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## IDA TEE



**Sizes:** XXS (XS) S (M) L (XL) 2XL (3XL) 4XL (5XL)

**Bust circumference:** 87 (90) 96 (101) 106 (117) 125 (136) 144 (155) cm [34 1/4 (35 1/2) 37 3/4 (39 3/4) 41 1/4 (46) 49 1/4 (53 1/2) 56 3/4 (61) inches]

**Length:** 47 (48) 50 (52) 54 (55) 58 (59) 61 (63) cm [18 1/2 (19) 19 3/4 (20 1/2) 21 1/4 (21 3/4) 22 3/4 (23 1/4) 24 (24 3/4) inches]  
measured mid back excl. neck edge

**Gauge:** 23 sts x 32 rows = 10 x 10 cm [4 x 4 inches] in stockinette stitch on a 3.5 mm [US4] needle

**Needles:** Circular needles: 3.5 mm [US4] / 60 and 80 and/or 100 cm [24 and 32 and/or 40 inches] and  
3 mm [US2 1/2] / 40 and 80 and/or 100 cm [16 and 32 and/or 40 inches]

Double-pointed needles: 3.5 mm [US4] and 3 mm [US2 1/2]

**Materials:** **Main color:** 150-175 (175) 200 (200) 200 (225) 225 (250) 250 (275) g Cashmere Classic by Cardiff  
(25 g = 112 m [122 yds]) **or** Cashmere Premium by Lang Yarn (25 g = 115 m [126 yds]) **or** Cashmere  
6/28 by Pascuali (25 g = 112 m [120 yds]) **or** Cashmere by Mondial (25 g = 115 m [126 yds]) **or**  
Cashmere Klassik by Gepard (25 g = 105 m [115 yds])

**Contrast color:** 25 (25) 25 (25) 25 (50) 50 (50) 50 (50) g Cashmere Classic by Cardiff (25 g = 112 m  
[122 yds]) **or** Cashmere Premium by Lang Yarn (25 g = 115 m [126 yds]) **or** Cashmere 6/28 by  
Pascuali (25 g = 112 m [120 yds]) **or** Cashmere by Mondial (25 g = 115 m [126 yds]) **or** Cashmere  
Klassik by Gepard (25 g = 105 m [115 yds])

## PATTERN

The Ida Tee is worked from the top down in a pattern of texture and contrast colored stripes. The first part of the yoke is worked flat, back and forth, while the neckline is being shaped. After this, the work is joined in the round, so the rest of the yoke can be worked in the round on the circular needle with raglan increases. At the end, stitches are picked up and knitted along the neckline and a neck edge in rib is worked.

### Size guide

The Ida Tee is designed to have approx. 6 cm [2¼ inches] of positive ease, meaning it is designed to be approx. 6 cm [2¼ inches] larger in circumference than your bust measurement. The sizes XXS (XS) S (M) L (XL) 2XL (3XL) 4XL (5XL) are designed to fit a bust circumference of 75-80 (80-85) 85-90 (90-95) 95-100 (100-110) 110-120 (120-130) 130-140 (140-150) cm [29½-31½ (31½-33½) 33½-35½ (35½-37½) 37½-39½ (39½-43½) 43½-47½ (47½-51½) 51½-55 (55-59) inches]. The measurements for the finished sweater can be found on the front page of the pattern. Measure yourself before beginning your project, to determine which size will fit you the best. For example, if you measure 90 cm [35½ inches] around your bust (or around the widest part of your upper body) you should knit a size S. A size S tee has a bust circumference of 96 cm [37¾ inches] which in the given example would give you 6 cm [2¼ inches] of positive ease.

### About increases

Increases are worked so they either slant right (M1R) or slant left (M1L) as seen from the RS. The purl-wise increases (M1p) are worked on the rounds worked in the texture pattern. The increases are worked as follows:

- M1R:** Insert the left needle under the strand that runs between two stitches from back to front, then knit this strand.
- M1L:** Insert the left needle under the strand that runs between two stitches from front to back, then knit this strand through the back loop (twisted).
- M1p:** Insert the left needle under the strand that runs between two stitches from back to front, then purl this strand.

### About pattern

The pattern is worked across 16 rounds and consists of a stripe worked in the texture pattern and a stripe worked in the contrast color, and between these, sections in stockinette stitch are worked. The tee is worked in the main color where nothing else is indicated.

- Round 1: Purl to end of round.
- Round 2: \* K2tog, yarn over \*, repeat from \* to \* to end of round.
- Round 3: Purl to end of round.
- Rounds 4-8: Knit to end of round.
- Rounds 9-10: Knit to end of round in **contrast color**.
- Rounds 11-16: Knit to end of round.

On the yoke, the raglan increases on Round 1 and Round 3 of the pattern are worked as purl-wise increases (**M1p**). Note that the increases are worked as shown below both when the pattern says to work increases on every other round and on every round.

Work as follows:

Round 1: \* P2 (raglan sts), **M1p**, purl to marker, **M1p**, slip marker \*, work from \* to \* a total of 4 times. (8 sts have been increased)

Round 2: \* K2tog, yarn over \*, repeat from \* to \* to end of round, *while taking care always to work the yarn over before the marker and k2tog after the marker.*

Round 3: \* P2 (raglan sts), **M1p** (worked in the yarn over itself), purl to marker, **M1p** (worked in the yarn over itself), slip marker \*, work from \* to \* a total of 4 times. (8 sts have been increased)

## Yoke

The first part of the yoke is worked flat, back and forth, while the neckline is being shaped, after which point the work will be joined to be worked in the round.

Cast on 66 (66) 68 (68) 72 (72) 72 (76) 76 (76) sts on a 3.5 mm [US4] / 60 cm [24 inches] circular needle with the main color and your preferred method. The first row is a WS row.

Purl across 1 row. The next row is a RS row.

Now divide the sts by placing markers on both sides of 2 raglan sts (placing a total of 8 markers) as follows: 1 stitch (left front), 2 sts (raglan sts), 12 (12) 12 (12) 14 (14) 14 (16) 16 (16) sts (left sleeve), 2 sts (raglan sts), 32 (32) 34 (34) 34 (34) 34 (34) 34 (34) sts (back), 2 sts (raglan sts), 12 (12) 12 (12) 14 (14) 14 (16) 16 (16) sts (right sleeve), 2 sts (raglan sts), 1 stitch (right front).

Now work the yoke flat, back and forth, in stockinette stitch while at the same time working raglan increases on RS rows as follows:

Row 1 (RS): \* Knit to marker, **M1R**, slip marker, k2 (raglan sts), slip marker, **M1L** \*, work from \* to \* a total of 4 times, knit to end of row. (8 sts have been increased)

Row 2 (WS): Purl across.

Work Rows 1 and 2 a total of 5 times. There are now a total of 106 (106) 108 (108) 112 (112) 112 (116) 116 (116) sts on the needle.

*Division of sts: 6 sts (left front), 2 sts (raglan sts), 22 (22) 22 (22) 24 (24) 24 (26) 26 (26) sts (left sleeve), 2 sts (raglan sts), 42 (42) 44 (44) 44 (44) 44 (44) 44 (44) 44 (44) sts (back), 2 sts (raglan sts), 22 (22) 22 (22) 24 (24) 24 (26) 26 (26) sts (right sleeve), 2 sts (raglan sts), 6 sts (right front).*

Now work the yoke back and forth in stockinette stitch, while at the same time working raglan increases and casting on backward loop sts for the neckline as follows:

Row 1 (RS): \* Knit to marker, **M1R**, slip marker, k2 (raglan sts), slip marker, **M1L** \*, work from \* to \* a total of 4 times, knit to end of row, cast on 1 new stitch using the backward loop method (8 sts have been increased and 1 backward loop stitch has been cast on)

Row 2 (WS): Purl to end of row, cast on 1 new stitch using the backward loop method.

Work Rows 1 and 2 a total of 7 times. There are now a total of 176 (176) 178 (178) 182 (182) 182 (186) 186 (186) sts on the needle.

*Division of sts: 20 sts (left front), 2 sts (raglan sts), 36 (36) 36 (36) 38 (38) 38 (40) 40 (40) sts (left sleeve), 2 sts (raglan sts), 56 (56) 58 (58) 58 (58) 58 (58) 58 (58) sts (back), 2 sts (raglan sts), 36 (36) 36 (36) 38 (38) 38 (40) 40 (40) sts (right sleeve), 2 sts (raglan sts), 20 sts (right front).*

Before the work is joined in the round, the beginning of the round is moved to the back (because of the pattern). Break the working yarn and slip 58 (58) 58 (58) 60 (60) 60 (62) 62 (62) sts from the left to the right needle without knitting them. The beginning of the round is placed at the raglan sts between the left sleeve and the back. Join new working yarn and continue from the RS.

Join the yoke to be worked in the round and cast on sts for the front of the neckline while working the next row as follows:

Row 1 (RS): \* Work 2 raglan sts, slip marker, **M1L**, knit to marker, **M1R**, slip marker \*, work from \* to \* a total of 2 times, work 2 raglan sts, **M1L**, knit to end of row, cast on 16 (16) 18 (18) 18 (18) 18 (18) 18 (18) sts in extension of the sts on the needle using the backward loop method, join in the round and knit to marker, **M1R**, slip marker, work from \* to \* once more. (8 sts have been increased and 16 (16) 18 (18) 18 (18) 18 (18) 18 (18) backward loop sts have been cast on)

There are now a total of 200 (200) 204 (204) 208 (208) 208 (212) 212 (212) sts on the needle.

*Division of sts: 2 sts (raglan sts), 58 (58) 60 (60) 60 (60) 60 (60) 60 (60) sts (back), 2 sts (raglan sts), 38 (38) 38 (38) 40 (40) 40 (42) 42 (42) sts (right sleeve), 2 sts (raglan sts), 58 (58) 60 (60) 60 (60) 60 (60) 60 (60) sts (front), 2 sts (raglan sts), 38 (38) 38 (38) 40 (40) 40 (42) 42 (42) sts (left sleeve).*

Knit 1 round across all sts.

Now work in the round in pattern on the circular needle while at the same time working raglan increases on every other round. Change to a longer 3.5 mm [US4] / 80 or 100 cm [32 or 40 inches] circular needle when necessary to accommodate the increasing number of sts.

Work as follows from the beginning of the round:

Round 1: \* K2 (raglan sts), slip marker, **M1L**, knit to marker, **M1R**, slip marker \*, work from \* to \* a total of 4 times (8 sts have been increased)

Round 2: Knit to end of round.

Work Rounds 1 and 2 a total of 3 times. There are now a total of 224 (224) 228 (228) 232 (232) 232 (236) 236 (236) sts on the needle (a total of 16 rows/rounds with raglan increases have now been worked counting mid back for all sizes).

*Division of sts: 2 sts (raglan sts), 64 (64) 66 (66) 66 (66) 66 (66) 66 (66) sts (back), 2 sts (raglan sts), 44 (44) 44 (44) 46 (46) 46 (48) 48 (48) sts (right sleeve), 2 sts (raglan sts), 64 (64) 66 (66) 66 (66) 66 (66) 66 (66) sts (front), 2 sts (raglan sts), 44 (44) 44 (44) 46 (46) 46 (48) 48 (48) sts (left sleeve).*

Start the pattern on the next round (the 17th row/round of raglan increases) on the yoke. See the section '**About pattern**' at the top of the pattern for a description of the pattern, as well as a guide to how the raglan increases are worked in the texture pattern (meaning on Rounds 1 & 3).

Work as follows:

Round 1: \* Work 2 raglan sts as the pattern dictates, slip marker, **M1L**, work as the pattern dictates to marker, **M1R**, slip marker \*, work from \* to \* a total of 4 times (8 sts have been increased)

Round 2: Work as the pattern dictates to end of round.

Work Rounds 1 and 2 while *at the same time* working **in pattern** a total of 15 (15) 15 (15) 15 (17) 17 (17) 17 (17) times. There are now a total of 344 (344) 348 (348) 352 (368) 368 (372) 372 (372) sts on the needle (a total of 31 (31) 31 (31) 31 (33) 33 (33) 33 (33) rows/rounds with raglan increases have now been worked).

*Division of sts: 2 sts (raglan sts), 94 (94) 96 (96) 96 (100) 100 (100) 100 (100) sts (back), 2 sts (raglan sts), 74 (74) 74 (74) 76 (80) 80 (82) 82 (82) sts (right sleeve), 2 sts (raglan sts), 94 (94) 96 (96) 96 (100) 100 (100) 100 (100) sts (front), 2 sts (raglan sts), 74 (74) 74 (74) 76 (80) 80 (82) 82 (82) sts (left sleeve).*

The total number of sts for the sleeves has now been achieved, so now increases are worked **only** on the body. Work in pattern as established while working raglan increases on **every round**, except for on Round 2 of the pattern (meaning on the rounds that are worked \* k2tog, yarn over \*, see description in '**About pattern**').

Work as follows from the beginning of the round: (note, not for size XXS):

Round 1: Work 2 raglan sts as the pattern dictates, slip marker, **M1L**, work across back sts as the pattern dictates, **M1R**, slip marker, work 2 raglan sts, slip marker, work across right sleeve sts as the pattern dictates, slip marker, k2 (raglan sts), slip marker, **M1L**, work across front sts as pattern dictates, **M1R**, slip marker, work 2 raglan sts as the pattern dictates, slip marker, work left sleeve sts as the pattern dictates, slip marker. (4 sts have been increased)

Work this round until 0 (1) 2 (4) 6 (9) 13 (17) 20 (24) raglan increases have been worked **only** on the body. There are now a total of 344 (348) 356 (364) 376 (404) 420 (440) 452 (468) sts on the needle (a total of 31 (32) 33 (35) 37 (42) 46 (50) 53 (57) rows/rounds with raglan increases have now been worked).

The yoke has now been completed.

*Division of sts: 2 sts (raglan sts), 94 (96) 100 (104) 108 (118) 126 (134) 140 (148) sts (back), 2 sts (raglan sts), 74 (74) 74 (74) 76 (80) 80 (82) 82 (82) sts (right sleeve), 2 sts (raglan sts), 94 (96) 100 (104) 108 (118) 126 (134) 140 (148) sts (front), 2 sts (raglan sts), 74 (74) 74 (74) 76 (80) 80 (82) 82 (82) sts (left sleeve).*

## Body

Starting at the beginning of the round divide the sts for body and sleeve while at the same time casting on new sts at the underarms as follows:

Work 2 raglan sts as the pattern dictates, work 94 (96) 100 (104) 108 (118) 126 (134) 140 (148) sts as the pattern dictates (back), work 2 raglan sts as the pattern dictates, place the next 74 (74) 74 (74) 76 (80) 80 (82) 82 (82) sts on a stitch holder (right sleeve), cast on 2 (4) 6 (8) 10 (12) 14 (18) 22 (26) sts in extension of the sts on the needle using the backward loop method, work 2 raglan sts as the pattern dictates, work 94 (96) 100 (104) 108 (118) 126 (134) 140 (148) sts as the pattern dictates (front), work 2 raglan sts as the pattern dictates, place the next 74 (74) 74 (74) 76 (80) 80 (82) 82 (82) sts on a stitch holder (left sleeve), cast on 2 (4) 6 (8) 10 (12) 14 (18) 22 (26) sts in extension of the sts on the needle using the backward loop method.

There are now a total of 200 (208) 220 (232) 244 (268) 288 (312) 332 (356) sts on the needle for the body. Place a marker for the beginning of the round in the middle of the left underarm sts.

Work in the round in pattern as established until the tee measures 46 (47) 49 (51) 53 (54) 57 (58) 60 (62) cm [18 (18½) 19¼ (20) 20¾ (21¼) 22¼ (22¾) 23½ (24¼) inches] measured mid back excl. neck edge – or to desired length. Adjust the length so you end on Round 8 or Round 16 of the pattern.

Change to a 3 mm [US2½] / 80 or 100 cm [32 or 40 inches] circular needle and work 8 rounds in 1x1 rib (k1, p1).

Work double knitting before binding off using the Italian bind-off technique as follows (see video at [www.petiteknit.com](http://www.petiteknit.com)):

Round 1: \* K1, slip 1 stitch purl-wise with the yarn held in front of the work \*, repeat from \* to \* to end of round.

Round 2: \* Slip 1 stitch purl-wise with the yarn held behind the work, p1 \*, repeat from \* to \* to end of round.

Bind off using the Italian bind-off technique (see video at [www.petiteknit.com](http://www.petiteknit.com)).

## **Sleeves**

The sleeves are worked in the round in established pattern on 3.5 mm [US4] double-pointed needles.

Place the resting sts for one sleeve back on the needle. Then, RS facing, pick up and knit 2 (4) 6 (8) 10 (12) 14 (18) 22 (26) sts along the underarm sts that you cast on for the body. There are now a total of 76 (78) 80 (82) 86 (92) 94 (100) 104 (108) sts on the needle. Join in the round and place a marker in the middle of these picked-up and knitted sts.

Work in the round in established pattern until the sleeve measures approx. 5-6 cm [2-2½ inches] measured from under the sleeve, while adjusting the length so you end on Round 8 or Round 16 of the pattern.

Change to 3 mm [US2½] double-pointed needles and work 8 rounds in 1x1 rib (k1, p1).

Work 2 rounds of double knitting and bind off using the Italian bind-off technique the same way as for the hem on the body.

Work the other sleeve identically.

## **Neck edge**

The neck edge is worked in the round in the main color from sts that are picked up and knitted along the neckline. The neck edge is folded double and knitted together.

RS facing, pick up and knit 126 (128) 130 (130) 134 (134) 134 (136) 136 (138) sts with a 3 mm [US2½] / 40 cm [16 inches] circular needle along the neck opening. The rate for picking up and knitting sts is 1 stitch in every stitch along the back of the neck, the front of the neck, and along the slanting sections of the sides, while 3 sts are picked up for every 4 rows along the straight sections of the sides.

Join in the round and place a marker for the beginning of the round.

Work a rib edge with built-in double knitting as follows:

Round 1: Purl to end of round.

Rounds 2-3: Knit to end of round.

Rounds 4-11: Work 1x1 rib (k1, p1) to end of round.

Rounds 12-14: \* K1, slip 1 stitch purl-wise with the yarn held in front of the work \*, repeat from \* to \* to end of round.

Rounds 15-22: Work 1x1 rib (k1, p1) to end of round.

Fold the rib edge double and knit it together by knitting every other stitch of the next round together with a stitch from the round where stitches were picked up and knitted, while at the same time binding off.

Work as follows (see video at [www.petiteknit.com](http://www.petiteknit.com)):

\* Pick up a stitch from the round where stitches were picked up and knitted and place it on the left needle. Knit the picked up stitch together with the first stitch on the left needle. Pass the second stitch on the right needle over the stitch that was just knitted (i.e. bind off the stitch). Knit 1 stitch. Pass the second stitch on the right needle over the stitch that was just knitted (i.e. bind off the stitch). \*

Repeat from \* to \* to the end of the round.

*Take care that the neck edge doesn't become twisted – make sure to check along the way that each stitch is knitted together with the stitch picked up directly below it.*

Weave in all ends.

## Abbreviations

k	knit
k2tog	decrease (right-leaning); knit two stitches together
M1L	make one left; insert the left needle under the strand between the stitches from front to back, then knit this strand through the back loop (twisted)
M1R	make one right; insert the left needle under the strand between the stitches from back to front, then knit this strand
M1p	make 1 purl; insert the left needle under the strand that runs between two stitches from back to front, then purl this strand
p	purl
RS	right side of your work
st(s)	stitch(es)
WS	wrong side of your work



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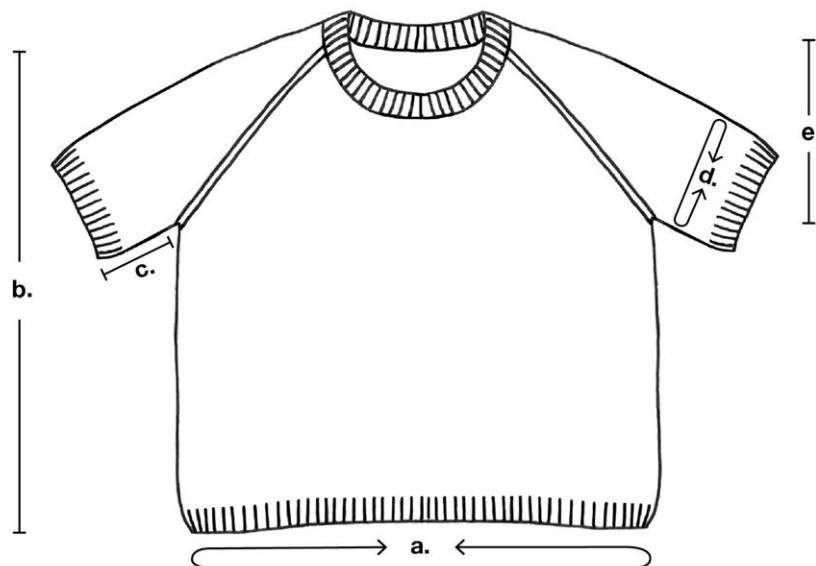
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Centimeter	XXS	XS	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL	4XL	5XL
<b>a.</b> Bust circumference	87	90	96	101	106	117	125	136	144	155
<b>b.</b> Length (measured mid back excl. neck edge)	47	48	50	52	54	55	58	59	61	63
<b>c.</b> Inner sleeve length	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
<b>d.</b> Upper arm circumference	33	34	35	36	37	40	41	43	45	47
<b>e.</b> Armhole depth	19	20	20	21	21	23	25	26	27	28

Inches	XXS	XS	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL	4XL	5XL
<b>a.</b> Bust circumference	34 $\frac{1}{4}$	35 $\frac{1}{2}$	37 $\frac{3}{4}$	39 $\frac{1}{4}$	41 $\frac{1}{4}$	46	49 $\frac{1}{4}$	53 $\frac{1}{2}$	56 $\frac{3}{4}$	61
<b>b.</b> Length (measured mid back excl. neck edge)	18 $\frac{1}{2}$	19	19 $\frac{3}{4}$	20 $\frac{1}{2}$	21 $\frac{1}{4}$	21 $\frac{3}{4}$	22 $\frac{3}{4}$	23 $\frac{1}{4}$	24	24 $\frac{1}{4}$
<b>c.</b> Inner sleeve length	3 $\frac{1}{4}$									
<b>d.</b> Upper arm circumference	13	13 $\frac{1}{2}$	13 $\frac{3}{4}$	14 $\frac{1}{4}$	14 $\frac{1}{2}$	15 $\frac{1}{4}$	16 $\frac{1}{4}$	17	17 $\frac{3}{4}$	18 $\frac{1}{2}$
<b>e.</b> Armhole depth	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	7 $\frac{3}{4}$	7 $\frac{3}{4}$	8 $\frac{1}{4}$	8 $\frac{1}{4}$	9	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{4}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	11

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