

KING SALMON



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KNITWORKS

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King Salmon is knit from the top down in the round featuring short row shaping for the back neck and a bold salmon yoke motif. The yoke is intentionally quite deep for this design (see schematic for full fit details) so I recommend an oversized fit for the intended look and comfort. Sizing down below the recommended positive ease is not recommended for this style.

This design is unisex and size inclusive and can be modified for your perfect body and sleeve lengths as desired.

MATERIALS

Needles:

Note - needle sizes are suggested only. You may need to use a different size to achieve gauge. You may also need different needle sizes to maintain the same gauge between colorwork and plain stockinette sections.

Main: US 7/ 4.5 mm
Ribbing US 5/ 3.75 mm

Notions:

tapestry needle, row counter (optional), stitch markers (one for BOR, more if you wish to separate your pattern repeats for the colorwork), waste yarn or stitch holders for putting the sleeves on hold.

Yarn:

Brooklyn Tweed Shelter
100% American Targhee-Columbia Wool
140 yds / 128 m / 50 g
worsted weight

Colors used in sample:

MC: Foothills
CC: Button Jar

Yardage:

Note - yardage is estimated and may vary depending on yarn used, gauge variations and modification.

MC: 755 (838, 922, 1006, 1090 1174) {1257, 1341, 1425, 1509} yards

[690, 766, 843, 920, 996, 1073] {1149, 1226, 1303, 1379} meters]

Skeins of Shelter: 6 (6, 7, 8, 8, 9) {9, 10, 11, 11}

CC: 218 (242, 267, 290, 315, 339) {363, 387, 412, 436} yards

[200, 222, 244, 266, 288, 310] {332, 354, 377, 399} meters]

Skeins of Shelter: 2 (2, 2, 3, 3, 3) {3, 3, 3, 4}

Gauge:

18 sts and 26 rounds = 4"/10 cm in stockinette and colorwork fabric on main needle after blocking.

Note - You should always knit your swatch the same way that the pattern is knit—in this case, in the round. Block your swatch as you will your finished garment and allow it to dry fully before measuring.

Sizes:

Measurements given are for the finished garment. This sweater is designed to fit with 6-15"/ 15.5-38 cm of positive ease at the chest. For a closer fit choose a size smaller than recommended, making sure that the sleeve measurement will still fit. Sample shown is a size 2 on a 34"/ 86.5 cm chest, with 6" / 15.5 cm of positive ease. See Schematic on page 6 for full fit details.

Chest Circumference: 1 (2, 3, 4, 5, 6) {7, 8, 9, 10}

36 (40, 44, 48, 52, 56) {60, 64, 68, 72}"

91.5 (101.5, 112, 122, 132, 142) {152.5, 162.5, 172.5, 183} cm

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DIRECTIONS

Neckline

With ribbing needles and MC, CO 86 (88, 90, 92, 94, 96) {98, 100, 102, 104} sts using a stretchy cast-on method. Sample uses Long Tail Cast-On. Join in the round and place a marker to indicate BOR, taking care not to twist sts. BOR is at the center back.

Collar

Round 1: *K1, p1; repeat from * to BOR.

Work [Round 1] until collar measures 1.25" / 3 cm from cast on edge.

Change to main needle. Continue using MC.

Yoke

K 1 round.

Increase Round 1:

Size 1: K21, M1L, k43, M1L, k22. *2 sts increased*

Size 2: K4, (M1L, k8) 10 times, M1L, k4. *11 sts increased*

Size 3: K2, (M1L, k5) 5 times, (M1L, k4) 9 times, (M1L, k5) 5 times, M1L, k2. *20 sts increased*

Size 4: K2, (M1L, k3) 12 times, (M1L, k4) 4 times, (M1L, k3) 12 times, M1L, k2. *29 sts increased*

Size 5: K1, (M1L, k3) 9 times, (M1L, k2) 19 times, (M1L, k3) 9 times, M1L, k1. *38 sts increased*

Size 6: K1, M1L, k3, (M1L, k2) 44 times, M1L, k3, M1L, k1. *47 sts increased*

Size 7: K1, (M1L, k1) 7 times, (M1L, k2) 41 times, (M1L, k1) 8 times. *56 sts increased*

Size 8: K1, (M1L, k1) 15 times, (M1L, k2) 34 times, (M1L, k1) 16 times. *65 sts increased*

Size 9: K1, (M1L, k1) 23 times, (M1L, k2) 27 times, (M1L, k1) 24 times. *74 sts increased*

Size 10: K1, (M1L, k1) 31 times, (M1L, k2) 20 times, (M1L, k1) 32 times. *83 sts increased*

88 (99, 110, 121, 132, 143) {154, 165, 176, 187} sts

Next Round: K.

Short Rows

The short rows are worked flat, using the Wrap and Turn method. You can substitute your preferred short row method if desired. Note that your BOR is at the center back and the short rows are worked equally on either side of the BOR.

Row 1 (RS): From BOR, k 26 (29, 32, 35, 38, 42) {45, 48, 51, 54} sts, w&t.

Row 2 (WS): **P to BOR**, sm, p 26 (29, 32, 35, 38, 42) {45, 48, 51, 54} sts, w&t.

Row 3 (RS): K to 4 sts before wrapped st, w&t.

Row 4 (WS): P to 4 sts before wrapped st, w&t.

Repeat [Rows 3 and 4] 1 (2, 2, 2, 2, 3) {3, 3, 3, 3} time(s) more.

End short rows and resume knitting in the round.

Knit to BOR, sm, knit one round, picking up and knitting wraps with their corresponding sts as you come to them.

Next Round: K.

Yoke Chart

Join CC and begin working Yoke Chart as shown on page 4 or 5, making increases and changing colors as shown.

248 (279, 310, 341, 372, 403) {434, 465, 496, 527} sts

Break CC. Remainder of body and sleeves are worked in MC.

Next Round

Sizes 1, 3, 5, 7 and 9: K. 0 sts increased

Sizes 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10: K1, M1L, k to BOR. 1 st increased

248 (280, 310, 342, 372, 404) {434, 466, 496, 528} sts

Finish yoke

Continue to work in stockinette until yoke measures 12.5 (12.5, 13, 13, 13, 13.5) {13.5, 14, 14, 14.5}" / 32 (32, 33, 33, 33, 34.5) {34.5, 35.5, 35.5, 37} cm from cast on edge or desired yoke depth, measured at center front.

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Sleeve Separation

From BOR, k 37 (42, 47, 52, 56, 60) {65, 69, 73, 78} sts, place next 49 (56, 61, 67, 74, 82) {87, 95, 101, 108} sts on holder for right sleeve, cast on 6 (6, 5, 4, 5, 6) {5, 6, 6, 6} sts for underarm using the backwards loop method, k 75 (84, 94, 104, 112, 120) {130, 138, 147, 156} sts, place next 49 (56, 61, 67, 74, 82) {87, 95, 101, 108} sts on holder for left sleeve, cast on 6 (6, 5, 4, 5, 6) {5, 6, 6, 6} sts for underarm using the backwards loop method, k to BOR.

162 (180, 198, 216, 234, 252) {270, 288, 306, 324} body sts

Work in stockinette until body measures 8" / 20.5 cm from underarm, or desired length before 1.5" / 4 cm hem ribbing. Please note that adjusting the length will impact your yardage requirements.

Hem Ribbing

Switch to ribbing needles.

Round 1: *K1, p1; repeat from * to BOR.

Repeat Round 1 until hem ribbing measures 1.5" / 4 cm.

Bind off with MC using a stretchy bind off method. Sample uses Jenny's Surprisingly Stretchy bind off.

Sleeves (both worked the same)

Move held sleeve sts onto main needle. Join MC at underarm to begin knitting in the round. Knit all sts, picking up and knitting 6 (6, 5, 4, 5, 6) {5, 6, 6, 6} underarm sts when you come to them, pm after picking up underarm sts for BOR, placing BOR at approximate center of underarm sts.

55 (62, 66, 71, 79, 88) {92, 101, 107, 114} sleeve sts

Work in stockinette until sleeve measures 1" / 2.5cm from the underarm.

Sleeve Decreases

Step 1: K1, k2tog, k to 3 sts before BOR, ssk, k1. 2 sts decreased

Step 2: Work in stockinette for 9 (6, 5, 4, 3, 2) {2, 1, 1, 1} round(s).

Work Steps 1 and 2 as above 8 (11, 13, 15, 18, 22) {23, 27, 29, 31} times.

39 (40, 40, 41, 43, 44) {46, 47, 49, 52} sts

Continue to work in stockinette until sleeve measures 14 (14, 14, 14, 13, 13) {13, 12, 12, 11}" / 35.5 (35.5, 35.5, 35.5, 33, 33) {33, 33, 30.5, 30.5, 28} cm or desired length before 1" / 2.5 cm cuff.

Sizes 1, 4, 5, 8 and 9 Only:

Decrease Round: K1, k2tog, k to BOR. 1 st decreased.

38 (-, -, 40, 42, -) {-, 46, 48, -} sts

Sizes 2, 3, 6, 7 and 10 Only:

Proceed to Cuff Ribbing.

Cuff Ribbing

Switch to ribbing needles.

Round 1: *K1, p1; repeat from * to BOR.

Repeat Round 1 until cuff ribbing measures 1" / 2.5 cm.

Bind off with MC using a stretchy bind off method. Sample uses Jenny's Surprisingly Stretchy bind off.

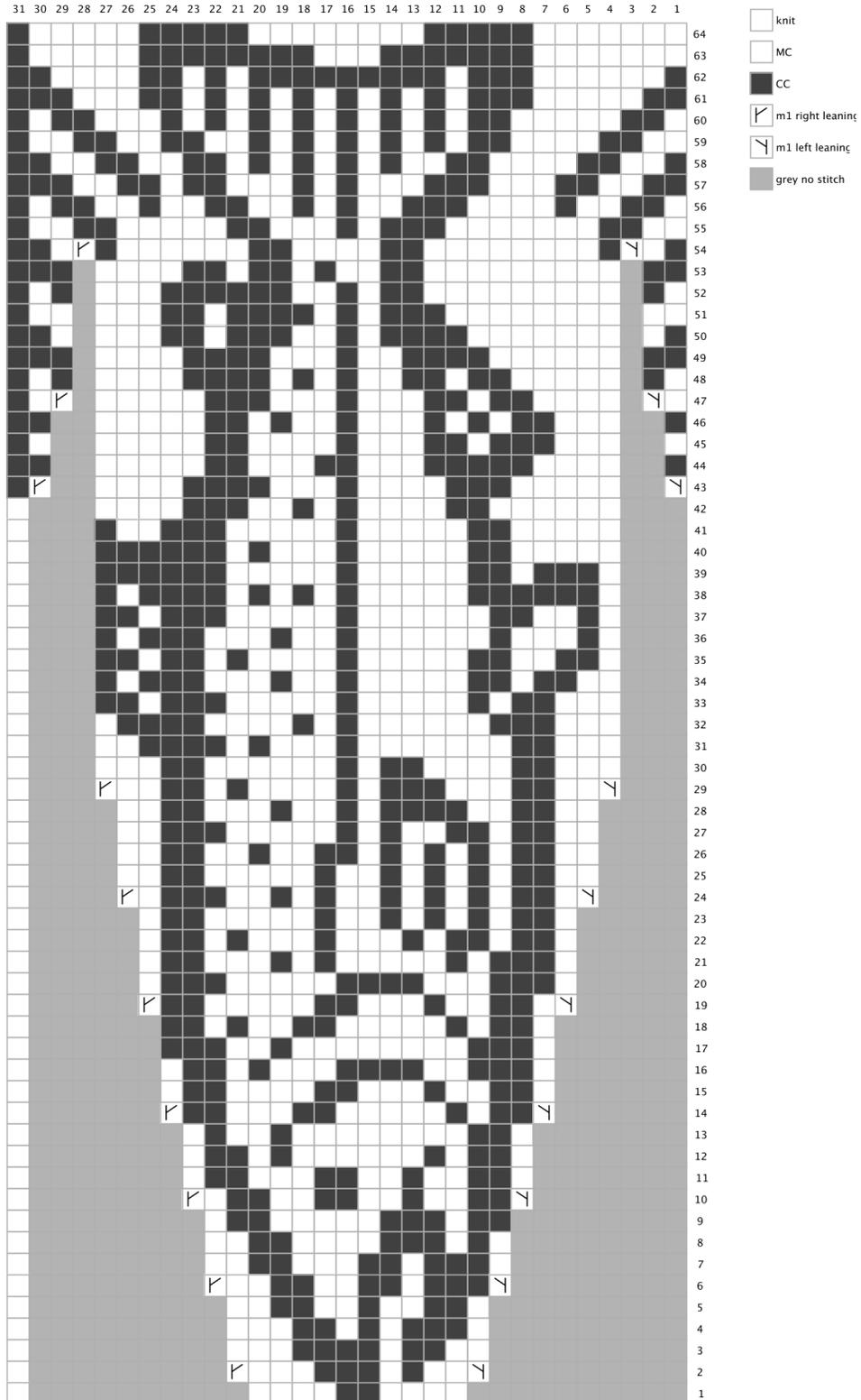
Finishing

Weave in ends and block.

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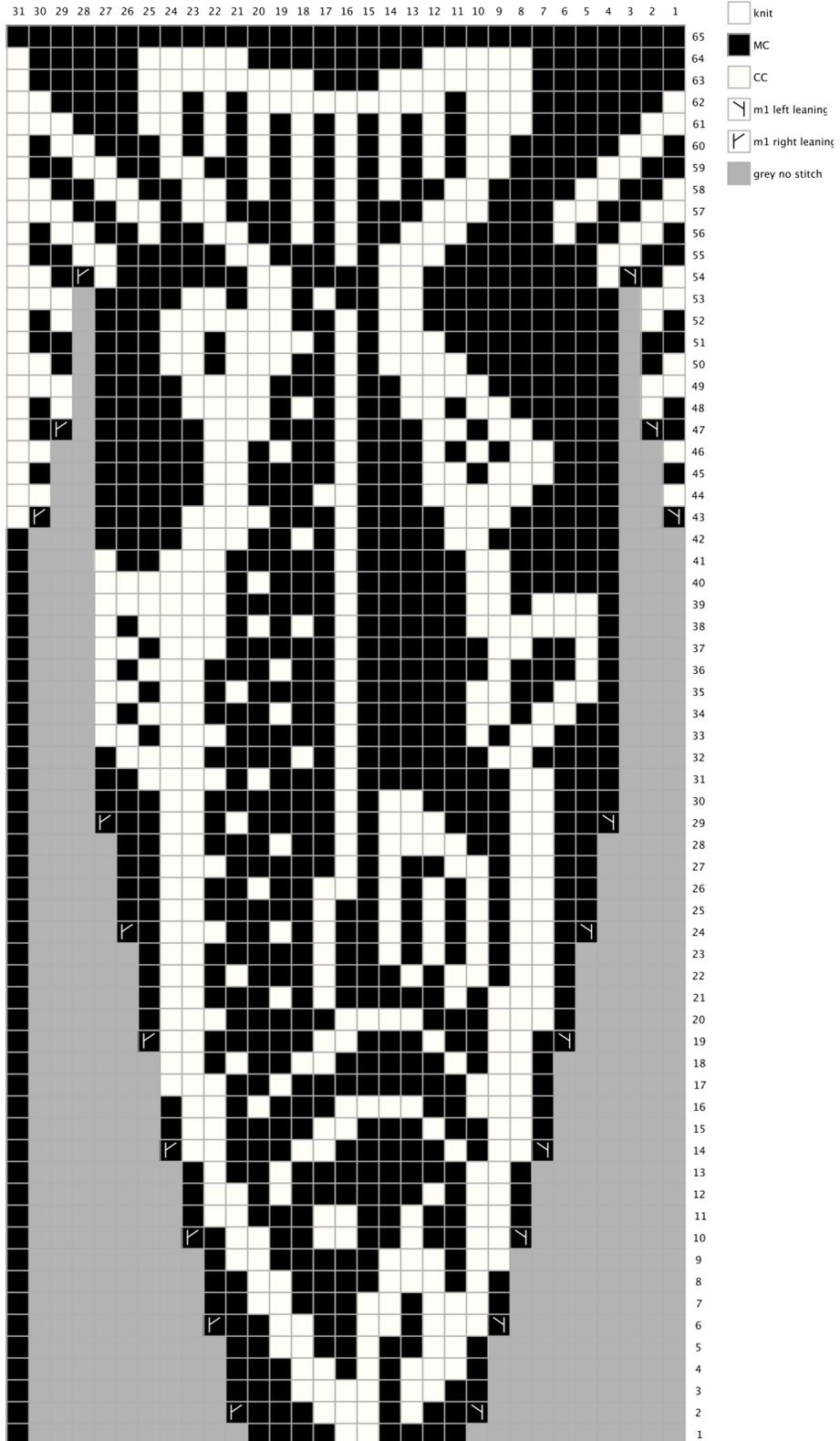


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KING SALMON CHART (reversed colors)

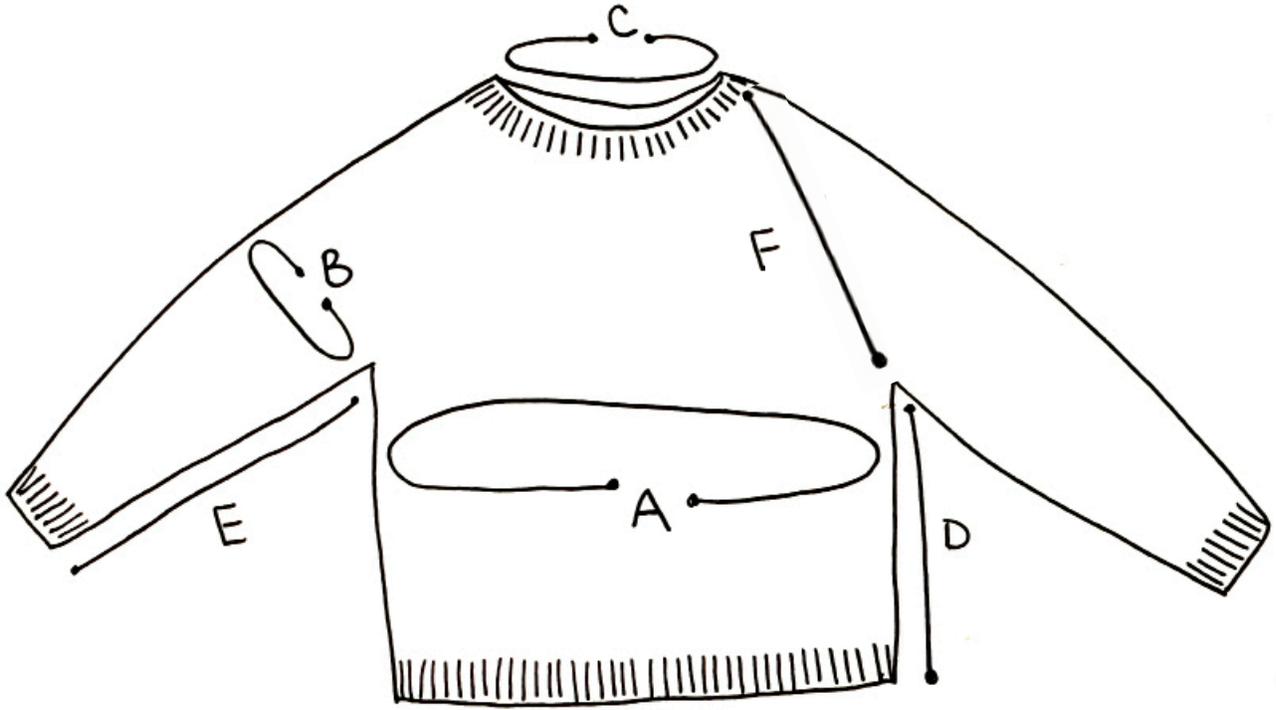
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	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
A- Chest Circumference inches	36	40	44	48	52	56	60	64	68	72
A- cm	91.5	101.5	112	122	132	142	152.5	162.5	172.5	183
B- Sleeve Circumference (upper arm) inches	12.25	13.75	14.75	15.75	17.5	19.5	20.5	22.5	23.75	25.5
B- cm	31	35	37.5	40	44.5	49.5	52	57	60.5	65
C- Collar Circumference inches	19.25	19.5	20	20.5	21	21.5	21.75	22.25	22.75	23.25
C- cm	49	49.5	51	52	53.5	54.5	55	56.5	58	59
D- Body Length inches	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5
D- cm	24	24	24	24	24	24	24	24	24	24
E- Sleeve Length inches	14	14	14	14	13	13	13	12	12	11
E- cm	35.5	35.5	35.5	35.5	33	33	33	30.5	30.5	28
F- Yoke Depth inches	12.5	12.5	13	13	13	13.5	13.5	14	14	14.5
F- cm	32	32	33	33	33	34.5	34.5	35.5	35.5	37

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ABBREVIATIONS

BOR	Beginning of round
CC	Contrast color
CO	Cast on
K	knit
k2tog	knit 2 together
M	Marker
M1L	Make one left
M1R	Make one right
MC	Main color
P	purl
pm	Place marker
RS	Right side
ssk	slip, slip, knit
st(s)	stitch(es)
W&T	Wrap and turn
WS	Wrong side

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