



Polo sweater with stripes worked top down in one piece

Sizes

XS (S) M (L) XL (XXL) XXXL

Measurements

Bust circumference:

101 (106) 111 (116) 122 (128) 133 cm

Total length: 48 (49) 51 (53) 54 (56) 57 cm

Recommended needles

Circular needle 4 mm (60 cm)

Circular needle 5 mm (80 cm)

Alternatively, use double pointed needles in the same sizes if you do not wish to use the Magic Loop method.

Gauge

With two strands held together and needle 5 mm in stockinette stitch:

16 sts and 24 rows = 10 x 10 cm

Wash the swatch before measuring it, as the yarn stretches during washing.

Yarn

Peruvian Highland Wool from Filcolana

Tilia from Filcolana

Col A

Peruvian Highland Wool col 136 Mustard

200 (250) 250 (300) 300 (350) 350 g

held together with Tilia col 136 Mustard

50 (50) 50 (75) 75 (100) 100 g

Col B

Peruvian Highland Wool col 313 Bubblegum

200 (250) 250 (300) 300 (350) 350 g

held together with Tilia col 322 Begonia Pink

50 (50) 50 (75) 75 (100) 100 g



STRIPE OVERLOAD POLO

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Abbreviations

st(s): Stitch(es)

k: Knit all sts.

p: Purl all sts.

rnd(s): Round(s)

inc-right: Use the left needle to pick up the bar between the sts from the back and knit it

inc-left: Use the left needle to pick up the bar between the sts from the front and knit it through the back loop

p-inc-right: Use the left needle to pick up the bar between the sts from the front and purl it through the back loop

p-inc-left: Use the left needle to pick up the bar between the sts from the back and purl it

k2tog: Knit 2 sts together

SSK (slip-slip-knit): Slip 1 knitwise, slip 1 knitwise, move the sts back on the left needle, knit them together through the back loop

Double decrease right: K2tog, move the sts back on the left needle, pass over the second st on the needle

Double decrease left: Slip 1 st knitwise, knit 2 sts together, pass over the first st

Collar

Cast on 103 (103) 107 (107) 111 (111) 111 sts with needle 4 mm and col A with the Italian cast on method (begin with k) and begin with the following 2 rows:

Row 1: *Sl1p with yarn in front, k1*, repeat from * to * until 1 st remains, sl1p with yarn in front. **Row 2:** *K1, sl1p with yarn in front *, repeat from * to * until 1 st remains, k1.)

Next row: Sl1p with yarn in front, *k1, p1*, repeat from * to * until 2 sts remain, k2.

Change to col B and work 2 rows in each colour throughout the rest of the work. Do not cut off the yarn when changing colours, and be aware to not tighten the yarn when you change colours. The wrong side of the collar is going to be the visible side when the sweater is finished.

Row 1 (wrong side): Sl1p with yarn in front, *p1, k1*, repeat from * to * to end.

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Row 2 (right side): Sl1p with yarn in front, *k1, p1*, repeat from * to * until 2 sts remain, k2.

Row 3: Same as row 1.

Row 4: Same as row 2.

Row 5: Same as row 1.

Row 6: Sl1p with yarn in front, k1, p1, double decrease right, work until 6 sts remain, double decrease left, work in rib until 2 sts remain, k2.

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Repeat rows 1-6 a total of 4 times and work 5 more rows in rib = 87 (87) 91 (91) 95 (95) 95 sts. Cut off col A and col B. Turn the work just as you were about to work row 6.

Move the first 28 (28) 30 (30) 32 (32) 32 sts to the right needle, place marker (beginning of rnd) and work with col B. Work in rib until 2 sts remain, SSK, cast on 1 st, join in the round, k2tog (the first 2 sts from the other side of the collar), work in rib until marker = 86 (86) 90 (90) 94 (94) 94 sts. Work 1 rnd in rib.

Now place markers to divide the work into back piece, sleeve, front piece and sleeve. The rnd marker is placed between back piece and sleeve. If you wish, use markers of another type/colour so that you are able to distinguish them from the rnd marker.

Next rnd (continue in rib):

Work 30 (30) 31 (31) 32 (32) 32 sts, place marker (back piece), work 13 (13) 14 (14) 15 (15) 15 sts, place marker (sleeve), work 30 (30) 31 (31) 32 (32) 32 sts, place marker (front piece), work 13 (13) 14 (14) 15 (15) 15 sts (sleeve).

Change to needle 5 mm.
Work in stockinette stitch in the round.
K 2 rnds.

Now work short rows to shape the neckline while also working raglan increases. Use the German Short Rows method for the turns.

Now work in the flat instead of in the round.
Row 1 (right side): K1, inc-left, *k until 1 st before marker, inc-right, k2, inc-left*, repeat from * to * 1 more time, k2, turn.
Row 2 (wrong side): P until rnd marker. P1, p-inc-left, p until 1 st before marker, p-inc-right, p2, p-inc-left, p2, turn. K until rnd marker.

Repeat rows 1-2 a total of 4 times, but turn 2 sts after the last turn, i.e. work the turn st and 1 st after that before you turn the work, resulting in the turn moving closer and closer towards the middle of the front piece. RE-MEMBER to change colours for the stripes.

From here, work in the round again.
You have now worked raglan increases 4 times = 118 (118) 122 (122) 126 (126) 126 sts.

Continue working raglan increases like this:
Rnd 1: K1, inc-left, *k until 1 st before marker, inc-right, k2, inc-left*, repeat from * to * another 3 times, work until 1 st before marker, inc-right, k1.
Rnd 2: K all sts.

Repeat rnds 1-2 a total of 17 (19) 21 (23) 24 (26) 28 times.
You have now worked increases a total of 21 (23) 25 (27) 28 (30) 32 times = 254 (270) 290 (306) 318 (334) 350 sts: 72 (76) 81 (85) 88 (92) 96 sts for the front piece and the back piece respectively, and 55 (59) 64 (68) 71 (75) 79 sts for each sleeve.

Body

The work is now divided into body and sleeves. Remove the markers as you go along. K the sts of the back piece, place the sts of the right sleeve on a stitch holder, cast on 8 (8) 8 (8) 10 (10) 10 new sts, k the sts of the front piece, place the sts of the left sleeve on a stitch holder, cast on 8 (8) 8 (8) 10 (10) 10 new sts, place a new rnd marker in the middle of these sts = 160 (168) 178 (186) 196 (204) 212 sts for the body.

Continue in stockinette stitch until the work measures 42 (43) 45 (47) 48 (50) 51 cm measures from the neck down (without the collar) or until the work is 6 cm shorter than your desired length. End with a stripe in col B.

Bottom rib

Change to needle 4 mm and k 1 rnd. Then work 12 rnds in rib. The rest of the rib is worked with col A.
Before binding off the sts with the Italian bind off method, work 2 rnds like this:
Rnd 1: Repeat *k1, sl1p with yarn in front* to end.
Rnd 2: Repeat *sl1p purlwise with yarn in the back, p1* to end.
Bind off using the Italian bind off method.

Sleeves

Put the sts for one of the sleeves back on needle 5 mm. Pick up 8 (8) 8 (8) 10 (10) 10 sts in the sts you cast on for the armhole and place a marker in the middle of these sts (rnd marker) = 63 (67) 72 (76) 81 (85) 89 sts.
Continue in stockinette stitch and stripes while decreasing on every 12th (12th) 11th (11th) 10th (10th) 9th rnd a total of 7 (8) 9 (9) 10 (10) 11 times like this: K1, k2tog, work until 3 sts remain, SSK, k1. = 49 (51) 54 (58) 61 (65) 67 sts.

Work even in stockinette stitch until the sleeve measures 40 (40) 41 (42) 42 (43) 44 cm (measured along the inner side of the sleeve) or until it is 6 cm shorter than your desired length. Complete the stripe in progress.
Change to needle 4 mm and k 1 rnd while decreasing 5 (5) 6 (8) 9 (9) 11 sts evenly distributed on the rnd by k2tog = 42 (46) 48 (50) 52 (56) 56 sts.
Work the the ribbing part the same way as you did on the body. Same procedure for the other sleeve.

Finishing

Weave in all ends.