 17 st(s). Join to front: pl, \*sllyo, pl\*, rep \*-\* until you reach sts on hold for second sleeve. PM for side, CO (3, 1, 3) 5, 7, 9 (11, 13, 15) 17 st(s) and join to back: pl, \*sllyo, pl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR. (128, 144, 160) 176, 192, 208 (224, 240, 256, 272) sts

## BODY

**Set-up rnd:** \*(k1, pl) 3 times total, (brk, pl) to m, sm\*, rep \*-\* once more.

**Rnd 1:** \*sllyo, pl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 2:** \*brk, pl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnds 1-2 until body measures 11.5" / 29 cm from the cast on underarm sts.

## Hem

**Rnd 1:** \*k1 tbl, pl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 1 until hem measures 2" / 5 cm.

Bind off loosely, in patt.

## SLEEVE

*Both sleeves are worked the same.*

Place one set of (47, 51, 55) 59, 63, 67 (71, 75, 79) 83 sts onto needles. Beginning where sleeve sts end and underarm begins, join yarn and pick up and knit (3, 1, 3) 5, 7, 9 (11, 13, 15) 17 st(s). PM for BOR after (1, 0, 1) 3, 3, 5 (5, 7, 7) 9 sts. Continue to sleeve sts: \*sllyo, pl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Next rnd:** k1, pl, k1, pl, \*brk, pl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR. (50, 52, 58) 64, 70, 76 (82, 88, 94) 100 sts

### Decrease repeat:

**Rnd 1:** \*sllyo, pl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 2:** \*brk, pl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnds 1-2 (12, 12, 12) 9, 9, 7 (7, 6, 6) 5 more times.

**Rnd 3:** \*sllyo, pl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 4:** brk, pl, brkDecL, pl, \*brk, pl\*, rep \*-\* to last 4 sts, brkDecR, pl. (-4 sts)

Rep Decrease repeat (3, 3, 3) 4, 4, 5 (5, 6, 6) 7 more times.

**Rep Rnds 1-2:** (6, 6, 6) 7, 7, 8 (8, 6, 6) 6 times.

(34, 36, 42) 44, 50, 52 (58, 60, 66) 68 sts

## Cuff

**Rnd 1:** \*k1 tbl, pl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 1 until cuff measures 2" / 5 cm. Bind off in patt.

Repeat for second sleeve.

## FINISHING

Weave in ends and wet block to measurements.



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# Cushion

A vest that can be worn alone or over a shirt and even a shirtdress. The easy-to-knit slip stitch pattern is a delight when worked with an especially fluffy yarn as I did in the sample. Stitches that are enjoyable to knit and add texture to the finished object are my absolute favorite!



The *Cushion* vest is worked from the top down flat and later in the round. Beginning with working each shoulder, the back and front yokes are worked separately. A slip stitch pattern is worked flat before the vest body is connected at the underarms and worked in the round, the slip stitch continuing. Finished with matching rib hem, collar and armbands.

### Sizes

(1, 2, 3) 4, 5, 6 (7, 8)

### Finished measurements

**Chest circumference:** (32, 37.25, 42.5) 48, 53.25, 58.5 (64, 69.25)" / (81.5, 94.5, 108) 122, 135.5, 149 (162.5, 176) cm.

**Body length (underarm to hem):** 10.5" / 24.5 cm.

**Suggested fit:** 0–5" / 0–13 cm of positive ease.

### Materials

#### Yarn:

Les Garçons British DK – 70% BFL Wool, 30% Masham Wool, 100 g / 273 yds / 250 m (MC).

Les Garçons Fluff – 55% Baby Alpaca, 18% Fine Merino Wool, 17% Mulberry Silk, 10% Yak, 50 g / 219 yds / 200 m (CC – held double) in 3 colors.

**Colors used:** Louis' Shade (MC), Goldenrod (CC1), Lavender Tea (CC2), Mist (CC3).

**MC:** (440, 513, 586) 660, 733, 806 (880, 953) yds / (403, 470, 536) 604, 671, 737 (805, 872) m.

**CC1:** (10, 11, 12) 14, 15, 17 (17, 18) yds / (9, 10, 11) 13, 14, 16 (16, 17) m.

**CC2:** (12, 14, 16) 18, 19, 21 (23, 25) yds / (11, 13, 15) 17, 18, 20 (21, 23) m.

**CC3:** (8, 9, 10) 11, 12, 13 (14, 14) yds / (8, 9, 10) 10, 11, 12 (13, 13) m.

**Needles:** US 5 / 3.75 mm and US 3 / 3.25 mm circular needles.

### Gauge

18 sts × 22 sts in stockinette in 4" / 10 cm, flat and in the round, on larger needles.

## PATTERN

### BACK YOKE

#### Right (when worn) back shoulder

Using larger needles, MC and long tail cast on, CO (11, 12, 15) 18, 19, 22 (25, 28) sts.

**Set-up row:** purl.

**Row 1 (RS):** k3, m1L, k to end. (+1 st)

**Row 2 (WS):** p to last 3 sts, m1Rp, p3. (+1 st)

Rep Rows 1–2 (2, 3, 3) 3, 4, 4 (4, 4) more times.

Break yarn and place sts on scrap yarn / st holder. (17, 20, 23) 26, 29, 32 (35, 38) sts

#### Left (when worn) back shoulder

Using larger needles, MC and long tail cast on, CO (11, 12, 15) 18, 19, 22 (25, 28) sts.

**Set-up row:** purl.

**Row 1 (RS):** k to last 3 sts, m1R, k3. (+1 st)

**Row 2 (WS):** p3, m1Rp, p to end. (+1 st)

Rep Rows 1–2 (2, 3, 3) 3, 4, 4 (4, 4) more times.

(17, 20, 23) 26, 29, 32 (35, 38) sts

### Join back shoulders

K to last 3 sts, m1R, k3, using the backwards loop method, CO (9, 15, 21) 27, 33, 39 (45, 51) sts. Place right shoulder sts back onto needles and join: k3, m1L, k to end.

(45, 57, 69) 81, 93, 105 (117, 129) sts

### Back

**Row 1 (WS):** purl.

**Row 2 (RS):** knit.

Rep Rows 1–2 (9, 11, 13) 15, 17, 19 (21, 23) more times.

### Slip stitch repeat

Work Chart A until you've worked through Row 15 of the chart, ready to work Row 16. Break all yarn and place sts on scrap yarn / st holder.

(57, 69, 81) 93, 105, 117 (129, 141) sts



## FRONT YOKE

**Left (when worn) front shoulder**

Using larger needles and MC, pick up and knit (11, 12, 15) 18, 19, 22 (25, 28) sts along the cast on edge of the left back shoulder.

**Set-up row:** purl.

**Row 1 (RS):** knit.

**Row 2 (WS):** purl.

Rep Rows 1–2 three more times.

**Row 3:** k3, m1L, k to end. (+1 st)

**Row 4:** purl.

**Row 5:** knit.

**Row 6:** purl.

Rep Rows 3–6 one more time.

**Row 7:** k3, m1L, k to end. (+1 st)

**Row 8:** purl.

Rep Rows 7–8 four more times.

**Row 9:** k3, m1L, k to end. (+1 st)

**Row 10:** p to last 3 sts, m1Lp, p3. (+1 st)

Rep Rows 9–10 (0, 1, 1) 1, 2, 2 (2, 2) more time(s).

Break yarn and place sts on scrap yarn / st holder.

(20, 23, 26) 29, 32, 35 (38, 41) sts

**Right (when worn) front shoulder**

Using larger needles and MC, pick up and knit (11, 12, 15) 18, 19, 22 (25, 28) sts along the cast on edge of the left back shoulder.

**Set-up row:** purl.

**Row 1 (RS):** knit.

**Row 2 (WS):** purl.

Rep Rows 1–2 three more times.

**Row 3:** k to last 3 sts, m1R, k3. (+1 st)

**Row 4:** purl.

**Row 5:** knit.

**Row 6:** purl.

Rep Rows 3–6 one more time.

**Row 7:** k to last 3 sts, m1R, k3. (+1 st)

**Row 8:** purl.

Rep Rows 7–8 four more times.

**Row 9:** k to last 3 sts, m1R, k3. (+1 st)

**Row 10:** p3, m1Rp, p to end. (+1 st)

Rep Rows 9–10 (0, 1, 1) 1, 2, 2 (2, 2) more time(s).

(20, 23, 26) 29, 32, 35 (38, 41) sts

**Join front shoulders**

K to last 3 sts, m1R, k3, using the backwards loop method, CO (3, 9, 15) 21, 27, 33 (39, 45) sts. Place left shoulder sts back onto needles and join: k3, m1L, k to end.

(45, 57, 69) 81, 93, 105 (117, 129) sts

**Front**

*Sizes 2–8 only:*

**Row 1 (WS):** purl.

**Row 2 (RS):** knit.

Rep Rows 1–2 (–, 1, 3) 5, 7, 9 (11, 13) more times.

*All sizes resume.*

**Slip stitch repeat**

Work Chart A to end.

(57, 69, 81) 93, 105, 117 (129, 141) sts

## LOWER BODY

**Join front to back**

Using the backwards loop method, CO 13 sts. Place back sts back onto needles and join: work Row 16 of Chart A, using the backwards loop method, CO 13 sts, join to work in the round, k3, PM for BOR.

(144, 168, 192) 216, 240, 264 (288, 312) sts

**Body**

Work Chart B to end. Cut CC1, CC2 and CC3, continuing with MC only.

Work in stockinette for 5.75" / 14.5 cm.

To lengthen the cropped body, work more rounds of stockinette until desired length -2" / 5 cm is reached.

Remember that the vest will grow slightly after blocking and that this will require more yarn than the pattern states.

**Hem**

Switch to smaller size needles.

**Rnd 1:** \*k1, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 1 until work measures 2" / 5 cm. Bind off using the sewn bind off method.

**NECKBAND**

With MC and smaller needles, beginning at the right back shoulder seam, going across the back and around the front, and ending where you began – pick up and knit (82, 86, 90) 94, 98, 102 (106, 110) sts along the edge (about 3 sts into every 4 edge sts). PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

**Rnd 1:** \*k1, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 1 seven more times. Bind off using the sewn bind off method.

**ARMBAND**

*Both armbands are worked the same.*

With MC and smaller needles, beginning at about the middle of the underarm, going around the armhole and back to where you began, pick up and knit (82, 90, 94) 100, 108, 114 (120, 126) sts along the edge (about 3 sts into every 4 edge sts). PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

**Rnd 1:** \*k1, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 1 seven more times. Bind off using the sewn bind off method.

Repeat for other armband.

**FINISHING**

Weave in ends and wet block.

CHART A

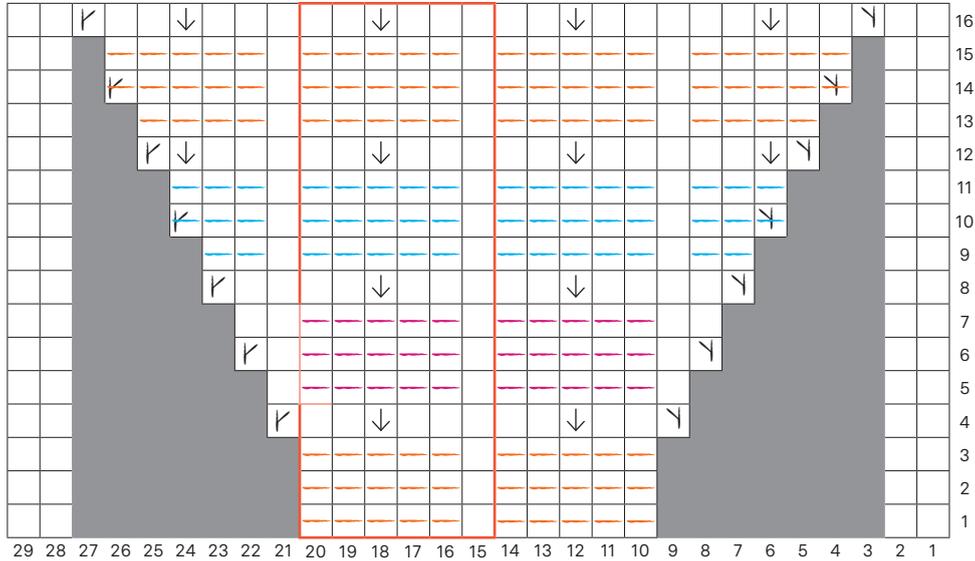
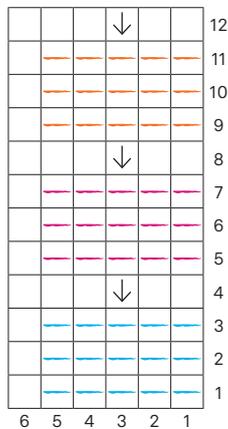


CHART B



-  MC – RS: knit WS: purl
-  RS: move CC1 to front, k st with MC, WS: move CC1 to back, p st with MC
-  RS: move CC2 to front, k st with MC, WS: move CC2 to back, p st with MC
-  RS: move CC3 to front, k st with MC, WS: move CC3 to back, p st with MC
-  knit below – move RH needle under 3 strands of CC, knit them together with next stitch
-  no stitch
-  m1L with MC
-  m1R with MC
-  move CC1 to front, m1L with MC
-  move CC1 to front, m1R with MC
-  move CC3 to front, m1L with MC
-  move CC to front, m1R with MC
-  repeat



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# Vivianna

*Vivianna* is a simple cropped top with drop shoulders and a cinched waist. It is great for everyday wear and goes perfectly with a high-waisted skirt or pants. It is a quick project, so have fun and make a couple in your favorite colors!



*Vivianna* is worked from the top down, flat and in the round. Front and back yokes are worked separately and then connected at the underarm. The lower body is then worked and finished with a fold over hem. Stitches are picked up around the arm opening, from where short sleeves with picot cuffs emerge. Lastly, a cord is worked which goes through two openings at the front of the hem to cinch the top at the waist.

### Sizes

(1, 2, 3) 4, 5, 6 (7)

### Finished measurements

**Chest circumference:** (36, 42, 48) 54, 60, 66 (72)" / (91.5, 106.5, 122) 137, 152.5, 167.5 (183) cm.

**Body length (underarm to hem):** 10" / 25.5 cm.

**Sleeve circumference:** (13.75, 15.25, 16.75) 19, 21, 23 (24.75)" / (35, 39, 42.5) 48, 53.5, 58.5 (63) cm.

**Sleeve length:** 5" / 12.5 cm.

**Suggested fit:** 4–8" / 10–20 cm positive ease.

### Materials

**Yarn:** Camellia Fiber Co Sylvan Fingering – 70% Alpaca, 20% Silk, 10% Cashmere, 100 g / 437 yds / 400 m.

**Color used:** New York.

**Yarn amount:** (550, 642, 734) 826, 917, 1009 (1101) yds / (503, 587, 671) 755, 839, 923 (1007) m.

**Needles:** US 5 / 3.75 mm and US 3 / 3.25 mm circular needles.

**Other:** Tapestry needle, scrap yarn, safety pin.

### Gauge

22 sts × 28 rows in stockinette in 4" / 10 cm, on larger needles.

## PATTERN

### BACK YOKE

#### Right (when worn) back shoulder

Using larger needles and the long tail cast on method, CO (29, 33, 37) 41, 45, 49 (53) sts.

**Set-up row (WS):** purl.

**Row 1 (RS):** k3, m1L, k4, w&t. (+1 st)

**Row 2 (WS):** p to last 3 sts, m1Lp, p3. (+1 st)

**Row 3 (RS):** k3, m1L, k to 7 sts past the last wrapped st, w&t. (+1 st)

**Row 4 (WS):** p to last 3 sts, m1Lp, p3. (+1 st)

Rep Rows 3–4 (2, 2, 3) 3, 4, 4 (5) more times.

**Row 5 (RS):** k3, m1L, k to end. (+1 st)

**Row 6 (WS):** p to last 3 sts, m1Lp, p3. (+1 st)

Cut yarn and move sts to st holder / scrap yarn.

(39, 43, 49) 53, 59, 63 (69) sts

#### Left (when worn) back shoulder

Using larger needles and the long tail cast on method, CO (29, 33, 37) 41, 45, 49 (53) sts.

**Set-up row (WS):** purl.

**Row 1 (RS):** k to last 3 sts, m1R, k3. (+1 st)

**Row 2 (WS):** p3, m1Rp, p4, w&t. (+1 st)

**Row 3 (RS):** k to last 3 sts, m1R, k3. (+1 st)

**Row 4 (WS):** p3, m1Rp, p to 7 sts past the last wrapped st, w&t. (+1 st)

Rep Rows 3–4 (2, 2, 3) 3, 4, 4 (5) more times.

**Row 5 (RS):** k to last 3 sts, m1R, k3. (+1 st)

**Row 6 (WS):** p3, m1Rp, p to end. (+1 st)

(39, 43, 49) 53, 59, 63 (69) sts

### Connect back shoulders

**Row 1 (RS):** k to last 3 sts, m1R, k3, using the backwards loop method, CO (19, 26, 28) 33, 35, 40 (40) sts, place right back shoulder sts back onto needles and join to work the RS: k3, m1L, k to end. (99, 114, 128) 141, 155, 168 (180) sts

**Row 2 (WS):** purl.

**Row 3:** knit.

**Row 4:** purl.





**Yoke****Decreases:****Row 1 (RS):** k2, ssk, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2. (-2 sts)**Row 2 (WS):** purl.**Row 3:** knit.**Row 4:** purl.

Rep Rows 1–4 (5, 5, 5) 4, 4, 3 (2) more times.

(87, 102, 116) 131, 145, 160 (174) sts

Work back and forth in stockinette for (6, 10, 14) 24, 28, 38 (46) rows, ending ready to work a RS row.

**Increases:****Row 1 (RS):** k3, m1L, k to last 3 sts, m1R, k3. (+2 sts)**Row 2 (WS):** purl.

Rep Rows 1–2 one more time.

**Row 3:** k3, m1L, k to last 3 sts, m1R, k3. (+2 sts)**Row 4:** p3, m1Rp, p to last 3 sts, m1Lp, p3. (+2 sts)

Cut yarn and place sts on st holder / scrap yarn.

(95, 110, 124) 139, 153, 168 (182) sts

**FRONT YOKE****Left (when worn) front shoulder**

Along the cast on edge of the left back shoulder, using larger needles pick up and knit (29, 33, 37) 41, 45, 49 (53) sts.

**Set-up row (WS):** purl.**Row 1 (RS):** k3, m1L, k3, w&t. (+1 st)**Row 2 (WS):** purl.**Row 3 (RS):** k3, m1L, k to 7 sts past the last wrapped st, w&t. (+1 st)**Row 4 (WS):** purl.

Rep Rows 3–4 (2, 2, 3) 3, 4, 4 (5) more times.

**Row 5:** k3, m1L, k to end. (+1 st)**Row 6:** p to last 3 sts, m1Lp, p3. (+1 st)

Rep Rows 5–6 (1, 2, 2) 3, 3, 4 (4) more times.

**Row 7:** k3, m1L, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.**Row 8:** p to last 3 sts, m1Lp, p3. (+1 st)**Row 9:** k3, m1L, k to end. (+1 st)**Row 10:** p to last 3 sts, m1Lp, p3. (+1 st)

Rep Rows 7–10 one more time.

Cut yarn and place sts on st holder / scrap yarn.  
(43, 49, 54) 60, 65, 71 (75) sts**Right (when worn) front shoulder**

Along the cast on edge of the left back shoulder, using larger needles pick up and knit (29, 33, 37) 41, 45, 49 (53) sts.

**Set-up row:** purl.**Row 1 (RS):** k to last 3 sts, m1R, k3. (+1 st)**Row 2 (WS):** p7, w&t.**Row 3:** k to last 3 sts, m1R, k3. (+1 st)**Row 4:** p to 7 sts past the last wrapped st, w&t.

Rep Rows 3–4 (2, 2, 3) 3, 4, 4 (5) more times.

**Row 5:** k to last 3 sts, m1R, k3. (+1 st)**Row 6:** p3, m1Rp, p to end. (+1 st)

Rep Rows 5–6 (1, 2, 2) 3, 3, 4 (4) more times.

**Row 7:** k2, ssk, k to last 3 sts, m1R, k3.**Row 8:** p3, m1Rp, p to end. (+1 st)**Row 9:** k to last 3 sts, m1R, k3. (+1 st)**Row 10:** p3, m1Rp, p to end. (+1 st)

Rep Rows 7–10 one more time.

(43, 49, 54) 60, 65, 71 (75) sts

**Connect front shoulders****Row 1 (RS):** k2, ssk, k to last 3 sts, m1R, k3, using the backwards loop method, CO (7, 10, 14) 15, 19, 20 (24) sts, place left front shoulder sts back onto needles and join to work the RS: k3, m1L, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.

(93, 108, 122) 135, 149, 162 (174) sts

**Row 2 (WS):** purl.**Row 3:** knit.**Row 4:** purl.**Yoke****Decreases:***Sizes 1–6 only:***Row 1 (RS):** k2, ssk, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2. (-2 sts)**Row 2 (WS):** purl.**Row 3:** knit.**Row 4:** purl.

Rep Rows 1–4 (2, 2, 2) 1, 1, 0 (–) more times.  
(87, 102, 116) 131, 145, 160 (–) sts

*All sizes resume.*

Work back and forth in stockinette for (6, 8, 12) 22,  
26, 34 (42) rows, ending ready to work a RS row.

#### **Increases:**

**Row 1 (RS):** k3, m1L, k to last 3 sts, m1R, k3. (+2 sts)

**Row 2 (WS):** purl.

Rep Rows 1–2 one more time.

**Row 3:** k3, m1L, k to last 3 sts, m1R, k3. (+2 sts)

**Row 4:** p3, m1Rp, p to last 3 sts, m1Lp, p3. (+2 sts)

(95, 110, 124) 139, 153, 168 (182) sts

## BODY

### **Join front and back**

**Set-up row:** k3, m1L, k to last 3 sts, m1R, k3. Using the backwards loop method, CO (2, 4, 6) 8, 10, 12 (14) sts. Place back sts back onto needles and join: k3, m1L, k to last 3 sts, m1R, k3. Using the backwards loop method, CO (2, 4, 6) 8, 10, 12 (14) sts. PM for BOR and join to work in the round.  
(198, 232, 264) 298, 330, 364 (396) sts

Work in stockinette until work measures 8.75" /  
22 cm, measured from the underarm. Bind off, until you have 1 st left on your needle. Do not cut yarn.

### **Hem**

Switch to smaller needles.

Beginning where you just finished binding off, pick up and knit (197, 231, 263) 297, 329, 363 (395) sts along the bind off edge (1 st into every edge st) around the body edge. PM for BOR and join to work in the round. You will have (198, 232, 264) 298, 330, 364 (396) sts, including the last st from the bind off.

**Rnd 1:** \*k1, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 1 three more times.

**Rnd 2:** \*k1, p1\*, rep \*-\* (19, 23, 27) 31, 35, 39 (43) more times, k2tog, yo, \*k1, p1\*, rep \*-\* 6 more times, k1,

yo, ssk, p1, \*k1, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 3:** \*k1, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 3 six more times.

**Rnd 4:** purl.

**Rnd 5:** \*k1, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 5 eight more times.

Bind off loosely, in patt.

Whip stitch the bind off edge to the seam where you picked up sts for the hem.

## NECKBAND

Switch to smaller needles.

Beginning at the right back shoulder, pick up and knit (92, 100, 110) 118, 128, 136 (144) sts along the entire neckline edge, ending where you began (about 7 sts into every 8 edge sts). PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

**Rnd 1:** \*k1, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 1 four more times.

Bind off using the sewn bind off method.

## SLEEVE

*Both sleeves are worked the same.*

With larger needles, beginning at the center of the underarm, pick up and knit (76, 84, 92) 104, 116, 126 (136) sts (about 3 into every 4 edge sts). PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

**Step 1:** knit 6 rounds.

**Step 2:** k2, ssk, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2. (-2 sts)

Rep Steps 1–2 three more times.

(68, 76, 84) 96, 108, 118 (128) sts

Knit 5 rounds.

**Next round:** \*k2tog, yo\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Knit 6 rounds.

Bind off loosely. Leaving a 30" / 76 cm tail, cut yarn and pull through the last st on the needle. Thread yarn into a tapestry needle.

Turn the garment inside out. Fold the sleeve end towards the inside. It will fold naturally at the row where you made yarn overs. Whip stitch the bind off edge to the inside of the sleeve.

Repeat for second sleeve.

## I-CORD DRAWSTRING

The i-cord can be worked with either needle size. For a tighter cord, use the smaller needle.

CO 3 sts.

**Step 1:** k3.

**Step 2:** do not turn work. Push sts to the other end of the needle.

Rep Steps 1 & 2 until i-cord measures about 62" / 157.5 cm. Bind off by cutting yarn (leaving a tail for weaving in) and pulling it tightly through all the sts.

## FINISHING

Weave in ends and wet block the top to measurements. Once dry, use a safety pin to pull the I-cord through the two openings at the front of the hem. Tie each end into a simple knot to keep the i-cord from going back inside the hem.

# 108

# Candyland

*Candyland* is an ode to my love for cable knitting. Dancing throughout the entire sweater, the raised texture from this extraordinary stitch reminds me of the winding roads on childhood board games! As you work on your sweater, I hope you think of your favorite memories and intertwine them into the new ones as you twist every cable of *Candyland*.



*Candyland* is worked from the bottom up—both in the round and flat. The split hem is first worked flat, the sweater is then joined in the round to finish the lower section. The front and back yokes are then worked flat and shoulders are joined to finish the body. Stitches are then picked up around the edge of the armhole and worked in the round. Lastly, a plush, fold over collar is worked as you pick up stitches around the neckline.

### Sizes

(1, 2, 3) 4, 5, 6

### Finished measurements

**Bust Circumference:** (38, 46.5, 55.25) 64, 72.5, 81.25" / (96.5, 118, 140.5) 162.5, 184, 206.5 cm.

**Body length (underarm to back hem):** 12.25" / 31 cm.

**Sleeve circumference:** (14.5, 14.5, 19) 19, 23.25, 23.25" / (37, 37, 48.5) 48.5, 59, 59 cm.

**Sleeve length:** 15.5" / 39.5 cm.

**Suggested fit:** 12–20" / 25.5–51 cm positive ease.

### Materials

**Yarn:** Hedgehog Fibres Tweedy – 50% Falkland Merino Wool, 37.5% Recycled Wool, 12.5% HF Thread Waste, 100 g / 251 yds / 230 m.

**Color used:** Lullaby.

**Yarn amount:** (1026, 1256, 1490) 1728, 1957, 2194) yds / (939, 1149, 1363) 1580, 1790, 2007 m.

**Needles:** US 6 / 4 mm, US 4 / 3.5 mm circular needles.

**Other:** Tapestry needle, cable needle, scrap yarn.

### Gauge

24 sts × 28 rows in cabled pattern in 4" / 10 cm – both flat and in the round, on larger needles.

## PATTERN

### FRONT

#### Front hem

With larger needles and the long tail CO method, CO (98, 120, 142) 164, 186, 208 sts. Switch to smaller needles.

**Set-up row (WS):** p4, k2, \*p3, (k2, p4) x 2, k2, p3, k2\*, rep \*-\* to last 4 sts, p4.

**Row 1 (RS):** sll wyib, k3, p2, \*k3, (p2, k4) x 2, p2, k3, p2\*, rep \*-\* to last 4 sts, k4.

**Row 2 (WS):** sll wyif, p3, k2, \*p3, (k2, p4) x 2, k2, p3, k2\*, rep \*-\* to last 4 sts, p4.

Rep Rows 1–2 three more times.

#### Front body

Switch to larger needles.

**Row 1 (RS):** sll wyib, k3, p2, PM, \*k3, (p2, k1, m1R, k2, m1L, k1) x 2, p2, k3, p2\*, rep \*-\* to last 4 sts, PM, k4. (16, 20, 24) 28, 32, 36 sts inc'd

**Row 2 (WS):** sll wyif, p3, sm, \*k2, p3, (k2, p6) x 2, k2, p3\*, rep \*-\* to m, sm, k2, p4.

**Row 3:** sll wyib, k3, p2, sm, rep Chart A to m, sm, k4.

**Row 4:** sll wyif, p3, sm, rep Chart A to m, sm, k2, p4.

Rep Rows 3–4 until you have completed the entire chart once. Cut yarn and place sts on st holder or scrap yarn.

(114, 140, 166) 192, 218, 244 sts

### BACK

#### Back hem

With larger needles and the long tail CO method, CO (98, 120, 142) 164, 186, 208 sts. Switch to smaller needles. (Casting on with larger needles helps make a uniform, elastic edge).

**Set-up row (WS):** p4, k2, \*p4, (k2, p3) x 2, k2, p4, k2\*, rep \*-\* to last 4 sts, p4.

**Row 1 (RS):** sll wyib, k3, p2, \*k4, (p2, k3) x 2, p2, k4, p2\*, rep \*-\* to last 4 sts, k4.



**Row 2 (WS):** sl1 wyif, p3, k2, \*p4, (k2, p3) x 2, k2, p4, k2\*, rep \*-\* to last 4 sts, p4.  
Rep Rows 1–2 five more times.

### Back body

Switch to larger needles.

**Row 1 (RS):** sl1 wyib, k3, p2, PM, \*k1, m1R, k2, m1L, k1, (p2, k3) x 2, p2, k1, m1R, k2, m1L, k1, p2\*, rep \*-\* to last 4 sts, PM, k4. (16, 20, 24) 28, 32, 36 sts inc'd)

**Row 2 (WS):** sl1 wyif, p3, sm, \*k2, p6, (k2, p3) x 2, k2, p6\*, rep \*-\* to m, sm, k2, p4.

\*\*You're going to begin working Chart A the same way as the front body, but begin working on Row 13 of the chart.

**Row 3:** sl1 wyib, k3, p2, sm, rep Chart A to m, sm, k4.

**Row 4:** sl1 wyif, p3, sm, rep Chart A to m, sm, k2, p4.

Rep Rows 3–4 until you have worked to the end of the chart, and then work the chart in its entirety once.

(114, 140, 166) 192, 218, 244 sts

### Join front and back and work in the round

**Row 1 (RS):** p1, k3, p2, RM, rep Row 1 of Chart A to m, sm (this will now be the side marker), k3, p1. Place the front sts back onto needles, ready to work a RS row. Join to front: p1, k3, p2, RM, rep Chart A to m, sm (this will now become the BOR marker), k3, p1, join to work in the round.

**Rnd 2:** p1, k3, p2, rep Row 2 of Chart A to m, sm, \*k3, p2\*, rep \*-\* one more time, rep Row 2 of Chart A to BOR.

(228, 280, 332) 384, 436, 488 sts

### BODY

**Rnd 1:** Work Chart B once, then rep Chart A to m, sm, work Chart C once, rep Chart A to BOR. Rep Rnd 1 until you have worked through the entire Chart A once, and then work Chart A again until Row 15 of the chart (end after working Row 14 of Chart A).

You should now be ready to work Row 15 of Chart A and Row 1 on each Chart B and Chart C.

### Split front and back

Break yarn. RM, place the next 8 sts onto a piece of scrap yarn – these will be later used in knitting a sleeve. Join yarn and work: p2, work Row 15 of Chart A to m. RM, place the next 8 sts on a piece of yarn, for the second sleeve.

Place the rest of the following sts on another piece of scrap yarn – this will later become the front. Go back to where you stopped knitting and turn to work a WS row.

**Next row (WS):** work Row 16 of Chart A to last 2 sts, k2.

(106, 132, 158) 184, 210, 236 sts

### BACK YOKE

Continue Chart A from the previous section, starting on Row 17 of Chart A:

**Row 1 (RS):** p2, work Chart A to end.

**Row 2 (WS):** work Chart A to last 2 sts, k2.

Rep Rows 1–2 until you've worked to the end of the chart, and then work Chart A again (0, 1, 1) 1, 1, 2 more time(s).

Continue repeating Rows 1–2 until you have worked through the rows below:

*Size 1:* work Rows 1–17 of Chart A.

*Size 2:* work Row 1 of Chart A.

*Size 3:* work Row 1–9 of Chart A.

*Size 4:* work Rows 1–17 of Chart A.

*Size 5:* work Row 1 of Chart A.

*Size 6:* work Rows 1–9 of Chart A.

**Bind Off (WS):** work (33, 44, 55) 66, 77, 88 sts in patt (Chart A), ssp, k1, BO (34, 38, 42) 46, 50, 54 sts (do not use the “k1” before the BO to begin the BO), p2tog, work the rest of the sts in patt (Chart A), beginning on st # (5, 16, 1) 12, 23, 8 of the chart. You will now be working flat on the right (when worn) shoulder (where you left off). If you'd like, you can place the left shoulder sts on scrap yarn / stitch

holder or you can keep them on your needles.  
(35, 46, 57) 68, 79, 90) sts for each shoulder

### Back right shoulder

**Row 1 (RS):** p2, work Chart A to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

**Row 2 (WS):** p2, work Chart A starting with st #  
(4, 15, 26) 11, 22, 7 of the chart, to last 2 sts, k2.  
(34, 45, 56) 67, 78, 89 sts

**Row 3:** p2, work Chart A to last 2 sts, k2.

**Row 4:** p2, work Chart A starting with st # (4, 15, 26)  
11, 22, 7 of the chart, to last 2 sts, k2.

Rep Rows 3–4 two more times, then rep Row 3 once.  
Cut yarn and place sts on st holder or scrap yarn.

### Back left shoulder

Place left shoulder sts back onto needles. Join yarn  
ready to work a RS row.

**Row 1 (RS):** k1, ssk, work Chart A beginning with st  
# (6, 17, 2) 13, 24, 8 of the chart. (-1 st)

**Row 2 (WS):** work Chart A to last 2 sts, p2.  
(34, 45, 56) 67, 78, 89 sts

**Row 3:** k2, work Chart A beginning with st # (6, 17, 2)  
13, 24, 8 of the chart.

**Row 4:** work Chart A to last 2 sts, p2.

Rep Rows 3–4 two more times, then rep Row 3 once.  
Cut yarn and place sts on st holder or scrap yarn.

### FRONT YOKE

Continue Chart A where you left off, beginning with  
Row 15 of the chart:

**Row 1 (RS):** p2, work Chart A to end.

**Row 2 (WS):** work Chart A to last 2 sts, k2.

Rep Rows 1–2 until you've worked to the end of the  
chart, and then work Chart A again (0, 0, 1) 1, 1, 2  
more time(s).

Continue repeating Rows 1–2 until you have worked  
through the rows below:

*Size 1:* work Rows 1–9 of Chart A.

*Size 2:* work Rows 1–17 of Chart A.

*Size 3:* work Row 1 of Chart A.

*Size 4:* work Rows 1–9 of Chart A.

*Size 5:* work Rows 1–17 of Chart A.

*Size 6:* work Row 1 of Chart A.

**Bind Off (WS):** p2, work the next (37, 48, 59) 70, 81,  
92 sts in patt (Chart A), k2tog, k1, BO (22, 26, 30) 34,  
38, 42 sts, ssk, work the rest of the sts in patt (Chart  
A), beginning on st # (14, 3, 18) 7, 22, 11 of the chart.  
You will now be working flat on the left (when worn)  
shoulder (where you left off). If you'd like, you can  
place the right shoulder sts on scrap yarn / stitch  
holder or you can keep them on your needles.  
(41, 52, 63) 74, 85, 96 sts for each shoulder

### Front left shoulder

**Row 1 (RS):** p2, work Chart A to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

**Row 2 (WS):** p2, work Chart A starting with st # (10,  
21, 6) 17, 2, 13 of the chart, to last 2 sts, k2.

**Row 3:** p2, work Chart A to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

**Row 4:** p2, work Chart A starting with st # (9, 20, 5)  
16, 1, 12 of the chart, to last 2 sts, k2.

**Row 5:** p2, work Chart A to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

**Row 6:** p2, work Chart A starting with st # (8, 19, 4)  
15, 26, 11 of the chart, to last 2 sts, k2.

**Row 7:** p2, work Chart A to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

**Row 8:** p2, work Chart A starting with st # (7, 18, 3)  
14, 25, 10 of the chart, to last 2 sts, k2.

**Row 9:** p2, work Chart A to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

**Row 10:** p2, work Chart A starting with st # (6, 17, 2)  
13, 24, 9 of the chart, to last 2 sts, k2.

**Row 11:** p2, work Chart A to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

**Row 12:** p2, work Chart A starting with st # (5, 16, 1)  
12, 23, 8 of the chart, to last 2 sts, k2.

**Row 13:** p2, work Chart A to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

**Row 14:** p2, work Chart A starting with st # (4, 15, 26)  
11, 22, 7 of the chart, to last 2 sts, k2.  
(34, 45, 56) 67, 78, 89 sts

**Row 15:** work Chart A to last 2 sts, k2.

**Row 16:** p2, work Chart A to end, starting with st #  
(4, 15, 26) 11, 22, 7 of the chart.

Rep Rows 15–16 once, then rep Row 15 once.

Place back left shoulder sts back onto needles, turn  
the sweater wrong side out. Join front and back  
shoulder sts using the 3-needle bind-off, from the  
inside of the sweater.



**Front right shoulder**

Place the (41, 52, 63) 74, 85, 96 left shoulder sts back onto needles. Join yarn ready to work a RS row.

**Row 1 (RS):** k1, ssk, work Chart A beginning with st # (15, 4, 19) 8, 23, 12 of the chart. (-1 st)

**Row 2 (WS):** work Chart A to last 2 sts, p2.

**Row 3:** k1, ssk, work Chart A beginning with st # (16, 5, 20) 9, 24, 13 of the chart. (-1 st)

**Row 4:** work Chart A to last 2 sts, p2.

**Row 5:** k1, ssk, work Chart A beginning with st # (17, 6, 21) 10, 25, 14 of the chart. (-1 st)

**Row 6:** work Chart A to last 2 sts, p2.

**Row 7:** k1, ssk, work Chart A beginning with st # (18, 7, 22) 11, 26, 15 of the chart. (-1 st)

**Row 8:** work Chart A to last 2 sts, p2.

**Row 9:** k1, ssk, work Chart A beginning with st # (19, 8, 23) 12, 1, 16 of the chart. (-1 st)

**Row 10:** work Chart A to last 2 sts, p2.

**Row 11:** k1, ssk, work Chart A beginning with st # (20, 9, 24) 13, 2, 17 of the chart. (-1 st)

**Row 12:** work Chart A to last 2 sts, p2.

**Row 13:** k1, ssk, work Chart A beginning with st # (21, 10, 25) 14, 3, 18 of the chart. (-1 st)

**Row 14:** work Chart A to last 2 sts, p2.  
(34, 45, 56) 67, 78, 89 sts

**Row 15:** k2, work Chart A beginning with st # (21, 10, 25) 14, 3, 18 of the chart.

**Row 16:** work Chart A to last 2 sts, p2.

Rep Rows 15–16 once, then rep Row 15 once.

Place back right shoulder sts back onto needles, turn the sweater wrong side out. Join front and back shoulder sts using the 3-needle bind-off, from the inside of the sweater.

**SLEEVES**

Both sleeves are worked the same way, with the exception of Chart B being used when working on the right sleeve and Chart C on the left sleeve.

Place the 8 held underarm sts back onto needles. Using the larger needles, pick up and knit (68, 68, 90) 90, 112, 112 sts – about (3, 4, 4) 3, 4, 3 into every (4, 5, 5) 4, 5, 4 edge sts, around the armhole. PM for

BOR and join to work in the round.

(76, 76, 98) 98, 120, 120 sts

**Rnd 1:** work Chart B/C, \*k3, (p2, k4) x 2, p2, k3, p2\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 2:** work Chart B/C, \*k3, (p2, k1, m1R, k2, m1L, k1) x 2, p2, k3, p2\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

(88, 88, 114) 114, 140, 140 sts

**Rnd 3:** work Chart B/C, then rep Chart A to BOR.

Rep Rnd 3 until you have worked Chart A two times total, then work Rows 1–22 of Chart A while still following Rnd 3 instructions. End ready to work Row 23 of the chart.

**Cuff**

Switch to smaller needles.

**Rnd 1:** work Chart B/C, \*k3tog, sssk, p2, (k3, p2) twice, k3tog, sssk, p2\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

(64, 64, 82) 82, 100, 100 sts

**Rnd 2:** work in patt (k the k sts, p the p sts) to BOR. Rep Rnd 2 until cuff measures 5.25" / 13.5 cm.

Bind off in patt.

Rep for second sleeve.

**NECKBAND**

With smaller needles, beginning at the right back shoulder line and going around the neckline, pick up and knit (84, 88, 92) 96, 100, 104 sts (3 sts into every 4 edge sts). PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

**Rnd 1:** \*k2, p2\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 1 seven more times.

**Rnd 2:** purl.

**Rnd 3:** \*p2, k2\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 3 seven more times.

Bind off loosely, in patt.

Fold the neckband towards the inside of the sweater and whip stitch the bind off edge to the neckline cast on edge – where you picked up sts.

**FINISHING**

Weave in ends and wet block to measurements.

CHART A

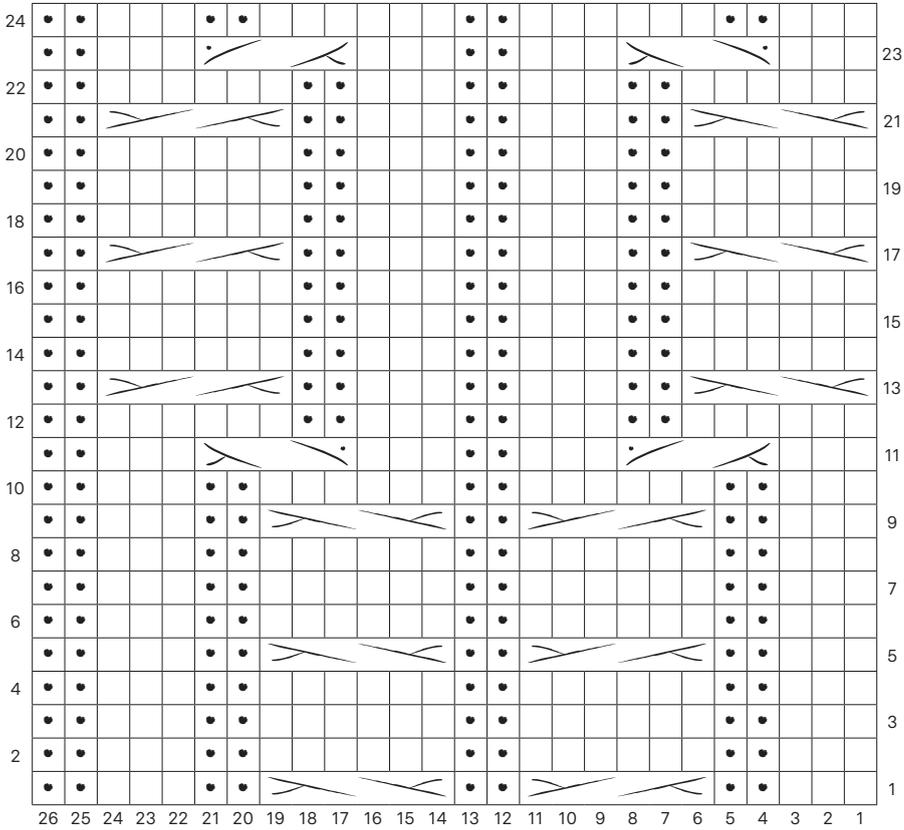


CHART B

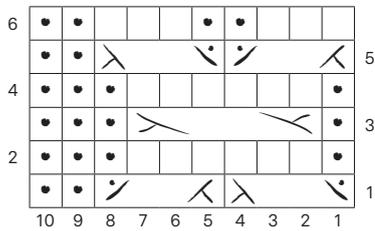
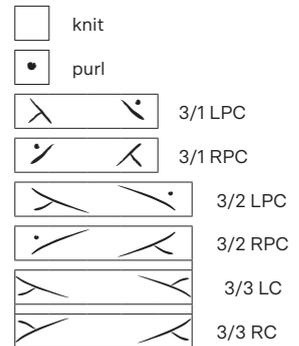
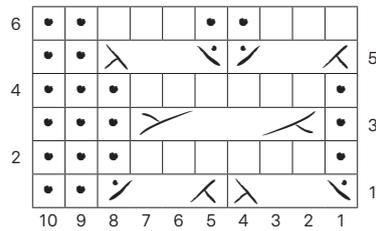


CHART C





# 118

# Mother Hood

*Mother Hood* is the warm hug you need when you are unwell. Soft, relaxed, yet utterly secure. Knit a *Mother Hood* to keep you warm when you need a little extra softness in your life—both in your hands and when you are finished.



*Mother Hood* is worked from the bottom up in the round and flat, seamlessly. After working the neck section, decreases are worked slowly to create a relaxed curve over the head. Lastly, stitches are picked up around the facial opening to create a sturdy edge.

## Sizes

One size.

## Finished measurements

**Width:** 23.25" / 59 cm.

**Length:** 17.25" / 44 cm.

## Materials

**Yarn:** Camellia Fiber Co Boucle Fingering – 77% baby alpaca, 23% silk, 100 g / 438 yds / 400 m.

**Color used:** Peach Ranunculus.

**Yarn amount:** 294 yds / 269 m.

**Needles:** US 4 / 3.5 mm and US 2 / 2.75 mm circular needles.

**Other:** Tapestry needle, scrap yarn.

## Gauge

22 sts × 22 rows in 2 x 2 rib in 4" / 10 cm, worked flat and in the round on larger needles.

## PATTERN

### BODY

Using the long-tail method and larger needles, CO 128 sts. PM for BOR and join to work in the round. Switch to smaller needles.

**Rnd 1:** \*k2, p2\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 1 until work measures 5" / 13 cm.

### Separate to work flat

When binding off on the following row, do not use the last st before the BO to begin binding off. Instead,

begin the BO by knitting 2 sts and pulling the first over the second as your first bound off st.

**Row 1 (RS):** remove BOR m, k3, bind off 16 sts, \*k2, p2\*, rep \*-\* to last 3 sts, k3. (16 sts dec'd)

**Row 2 (WS):** p3, k2, \*p2, k2\*, rep \*-\* to last 3 sts, p3.

**Row 3:** k3, p2, \*k2, p2\*, rep \*-\* to last 3 sts, k3.

**Row 4:** p3, k2, \*p2, k2\*, rep \*-\* to last 3 sts, p3.

Rep Rows 3–4 18 more times. On the next row, place markers:

**Row 5:** k3, p2, \*k2, p2\*, rep \*-\* 10 more times, PM, k2, \*p2, k2\*, rep \*-\* 2 more times, p2, \*k2, p2\*, rep \*-\* to last 3 sts, k3.

**Row 6:** same as Row 4.

112 sts

## CROWN SHAPING

**Row 7 (RS):** work in patt to 3 sts bef m, ssk, p1, sm, work in patt to m, sm, p1, k2tog, work in patt to end. (2 sts dec'd)

**Row 8 (WS):** work in patt (k the k sts, p the p sts). Rep Rows 7–8 one more time.

**Row 9:** work in patt to 3 sts bef m, p2tog, p1, sm, work in patt to m, sm, p1, ssp, work in patt to end. (2 sts dec'd)

**Row 10:** work in patt. Rep Rows 9–10 one more time. 104 sts

**Row 11:** work in patt to 3 sts bef m, ssk, p1, sm, work in patt to m, sm, p1, k2tog, work in patt to end. (2 sts dec'd)

**Row 12:** work in patt to 3 sts bef m, p2tog, k1, sm, work in patt to m, sm, k1, ssp, work in patt to end. (2 sts dec'd)

**Row 13:** work in patt to 3 sts bef m, p2tog, p1, sm, work in patt to m, sm, p1, ssp, work in patt to end. (2 sts dec'd)

**Row 14:** work in patt to 3 sts bef m, ssk, k1, sm, work in patt to m, sm, k1, k2tog, work in patt to end. (2 sts dec'd)

Rep Rows 11–14 nine more times, then rep Rows 11–12 once more.

**Row 15:** ssk, p1, sm, work in patt to m, sm, p1, k2tog. (2 sts dec'd)



**Row 16:** p2tog, rm, work in patt to m, rm, ssp. (2 sts dec'd)

**Row 17:** ssk, work in patt to last 2 sts, k2tog. (2 sts dec'd)  
14 sts

Bind off all sts in patt and break yarn.

## EDGE

Beginning at the center of the under chin area, going up and around the facial opening and ending where you began, pick up and knit 118 sts (1 st into every 2 edge sts) along the edge, with smaller size needles. PM for BOR and join to work in the round.  
118 sts

**Rnd 1:** \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.  
Rep Rnd 1 until edge measures 1.5" / 4 cm.  
Bind off loosely, in patt.

## FINISHING

Break yarn, weave in ends and wet block to measurements.

# 122

# Swoncho Cape

A simple, cozy garment to wear on days you just want to stay home, sip a cup of tea and watch the world through your window. Or dress it up with a statement necklace and your favorite pair of jeans if you just have to leave home. Versatility and simplicity, hand in hand.



*Swoncho Cape* is worked from the top down, both flat and in the round, seamlessly in stockinette stitch. The back yoke is worked first, followed by each side of the front yoke before connecting into one piece. Once the underarm is reached, the front and back join together for some stockinette in the round and a garter stitch hem. A simple collar and sleeves are worked in half-twisted rib stitch, to finish the project.

### Sizes

(1) 2 (3) 4

### Finished measurements

**Bust circumference:** (52) 64 (76) 88" / (132) 162.5 (193) 223.5 cm.

**Body length at front:** 16.5" / 42 cm.

**Body length at back:** 22.25" / 56.5 cm.

Sleeves are worked in half-twisted rib and are quite stretchy, with great recovery.

**Sleeve length:** 13" / 33 cm.

**Sleeve circumference:** (10.25) 12.5 (14.5) 16.75" / (26) 32 (37) 42.5 cm, unstretched.

**Suggested fit:** 20–36" / 51–91.5 cm positive ease.

### Materials

**Yarn:** mYak Fibers Tibetan Cloud 100% Tibetan sheep wool 100 g / 3.52oz, 328 yds / 300 m.

**Color used:** Black Petunia.

**Yarn amount:** (1146) 1410 (1675) 1939 yds / (1048) 1290 (1532) 1774 m.

**Needles:** US 6 / 4 mm and US 4 / 3.5 mm circular needles, one additional set of circular needles in any size US 4 / 3.5 mm or smaller.

### Gauge

18 sts × 24 rows in stockinette, in 4" / 10 cm, on larger needles.

## PATTERN

### BACK YOKE

Using larger needles and the long tail CO method, CO (20) 24 (28) 32 sts.

**Set-up row (WS):** purl.

Work the first and last 2 sts in every row loosely.

Increases are made on every row, so this will greatly help to avoid a tight edge.

**Row 1 (RS):** k2, m1L, k to last 2 sts, m1R, k2. (+2 sts)

**Row 2 (WS):** p2, m1Rp, p to last 2 sts, m1Lp, p2.

(+2 sts)

**Rep Rows 1–2:** (22) 27 (32) 37 more times. Break yarn and place sts on scrap yarn or st holder.

(112) 136 (160) 184 sts

### FRONT YOKE

#### Left (when worn) front

With larger needles, beginning at the cast on edge and going down the sloped edge to where the sts are held, pick up and knit (47) 57 (67) 77 sts along the left side of the back piece (1 into every edge st) + make 1 new st at the end.

(48) 58 (68) 78 sts

**Next row (WS):** purl.

#### Decrease at armhole edge:

**Row 1 (RS):** k to last 4 sts, ssk, k2. (-1 st)

**Row 2 (WS):** purl.

**Row 3:** knit.

**Row 4:** purl.

Rep Rows 1–4 three more times.

(44) 54 (64) 74 sts

Increase at neck edge and continue decreasing at armhole edge:

**Row 5:** k2, m1L, k to last 4 sts, ssk, k2.

**Row 6:** purl.

**Row 7:** k2, m1L, k to end. (+1 st)

**Row 8:** purl.

Rep Rows 5–8 three more times.

(48) 58 (68) 78 sts





**Increase at neck edge:**

**Row 9:** k2, m1L, k to end. (+1 st)

**Row 10:** p to last 2 sts, m1Rp, p2. (+1 st)

Rep Rows 9–10 one more time. Break yarn and place sts on scrap yarn or st holder.

(52) 62 (72) 82 sts

**Right (when worn) front**

With larger needles, beginning at where the back sts are held, make one st; going up the sloped edge to the cast one edge, pick up and knit (47) 57 (67) 77 sts (1 into every edge st) + make 1 new st at the end.

(48) 58 (68) 78 sts

Next row (WS): purl.

**Decrease at armhole edge:**

**Row 1 (RS):** k2, k2tog, k to end. (-1 st)

**Row 2 (WS):** purl.

**Row 3:** knit.

**Row 4:** purl.

Rep Rows 1–4 three more times.

(44) 54 (64) 74 sts

**Increase at neck edge and continue decreasing at armhole edge:**

**Row 5:** k2, k2tog, k to last 2 sts, m1R, k2.

**Row 6:** purl.

**Row 7:** k to last 2 sts, m1R, k2. (+1 st)

**Row 8:** purl.

Rep Rows 5–8 three more times.

(48) 58 (68) 78 sts

**Increase at neck edge:**

**Row 9:** k to last 2 sts, m1R, k2. (+1 st)

**Row 10:** p2, m1Rp, p to end. (+1 st)

Rep Rows 9–10 one more time.

(52) 62 (72) 82 sts

**Join front**

Place left front sts back onto needles. Continue where you left off working on the right front: k to

last 2 sts, m1R, k2, using the backwards loop method, CO (6) 10 (14) 18 sts. Join to left: k2, m1L, k to end. (112) 136 (160) 184 sts

**Next row (WS):** purl.

Work in stockinette for (18) 28 (38) 48 rows.

## BODY

### Join front and back

**Set-up row:** k2, m1L, k to last 2 sts, m1R, k2. Using the backwards loop method, CO (3) 6 (9) 12 sts and PM for side in the middle of the cast on sts. Place back sts back onto needles and join: k2, m1L, k to last 2 sts, m1R, k2. Using the backwards loop method, CO (3) 6 (9) 12 sts, PM for BOR in the middle of the cast on sts and join to work in the round. (234) 288 (342) 396 sts

Work in stockinette until work measures 15.5" / 39.5 cm from the cast on underarm sts.

### Short row tail shaping

**Row 1 (RS):** k (6) 9 (12) 15, w&t.

**Row 2 (WS):** \*p to m, sm\*, rep \*-\* once more, p (6) 9 (12) 15, w&t.

**Row 3:** \*k to m, sm\*, rep \*-\* once more, k to 5 sts bef the last wrapped st, w&t.

**Row 4:** \*p to m, sm\*, rep \*-\* once more, p to 5 sts bef the last wrapped st, w&t.

Rep Rows 3-4 (11) 14 (17) 20 more times.

**Row 5:** k to BOR.

Knit one round, resolving all of the wrapped sts as you come to them.

## Hem

**Rnd 1:** knit.

**Rnd 2:** purl.

Rep Rnds 1-2 three more times.

Bind off, loosely.

## NECKBAND

Pick up smaller size needles.

Beginning at the right back shoulder seam, pick up and knit (82) 88 (94) 100 sts around the neckline (about 4 into every 5 sts). PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

**Rnd 1:** \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 1 seven more times. Bind off in patt.

## SLEEVE

*Both sleeves are worked the same.*

Beginning at the center of the underarm, with smaller needles pick up and knit (46) 56 (66) 76 sts along the armhole edge (about 2 sts into every 3 edge sts). PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

**Rnd 1:** \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 1 until sleeve measures 13" / 33 cm.

Bind off, in patt.

Repeat for second sleeve.

## FINISHING

Weave in ends and wet block to measurements.

# 128

# Vyshyvanka

*Vyshyvanka* is inspired by a part of my native Ukraine's traditional national costume: the hand-embroidered blouse. Similarly to the cross stitch patterns that pop against the fabric, the slip stitch pattern on this shawl creates a textured effect. *Vyshyvanka* is a relaxing, quick knit that finishes as an accessory shawl — great for summer nights.





*Vyshyvanka* is worked in stockinette, garter and slip stitch patterns. Beginning at the center top of the work with a garter-tab cast-on, stitches are increased at the center and each edge every other row to create a triangle shaped shawl.

### Sizes

One size

### Finished measurements

**Width:** approximately 50.25" / 127.5 cm.

**Height:** approximately 19.25" / 49 cm.

### Materials

**Yarn:** mYak Baby Camel – 100% baby camel 50 g / 1.76oz / 190 yds / 175 m.

**Colors used:** Thar (MC), Copper Red (CC).

**MC:** 175 yds / 160 m.

**CC:** 148 yds / 136 m.

**Needles:** US 5 / 3.75 mm circular needles.

**Other:** Tapestry needle for weaving in ends.

### Gauge

22 sts × 28 rows in stockinette and slip stitch worked flat, in 4" / 10 cm.

## PATTERN

### CAST ON

With MC and the long tail CO method, CO 3 sts. Knit 6 rows and do not turn after the last one. Turn work 90 degrees clockwise and pick up and knit 3 sts along the edge. Turn work clockwise again and pick up and knit 3 sts along the CO edge.  
9 sts

## BODY

### Section 1

**Row 1 (RS):** k3, yo, k1, yo, PM, k1, PM, yo, k1, yo, k3. (+4 sts)

**Row 2 (WS):** k3, purl to last 3 sts, k3.

**Row 3:** k3, yo, k to m, yo, sm, k1, sm, yo, k to last 3 sts, yo, k3. (+4 sts)

**Row 4:** k3, purl to last 3 sts, k3.

Rep Rows 3–4 16 more times. Join CC.

81 sts

### Slip stitch repeat

Drop MC, pick up CC.

**Row 1:** k3, yo, k4, \*sll wyib, (k1, sll wyib) 3 times, k4\*, rep \*-\* to m, yo, sm, k1, sm, yo, k4, \*8sll wyib, (k1, sll wyib) 3 times, k4\*, rep \*-\* to last 3 sts, yo, k3. (+4 sts)

**Row 2:** k the CC sts, sll wyif the MC sts to m, sm, p1, sm, k the CC sts, sll wyif the MC sts to end.

Drop CC, pick up MC.

**Row 3:** k3, yo, k to m, yo, sm, k1, sm, yo, k to last 3 sts, yo, k3. (+4 sts)

**Row 4:** k3, purl to last 3 sts, k3.

Drop MC, pick up CC.

**Row 5:** k3, yo, k1, sll wyib, k4, \*sll wyib, (k1, sll wyib) 3 times, k4\*, rep \*-\* to 2 sts bef m, sll wyib, k1, yo, sm, k1, sm, yo, k1, sll wyib, k4, \*sll wyib, (k1, sll wyib) 3 times, k4\*, rep \*-\* to last 5 sts, sll wyib, k1, yo, k3. (+4 sts)

**Row 6:** k the CC sts, sll wyif the MC sts to m, sm, p1, sm, k the CC sts, sll wyif the MC sts to end.

Drop CC, pick up MC.

**Rows 7–8:** same as Rows 3–4.

Drop MC, pick up CC.

**Row 9:** k3, yo, \*k1, sll wyib\* twice, k4, \*sll wyib, (k1, sll wyib) 3 times, k4\*, rep \*-\* to 4 sts bef m, sll wyib, k1, sll wyib, k1, yo, sm, k1, sm, yo, k1, sll wyib, k1, sll wyib, k4, \*sll wyib, (k1, sll wyib) 3 times, k4\*, rep \*-\* to last 7 sts, sll wyib, k1, sll wyib, k1, yo, k3. (+4 sts)

**Row 10:** k the CC sts, sll wyif the MC sts to m, sm, p1, sm, k the CC sts, sll wyif the MC sts to end.

Drop CC, pick up MC.

**Rows 11–12:** same as Rows 3–4.

Drop MC, pick up CC.

**Row 13:** k3, yo, \*kl, sl1 wyib\*, rep \*-\* 2 more times, k4, \*sl1 wyib, (kl, sl1 wyib) 3 times, k4\*, rep \*-\* to 6 sts bef m, \*sl1 wyib, kl\*, rep \*-\* 2 more times, yo, sm, kl, sm, yo, \*kl, sl1 wyib\*, rep \*-\* 2 more times, k4, \*sl1 wyib, (kl, sl1 wyib) 3 times, k4\*, rep \*-\* to last 9 sts, \*sl1 wyib, kl\*, rep \*-\* 2 more times, yo, k3. (+4 sts)

**Row 14:** k the CC sts, sl1 wyif the MC sts to m, sm, pl, sm, k the CC sts, sl1 wyif the MC sts to end.

Drop CC, pick up MC.

**Rows 15–16:** same as Rows 3–4.

Drop MC, pick up CC.

**Row 17:** k3, yo, kl, \*sl1 wyib, (kl, sl1 wyib) 3 times, k4\*, rep \*-\* to 8 sts bef m, \*sl1 wyib, kl\*, rep \*-\* to m, yo, sm, kl, sm, yo, \*kl, sl1 wyib\*, rep \*-\* 3 more times, \*k4, sl1 wyib, (kl, sl1 wyib) 3 times\*, rep \*-\* to last 4 sts, kl, yo, k3. (+4 sts)

**Row 18:** k the CC sts, sl1 wyif the MC sts to m, sm, pl, sm, k the CC sts, sl1 wyif the MC sts to end. 117 sts

## Section 2

Drop CC, pick up MC.

**Row 1:** k3, yo, k to m, yo, sm, kl, sm, yo, k to last 3 sts, yo, k3. (+4 sts)

**Row 2:** k3, purl to last 3 sts, k3.

**Rows 3–6:** rep Rows 1–2 twice.

Drop MC, pick up CC.

**Row 7:** k3, yo, k to m, yo, sm, kl, sm, yo, k to last 3 sts, yo, k3. (+4 sts)

**Row 8:** k to m, sm, pl, k to end.

**Rows 9–10:** rep Rows 7–8 once.

Drop CC, pick up MC.

**Rows 11–12:** rep Rows 1–2 once.

Drop MC, pick up CC.

**Rows 13–20:** rep Rows 7–8 four times.

Drop CC, pick up MC.

**Rows 21–22:** rep Rows 1–2 once.

Now rep Rows 7–22 once, then rep Rows 7–10 once.

Finally, rep Rows 1–6 once.

213 sts

Work the “Slip stitch repeat” section from earlier.

249 sts

## Section 3

Drop CC, pick up MC.

**Row 1:** k3, yo, k to m, yo, sm, kl, sm, yo, k to last 3 sts, yo, k3. (+4 sts)

**Row 2:** k3, purl to last 3 sts, k3.

**Rows 3–6:** rep Rows 1–2 once.

Cut MC, pick up CC.

**Row 7:** k3, yo, k to m, yo, sm, kl, sm, yo, k to last 3 sts, yo, k3. (+4 sts)

**Row 8:** k to m, sm, pl, k to end.

**Rows 9–12:** rep Rows 7–8 twice.

**Row 13:** k3, yo, k to m, yo, sm, kl, sm, yo, k to last 3 sts, yo, k3. (+4 sts)

277 sts

Bind off loosely. You may want to use a needle in 2–3 sizes larger than what you have been working with, to ensure a consistent, stretchy bind off.

## FINISHING

Weave in ends and wet block to measurements.



# 134

# Shapka

*Shapka* is a modern ribbed hat that adds a bit of effortless style to any outfit. Its shape offers structure, while a fluffy yarn softens the look. This hat is great for gift knitting and a sweet palate cleanser project.



*Shapka* is knitted in 2 × 2 rib, in the round, seamlessly. Beginning at the brim, the relaxing rib is worked until the crown shaping. A series of decreases cinch towards the tip of the hat quickly and you'll have a new hat in no time.

## Sizes

1 (2) 3

## Finished measurements

**Circumference:** 18 (22) 26" / 46 (56) 66 cm.

**Length from cast on edge to tip:** 9 (10.5) 11.75" / 23 (26.5) 30 cm.

Rib stitch is very stretchy horizontally and has great recovery, so the sizing is flexible. Choose a larger size if you would like a looser fit or a smaller size for a tight fit.

## Materials

**Yarn:** Katia – Air Alpaca Natural Colors: concept superfine alpaca (worsted); 60% superfine alpaca, 17% cotton, 13% polyamide, 10% merino – 50 g / 147 yds / 147 m.

**Color used:** Brown-beige (203).

**Yarn amount:** 117 (140) 167 yds / 107 (128) 153 m.

**Needles:** US 6 / 4 mm short cable needles and DPNs or long cabled needles to use with magic loop method for crown shaping.

**Other:** Tapestry needle for weaving in ends.

## Gauge

16 sts × 20 rows in 2 × 2 rib in 4" / 10 cm, in the round.

## PATTERN

### HAT BODY

Using Jeny's Super Stretchy Cast On Method, CO 72 (88) 104 sts. PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

**Rnd 1:** \*k1, p2, k1\*, rep \*-\* 9 (10) 11 more times, PM,

\*k1, p2, k1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Rnd 2:** \*k1, p2, k1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 2 until work measures 7 (7.5) 8" / 18 (19) 20 cm from the cast on edge.

**Note:** if you prefer a fold over brim, work Rnd 2 for 2" / 5 cm longer. Just remember that this will add to the yarn amount needed to finish your hat.

## CROWN SHAPING

Switch to either DPNs or long cabled needles (to use with magic loop method).

**Rnd 1:** \*k1, p2, k1, ssk, (p1, k2, p1) to 6 sts bef m, k2tog, k1, p2, k1, sm\*, rep \*-\* once more (-4 sts)

**Rnd 2:** \*k1, p2, k1, ssk, k2, (p2, k2) to 6 sts bef m, k2tog, k1, p2, k1, sm\*, rep \*-\* once more. (-4 sts)

**Rnd 3:** \*k1, p2, k1, ssk, (k1, p2, k1), rep (-) to 6 sts bef m, k2tog, k1, p2, k1, sm\*, rep \*-\* once more. (-4 sts)

**Rnd 4:** \*k1, p2, k1, ssk, p2, (k2, p2), rep (-) to 6 sts bef m, k2tog, k1, p2, k1, sm\*, rep \*-\* once more. (-4 sts)

**Rep Rnds 1-4:** 1 (2) 3 more times.

40 sts for all sizes

## Crown

**Rnd 1:** \*k1, p2, k1, ssk, (p1, k2, p1), rep (-) to 6 sts bef m, k2tog, k1, p2, k1, sm\*, rep \*-\* once more. (-4 sts)

**Rnd 2:** \*k1, p1, k2tog, ssk, k2, p2, k2, k2tog, ssk, p1, k1\*, rep \*-\* once more. (-8 sts)

**Rnd 3:** \*k1, k2tog, ssk, k1, p2, k1, k2tog, ssk, k1\*, rep \*-\* once more. (-8 sts)

**Rnd 4:** \*k2tog, ssk, p2, ssk, k2tog\*, rep \*-\* once more. (-8 sts)

**Rnd 5:** \*ssk, p2, k2tog\*, rep \*-\* once more. (-4 sts)  
8 sts for all sizes

## FINISHING

Cut yarn, leaving a 8" / 20 cm tail. Thread the yarn onto a tapestry needle and run the needle through the remaining stitches. Tighten gently, being careful not to break the yarn. Pull the needle and yarn through the center of the tip of the hat towards the inside of the hat and weave in the end. Wet block, but don't stretch the hat horizontally, to ensure a snug fit.



# 138

# Tulpan

*Tulpan* is the Ukrainian word for “tulip”, and that is what inspired this garment. Nature has always brought much inspiration to my designs, with flowers often serving as the focal point. I hope that you take the time to delight in choosing your colors for this project as much as you enjoy making and wearing your colorful new top.



*Tulpan* is worked from the top down in the round, seamlessly. It has a round yoke construction which flows effortlessly on your needles. After the collar and yoke is completed, the knitting is separated to create armholes when stitches are placed on hold on each side of work. The body is then worked in the round and a bit of colorwork is added before the hem. Armhole stitches are then placed back onto the needles from where the short sleeves emerge to finish the project.

### Sizes

1 (2, 3, 4) 5, 6, 7 (8, 9, 10)

### Finished measurements

**Chest circumference:** 32 (36, 40, 44) 48, 52, 56 (60, 64, 68)" / 81.5 (91.5, 101.5, 112) 122, 132, 142 (152.5, 162.5, 173) cm.

**Body length (underarm to hem):** 9" / 23 cm.

**Sleeve circumference:** 12 (13.5, 14.25, 15.25) 16.5, 17.5, 18.25 (19.75, 20.75, 21.5)" / 30.5 (34.5, 36, 38.5) 42, 44.5, 46.5 (50, 52.5, 54.5) cm.

**Sleeve length:** 6.75" / 17 cm.

**Suggested fit:** 2–4" / 5–10 cm of positive ease.

### Materials

**Yarn:** Julie Hoover Studio Blend No.2 – 70% wool, 30% cashmere, 50 g / 1.76oz / 264 yds / 241 m.

**Colors used:** Shadow (MC), Butterscotch (CC1), Sky (CC2), Henna (CC3).

**MC:** 658 (740, 822, 905) 987, 1069, 1151 (1233, 1316, 1398) yds / 602 (659, 752, 828) 903, 977, 1053 (1128, 1204, 1279) m.

**CC1:** 153 (172, 191, 210) 229, 249, 268 (287, 306, 325) yds / 140 (158, 175, 193) 210, 228, 246 (263, 280, 298) m.

**CC2:** 156 (175, 195, 214) 234, 253, 273 (292, 312, 331) yds / 143 (160, 179, 196) 2214, 232, 250 (267, 286, 302) m.

**CC3:** 169 (190, 212, 232) 254, 275, 296 (317, 338, 359) yds / 155 (174, 194, 213) 233, 252, 271 (290, 310, 329) m.

**Needles:** US 4 / 3.5 mm (main) and US 2 / 2.75 mm (ribbing) and US 1 / 2.25 mm (cast on) circular needles.

### Gauge

24 sts × 28 rows in stockinette in 4" / 10 cm, on larger needles.

### PATTERN

#### NECKBAND

Using the smallest needles, MC and Italian Tubular cast-on method, CO 88 (90, 90, 96) 96, 102, 104 (102, 106, 108) sts.

Switch to ribbing needles.

**Row 1:** \*k1, sl1 wyif\*, rep \*-\* to end.

Rep Row 1 two more times.

PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

The marker also marks the back of neck.

**Rnd 2:** \*k1, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 2 until work measures 1" / 2.5 cm.

#### YOKE

Switch to main needles.

**Size 1:** \*k11, mL\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Size 2:** k6, mL, \*k7, mL\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Size 3:** \*k5, mL, (k4, mL) 10 times\*, rep \*-\* once more.

**Size 4:** \*k4, mL\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Size 5:** \*k3, mL\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Size 6:** \*k3, mL\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Size 7:** k2, mL, \*k3, mL, k2, mL\*, rep \*-\* to last 2 sts, k2, mL.

**Size 8:** k3, mL, \*k2 mL\*, rep \*-\* to last 3 sts, k3, mL.

**Size 9:** \*k1, mL, (k2, mL) 26 times\*, rep \*-\* once more.

**Size 10:** \*k1, mL, (k2, mL) 4 times\*, rep \*-\* to BOR. 96 (104, 112, 120) 128, 136, 144 (152, 160, 168) sts

#### Short row neck shaping

Use your favorite short row method where instructed to “turn”. I recommend the German short row method, but any will do.

**Row 1 (RS):** k 12 (14, 17, 19) 22, 25, 27 (30, 33, 35), turn.



**Row 2 (WS):** p to BOR m, sm, p 12 (14, 17, 19) 22, 25, 27 (30, 33, 35), turn.

**Row 3 (RS):** k to BOR m, sm, k to 5 sts past the last turn, turn.

**Row 4 (WS):** p to BOR m, sm, p to 5 sts past the last turn, turn.

Rep Rows 3–4 three more times.

Work 1 (1, 1, 2) 2, 3, 3 (3, 3, 4) rnd(s) in stockinette, resolving the last turn sts on the first rnd as you come to them.

Work Chart A.

312 (338, 364, 390) 416, 442, 468 (494, 520, 546) sts

Cut all yarn but MC.

*Size 1 only:* move on to “Separate for sleeves”.

*Sizes 2–10 only:* Work in stockinette until work measures – (8, 8.25, 8.5) 8.75, 9, 9.5, (10, 10.5, 11)” / – (20, 21, 21.5) 22, 23, 24 (24.5, 26.5, 28) cm when measured at the front, from the where the ribbed

collar meets the stockinette yoke. This is a good time to place all sts on a long piece of scrap yarn or stitch holder and try on your yoke. If you’d like to lengthen it, you can continue to knit in stockinette until the yoke almost reaches the desired length. Remember that blocking will make the yoke stretch a bit longer, and that you will need a little more yarn if adding to the length.

### Separate for sleeves

Remove BOR marker.

K 45 (49, 54, 59) 63, 68, 73 (77, 82, 87) sts.

Place the following 66 (71, 74, 77) 82, 85, 88 (93, 96, 99) sts on scrap yarn, for right sleeve.

Using the backwards loop method, cast on 6 (10, 12, 14) 18, 20, 22 (26, 28, 30) sts.

Knit the following 90 (98, 108, 118) 126, 136, 146 (154, 164, 174) sts.

Place the following 66 (71, 74, 77) 82, 85, 88 (93, 96, 99) sts on scrap yarn, for left sleeve.

Using the backwards loop method, cast on 6 (10, 12, 14) 18, 20, 22 (26, 28, 30) sts, placing a marker in the middle of these sts, for BOR.

192 (216, 240, 264) 288, 312, 336 (360, 384, 408) sts

## BODY

Work in stockinette until body measures 5" / 13 cm.  
Work Chart B.

To lengthen the cropped body, work more rounds of stockinette. Every 7 rounds will add 1" / 2.5 cm of length. Remember that the top will grow slightly after blocking and that this will require more yarn than the pattern states.

### Hem

Switch to ribbing needles.

**Rnd 1:** \*k1, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 1 until hem measures 2" / 5 cm.

Using the larger needle, bind off in patt.

## SLEEVE

*Both sleeves are worked the same.*

Move one set of 66 (71, 74, 77) 82, 85, 88 (93, 96, 99) sleeve sts onto main needles. Starting where the sts end and underarm begins, pick up and knit 6 (10, 12, 14) 18, 20, 22 (26, 28, 30) sts, plus one stitch on each side in the gap where the sleeve sts meet the underarm sts. PM for BOR in the middle of these cast on underarm sts.

74 (83, 88, 93) 102, 107, 112 (121, 126, 131) sts

**Rnd 1:** k until 1 st of the sleeve sts remains (bef picked up sts), ssk, k to BOR. (-2 sts)

**Rnd 2:** k to the last picked up st (bef sleeve sts), k2tog, k to BOR.

Knit 8 (1, 8, 1) 8, 1, 8 (1, 8, 1) rnds.

*Sizes 2, 4, 6, 8, 10 only:* k2tog, k to BOR. Then work 7 rnds in stockinette.

– (80, –, 90) –, 104, – (118, –, 128) sts

*All sizes resume.*

**Rnd 3:** k4, k2tog, k to last 6 sts, ssk, k4. (-2 sts)

**Rnds 4–10:** knit.

Rep Rnds 3–10 two more times.

68 (74, 82, 84) 96, 98, 106 (112, 120, 122) sts

### Cuff

Switch to ribbing needles.

**Rnd 1:** \*k1, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 1 until hem measures 2" / 5 cm.

Using the main needle, bind off in patt.

Repeat for second sleeve.

## FINISHING

Weave in ends and wet block to measurements.



CHART A

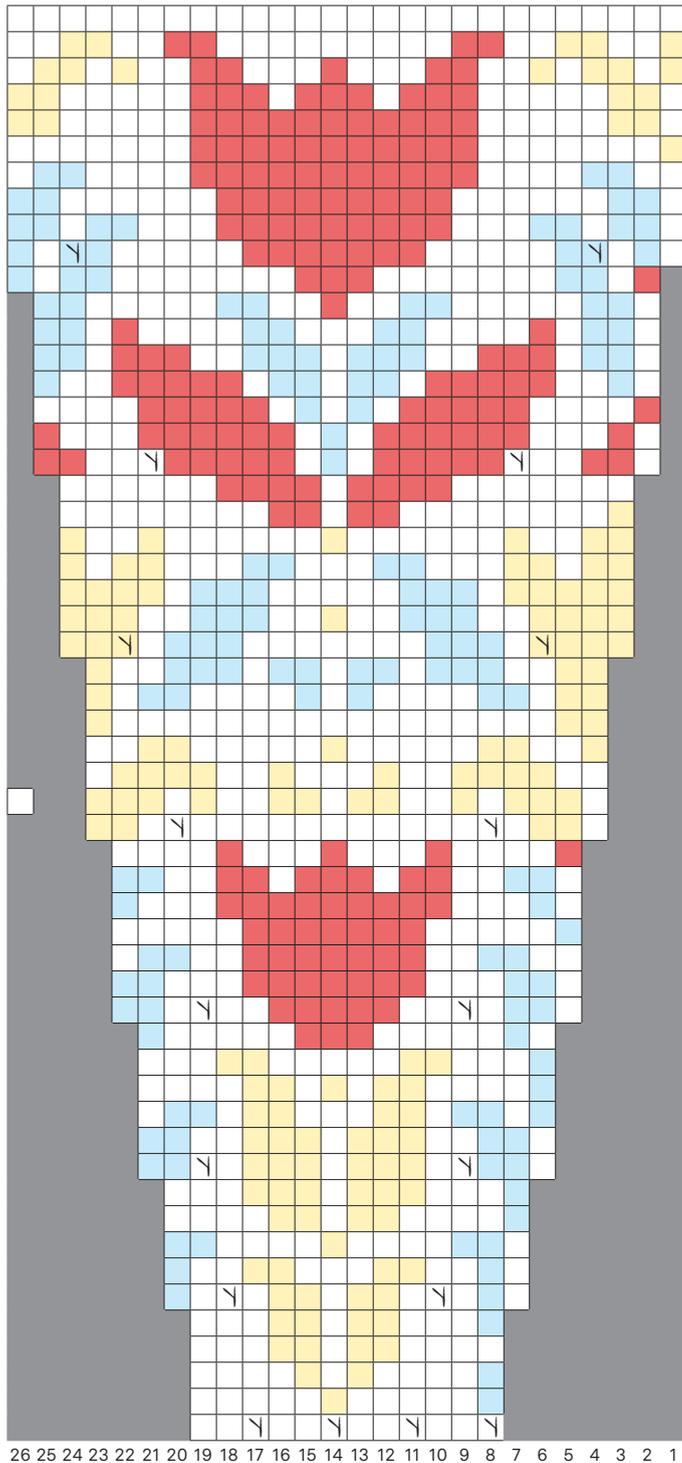
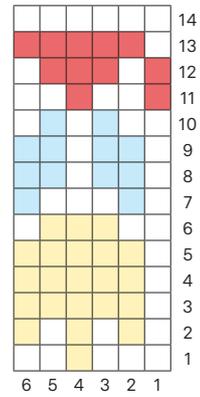


CHART B



- MC
- no stitch
- CC1
- CC2
- CC3
- ↙ m1L
- ↙ m1L
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# 146

# Kolonia

“Kolonia” is Ukrainian for “colony”. If you’ve ever seen a honeycomb, you know how incredible the structure is. As you work on your *Kolonia*—full of honeycomb cable stitch—I encourage you to seek out some fun facts about bees and how their colony operates. I know you will be incredibly intrigued! The sweater is full of honeycomb stitch, a little bit of lace down the middle, and half-twisted rib sleeves—a rhythmic knit with lots of squish in your hands.





*Kolonia* is worked from the bottom up, in the round and flat, seamlessly. When you finish working the lower body in the round, the front and back yokes are worked flat. After joining the two at the shoulders, a plush double collar is knitted, folded and whip stitched to the inside. Lastly, sleeves emerge from the picked up stitches around the armhole, and short rows are worked to create a beautiful classic shoulder and sleeve shape.

### Sizes

(1, 2, 3) 4, 5, 6 (7, 8)

### Finished measurements

**Chest:** (33.25, 38.5, 44) 49.25, 54.5, 60 (65.25, 70.5)" / (84.5, 98, 112) 125, 138.5, 152.5 (166, 179) cm.

**Body length (underarm to hem):** 14" / 35.5 cm.

**Upper sleeve circumference:** (13.5, 15.25, 16.25) 18, 19.75, 20.75 (22.5, 23.5)" / (34.5, 38.5, 41.5) 45.5, 50, 53 (57, 60) cm.

**Sleeve length:** 17.5" / 44.5 cm.

**Suggested fit:** 2–4" / 5–10 cm positive ease.

### Materials

**Yarn:** mYak Fibers Baby Yak Lace – 100% baby yak, 50 g / 1.76 oz / 383 yds / 350 m – held double.

**Color used:** Mustard.

**Yarn amount:** (1919, 2224, 2535) 2854, 3175, 3498 (3851, 4187) yds / (1755, 2034, 2319) 2610, 2904, 3199 (3522, 3829) m.

**Needles:** US 4 / 3.5 mm and US 2 / 2.75mm circular needles.

### Gauge

24 sts × 28 rows in honeycomb cable pattern (Chart A) in 4" / 10 cm, in the round and flat, on larger needles.

20 sts × 24 rows in \*k1 tbl, p1\* in 4" / 10 cm, in the round on larger needles.

## PATTERN

### LOWER BODY

#### Hem

Using smaller needles, CO (200, 232, 264) 296, 328, 360 (392, 424) sts using the long-tail cast-on method. PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

**Rnd 1:** \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 1 until hem measures 1.5" / 4 cm. Work Rnd 1 one more time while placing sts, as follows: work (47, 55, 63) 71, 79, 87 (95, 103) sts, PM, work 13 sts, PM, work (40, 48, 56) 64, 72, 80 (88, 96) sts, PM (side), work (47, 55, 63) 71, 79, 87 (95, 103) sts, PM, work 13 sts, PM, work to BOR.

#### Body

Switch to larger needles.

**Rnd 1:** \*p1, (k1 tbl, p1) 3 times total, work Chart A to m, sm, p1, k1 tbl, p1, yo, ssk, p1, k1 tbl, p1, k2tog, yo, p1, k1 tbl, p1, sm, work Chart A to m, sm\*, rep \*-\* once more.

**Rnd 2:** \* p1, (k1 tbl, p1) 3 times total, work Chart A to m, sm, (p1, k1 tbl, p1, k2) twice, p1, k1 tbl, p1, sm, work Chart A to m, sm\*, rep \*-\* once more.

Rep Rnds 1–2 until Chart A has been worked 22 times total.

### UPPER BODY

#### Separate front and back

Remove BOR m, p1.

K1 tbl, p1, k1 tbl, p1, k1 tbl – place these 5 sts on a piece of scrap yarn for left underarm.

**Next:** p1, work Chart A to m, sm, p1, k1 tbl, p1, yo, ssk, p1, k1 tbl, p1, k2tog, yo, p1, k1 tbl, p1, sm, work Chart A to m, rm, p1 – place these (95, 111, 127) 143, 159, 175 (191, 207) sts you just worked onto scrap yarn or stitch holder – this will later become the front yoke. k1 tbl, p1, k1 tbl, p1, k1 tbl – place the 5 sts on scrap yarn for right underarm. P1, work Chart A to m, sm, p1, k1 tbl, p1, yo, ssk, p1, k1 tbl, p1, k2tog, yo,

pl, kl tbl, pl, sm, work Chart A to last st, pl. You will now be working flat on the back yoke.

(95, 111, 127) 143, 159, 175 (191, 207) sts

### Back yoke

**Set up row (WS):** kl, p to m, sm, \*(kl, pl tbl, kl, p2) twice, kl, pl tbl, kl\*, rep \*-\* to m, sm, p to last st, kl.

**Row 1 (RS):** pl, work Chart B to m, sm, pl, kl tbl, pl, yo, ssk, pl, kl tbl, pl, k2tog, yo, pl, kl tbl, pl, sm, work Chart C to last st, pl.

**Row 2 (WS):** kl, work Chart C to m, sm, \*kl, pl tbl, kl, p2\*, rep \*-\* once more, pl, kl tbl, pl, sm, work Chart B to last st, kl.

Rep Rows 1-2 until you have worked through the entire Chart B and Chart C.

(79, 95, 111) 127, 143, 159 (175, 191) sts

**Row 3 (RS):** pl, work Chart A to m, sm, pl, kl tbl, pl, yo, ssk, pl, kl tbl, pl, k2tog, yo, pl, kl tbl, pl, sm, work Chart A to last st, pl.

**Row 4 (WS):** kl, work Chart A to m, sm, \*pl, kl tbl, pl, k2\*, rep \*-\* once more, pl, kl tbl, pl, sm, work Chart A to last st, kl.

Rep Rows 3-4 until you have worked through Chart A (5, 6, 7) 9, 10, 11 (13, 14) times total.

### Separate shoulders

*Sizes 1, 2, 5, 6 only:*

**Row 1 (RS):** pl, work Chart A (3, 4, -) -, 6, 7 (-, -) times total, 2/2RC, k2tog, kl. Bind off (15, 15, -) -, 31, 31 (-, -) sts. Ssk, 2/2LC, work Chart A to last st, pl.

*Sizes 3, 4, 7, 8 only:*

**Row 1 (RS):** pl, work Chart A (-, -, 5) 6, -, - (8, 9) times total, k2tog, kl. Bind off (-, -, 23) 23, -, - (39, 39) sts. Ssk, work Chart A to last st, pl.  
(31, 39, 43) 51, 55, 63 (67, 75) sts

### Left (when worn) back shoulder

You can let the right shoulder sts rest on your needles but if you prefer, you can move them to scrap yarn or a st holder.

**Set-up row (WS):** kl, work Chart A (2, 3, 3) 4, 5, 6 (6, 7) times, PM, work Chart (D, D, E) E, D, D (E, E) to end.

**Row 1 (RS):** work Chart (D, D, E) E, D, D (E, E) to m, sm, work Chart A to last st, pl.

**Row 2 (WS):** kl, work Chart A m, sm, work Chart (D, D, E) E, D, D (E, E) to end.

Rep Rows 1-2 until you've worked through Chart (D, D, E) E, D, D (E, E).

Break yarn and place sts on scrap yarn or st holder, removing the marker as you come to it.

(18, 26, 30) 38, 42, 50 (54, 62) sts

### Right (when worn) back shoulder

Join yarn ready to work a WS row.

**Set-up row (WS):** work Chart (F, F, G) G, F, F (G, G), PM, work Chart A to last st, kl.

**Row 1 (RS):** pl, work Chart A to m, sm, work Chart (F, F, G) G, F, F (G, G).

**Row 2 (WS):** work Chart (F, F, G) G, F, F (G, G) to m, sm, work Chart A to last st, kl.

Rep Rows 1-2 until you've worked through Chart (F, F, G) G, F, F (G, G).

Break yarn and place sts on scrap yarn or st holder, removing the marker as you come to it.

(18, 26, 30) 38, 42, 50 (54, 62) sts

### Front yoke

Place front sts back onto larger needles. Join yarn ready to work a WS row.

**Set up row (WS):** kl, p to m, sm, \*pl, kl tbl, pl, k2\*, rep \*-\* once more, pl, kl tbl, pl, sm, p to last st, kl.

**Row 1 (RS):** pl, work Chart B to m, sm, pl, kl tbl, pl, yo, ssk, pl, kl tbl, pl, k2tog, yo, pl, kl tbl, pl, sm, work Chart C to last st, pl.

**Row 2 (WS):** kl, work Chart C to m, sm, \*pl, kl tbl, pl, k2\*, rep \*-\* once more, pl, kl tbl, pl, sm, work Chart B to last st, kl.

Rep Rows 1-2 until you have worked through the entire Chart B and Chart C.

(79, 95, 111) 127, 143, 159 (175, 191) sts

**Row 3 (RS):** pl, work Chart A to m, sm, pl, kl tbl, pl, yo, ssk, pl, kl tbl, pl, k2tog, yo, pl, kl tbl, pl, sm, work Chart A to last st, pl.

**Row 4 (WS):** kl, work Chart A to m, sm, \*pl, kl tbl, pl, k2\*, rep \*-\* once more, pl, kl tbl, pl, sm, work

Chart A to last st, k1.  
Rep Rows 3–4 until you have worked through Chart A (3, 4, 5) 7, 8, 9 (11, 12) times total.

### Separate shoulders

*Sizes 1, 2, 5, 6 only:*

**Row 1 (RS):** p1, work Chart A (3, 4, –) –, 6, 7 (–, –) times total, 2/2RC, k2tog, k1. Bind off (15, 15, –) –, 31, 31 (–, –) sts. Ssk, 2/2LC, work Chart A to last st, p1.

*Sizes 3, 4, 7, 8 only:*

**Row 1 (RS):** p1, work Chart A (–, –, 5) 6, –, – (8, 9) times total, k2tog, k1. Bind off (–, –, 23) 23, –, – (39, 39) sts. Ssk, work Chart A to last st, p1.  
(31, 39, 43) 51, 55, 63 (67, 75) sts

*All sizes resume.*

### Right (when worn) front shoulder

You can let the left shoulder sts rest on your needles but if you prefer, you can move them to scrap yarn or a st holder.

**Set-up row (WS):** k1, p to last st, k1.

**Row 1 (RS):** work Chart (H, H, I) I, H, H (I, I), PM, work Chart A to last st, p1.

**Row 2 (WS):** k1, work Chart A m, sm, work Chart (H, H, I) I, H, H (I, I) to end.

Rep Rows 1–2 until you've worked through the entire Chart (H, H, I) I, H, H (I, I).

(18, 26, 30) 38, 42, 50 (54, 62) sts

## JOIN FRONT AND BACK SHOULDERS

Place the back right shoulder sts onto a needle and turn the sweater inside out. Bring the two sets of right shoulder sts together and join using the 3-needle bind-off on the inside of the sweater.

### Left (when worn) front shoulder

Join yarn ready to work a WS row.

**Set-up row (WS):** work Chart (J, J, K) K, J, J (K, K), PM, work Chart A to last st, k1.

**Row 1 (RS):** p1, work Chart A to m, sm, work Chart (J, J, K) K, J, J (K, K).

**Row 2 (WS):** work Chart (J, J, K) K, J, J (K, K) to m, sm, work Chart A to last st, k1.

Rep Rows 1–2 until you've worked through the entire Chart (J, J, K) K, J, J (K, K).

(18, 26, 30) 38, 42, 50 (54, 62) sts

### Join front and back left shoulders

Place the back left shoulder sts onto a needle and turn the sweater inside out. Bring the two sets of right shoulder sts together and join using the 3-needle bind-off on the inside of the sweater.

## NECKBAND

With smaller needles, beginning at the back right shoulder seam, going across the back and around the front neckline, ending where you began, pick up and knit (90, 90, 94) 94, 98, 98 (102, 102) sts – (1, 1, 7) 7, 4, 4 (3, 3) into every (1, 1, 8) 8, 5, 5 (4, 4) edge st(s). PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

**Rnd 1:** \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 1 until neckband measures 2.75" / 7 cm.

Bind off loosely, in patt. Fold the collar to the inside and whip stitch the bind off edge to the CO edge where you picked up sts for the collar.

## SLEEVE

*Both sleeves are worked the same.*

Place one set of 5 underarm sts onto a set of larger needles, PM for BOR after 2 sts. Going around the armhole opening, evenly pick up and knit (63, 71, 77) 85, 93, 99 (107, 113) sts along the edge (about 2 sts into every 3 edge sts). When you reach the underarm sts: k1 tbl, p1.

(68, 76, 82) 90, 98, 104 (112, 118) sts

**Rnd 1:** \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

### Short row sleeve cap shaping

**Row 1 (RS):** work in patt (k tbl the k sts and p the



p sts) for (40, 44, 47) 51, 55, 58 (62, 65) sts, w&t.

**Row 2 (WS):** work in patt for 12 sts, w&t.

**Row 3:** work in patt to 1 st past the last wrapped st, w&t.

**Row 4:** work in patt to 1 st past the last wrapped st, w&t.

Rep Rows 3–4 (7, 8, 9) 10, 11, 12 (13, 14) more times.

**Row 5:** \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

**Decrease repeat:**

**Rnd 1:** k1 tbl, p1, k1 tbl, p1, ssp, k1 tbl, \*p1, k1 tbl\*, rep \*-\* to last 5 sts, p2tog, p1, k1 tbl, p1. (-2 sts)

Work in patt for (7, 6, 6) 5, 4, 3 (3, 3) rounds.

**Rnd 2:** k1 tbl, p1, k1 tbl, ssp, work in patt to last 4 sts, p2tog, k1 tbl, p1. (-2 sts)

Work in patt for (7, 6, 6) 5, 4, 3 (3, 3) rounds.

Rep the decrease repeat (4, 5, 5) 6, 7, 8 (9, 10) more times.

(48, 52, 58) 62, 66, 68 (72, 74) sts

**Rnd 3:** \*k1 tbl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 3 until sleeve measures 17.5" / 44.5 cm, measuring from the underarm.

Bind off in patt.

Repeat for second sleeve.

## FINISHING

Weave in ends and wet block to measurements.

CHART A

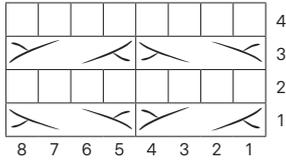
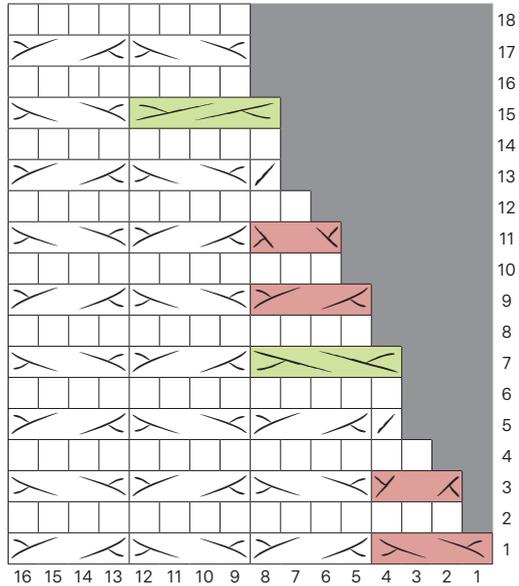


CHART B



MC – RS: knit, WS: purl

• purl

1/1 LC

1/1 RC

1/2 LC

1/2 RC

2/2 LC

2/2 RC

no stitch

k2tog

ssk

2/1 LC dec – 2/1 left cross decrease: Place 2 sts on CN and hold to front of work; k1, then ssk from CN.

2/1 RC dec – 2/1 right cross decrease: Place 1 st on CN and hold to back of work; k2tog, then k1 from CN.

2/2 LC dec – 2/2 left cross decrease: Place 2 sts on CN and hold to front of work; k2tog, then k2 from CN.

2/2 RC dec – 2/2 right cross decrease: Place 2 sts on CN and hold to back of work; ssk, then k2 from CN.

2/3 LC dec – 2/3 left cross decrease: Sl 1 st to RH needle, place 2 sts on CN and hold to front of work; k2tog the next st with the st you slipped before placing sts on CN; k1, then k2 from CN.

2/3 RC dec – 2/3 right cross decrease: Place 3 sts on CN and hold to back of work; k2, then ssk, k1 from CN.

2/3 LC dec – 2/3 left cross decrease: Place 2 sts on CN and hold to front of work; k1, k2tog, then k2 from CN.

2/3 RC dec – 2/3 right cross decrease: Place 2 sts on CN and hold to back of work; k2, then from CN: k1, ssk the last st on CN and next st on LH needle.

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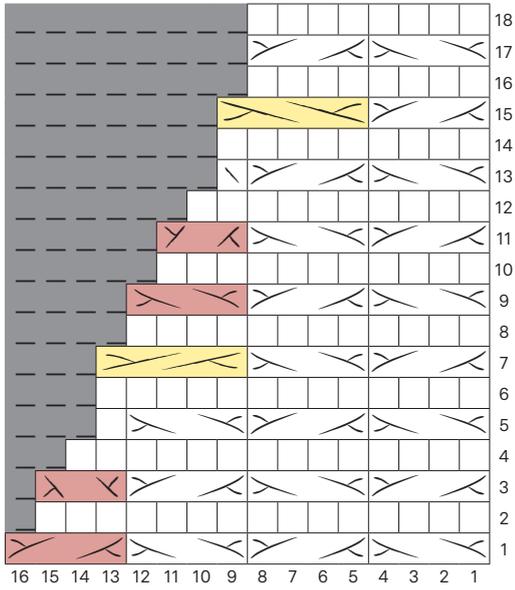


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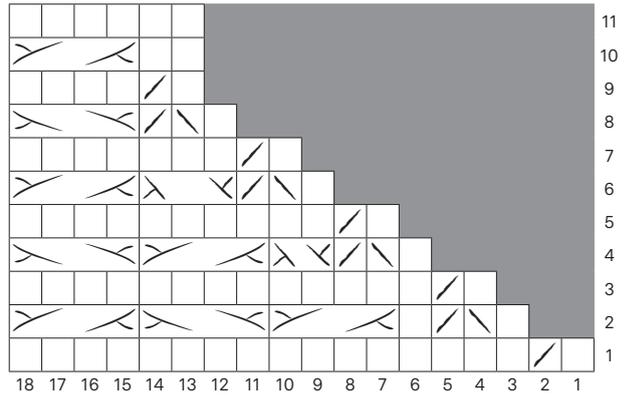


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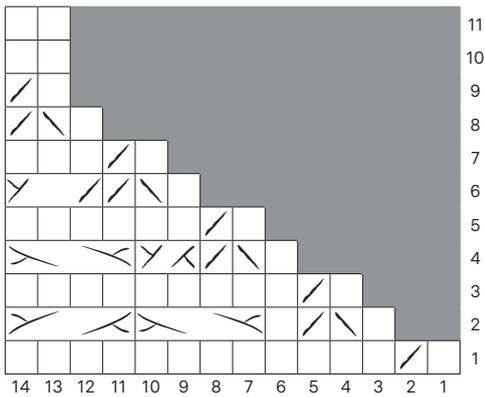


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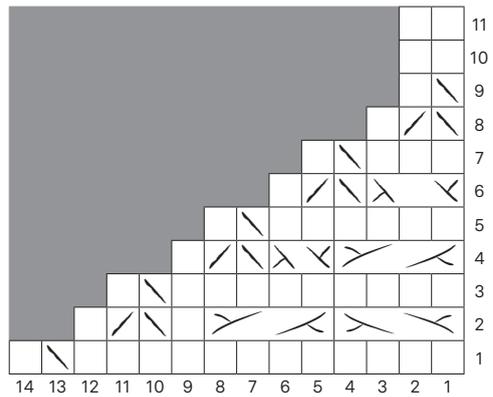


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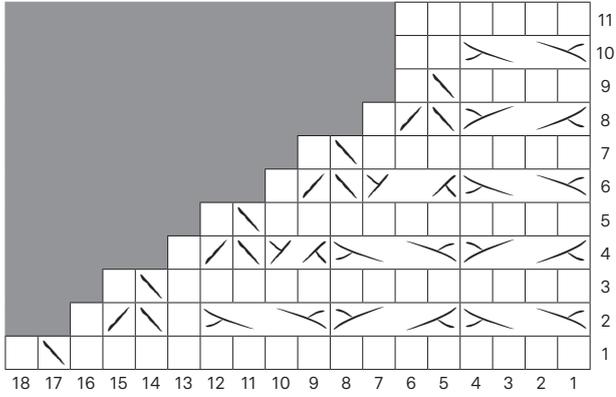


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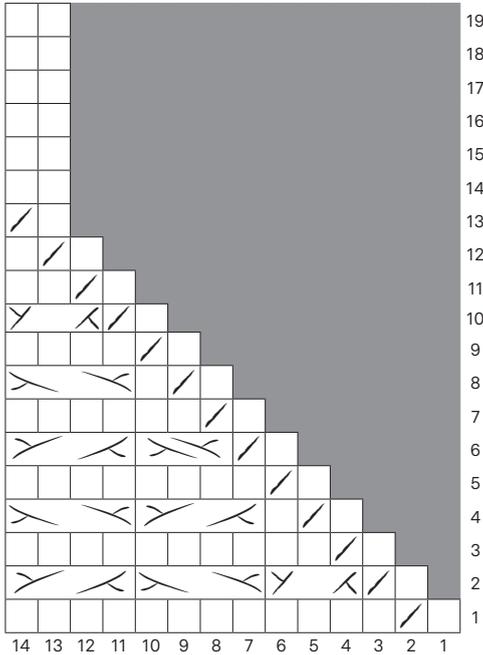


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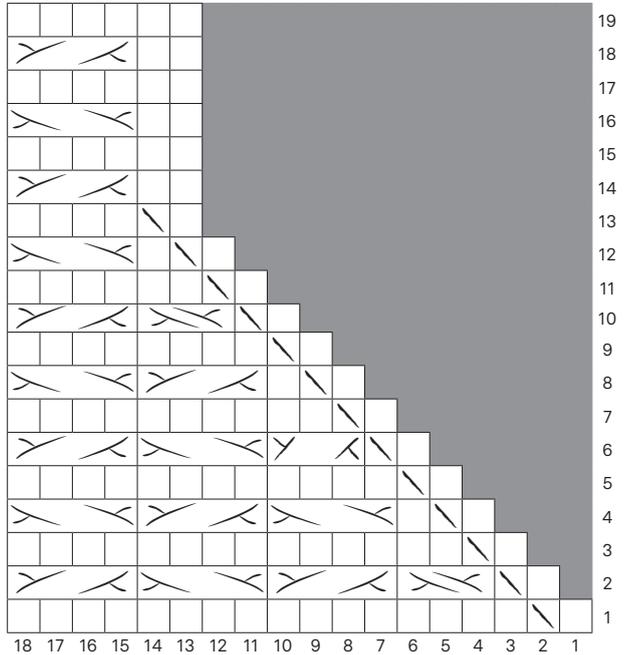


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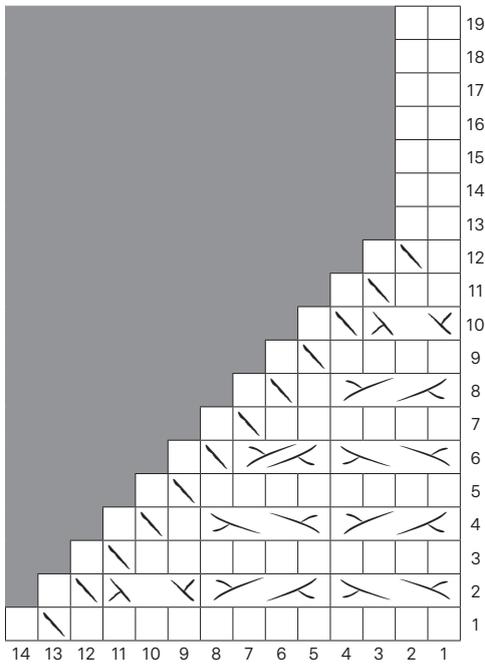
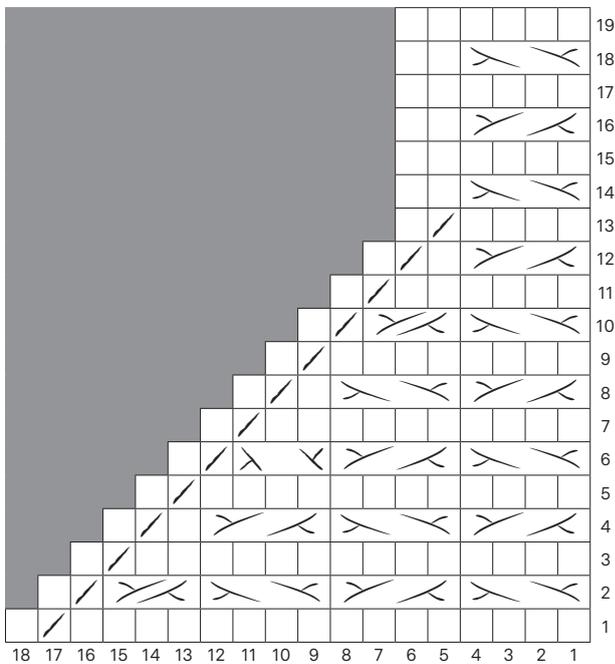


CHART K



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# Estella

*Estella* is an elegant, romantic cardigan with blousy sleeves. Graceful and dainty yet sophisticated and polished. The oversized ruffle along the collar elevates the cardigan to a refined, delicate statement piece.



*Estella* is worked from the top down, flat and in the round. After the back yoke, the two sides of the front are worked with rhythmic increases at the edge. The button band is worked right along with the lower body, after the yokes are joined at the underarm. Sleeve stitches are picked up around the armhole and worked with a bit of short row shaping. Lastly, the ruffle and collar are worked to finish the cardigan.

### Sizes

(1, 2, 3) 4, 5, 6 (7, 8, 9) 10

### Finished measurements

**Chest circumference:** (34, 38, 42) 46, 50, 54 (58, 62, 66) 70" / (86.5, 96.5, 107) 117, 127, 137 (147.5, 157.5, 167.5) 178 cm.

**Body length (from underarm to hem):** 13.25" / 33.5 cm.

**Sleeve circumference:** (14.75, 16.25, 17.5) 18.25, 19.75, 20.5 (21.75, 22.5, 23.5) 24.5" / (37.5, 41.5, 44.5) 46.5, 50, 52 (55, 57, 60) 62 cm.

**Sleeve length:** 18" / 46 cm.

**Suggested fit:** 2–6" / 5–15 cm positive ease.

### Materials

**Yarn:** Coast To Coast Alpaca Sport – 65% Baby Alpaca, 35% NSW Extrafine Merino, 100 g / 328 yds / 300 m.

**Color used:** Cornflower Bolete.

**Yarn amount:** (868, 970, 1072) 1174, 1276, 1378 (1481, 1583, 1685) 1787 yds / (794, 887, 981) 1074, 1167, 1260 (1355, 1448, 1541) 1634 m.

**Needles:** US 6 / 4 mm and US 4 / 3.5 mm circular needles.

**Other:** Tapestry needle, scrap yarn, eight 0.5" / 1.25 cm buttons.

### Gauge

20 sts × 24 rows in stockinette in the round and flat, on larger needles.

## PATTERN

### BACK

#### Right (when worn) back shoulder

Using larger needles and long-tail cast-on, CO (16, 18, 20) 22, 24, 26 (28, 30, 32) 34 sts.

**Set-up row (WS):** k1, p to last st, k1.

Make the following increases loosely.

**Row 1 (RS):** k2, m1L, k to end.

**Row 2 (WS):** k1, p to last 2 sts, m1Lp, pl, k1.

Rep Rows 1–2 two more times.

Break yarn and place sts on scrap yarn / st holder, or let the sts rest on the needle.

(22, 24, 26) 28, 30, 32 (34, 36, 38) 40 sts

#### Left (when worn) back shoulder

Using larger needles and long tail cast on, CO (16, 18, 20) 22, 24, 26 (28, 30, 32) 34 sts.

**Set-up row (WS):** k1, p to last st, k1.

\*\*make the following increases loosely.

**Row 1 (RS):** k to last 2 sts, m1R, k2.

**Row 2 (WS):** k1, pl, m1Rp, p to last 2 sts, pl, k1.

Rep Rows 1–2 two more times.

(22, 24, 26) 28, 30, 32 (34, 36, 38) 40 sts

### Join shoulders

K to last 2 sts, m1R, k2. Using the backwards loop method, CO (18, 20, 22) 24, 26, 28 (30, 32, 34) 36 sts.

Place right shoulder sts back onto needle and join: k2, m1L, k to end.

(64, 70, 76) 82, 88, 94 (100, 106, 112) 118 sts

**Next row (WS):** k1, p to last st, k1.

**Row 1 (RS):** knit.

**Row 2 (WS):** k1, p to last st, k1.

Rep Rows 1–2 (12, 13, 14) 14, 15, 15 (16, 16, 17) 17 more times.

**Row 3:** k2, m1L, k to last 2 sts, m1R, k2. (+2 sts)

**Row 4:** k1, p to last st, k1.

**Row 5:** knit.

**Row 6:** k1, p to last st, k1.



Rep Rows 3–6 one more time. Then rep Rows 3–4: (3, 4, 5) 6, 7, 8 (9, 10, 11) 12 times total.

**Row 7:** k2, m1L, k to last 2 sts, m1R, k2. (+2 sts)

**Row 8:** k1, p1, m1Rp, p to last 2 sts, m1Lp, p1, k1.

(+2 sts)

Break yarn and place sts on scrap yarn / st holder.

(78, 86, 94) 102, 110, 118 (126, 134, 142) 150 sts

## FRONT

### Right (when worn) front yoke

Lay your work down RS up, with the shoulders at the top. With larger needles, pick up and knit (18, 20, 22) 24, 26, 28 (30, 32, 34) 36 sts along the right shoulder cast on edge (1 st into every edge st, and 1 st at each the beginning and end, right in the corner of the shoulder cast on).

**Set-up row:** k1, p to last st, k1.

**Row 1 (RS):** knit.

**Row 2 (WS):** k1, p to last st, k1.

**Rep Rows 1–2:** (7, 8, 9) 9, 10, 10 (11, 11, 12) 12 more times.

**Row 3:** k to last 2 sts, m1R, k2. (+1 st)

**Row 4:** k1, p to last st, k1.

**Row 5:** knit.

**Row 6:** k1, p to last st, k1.

Rep Rows 3–6 one more time.

Rep Rows 3–4 six times total.

**Row 7:** k2, m1L, k to last 2 sts, m1R, k2. (+2 sts)

**Row 8:** k1, p to last st, k1.

**Row 9:** k to last 2 sts, m1R, k2. (+1 st)

**Row 10:** k1, p to last st, k1.

Rep Rows 7–10 one more time.

**Rep Rows 7–8:** (2, 3, 4) 5, 6, 7 (8, 9, 10) 11 times total.

**Row 11:** k2, m1L, k to last 2 sts, m1R, k2. (+2 sts)

**Row 12:** k1, p to last 2 sts, m1Lp, p1, k1. (+1 st)

Break yarn and place sts on scrap yarn / st holder.

(39, 43, 47) 51, 55, 59 (63, 67, 71) 75 sts

### Left (when worn) front yoke

With larger needles, on the RS, at the left shoulder

CO edge, pick up and knit (18, 20, 22) 24, 26, 28 (30, 32, 34) 36 sts (1 st into every edge st, and 1 st at each the beginning and end, right in the corner of the shoulder cast on).

**Set-up row:** k1, p to last st, k1.

**Row 1 (RS):** knit.

**Row 2 (WS):** k1, p to last st, k1.

**Rep Rows 1–2:** (7, 8, 9) 9, 10, 10 (11, 11, 12) 12 more times.

**Row 3:** k2, m1L, k to end. (+1 st)

**Row 4:** k1, p to last st, k1.

**Row 5:** knit.

**Row 6:** k1, p to last st, k1.

Rep Rows 3–6 one more time.

Rep Rows 3–4 six times total.

**Row 7:** k2, m1L, k to last 2 sts, m1R, k2. (+2 sts)

**Row 8:** k1, p to last st, k1.

**Row 9:** k2, m1L, k to end. (+1 st)

**Row 10:** k1, p to last st, k1.

Rep Rows 7–10 one more time.

Rep Rows 7–8 (2, 3, 4) 5, 6, 7 (8, 9, 10) 11 times total.

**Row 11:** k2, m1L, k to last 2 sts, m1R, k2. (+2 sts)

**Row 12:** k1, p1, m1Rp, p to end. (+1 st)

(39, 43, 47) 51, 55, 59 (63, 67, 71) 75 sts

## BODY

### Join front and back

Make sure your two front pieces nor the back are twisted as you join them.

**Next row (RS):** k2, m1L, k to last 2 sts, m1R, k2, using the backwards loop method, CO (5, 7, 9) 11, 13, 15 (17, 19, 21) 23 sts. Place back sts back onto needles and join: k2, m1L, k to last 2 sts, m1R, k2, using the backwards loop method, CO (5, 7, 9) 11, 13, 15 (17, 19, 21) 23 sts. Place right front sts back onto needles and join: k2, m1L, k to last 2 sts, m1R, k2.

(172, 192, 212) 232, 252, 272 (292, 312, 332) 352 sts

Place a removable stitch marker at the beginning and end of your work (place the markers on the stitches and not on your needle—this is to mark this specific point on the fabric, which will be noted later

when you work the ruffle).

**Set-up row (WS):** sll wyif, pl, m1L, p to last 2 sts, m1R, pl, sll wyif. (+2 sts)

**Row 1 (RS):** k2, m1L, pl, k to last 3 sts, pl, m1R, k2. (+2 sts)

**Row 2 (WS):** sll wyif, pl, m1L, pl, k1, p to last 4 sts, k1, pl, m1R, pl, sll wyif. (+2 sts)  
(178, 198, 218) 238, 258, 278 (298, 318, 338) 358 sts

**Row 3:** k2, pl, k1, pl, k to last 6 sts, ssk, yo, k1, pl, k2.

**Row 4:** sll wyif, \*pl, k1\* twice, p to last 5 sts, \*k1, pl\* twice, sll wyif.

**Row 5:** k2, pl, k1, pl, k to last 5 sts, \*pl, k1\* twice, k1.

**Row 6:** sll wyif, \*pl, k1\* twice, p to last 5 sts, \*k1, pl\* twice, sll wyif.

**Rows 7–14:** rep Rows 5–6.

Rep Rows 3–14 four more times.

## Hem

Switch to smaller needles.

**Row 1 (RS):** k1, \*k1, pl\*, rep \*-\* to last 6 sts, ssk, yo, k1, pl, k2.

**Row 2 (WS):** sll wyif, pl, \*k1, pl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

**Row 3:** k2, \*pl, k1\*, rep \*-\* to last st, k1.

**Row 4:** sll wyif, pl, \*k1, pl\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sll wyif.

**Rows 5–12:** rep Rows 3–4 four times.

Now rep Rows 1–6 once more.

Bind off using the larger needle, in patt.

## SLEEVE

*Both sleeves are worked the same.*

With larger needles, beginning at the center of the underarm and going up and around the armhole, ending where you began—pick up and knit (74, 82, 88) 92, 98, 102 (108, 112, 118) 122 sts (about 2 into every 3 edge sts). PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

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### Short Rows:

**Row 1 (RS):** k (40, 44, 47) 49, 52, 54 (57, 59, 62) 64, w&t.

**Row 2 (WS):** p6, w&t.

**Row 3:** k to 3 sts past the last wrapped st, w&t.

**Row 4:** p to 3 sts past the last wrapped st, w&t.

Rep Rows 3–4 six more times. K to BOR.

Knit one rnd, resolving wrapped sts as you come to them.

### Decreases:

**Rnd 1:** k3, ssk, k to last 5 sts, k2tog, k3.

**Rnds 2–8:** knit.

Rep Rnds 1–8 ten more times. Then rep Row 1 once more.

(50, 58, 64) 68, 74, 78 (84, 88, 94) 98 sts

Knit 6 rnds in stockinette. Bind off all sts.

## Cuff

With smaller needles, pick up and knit (36, 40, 42) 46, 48, 52 (56, 58, 62) 64 sts (2 sts into every 3 edge sts). PM for BOR and join to work in the round.

**Rnd 1:** \*k1, pl\*, rep \*-\* to BOR.

Rep Rnd 1 thirteen more times. Purl one round.

Rep Rnd 1 thirteen times total. Bind off all sts.

Whip stitch the bind off edge to the cuff cast on edge.

Rep for second sleeve.

## RUFFLE

Beginning at the right (when worn) front edge where you placed a removable marker, with larger needles pick up and knit (138, 148, 158) 164, 174, 180 (190, 196, 206) 212 sts (1 into every edge st).

**Row 1 (RS):** k2, \*yo, k2\*, rep \*-\* to end.

(206, 221, 236) 245, 260, 269 (284, 293, 308) 317 sts

**Row 2 (WS):** sll wyif, p to last st, sll wyif.

**Row 3:** \*k3, yo\*, rep \*-\* to about to the middle of the back neck, k2, \*yo, k3\*, rep \*-\* to end.

(274, 294, 314) 326, 346, 358 (378, 390, 410) 422 sts

**Row 4:** sll wyif, p to last st, sll wyif.

**Row 5:** knit.

**Row 6:** sll wyif, p to last st, sll wyif.

Rep Rows 5–6 six more times.

**Row 7:** ssk, \*yo, k2tog\*, rep \*-\* to end.



**Row 8:** sl1 wyif, p to last st, sl1 wyif.

**Row 9:** kl, mlL, k to end.

**Row 10:** sl1 wyif, p to last st, sl1 wyif.

Rep Rows 5–6 two more times.

Bind off in patt. Leave a long tail and thread onto a tapestry needle. Fold the ruffle under, to the wrong side—it will naturally fold on the row where you created yarn overs. Whip stitch the bound off edge to the underside (WS) of the ruffle, making sure it stays flat and folded at the yarn over row.

## COLLAR

Beginning at the right (when worn) front – with smaller needles, pick up and knit (138, 148, 158) 164, 174, 180 (190, 196, 206) 212 sts (1 into each edge st) along the edge where you picked up sts for and worked the ruffle.

**Set-up row (WS):** sl1 wyif, \*kl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sl1 wyif.

**Row 1 (RS):** kl, p1, kl, yo, k2tog, \*p1, kl\*, rep \*-\* to end.

**Row 2 (WS):** sl1 wyif, \*kl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sl1 wyif.

**Row 3:** kl, \*p1, kl\*, rep \*-\* to end.

**Row 4:** knit.

**Row 5:** kl, \*p1, kl\*, rep \*-\* to end.

**Row 6:** sl1 wyif, kl, \*p1, kl\*, rep \*-\* to last 5 sts, k2tog, yo, p1, kl, sl1 wyif.

**Row 7:** kl, \*p1, kl\*, rep \*-\* to end.

**Row 8:** sl1 wyif, \*kl, p1\*, rep \*-\* to last st, sl1 wyif.

Using a larger needle, bind off all sts in patt.

Fold the collar lengthwise to the inside, letting it fold naturally at the purl ridge. Whip stitch the bind off edge to the collar's cast on edge.

## FINISHING

Weave in ends and wet block to measurements.

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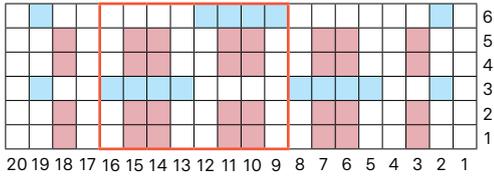
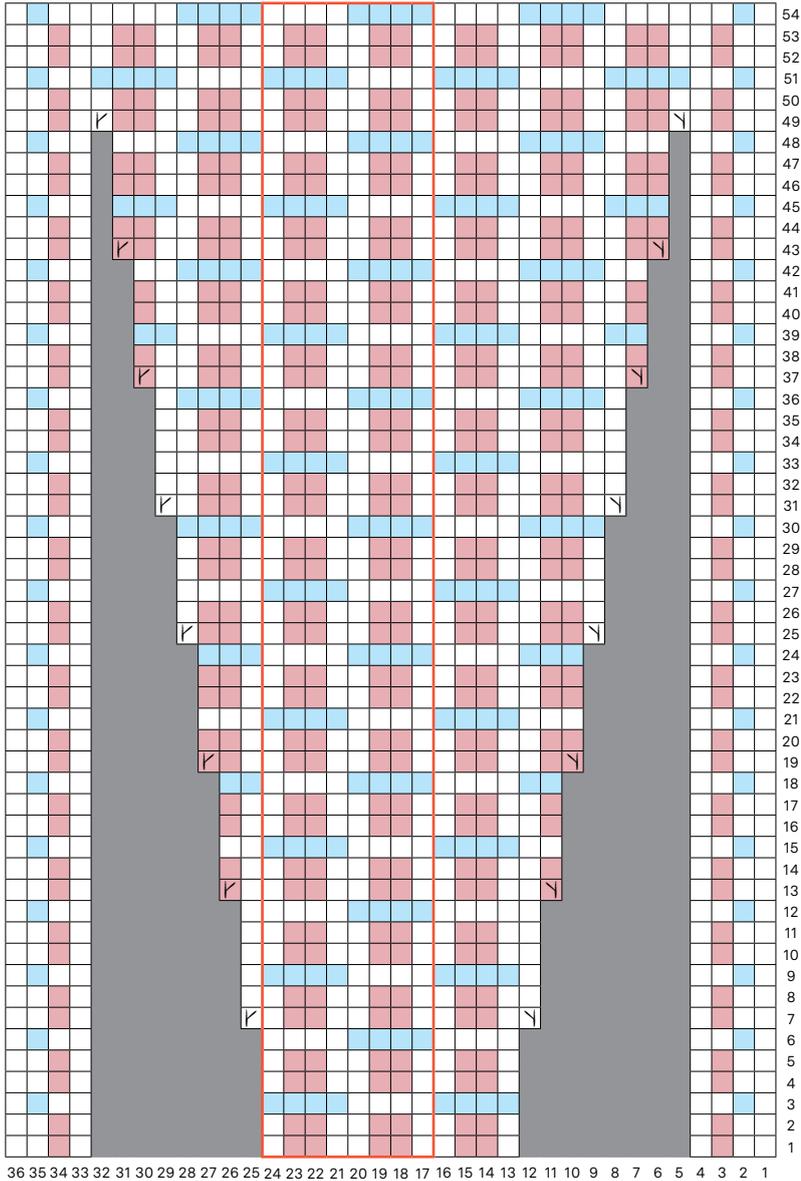


CHART B



-  MC - knit
-  no stitch
-  make 1 left leaning
-  make 1 right leaning
-  ssk
-  k2tog
-  CC1
-  CC2
-  repeat

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CHART C

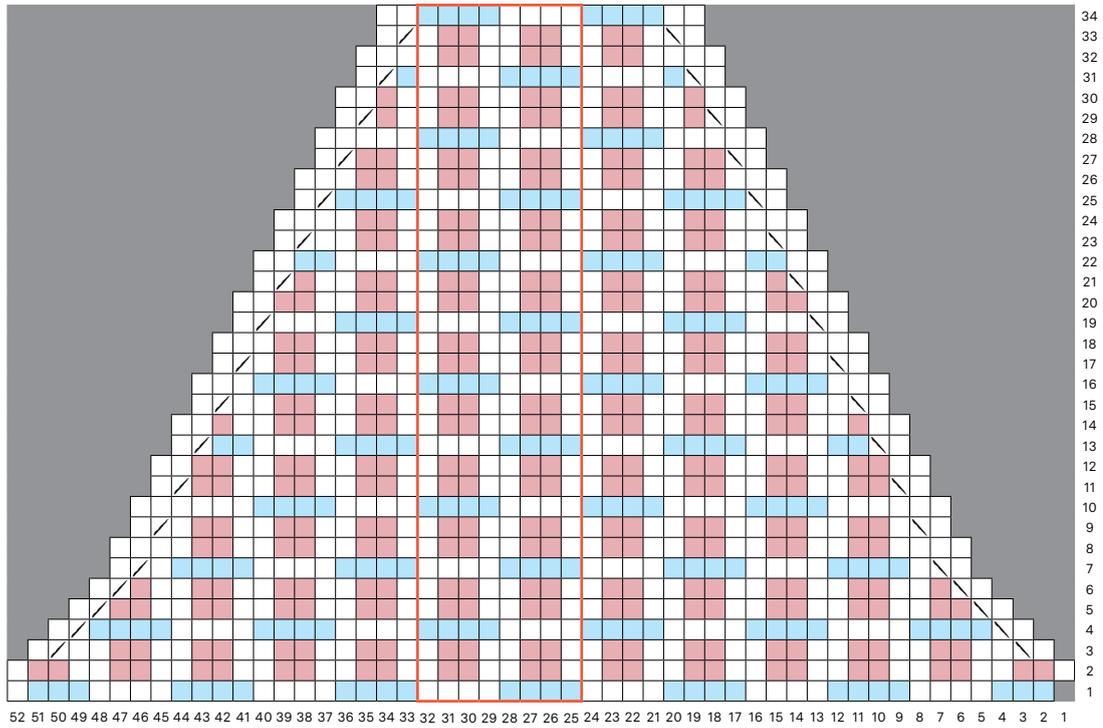


CHART D

