

Shaun by Isabell Kraemer



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Yarn

Preyarn/unspun yarn **held together** with a “fuzzy” lace weight

Dark grey pullover (see image on page 1) was made using:

Callingsheep Pommerenglück PUR [306 yards (280 m)/100g] and

Drops Kid-Silk [230 yards (210 m)/25g]; *shown in color 22*

Natural beige pullover (see image below) was made using:

Wooldreamers Manchelopsis [252 yds (230 m)/100g]; *shown in color Gris Claro* and

Chester Wool Company Baby Yak Cloud [438 yds (400 m)/50g]; *undyed*

approximately

766 (831, 875, 957, 1028)(1094, 1187, 1275, 1362) yds/ 700 (760, 800, 875, 940) (1000, 1085, 1165, 1245) m

of both the unspun AND the lace weight



Needles

US 4 (3.5 mm) 16" (40 cm) for Italian cast-on (optional)

US 6 (4 mm) 16" (40 cm) and 32" (80 cm) circular needle and DPNs (or longer circular needle for magic loop) circular needle for the first rounds of the neck, body ribbing and sleeve ribbing.

US 7 (4.5 mm) 16" (40 cm) and 32" (80 cm) circular needle and DPNs (or longer circular needle for magic loop) for body and sleeves.

Gauge

15 sts x 24 rows = 4" (10 cm) square in Stockinette stitch on larger needle after blocking

Sizes

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

finished bust circumference:

36.75 (40, 43.25, 46.5, 50.5)(55, 58.25, 61.25, 64.5)" /92 (100, 108, 116, 126.5)(137, 145, 153, 161) cm

Sample is worn with 5" (12.5 cm) positive ease at bust (see schematic on the last page for more detailed measurements).

Materials

Stitch holders or waste yarn, stitch markers, tapestry needle, blocking tools.

Abbreviations

1x1 rib: (k1, p1)

BO: bind off

BOR: beginning of the round

circ: circumference

CO: cast on

dec: decrease

DS: double stitch (see German short rows)

inc: increase

k: knit

k2tog: knit 2 stitches together (right leaning decrease)

kDS: knit double stitch (see German short rows)

m: marker

M1L: make one left (left leaning increase)

lift loop between stitches from front, knit into back loop

M1R: make one right (right leaning increase)

lift loop between stitches from back, knit into front loop

M1Rp: make one right (right leaning increase)

lift loop between stitches from back, purl into front loop

p: purl

pDS: purl double stitch (see German short rows)

pm: place marker

rnd(s): round(s)

RS: right side

sl m: slip marker

st(s): stitch(es)

ssk: slip 2 stitches, one at a time, knitwise to the right hand needle; return stitches to left hand needle in turned position and knit them together through the back loops (left leaning decrease)

WS: wrong side

() / []: repeat instructions in brackets

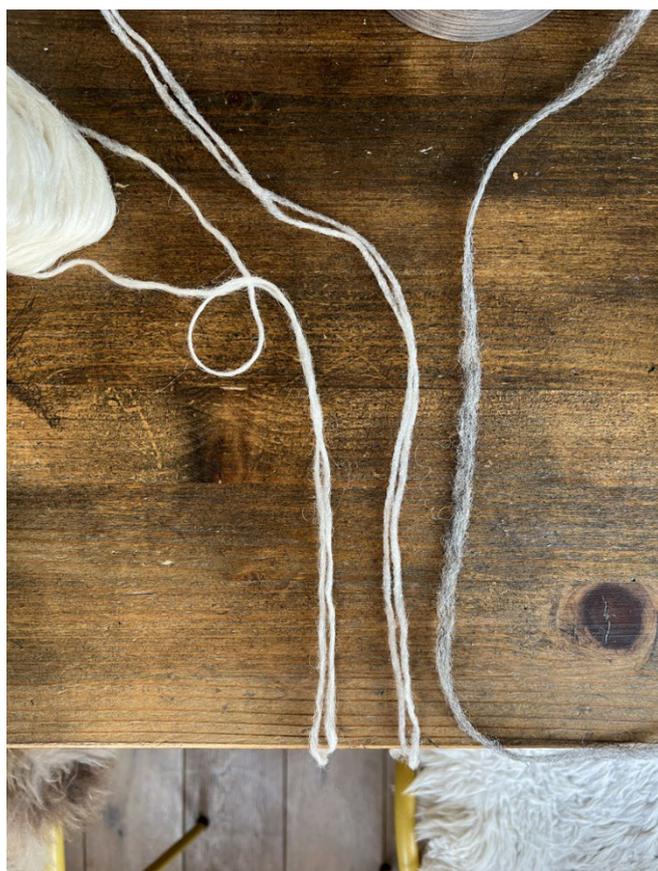
Shaun is worked seamlessly from the top down. After the high neck is complete, a few short rows are worked back and forth to create a slightly higher back neck. The yoke is worked in the round with contiguous set in sleeves (developed by Susie Myers) to sleeve separation. The body is then worked in rounds down to the ribbing. Sleeves are worked top down to the long cuffs last. No finishing required.

Notes

Unspun yarn (pre yarn) is much lighter in weight and very lofty in relation to other yarns with a comparable yardage.

The *Pommernglück sample* (dark grey) uses the unspun held single plus the lace weight kid silk, the *Manchelopsis sample* (natural beige) uses the unspun held double (as it comes from the plate) plus the lace weight.

You might want to get yourself some additional yarn for swatching and trying out the yarn(s) and color combinations.



Yarns shown above (from left to right): Nutiden (double stranded), Manchelopsis (double stranded), Pommernglück (single)

Special techniques and tips

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German short rows:

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=i_6PjI20zKA

On a RS row: Knit the number of stitches as stated in the pattern, turn work, bring yarn to front, slip the first stitch as if to purl, bring yarn over the needle to the back of your work and pull tight (this creates the double stitch = DS).

On a WS row: Purl the number of stitches as stated in the pattern, turn work, bring yarn to front, slip the first stitch as if to purl, bring yarn over the needle to the back of your work and pull tight (this creates the double stitch = DS).

Resolving double stitches: When working over double stitches treat them as a single stitch by knitting through both legs of the DS on a RS row (kDS) or purling through both legs of the DS on a WS row (pDS).

Italian cast-on:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=i7IUQwH0xx0>

Cable cast-on:

<https://www.purlsoho.com/create/cable-cast-on/>

Useful tip if your neck seems to be too wide:

<https://www.oliveknits.com/fix-a-sweater-that-slides-off/>

Instructions

Yoke

With shorter US 6 (4 mm) needle,
CO 80 (80, 80, 84, 84)(84, 88, 88, 88) sts using
your preferred method [for the sample I chose the
Italian cast-on and therefore used a US 4 (3.5
mm) for the cast-on and then switched to a US 6
(4 mm)], place marker for BOR and join to knit in
rounds.

Rnd 1: (P1, k1) to end, sl m.
Repeat **rnd 1** 5 more times.

Change to US 7 (4.5 mm) needle.

*Note: Change to longer US 7 (4.5 mm) circular
needle when needed to accommodate the
increasing number of stitches.*

Work in 1x1 rib in rounds (slipping marker as you
go) until ribbing measures approximately 2" (5
cm) from CO.

Place markers for increases

Next rnd: P1, (k1, p1) 18 (18, 18, 19, 19)(19, 20,
20, 20) times, pm, k1, p1, k1, pm, p1, (k1, p1) 18
(18, 18, 19, 19)(19, 20, 20, 20) times, pm, k1, p1,
k1, sl BOR m.

BOR m is at left back.

37 (37, 37, 39, 39)(39, 41, 41, 41) sts each for
front and back, 3 sts on each side between front
and back

Next rnd (inc rnd): P1, (k1, p1) to m, sl m, k1,
M1L, p1, M1R, k1, sl m, p1, (k1, p1) to m, sl m,
k1, M1L, p1, M1R, k1, sl BOR m. (4 sts inc'd)

37 (37, 37, 39, 39)(39, 41, 41, 41) sts each for
front and back, 5 sts on each side between the
front and back

Next rnd: (P1, (k1, p1) to m, sl m, k2, p1, k2, sl
m) 2 times.

Work all stitches as they appear (slipping markers
as you go) until ribbing measures approximately
3.25" (8 cm) from CO.

Sizes 1, 2, 3, 4

Next rnd (inc rnd): [P1, k1, M1L, p1, (k1, p1) to 2
sts before m, M1R, k1, p1, sl m, k2, p1, k2, sl m]
2 times. (4 sts inc'd)

39 (39, 39, 41, -)(-, -, -, -) sts each for front and
back, 5 sts on each side between front and back

Next rnd: [P1, k2, p1, (k1, p1) to 3 sts before m,
k2, p1, sl m, k2, p1, k2, sl m] 2 times.

Continue to *All sizes*.

Sizes 5, 6, 7, 8, 9

Next rnd (inc rnd): [P1, k1, M1L, p1, (k1, p1) to 2
sts before m, M1R, k1, p1, sl m, k1, M1L, k1, p1,
k1, M1R, k1, sl m] 2 times. (8 sts inc'd)

- (-, -, -, 41)(41, 43, 43, 43) sts each for front and
back, 7 sts on each side between front and back

Next rnd: [P1, k2, p1, (k1, p1) to 3 sts before m,
k2, p1, sl m, k3, p1, k3, sl m] 2 times.

Continue to *All sizes*.

All sizes

Neck shaping

Short row 1:

(RS) P1, k1, M1L, knit to 2 sts before m, M1R, k1,
p1, sl m, k2 (2, 2, 2, 3)(3, 3, 3, 3), p1, k2 (2, 2, 2,
3)(3, 3, 3, 3), sl m, p1, k1, M1L, k5, turn; **(WS)**
DS, purl to 1 stitch before m, k1, sl m, p2 (2, 2, 2,
3)(3, 3, 3, 3), k1, p2 (2, 2, 2, 3)(3, 3, 3, 3), sl m,
k1, purl to 1 stitch before BOR m, k1, sl BOR m,
p2 (2, 2, 2, 3)(3, 3, 3, 3), k1, p2 (2, 2, 2, 3)(3, 3, 3,
3), sl m, k1, p1, M1Rp, p5, turn. (4 sts inc'd)

41 (41, 41, 43, 43)(43, 45, 45, 45) sts each for
front and back, 5 (5, 5, 5, 7)(7, 7, 7, 7) sts on
each side between front and back

Short row 2:

(RS) DS, knit to 1 stitch before m, p1, sl m, k2 (2,
2, 2, 3)(3, 3, 3, 3), p1, k2 (2, 2, 2, 3)(3, 3, 3, 3), sl
BOR m, p1, k1, M1L, knit to 2 sts before m, M1R,
k1, p1, sl m, k2 (2, 2, 2, 3)(3, 3, 3, 3), p1, k2 (2, 2,
2, 3)(3, 3, 3, 3), sl m, p1, k1, M1L, knit to DS,
kDS, k4, turn; **(WS)** DS, purl to 1 stitch before m, k1, sl m, p2 (2,
2, 2, 3)(3, 3, 3, 3), k1, p2 (2, 2, 2, 3)(3, 3, 3, 3), sl
m, k1, purl to 1 stitch before BOR m, k1, sl BOR
m, p2 (2, 2, 2, 3)(3, 3, 3, 3), k1, p2 (2, 2, 2, 3)(3,
3, 3, 3), sl m, k1, p1, M1Rp, purl to DS, pDS, p4,
turn. (4 sts inc'd)

43 (43, 43, 45, 45)(45, 47, 47, 47) sts each for
front and back, 5 (5, 5, 5, 7)(7, 7, 7, 7) sts on
each side between front and back

Next row (RS): DS, knit to 1 stitch before m, p1,
sl m, k2 (2, 2, 2, 3)(3, 3, 3, 3), p1, k2 (2, 2, 2, 3)(3,
3, 3, 3), sl BOR m.

Shoulder shaping

Rnd 1 (inc rnd): P1, k1, M1L, knit to 2 sts before m, M1R, k1, p1, sl m, k2 (2, 2, 2, 3)(3, 3, 3, 3), p1, k2 (2, 2, 2, 3)(3, 3, 3, 3), sl m, p1, k1, M1L, knit to 2 sts before m (kDS when you reach them), M1R, k1, p1, sl m, k2 (2, 2, 2, 3)(3, 3, 3, 3), p1, k2 (2, 2, 2, 3)(3, 3, 3, 3), sl BOR m. (4 sts inc'd)

45 (45, 45, 47, 47)(47, 49, 49, 49) sts each for front and back, 5 (5, 5, 5, 7)(7, 7, 7, 7) sts on each side between front and back

Rnd 2: [P1, knit to 1 stitch before m, p1, sl m, k2 (2, 2, 2, 3)(3, 3, 3, 3), p1, k2 (2, 2, 2, 3)(3, 3, 3, 3), sl m] 2 times.

Rnd 3 (inc rnd): [P1, k1, M1L, knit to 2 sts before m, M1R, k1, p1, sl m, k2 (2, 2, 2, 3)(3, 3, 3, 3), p1, k2 (2, 2, 2, 3)(3, 3, 3, 3), sl m] 2 times. (4 sts inc'd)

47 (47, 47, 49, 49)(49, 51, 51, 51) sts each for front and back, 5 (5, 5, 5, 7)(7, 7, 7, 7) sts on each side between front and back

Rnd 4: Repeat rnd 2.

Repeat **rnds 3 + 4** 1 (2, 3, 3, 4)(4, 4, 5, 6) more time(s).

49 (51, 53, 55, 57)(57, 59, 61, 63) sts each for front and back, 5 (5, 5, 5, 7)(7, 7, 7, 7) sts on each side between front and back

Sleeve cap increases

Rnd 1 (inc rnd): (P1, knit to 1 stitch before m, p1, sl m, k1, M1L, knit to the purl stitch, p1, knit to 1 stitch before m, M1R, k1, sl m) 2 times. (4 sts inc'd)

49 (51, 53, 55, 57)(57, 59, 61, 63) sts each for front and back, 7 (7, 7, 7, 9)(9, 9, 9, 9) sts for each sleeve cap

Rnd 2: (P1, knit to 1 stitch before m, p1, sl m, knit to the purl stitch, p1, knit to m, sl m) 2 times.

Repeat **rnds 1 + 2** 11 (11, 13, 12, 12)(11, 11, 10, 9) more times.

49 (51, 53, 55, 57)(57, 59, 61, 63) sts each for front and back, 29 (29, 33, 31, 33)(31, 31, 29, 27) sts for each sleeve cap

Sleeve cap and body increases

Rnd 1 (inc rnd): (P1, k1, M1L, knit to 2 sts before m, M1R, k1, p1, sl m, k1, M1L, knit to the purl stitch, p1, knit to 1 stitch before m, M1R, k1, sl m) 2 times. (8 sts inc'd)

51 (53, 55, 57, 59)(59, 61, 63, 65) sts each for front and back, 31 (31, 35, 33, 35)(33, 33, 31, 29) sts for each sleeve cap

Rnd 2: (P1, knit to 1 stitch before m, p1, sl m, knit to the purl stitch, p1, knit to m, sl m) 2 times.

Repeat **rnds 1 + 2** 2 (3, 1, 4, 4)(6, 7, 11, 14) more time(s).

55 (59, 57, 65, 67)(71, 75, 85, 93) sts each for front and back, 35 (37, 37, 41, 43)(45, 47, 53, 57) sts for each sleeve cap

Body increases

Rnd 1 (inc rnd): (P1, k1, M1L, knit to 2 sts before m, M1R, k1, p1, sl m, knit to the purl stitch, p1, knit to m, sl m) 2 times. (4 sts inc'd)

57 (61, 59, 67, 69)(73, 77, 87, 95) sts each for front and back, 35 (37, 37, 41, 43)(45, 47, 53, 57) sts for each sleeve cap

Rnd 2: (P1, knit to 1 stitch before m, p1, sl m, knit to the purl stitch, p1, knit to m, sl m) 2 times.

Repeat **rnds 1 + 2** 1 (1, 1, 1, 0)(0, 0, 0, 0) more time, **then rnd 1** 0 (0, 3, 2, 5)(7, 7, 5, 3) more time(s).

59 (63, 67, 73, 79)(87, 91, 97, 101) sts each for front and back, 35 (37, 37, 41, 43)(45, 47, 53, 57) sts for each sleeve cap

Separate sleeves and body

Next rnd: Knit to m, remove marker, place following 35 (37, 37, 41, 43)(45, 47, 53, 57) sts on a holder or waste yarn, remove m, turn work to WS, using the cable cast-on CO 5 (6, 7, 7, 8)(8, 9, 9, 10) sts, pm (for side), CO 6 (7, 8, 8, 9)(9, 10, 10, 11) sts, turn work to RS and slip last CO stitch to left hand needle, k2tog (the last CO stitch with the first stitch of the front), knit to m, remove m, place following 35 (37, 37, 41, 43)(45, 47, 53, 57) sts on a holder or waste yarn, remove m, turn work to WS, using the cable cast-on CO 5 (6, 7, 7, 8)(8, 9, 9, 10) sts, pm (new BOR), CO 6 (7, 8, 8, 9)(9, 10, 10, 11) sts, turn work to RS and slip last CO stitch to left hand needle, k2tog (the last CO stitch with the first stitch of the back).

Next rnd: Knit to side m, sl m, knit to end, sl BOR m.

138 (150, 162, 174, 190)(206, 218, 230, 242) sts for body

Note: If you wish to add an A-shape to the body, work the following increase round every 4" (10 cm) a total of 3 times.

A-line inc rnd: (K1, M1L, knit to 1 stitch before m, M1R, k1, sl m) 2 times. (4 sts inc'd)

Work in Stockinette stitch in rounds until body measures approximately 12.5" (32 cm) or 2.5" (6.5 cm) less than desired length from underarm.

Ribbing

Change to US 6 (4 mm) needle.

Next rnd: (P1, k1) to end (removing side marker as you go), sl BOR m.

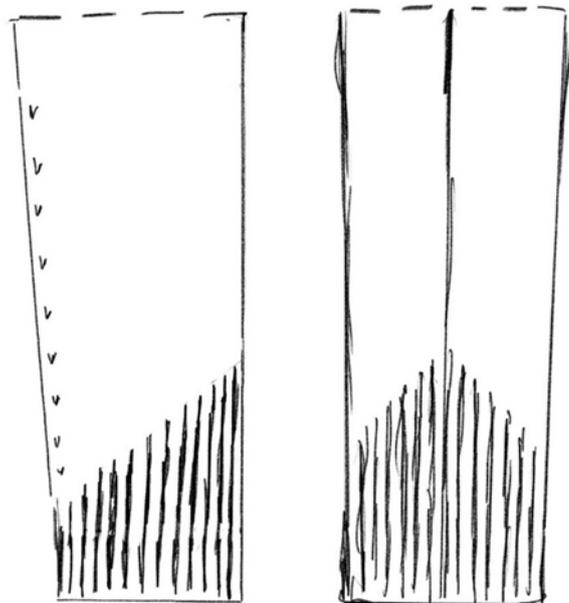
Repeat last rnd until ribbing measures a little less than 2.5" (6.5 cm), BO all stitches in pattern.



Sleeves (both alike)

Note: Please read the instructions carefully. The sleeve "ribbing" starts early (while some sizes still work their sleeve shaping decreases) and gradually gets wider on the way down to the cuffs.

We will add purl columns to the left and to the right of the center stitch every 2 rounds making the rib part wider until we are able to work all stitches in 1x1 rib.



Place held sleeve stitches on US 7 (4.5 mm) DPNs (or longer circular needle for magic loop), beginning at the center of underarm, pick up and knit 5 (6, 7, 7, 8)(8, 9, 9, 10) sts from underarm CO, work all stitches as they appear across sleeve stitches, pick up and knit 5 (6, 7, 7, 8)(8, 9, 9, 10) sts from underarm CO, place marker for BOR.

Note: You may want to pick up one more stitch at each edge of the underarm CO to avoid holes at these points. Please decrease these stitches in the next round to achieve the correct stitch count for your sleeve.

45 (49, 51, 55, 59)(61, 65, 71, 77) sts

Next rnd: Knit to the center purl stitch, p1, knit to end:

Repeat last round until sleeve measures 2" (5 cm) from underarm.

Dec rnd: K1, k2tog, knit to the center purl stitch, p1, knit to last 3 sts, ssk, k1, sl m. (2 sts dec'd)

43 (47, 49, 53, 57)(59, 63, 69, 75) sts

Repeat the **dec rnd** every
25 (15, 12, 12, 9)(8, 8, 6, 5) rounds
(this means you will work 24 (14, 11, 11, 8)(7, 7, 5, 4) rounds in Stockinette stitch, then work the dec rnd)
2 (4, 5, 5, 7)(8, 8, 11, 12) more times.

AT THE SAME TIME, when sleeve measures approximately 11.5 (11.5, 11.5, 11, 11)(11, 10.75, 10.75, 10.5) [29 (29, 29, 28, 28)(28, 27.5, 27.5, 26.5) cm] from underarm

start adding purl columns

Adding the first column:

Knit to 2 sts before the center purl stitch, p1, k1, **p1** (center stitch), k1, p1, knit to end.

Work 1 round as set (knit the knit sts, purl the purl sts - and remember to work the **dec rnd** if necessary)

Adding the second column:

Knit to 2 sts before the purl stitch, p1, k1, p1, k1, **p1** (center stitch), k1, p1, k1, p1, knit to end.

Work 1 round as set (knit the knit sts, purl the purl sts - and remember to work the **dec rnd** if necessary)

Adding the third column:

Knit to 2 sts before the purl stitch, p1, k1, p1, k1, p1, k1, **p1** (center stitch), k1, p1, k1, p1, k1, p1, knit to end

Work 1 round as set (knit the knit sts, purl the purl sts - and remember to work the **dec rnd** if necessary)

Continue adding purl columns every 2 rounds until there's only one single knit stitch left at the start and end of the round.

Next rnd: Take out BOR m, slip first stitch from left hand needle to right hand needle, pm for BOR, (p1, k1) to last 3 sts, p1, k2tog. (1 stitch dec'd)

38 (38, 38, 42, 42)(42, 46, 46, 50) sts

Next rnd: (P1, k1) to end, sl m.

Change to US 6 (4 mm) needles.

Repeat **last rnd** 11 more times or to desired length. BO all stitches in pattern.

Repeat instructions for second sleeve.

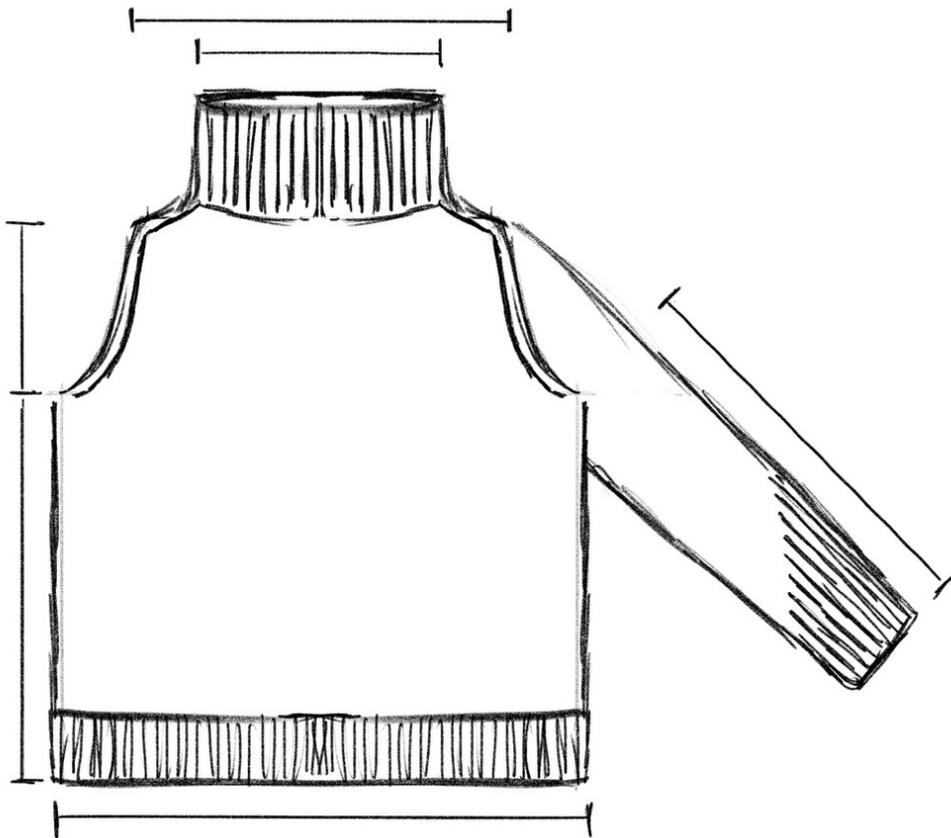
Finishing

Block sweater to measurements and weave in ends.



Image above shows the pullover inside out

Schematic



Measurements in inches

Neck circ: 21.25 (21.25, 21.25, 22.5, 22.5)(22.5, 23.5, 23.5, 23.5)

Cross back: 13 (13.5, 14, 14.5, 15.25)(15.25, 15.75, 16.25, 16.75)

Bust circ: 36.75 (40, 43.25, 46.5, 50.5)(55, 58.25, 61.25, 64.5)

Upper arm circ: 12 (13, 13.5, 14.5, 15.75)
(16.25, 17.25, 19, 20.5)

Armhole length: 6.25 (6.75, 7.25, 7.75, 8) (8.75, 9, 9.75, 10)

Body length from underarm: +/- 15

Sleeve length from underarm: +/- 16.5

Measurements in cm

Neck circ: 53 (53, 53, 56, 56)(56, 58.5, 58.5, 58.5)

Cross back: 32.5 (34, 35, 36.5, 38)(38, 39, 40.5, 42)

Bust circ: 92 (100, 108, 116, 126.5)(137, 145, 153, 161)

Upper arm circ: 30 (32.5, 34, 36.5, 39)(40.5, 43.5, 47.5, 51)

Armhole length: 16 (17, 18, 19.5, 20.5)(22, 23, 24.5, 25.5)

Body length from underarm: +/- 38.5

Sleeve length from underarm: +/- 42