



# GARDENGATE

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**SIZES:** A (B, C, D, E, F, G)(H, I, J, K, L, M)

#### **FINISHED BUST CIRCUMFERENCE**

36 (38.25, 40.75, 42.5, 45.5, 49, 52)(55, 57, 59, 61, 64, 67)" / 90 (95.5, 102, 106, 114, 123, 130)(137, 143, 147, 153, 160, 167) cm. **Note:** Sizes listed are finished sweater measurements. Choose the sweater size that is 4-6" / 10-15 cm larger than your actual bust circumference. Shown with 6" / 15.5 cm ease.

See schematic on page 8 for additional measurements.

#### **MATERIALS**

##### **Yarn:**

Wishbone Yarn Flax Flower single ply 90% superwash Merino/10% Linen, fingering weight, 394 yds / 360m per 110g

MC: Colorway: French Marigolds. *Short sleeved version:* 3 (3, 3, 3, 3, 3, 3)(4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4) skeins *Long sleeved version:* 4 (4, 4, 4, 5, 5, 5)(5, 6, 6, 6, 7) skeins

CC: Salt Meadow. 1 skein for all sizes, both short and long sleeved versions.

##### **Or fingering or sport weight yarn of the following yardages:**

**MC:** *Short sleeved version:* 800 (850, 900, 950, 1000, 1050, 1100)(1150, 1200, 1250, 1300, 1350, 1400) yds / 732 (778, 823, 869, 915, 961, 1006)(1052, 1098, 1143, 1189, 1235, 1281) m.

*Long sleeved version:* 1250 (1300, 1400, 1500, 1600, 1700, 1800)(1900, 2000, 2100, 2200, 2300, 2400) yds / 1143 (1189, 1281, 1372, 1464, 1555, 1646)(1738, 1829, 1921, 2012, 2104, 2195) m

**CC:** *Short sleeved version:* 130 (145, 160, 170, 180, 190, 200)(210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260) yds / 119 (133, 147, 156, 165, 174, 183)(193, 202, 211, 220, 229, 238) m.

*Long sleeved version:* 160 (170, 180, 190, 200, 210, 220)(230, 240, 250, 260, 270, 280) yds / 147 (156, 165, 174, 183, 193, 202)(211, 220, 229, 238, 247, 257) m

##### **Needles:**

A: US 3 / 3.25 mm DPNs or 16" (40 cm) circular (neckline), matching set DPNs (for cuff), and 24" (60 cm) or longer circular for waistband.

B: US 5 / 3.75 mm DPNs and 32" (80 cm) or longer circular needle for body and magic looping sleeves.

Or needle sizes necessary to obtain gauge.

C: US 6 / 4 mm DPNs or long circular - 32" (80 cm) or longer circular needle for stranded colorwork yoke and colorwork section of sleeves.

##### **Notions:**

Two different stitch markers, tapestry needle, waste yarn.

#### **GAUGE**

Colorwork: 22 sts and 30 rnds = 4 inches (10 cm) in stockinette st, in the round, on larger needles, after blocking.

Body: 22 sts and 32 rnds = 4 inches (10 cm) in stockinette st, in the round, on size B needles, after blocking.

## ABBREVIATIONS AND TECHNIQUES

**BO:** Bind off

**BOR:** Beginning of round

**CC:** Coordinating color

**Circ:** Circular Needle

**CO:** Cast on

**Dec:** decrease

**DPNs:** Double pointed needles

**German Short Rows:**

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=i\\_6Pij20zKA](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=i_6Pij20zKA)

**Inc:** Increase

**Inv-L:** Invisible Increase Left: Slip one stitch as if to purl, then with left needle and coming from behind, pick up the left leg of the stitch in the row below the slipped stitch. Knit this lifted stitch through the back loop. 1 stitch increased. [You can watch a video here.](#)

**K:** Knit

**K2tog:** Knit two together (decrease)

**KTBL:** Knit through the back loop

**M:** Meters

**MC:** Main color

**P:** Purl

**Pl:** Place

**Pu:** Pick up

**PM:** Place marker

**Rem:** Remain

**Rnd / Rnds:** Round, rounds

**RS:** Right side

**SM:** Slip marker

**SSK:** Slip, slip, knit (decrease) – slip stitch knitwise, slip stitch knitwise, knit the 2 sts just slipped through back loops.

**St / Sts:** Stitch, stitches

**WS:** Wrong side

**Yds:** Yards

## DIRECTIONS

Starting at the neckline, this sweater is worked seamlessly from the top down. Short rows are added to shape the neckline and the stranded yoke is worked. The sleeves and body are separated and worked in the round. There are options for short or long sleeves.

## NECKLINE

With MC and Needle A, loosely CO 98 (100, 102, 104, 106, 108, 108)(108, 110, 110, 110, 110, 110) sts using long tail CO or your choice stretchy CO. Pl BOR marker and join to work in the round.

Knit 4 rounds even.

Switch to size B needle and k 1 (1, 1, 1, 1, 1)(2, 3, 4, 4, 5, 5)rnds.

## YOKE

For best results, use the Inv-L increases described in abbreviations section – this style of increase is nearly invisible and lies flat. You can find a video here: <https://www.instagram.com/p/Bbf030SFbDi/> **Example:** Increase is worked like this: K48, Inv-L = Knit 48 sts, slip the next st on left needle as if to purl, then with left needle and from behind, pick up the left leg of stitch below stitch just slipped from behind and ktbl.

*Inc Set 1:*

Size A: no inc - (98 sts)

Size B: no inc - (100 sts)

Size C: no inc - (102 sts)

Size D: K1, Inv-L, k to BOR. (105 sts)

Size E: K1, (k25, Inv-L) 4 times, k1. (110 sts)

Size F: K1, (k14, Inv-L) 7 times, k2. (115 sts)

Size G: (K8, Inv-L) 12 times. (120 sts)

Size H: K3, (k5, Inv-L) 17 times, k3. (125 sts)

Size I: K5, (k4, Inv-L) 20 times, k5. (130 sts)

Size J: K5, (k3, Inv-L) 25 times, k5. (135 sts)

Size K: \*[K5, (K2, inv-L) 10 times], rep from \* 2 more times, k5. (140 sts)

Size L: K2, (k2, Inv-L) 35 times, k3. (145 sts)

Size M: \*[K7, (K1, Inv-L) 10 times)] rep from \* 3 more times, k2. (150 sts)

K 1 rnd even.

### Short row shaping:

Use German Short rows, tutorial here: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=i\\_6Pjl20zKA](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=i_6Pjl20zKA)

Short row 1 **(RS)** K29 (30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 36)(37, 39, 40, 42, 44, 46) sts. Turn. **(WS)** P to BOR. SM, p29 (30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 36)(37, 39, 40, 42, 44, 46) sts. Turn.

Short row 2 **(RS)** K to BOR. SM, k25 (26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 32)(33, 35, 36, 38, 40, 42) sts. Turn. **(WS)** P to BOR. SM, p25 (26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 32)(33, 35, 36, 38, 40, 42) sts. Turn.

Short row 3 **(RS)** K to BOR. SM, k21 (22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 28)(29, 31, 32, 34, 36, 38) sts. Turn. **(WS)** P to BOR. SM, p21 (22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 28)(29, 31, 32, 34, 36, 38) sts. Turn.

Short row 4 **(RS)** K to BOR. SM, k17 (18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 24)(25, 27, 28, 30, 32, 34) sts. Turn. **(WS)** P to BOR. SM, p17 (18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 24)(25, 27, 28, 30, 32, 34) sts. Turn.

**(RS)** K to BOR.

**(RS)** K 1 full rnd, closing the short row gaps as they appear.

K 2 rnds even.

### Inc Set 2:

Size A: K4, (k8, Inv-L) 10 times, k4. (108 sts)

Size B: K1, (k6, Inv-L) 14 times, k1. (114 sts)

Size C: K6, (k4, Inv-L) 18 times, k6. (120 sts)

Sizes D-M: (K4, Inv-L) - (-, -, 21, 22, 23, 24)(25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30) times. 108 (114, 120, 126, 132, 138, 144)(150, 156, 162, 168, 174, 180) sts on your needles.

K 2 (2, 2, 2, 2, 3, 3)(3, 3, 4, 4, 4) rnds even.

### Inc Set 3:

(Inv-L, K2) to end. 144 (152, 160, 168, 176, 184, 192)(200, 208, 216, 224, 232, 240) sts

K 2 (2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2)(3, 3, 3, 3, 3, 3) rnds even.

### Inc Set 4:

(K3, Inv-L) to end. 180 (190, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240)(250, 260, 270, 280, 290, 300) sts

K2 rnds even.

#### Begin Colorwork

Switch to size C needle and join CC when indicated. **To center yoke motif, follow rnds 1-57 of chart A on page 9 for sizes A (-, C, -, E, -, G)(-, I, -, K, -, M) or rnds 1-57 of chart B on page 10 for sizes - (B, -, D, -, F, -)(H, -, J, -, L, -),** switching to longer circ when necessary. For optimal color dominance, make sure CC strand is to the left and the MC strand is to the right. When looking at the back of your work, the CC strand or float should be running underneath the MC floats.

Upon completion of chart there will be 288 (304, 320, 336, 352, 368, 384)(400, 416, 432, 448, 464, 480) sts on your needles.

Break CC. Switch to size B needles and knit 1 rnd even in MC.

Measure yoke depth: count 144 (152, 160, 168, 176, 184, 192)(200, 208, 216, 224, 232, 240) sts to center front of yoke. Starting just below rolled neckline measure vertically to the stitches on your needles at center front. Knit 0 (0, 0, 2, 4, 5)(6, 6, 6, 8, 8) rnds even, or reduce the suggested number of rnds to achieve a yoke depth of 9.5 (9.5, 9.5, 9.5, 9.75, 10.25, 10.5)(10.75, 11, 11, 11.5, 11.5, 11.5) / 23.5 (23.5, 23.5, 24, 24.5, 25.5, 26)(27, 27, 28, 28.5, 28.5, 28.5) cm

#### Separate body and sleeves

Remove BOR marker, k45 (47, 50, 53, 56, 60, 64)(66, 68, 71, 73, 76, 79) back sts. Slip 54 (58, 60, 63, 65, 65, 65)(69, 72, 75, 78, 80, 82) sleeve sts to stitch holder or waste yarn. CO 4 (5, 6, 6, 7, 8, 8)(10, 10, 10, 11, 12, 13) underarm sts with backward loop CO. PI BOR marker. CO 5 (6, 6, 6, 7, 8, 8)(10, 11, 11, 11, 12, 13) more underarm sts. 9 (11, 12, 12, 14, 16, 16)(20, 21, 21, 22, 24, 26) sts have been CO.

K90 (94, 100, 105, 111, 119, 127)(131, 136, 141, 146, 152, 158) front sts. Slip 54 (58, 60, 63, 65, 65, 65)(69, 72, 75, 78, 80, 82) sleeve sts to stitch holder or waste yarn.

CO 9 (11, 12, 12, 14, 16, 16)(20, 21, 21, 22, 24, 26) underarm sts with backward loop CO. K to BOR marker. 198 (210, 224, 234, 250, 270, 286)(302, 314, 324, 336, 352, 368) total body sts.

#### BODY

Work even until body measures 9.25" / 23.5 cm from underarm CO edge, or 0.75" / 2 cm less than desired body length.

#### Short rows:

Short row 1: **(RS)** K6 past BOR marker. Turn. **(WS)** P to BOR marker. SM. P105 (111, 118, 123, 131, 141, 149)(157, 163, 168, 174, 182, 190) sts. Turn.

Short row 2: **(RS)** K2 past BOR marker. Turn. **(WS)** P to BOR marker. SM. P101 (107, 114, 119, 127, 137, 145)(153, 159, 164, 170, 178, 186) sts. Turn.

Short row 3: **(RS)** K until 2 sts before BOR marker. Turn. **(WS)** P94 (100, 107, 112, 120, 130, 138)(146, 152, 157, 163, 171, 179) sts. Turn.

Short row 4: **(RS)** K until 6 sts before BOR. Turn. **(WS)** P86 (92, 99, 104, 112, 122, 130)(138, 144, 149, 155, 163, 171) sts. Turn.

K to BOR marker, closing short row gaps as you come to them.

K 1 full rnd, closing the remainder of short row gaps.

**RIBBING**

Switch to Needle A. Work even in k1, p1 rib for 0.75" / 2 cm. BO loosely in pattern.

**SLEEVES (Make 2)**

Transfer 54 (58, 60, 63, 65, 65, 65)(69, 72, 75, 78, 80, 82) sleeve sts from stitch holder to spare needle.

With RS facing, join MC at right end of underarm CO sts on body. With size B DPNs or 16" (40 cm) circular, pick up and knit 4 (5, 6, 6, 7, 8, 8)(10, 10, 10, 11, 12, 13) sts from CO edge, place BOR marker, pick up and knit 5 (6, 6, 6, 7, 8, 8)(10, 11, 11, 11, 12, 13) more sts from CO edge, then pick up and knit 1 (1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 2)(1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1) sts in the gap between the CO and the sleeve. K across the sleeve sts from spare needle, then pick up and knit 1 (1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 2)(1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1) sts in the gap between the sleeve sts and underarm sts. K to BOR. 65 (71, 74, 77, 81, 83, 85)(91, 95, 98, 102, 106, 110) total sleeve sts.

K 4 (5, 5, 5, 6, 7, 7)(9, 10, 10, 10, 11, 12)sts, k2tog, k until 1 st before underarm sts, ssk, k to BOR. 63 (69, 72, 75, 79, 81, 83)(89, 93, 96, 100, 104, 108) sts.

**Short sleeve option:**

Knit even for 0.5" / 1.5 cm, about 4 rounds.

Dec rnd: Sizes A (B, -, D, E, F, G)(H, I, -, -, -, -): K4, k2tog, knit to BOR. 62 (68, 72, 74, 78, 80, 82)(88, 92, 96, 100, 104, 108) sts

Switch to size A needle. Work in K1, P1 rib for .75" / 2 cm even.

BO loosely in pattern.

**Long sleeve option:**

K in stockinette until sleeve measures 3" / 7.5 cm from underarm.

**Begin sleeve shaping**

Dec rnd: K4, k2tog, k to last 6 sts, ssk, k4. 2 sts dec'd. 61 (67, 70, 73, 77, 79, 81)(87, 91, 94, 98, 102, 106) sts. rem. Repeat dec rnd on every 13 (24, 13, 12, 8, 18, 14)(24, 14, 10, 7, 6, 8)th rnd 5 (3, 5, 6, 8, 4, 5)(3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 8) more times, changing to DPNs when/if necessary. 51 (61, 60, 61, 61, 71, 71)(81, 81, 80, 80, 80, 90) sts rem.

K 2 rnds.

Sizes: A (B, -, D, E, F, G)(H, I, -, -, -, -) only: K4, k2tog, k to BOR.

50 (60, 60, 60, 60, 70, 70)(80, 80, 80, 80, 80, 90) sts rem.

Work even until sleeve measures 12.5" / 32 cm from underarm, or 5" / 12.5 cm less than desired total length, approx. 104 rnds total.

Switch to size C needle and work rnds 1-35 of cuff chart for a total of 5 (6, 6, 6, 6, 7, 7)(8, 8, 8, 8, 8, 9) repeats.

Break CC and switch to needle A.

K 1 rnd even in MC.

**Dec rnd:**

A: (K23, k2tog) 2 times. (48 sts)

B, C, D & E: (K8, k2tog) 6 times. (54 sts)

F, G: (K5, k2tog) 10 times. (60 sts)

H, I, J, K, L: (K2, k2tog) 20 times (60 sts)

M: (K3, k2tog) 18 times (72 sts)

Work even in stockinette for 4 rnds even.

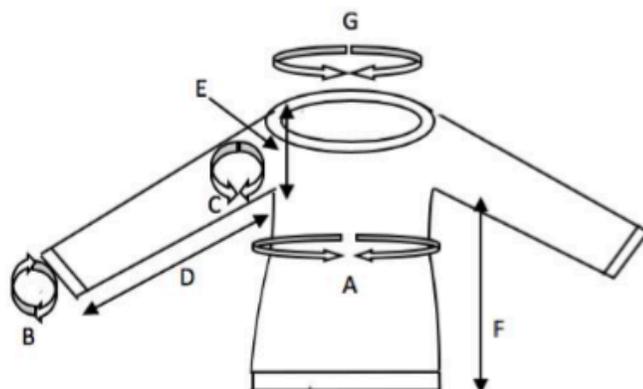
BO knitwise.

**FINISHING**

Weave in ends. Block to desired measurements.



## SCHEMATIC

**A: Bust circumference**

36 (38.25, 40.75, 42.5, 45.5, 49, 52)(55, 57, 59, 61, 64, 67)" / 90 (95.5, 102, 106, 114, 123, 130)(137, 143, 147, 153, 160, 167) cm

**B: Lower sleeve circumference (long sleeved version only)**

8.75 (9.75, 9.75, 9.75, 9.75, 11, 11)(11, 11, 11, 11, 11, 13)" / 22 (24.5, 24.5, 24.5, 24.5, 27.5, 27.5)(27.5, 27.5, 27.5, 27.5, 27.5, 27.5, 32.5) cm

**C: Upper sleeve circumference**

11.5 (12.5, 13, 13.5, 14.5, 14.75, 15)(16.25, 17, 17.5, 18.25, 19, 19.5)" / 28.5 (31.5, 32.5, 34, 36, 37, 37)(40.5, 42.5, 43.5, 45.5, 47.5, 49) cm

**D: Sleeve inseam**

Short sleeve version: +/- 1.25" / 3 cm

Long sleeve version +/- 17.25" / 44 cm

**E: Yoke depth, front**

9.5 (9.5, 9.5, 9.5, 9.75, 10.25, 10.5)(10.75, 11, 11, 11.5, 11.5, 11.5)" / 23.5 (23.5, 23.5, 24, 24.5, 25.5, 26)(27, 27, 28, 28.5, 28.5, 28.5) cm

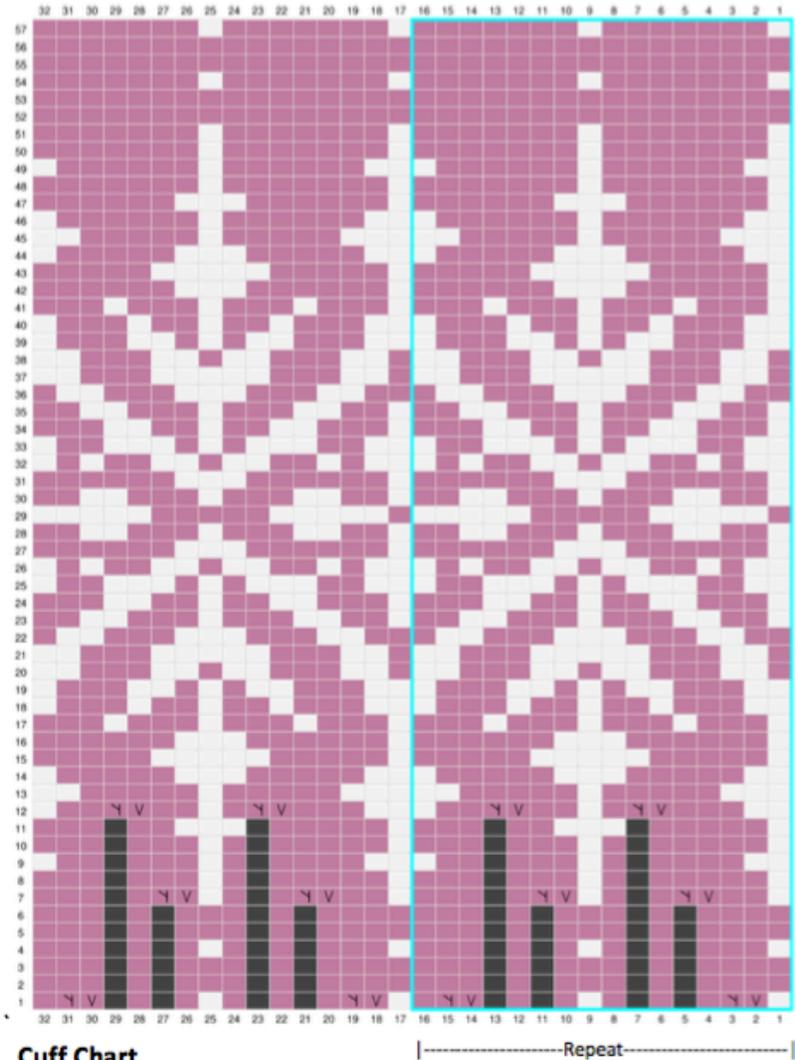
**F: Body length**

+/- 10" / 25.5 cm

**G: Neckline circumference**

17.75 (18.25, 18.5, 19, 19.25, 19.5, 19.5)(19.5, 20, 20, 20, 20, 20)" / 44.5 (45.5, 46.5, 47.5, 48, 49, 49)(49, 50, 50, 50, 50, 50) cm

# Yoke Chart A For sizes: A (-, C, -, E, -, G)(-, I, -, K, -, M)

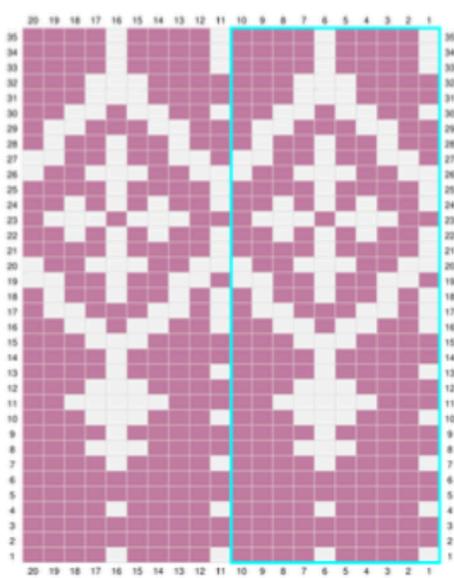


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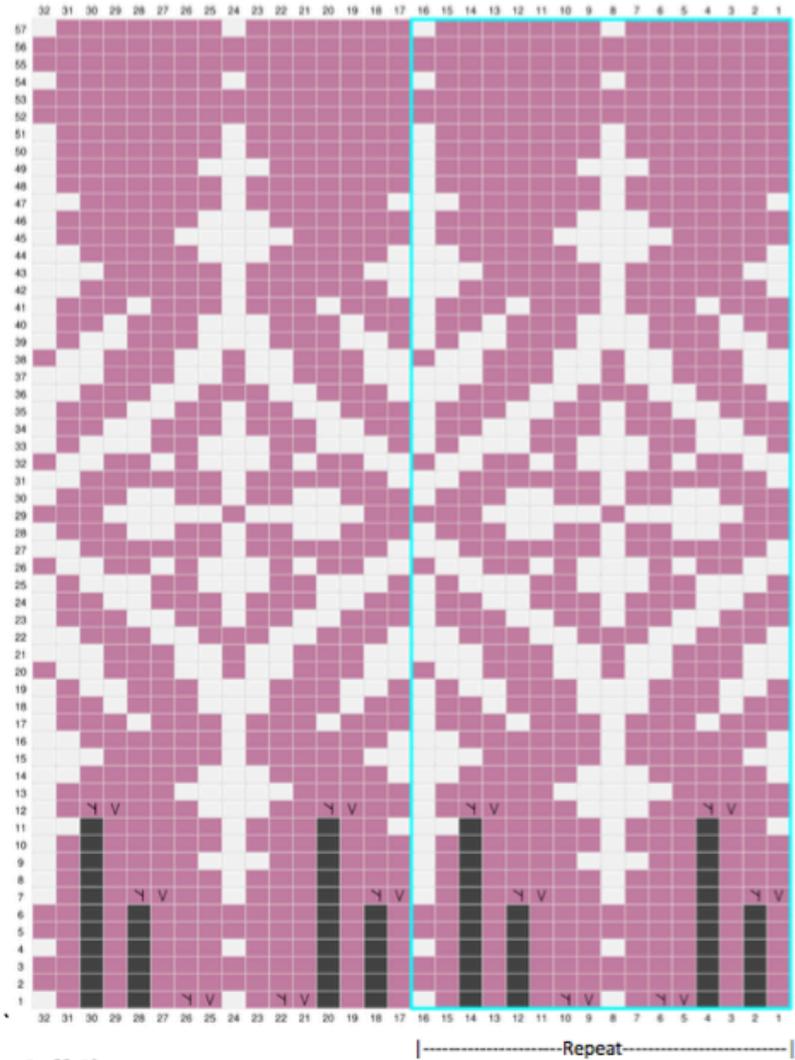
### LEGEND

- Knit in CC
- Knit in MC
- V Step 1 of Inv-L inc: slip st purl wise
- Y Step 2 of Inv-L inc: With left needle, pu left leg of st below st just slipped from behind and KTBL into it.
- No stitch (Ignore these and don't knit them)
- Repeat

Before beginning chart: 180, (190, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240)(250, 260, 270, 280, 290, 300) sts are on your needles.

50 (60, 60, 60, 60, 70)(80, 80, 80, 80, 80, 90) sts

# Yoke Chart B For sizes: - (B, -, D, -, F, -)(H, -, J, -, L, -)



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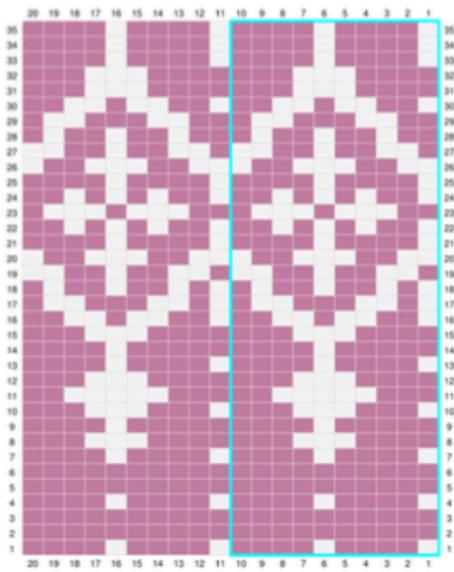
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