

# Sailormoon



## SIZES

XXS/XS/S/M/L/XL/XXL

Finished chest circumference:

30.1/33.7/37.4/41.1/45.3/48.4/52.6 in

76/86/95/104/115/123/133 cm

Sweater is designed to be worn with 2 - 7 in (5 - 17 cm) of positive ease in the bust.

## YARN

Malabrigo Sock (100% merino; 440 yards/402 meters per 100 g)  
approximately 1/1/2/2/2/3/3 skeins MC and  
1/1/1/2/2/3/3 skeins CC or fingering weight  
yarn to obtain gauge

Sample shown in colors Tiziano red (MC)  
and Pearl (CC)

## MATERIALS

- size 3 and 4 US / 3.25 and 3.5 mm circular needles
- stitch markers
- scrap yarn
- tapestry needle

## GAUGE

28 sts x 34 rows = 4" / 10 cm in Stockinette stitch using larger needles after blocking

Sweater is worked seamlessly using unique shawl-like construction.



## DIRECTIONS

Using larger needles and MC provisionally CO 5 sts leaving 5 cm (2 in) main yarn tail. P 1 row.

Work in stripes over the whole sweater excluding borders (4 rows in MC and 4 rows in CC).

**Set-up row:** k1, m1l, k1, m1r, pm, k1, m1l, k1, m1r, k1 (+4 sts)

**Row 1:** p to end

**Row 2:** k1, m1l, k to m, m1r, sm, k1, m1l, k to 1 st before end, m1r, k1 (+4 sts)

Repeat these two rows 25/28/32/35/39/42/46 times more.

= 113/125/141/153/169/181/197 sts

P 1 row.

**Next row (RS):** k to 1 st before m, remove m, ssk, place all remaining sts onto scrap yarn

= 56/62/70/76/84/90/98 sts on needles and on scrap yarn

Place removable markers on each end of the widest side to indicate back. Work right and left fronts separately as follows:

### RIGHT FRONT

**Row 1 (WS):** p to end

**Row 2 (RS):** k to end

Continue to work this way for 78/86/90/98/108/122/126 rows.

Place right front sts onto scrap yarn.

### LEFT FRONT

Pick up left front sts from scrap yarn onto needle, attach yarn from RS, k 1 row and work as right front for 77/85/89/97/107/121/125 rows finishing after WS.

Carefully remove scrap yarn from provisional co, thread yarn tail through sts and pull to close the gap.

**With RS facing join fronts and back as follows:**

Work over left front sts as established, CO 6/7/8/9/10/11/12 underarm sts using backwardloop method, pick up 88/100/108/120/132/140/152 sts (approx. 3 sts per 4 rows) from the back (back is the widest side between markers), CO 6/7/8/9/10/11/12 underarm sts work over right front as established, CO 1 sts using backwardloop method, work over left front sts, pm for BOR and join to work in the round. = 213/239/265/291/321/343/373 sts

Start to work in the round in Stockinette stitch (k on every round) for 30 cm (12 in) more or until desired length. In the next round increase 25/33/41/49/53/65/69 sts evenly by m1l. = 238/272/306/340/374/408/442 sts

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## CHART

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## KEY TO CHART

- knit
- purl
- \ - ssk
- / - k2tog
- o - yarn over

## WRITTEN CHART

Rows 1, 3, 5: p to end

Rows 2, 4: k2tog 3 times, [yo, k1]x 5 times, yo, ssk 3 times

Switch to smaller needles and MC, \*work chart, then work 5 rounds in twisted ribbing (k1tbl, p1), repeat once more from \*, then work rounds 1-3 of the chart, k 1 round. BO all sts purlwise .

## SLEEVES (both the same)

Using larger needles and MC pick up 52/57/60/65/72/81/84 sts (approx. 2 sts per 3 rows) around the arm opening and 10/11/12/13/14/15/16 from underarm, join to work in the round and pm in the middle of underarm.= 62/68/72/78/86/96/100 sts

Start to work in Stockinette stitch and in stripes as for the body.

Work the following decrease round on every 8th round a total of 5 times. = 52/58/62/68/76/86/90 sts

**Decrease round:** k1, ssk, k to 3 sts before m k2tog, k1, sm

Continue until sleeve measures 30 cm (12 in) from underarm, finishing with CC stripe.

Switch to MC and smaller needles.

K 1 round. Work 7 rounds in ribbing (k1tbl, p1). BO all sts knitwise.

## COLLAR

Using smaller needles and MC, starting from the mid back pick up 120/130/138/150/166/186/192 sts around neck opening (approx. 3 sts per 4 rows). K 1 round. BO all sts knitwise.

## FINISHING

Weave in all ends. Wet block the sweater.

## ABBREVIATIONS

CO/ BO – cast on/ bind off

BOR – beginning of the round

RS/ WS – right side/ wrong side

MC/CC – main color/ contrasting color

st(s) – stitch(es)

k/ p - knit/ purl

p/ s (m) – place/ slip (marker)

k2tog - knit 2 stitches together, slanting the stitches to the right

ssk – slip 1 st knitwise, slip 1 st knitwise, knit those 2 sts together slanting the stitches to the left

m1l - make one left, with left hand needle pick up bar between stitches from front to back and knit through the back loop

m1r - make one right, with left hand needle pick up bar between stitches from back to front and knit through the front loop

tbl – through the back loop

yo – yarn over



## FINISHED MEASUREMENTS (cm)

<b>a</b>	76	86	95	104	115	123	134
<b>b</b>	22	24	26	28	31	34	36
<b>c</b>	36	36	36	36	36	36	36
<b>d</b>	31	31	31	31	31	31	31

## FINISHED MEASUREMENTS (in)

<b>a</b>	30.1	33.7	37.4	41.1	45.3	48.4	52.6
<b>b</b>	8.7	9.6	10.1	11.0	12.1	13.5	14.1
<b>c</b>	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.2
<b>d</b>	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.2