

Nell



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Sizes: XS (S, M, L, XL, 2XL)

Finished bust measurement: 44 1/2 (47, 50 1/2, 55, 59 1/4, 62 3/4)" / 113.5 (119, 128, 139.5, 150.5, 159.5) cm

Recommended ease: + 12 1/2-13 1/4" / 31.5-33.5 cm

Yarn

KOKON Limited edition indigo fingering weight
(100% wool - 437 yards / 400 m per 100 g)

MC: 4 (4, 5, 5, 6, 6) skeins, color Indigo speckles

Or approximately 1552 (1706, 1859, 2001, 2209, 2373)
yards / 1420 (1560, 1700, 1830, 2020, 2170) m of fin-
gering weight yarn

CC: 1 skein, color Semi solid indigo

Or approximately 32 (32, 43, 43, 43, 54) yards / 30 (30,
40, 40, 40, 50) m of fingering weight yarn

Needle

US 4 / 3.5 mm circular needles, 24" / 60 cm or longer
Adjust needle size if necessary to obtain the correct
gauge.

Gauge

After blocking

27 sts and 34 rnds = 4" / 10 cm in Stockinette stitch
with US 4 / 3.5 mm needle

Notions

Waste yarn or stitch holders, stitch markers (4),
tapestry needle

Note

Nell is a raglan yoke tunic worked from the top down.
The yoke is first back and forth, with short-row neck
shaping and raglan increases, and gathers are added to
the body. The fronts are joined at the bottom of Henley
neck, then the piece is worked in the round down to the
hem. The sleeves, set aside at the underarm, are worked
top down in the round with botanical motifs.

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A: Bust circumference

44 1/2 (47, 50 1/2, 55, 59 1/4, 62 3/4)"
113.5 (119, 128, 139.5, 150.5, 159.5) cm

B: Back yoke depth

7 (7 1/2, 8, 8 1/2, 9, 9 3/4)"
17.5 (19, 20.5, 22, 23, 24.5) cm

C: Upper arm circumference

12 1/4 (12 1/4, 13, 14, 15 3/4, 17 1/2)"
31 (31, 33.5, 35.5, 40, 44.5) cm

D: Sleeve length

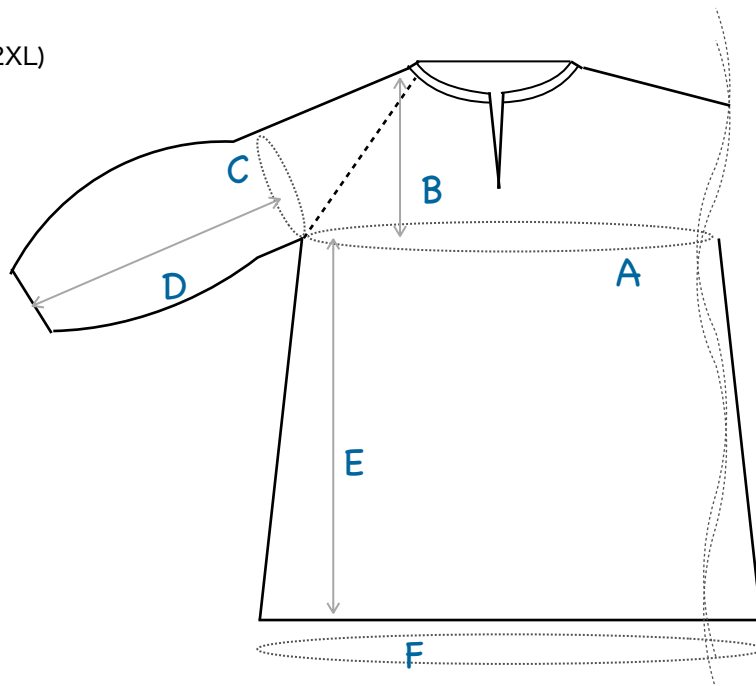
13 1/2 (13 1/2, 14, 14, 14 1/2, 14 1/2)"
34 (34, 35.5, 35.5, 37, 37) cm

E: Body length

18 1/2" / 47 cm

F: Hem circumference

48 (50 1/2, 54, 58 1/2, 62 3/4, 66 1/2)"
122 (128, 137, 148.5, 159.5, 168.5) cm



How to knit

Collar

With **MC** and long-tail method, CO 119 (119, 127, 127, 135, 135) sts onto US 4 / 3.5 mm needle.

Set-up row (WS): Sl2 wyif, p57 (57, 61, 61, 65, 65), **PM**, p1, **PM**, p to end.

Row 1 (RS): Sl2 wyib, k1, (k2, sl2 wyif) to M, SM, k1, SM, (sl2 wyif, k2) to 3 sts before end, k3.

Row 2 (WS): Sl2 wyif, (p2, sl2 wyib) to 1 st before M, p1, SM, p1, SM, p1, (sl2 wyib, p2) to 2 sts before end, p2.

Row 3 (RS): Sl2 wyib, k1, (sl2 wyif, k2) to M, SM, k1, SM, (k2, sl2 wyif) to 3 sts before end, k3.

Row 4 (WS): Sl2 wyif, (sl2 wyib, p2) to 1 st before M, p1, SM, p1, SM, p1, (p2, sl2 wyib) to 2 sts before end, p2.

Row 5 (RS): Repeat **Row 3**.

Row 6 (WS): Repeat **Row 2**.

Row 7 (RS): Repeat **Row 1**.

Row 8 (WS): Sl2 wyif, k to M, **RM**, k1, **RM**, k to end.

Row 9 (RS): Sl2 wyib, k to end.

Row 10 (WS): Sl2 wyif, (p1, sl1 wyib) to 3 sts before end, p3.

Row 11 (RS): Sl2 wyib, sl1 wyif, (k1, sl1 wyif) to 2 sts before end, k2.

Row 12 (WS): Repeat **Row 10**.

Shape neck

Set-up row 1 (RS): Sl2 wyib, k22 (23, 24, 24, 25, 25), **PM** (Left front), k12 (10, 12, 12, 14, 14), **PM** (Sleeve), k47 (49, 51, 51, 53, 53), **PM** (Back), k12 (10, 12, 12, 14, 14), **PM** (Sleeve), k to end (Right front).

Set-up row 2 (WS): Sl2 wyif, p to end.

Row 1 (RS): Sl2 wyib, [k to 1 st before M, M1R, k1, SM, M1L, k to M, M1R, SM, k1, M1L] x 2, k4, TW. (+ 8 sts)

Row 2 (WS): Make DS, [p to M, SM] x 4, p6, TW.

Row 3 (RS): Make DS, [k to 1 st before M, M1R, k1, SM, M1L, k to M, M1R, SM, k1, M1L] x 2, k to DS, knit DS, k4, TW. (+ 8 sts)

Row 4 (WS): Make DS, [p to M, SM] x 4, p to DS, pur1 DS, p4, TW.

Repeat **Rows 3-4** 3 more times.

Next row (RS): Make DS, [k to 1 st before M, M1R, k1, SM, M1L, k to M, M1R, SM, k1, M1L] x 2, k to DS, knit DS, k to end.

You have 30 (31, 32, 32, 33, 33) sts for each front, 59 (61, 63, 63, 65, 65) sts for back, 24 (22, 24, 24, 26, 26) sts for each sleeve, 167 (167, 175, 175, 183, 183) total sts.

Next row (WS): Sl2 wyif, [p to M, SM] x 4, SM, p to DS, pur1 DS, p to end.

Increase for raglan 1

Row 1 (Sleeve and Body Inc): Sl2 wyib, [k to 1 st before M, M1R, k1, SM, M1L, k to M, M1R, SM, k1, M1L] x 2, k to end. (+ 8 sts)

Row 2 (WS): Sl2 wyif, [p to M, SM] x 4, p to end.

Repeat **Rows 1-2** 11 (12, 13, 13, 14, 16) more times.

You have 42 (44, 46, 46, 48, 50) sts for each front, 83 (87, 91, 91, 95, 99) sts for back, 48 (48, 52, 52, 56, 60) sts for each sleeve, 263 (271, 287, 287, 303, 319) total sts.

Make Gathers

Row 1 (Sleeve Inc Only): Sl2 wyib, k1, (sl1 wyif, k1) to 1 st before M, k1, SM, M1L, k to M, M1R, SM, k1, (sl1 wyif, k1) to M, SM, M1L, k to M, M1R, SM, k1, (k1, sl1 wyif) to 3 sts before end, k3. (+ 4 sts)

Row 2 (WS): Sl2 wyif, (sl1 wyib, p1) to M, SM, p to M, SM, p1, (p1, sl1 wyib) to 2 st before M, p2, SM, p to M, SM, (p1, sl1 wyib) to 2 sts before end, p2.

Repeat **Rows 1-2** once more.

Row 5 (RS): Sl2 wyib, k1, (kfb, k1) to 1 st before M, k1, SM, M1L, k to M, M1R, SM, k2, (kfb, k1) to 1 st before M, k1, SM, M1L, k to M, M1R, SM, k2, (kfb, k1) to 2 sts before end, k2.

Row 6 (WS): Sl2 wyif, [p to M, SM] x 4, p to end.

You have 61 (64, 67, 67, 70, 73) sts for each front, 123 (129, 135, 135, 141, 147) sts for back, 54 (54, 58, 58, 62, 66) sts for each sleeve, 353 (365, 385, 385, 405, 425) total sts.

Sizes XS to M; Skip to 'Increase for raglan 2'.

Sizes L and XL only;

Row 7 (RS): Sl2 wyib, k5, [kfb, k(8, 6)] x (6, 8), kfb, k(5, 6), SM, M1L, k to M, M1R, SM, k7, [kfb, k(9, 6)] x (12, 18), kfb, k7, SM, M1L, k to M, M1R, SM, k(5, 6), kfb, [k(8, 6), kfb] x (6, 8), k to end.

Row 8 (WS): Sl2 wyif, [p to M, SM] x 4, p to end.

You have (74, 79) sts for each front, (148, 160) sts for back, (60, 64) sts for each sleeve, (416, 446) total sts.

Size 2XL only;

Row 7 (RS): Sl2 wyib, k1, (kfb, k5) x 11, kfb, k3, SM, M1L, k to M, M1R, SM, k7, (kfb, k4, kfb, k5) x 12, kfb, k7, SM, M1L, k to M, M1R, SM, k3, kfb, [k5, kfb] x 11, k to end.

Row 8 (WS): Sl2 wyif, [p to M, SM] x 4, p to end.

You have (85) sts for each front, (172) sts for back, (68) sts for each sleeve, (478) total sts.

Go to Next section.

Increase for raglan 2

Repeat **Rows 1-2** of **Increase for raglan 1** section 7 (6, 5, 5, 5, 3) times, then repeat **Row 1** once.

You have 69 (71, 73, 80, 85, 89) sts for each front, 139 (143, 147, 160, 172, 180) sts for back, 70 (68, 70, 72, 76, 76) sts for each sleeve, 417 (421, 433, 464, 494, 510) total sts.

Join fronts

Joining rnd: CO 1 st, PM (=BOR), [k to M, SM] x 4, k to new BOR.

Size XS; Skip to 'Separate body and sleeves'.

Sizes S to 2XL; Go to "Increase for raglan 3"

Increase for raglan 3

Size S only;

Rnd 1 (Sleeve and Body Inc): SM, [k to 1 st before M, M1R, k1, SM, M1L, k to M, M1R, SM, k1, M1L] x 2, k to BOR. (+ 8 sts)

Rnd 2: [SM, k to M] x 5.

Rnd 3 (Body Inc Only): SM, [k to 1 st before M, M1R, k1, SM, k to M, SM, k1, M1L] x 2, k to BOR. (+ 4 sts)

Rnd 4: Repeat **Rnd 2**.

147 sts for front and back, 70 sts for each sleeve, 434 total sts.

Size M only;

Rnd 1 (Body Inc Only): SM, [k to 1 st before M, M1R, k1, SM, k to M, SM, k1, M1L] x 2, k to BOR. (+ 4 sts)

Rnd 2: [SM, k to M] x 5.

Rnd 3 (Sleeve and Body Inc): SM, [k to 1 st before M, M1R, k1, SM, M1L, k to M, M1R, SM, k1, M1L] x 2, k to BOR. (+ 8 sts)

Rnd 4: Repeat **Rnd 2**.

Repeat **Rnds 1-4** once more, then **Rnds 1-2** once more.

157 sts for front and back, 74 sts for each sleeve, 462 total sts.

Size L only;

Rnd 1 (Sleeve and Body Inc): SM, [k to 1 st before M, M1R, k1, SM, M1L, k to M, M1R, SM, k1, M1L] x 2, k to BOR. (+ 8 sts)

Rnd 2: [SM, k to M] x 5.

Repeat **Rnds 1-2** 2 more times.

Rnd 7 (Body Inc Only): SM, [k to 1 st before M, M1R, k1, SM, k to M, SM, k1, M1L] x 2, k to BOR. (+ 4 sts)

Rnd 8: Repeat **Rnd 2**.

Repeat **Rnds 1-2** once more, then **Rnds 7-8** once more.

173 sts for front, 172 sts for back, 80 sts for each sleeve, 505 total sts.

Size XL only;

Rnd 1 (Sleeve and Body Inc): SM, [k to 1 st before M, M1R, k1, SM, M1L, k to M, M1R, SM, k1, M1L] x 2, k to BOR. (+ 8 sts)



Rnd 2: [SM, k to M] x 5.

Repeat **Rnds 1-2** 6 more times.

185 sts for front, 186 sts for back, 90 sts for each sleeve, 551 total sts.

Size 2XL only;

Rnd 1 (Sleeve and Body Inc): SM, [k to 1 st before M, M1R, k1, SM, M1L, k to M, M1R, SM, k1, M1L] x 2, k to BOR. (+ 8 sts)

Rnd 2: [SM, k to M, SM] x 5.

Repeat **Rnds 1-2** 5 more times.

Rnd 13: Repeat **Rnd 1**.

Rnd 14 (Sleeve Inc Only): [SM, k to M, SM, M1L, k to M, M1R] x 2. (+ 4 sts)

Repeat **Rnds 13-14** 3 more times.

199 sts for front, 200 sts for back, 104 sts for each sleeve, 607 total sts.

Go to 'Separate body and sleeves'.



Separate body and sleeves

Rnd: RM, k to next M, [RM, put next 70 (70, 74, 80, 90, 104) sts onto waste yarn or st holder, RM, CO 4 (4, 5, 5, 6, 5) sts, PM (**New BOR**), CO 10 (10, 11, 11, 12, 11) sts, k to M, RM, put next 70 (70, 74, 80, 90, 104) sts onto waste yarn or st holder, RM, CO 4 (4, 5, 5, 6, 5) sts, PM, CO 10 (10, 11, 11, 12, 11) sts, k to M (BOR). You have 306 (322, 346, 377, 407, 431) sts for body.

Next rnd: SM, k all sts.

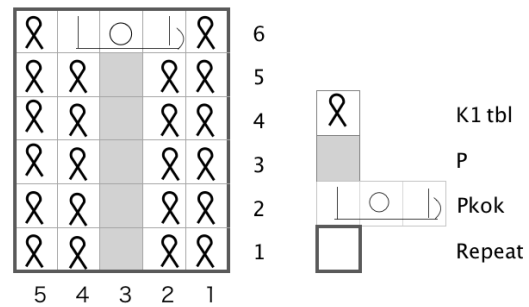
Body

Rnd 1: [SM, work Row 1 of Chart, k to M] x 2.

Continue in this manner through Row 6, then repeat [Rows 1 to 6] x 2, then repeat Rows 1 to 5; 23 total rows.

Increase rnd: [SM, work Row 6 of chart, k2, M1L, k to 2 sts before M, M1R, k2] x 2. (+ 4 sts)

Chart



Working as established, work increases rnd every 24th rnd 5 more times. You have 330 (346, 370, 401, 431, 455) sts.

Work even in pattern until body measures 18 1/4" / 46 cm from underarm or desired length.

End with **Rnd 6** of chart.

Hem

Sizes XS to M / **Rnd 1:** SM, (k1, sl1 wyif) to end.

Sizes L, XL and 2XL / **Rnd 1:** SM, ssk, sl1 wif, (k1, sl1 wyif) to end.

Rnd 2: SM, (sl1 wyif, k1) to end.

Rnd 3: SM, (k1, sl1 wyif) to end.

RM, CO 2 sts using cable CO. (k1, k2tog tbl, slip 2 sts back to left needle) to end.

I-cord: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=z-MxOLnDd4M>

I-cord ends: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gQLa-vjWQ-I>

Cut yarn.



Sleeves

Place 70 (70, 74, 80, 90, 104) sleeve sts on US 4 / 3.5 mm needle, and join **MC**.

Set-up rnd 1: Starting at the center of the underarm, pick up and knit 7 (7, 8, 8, 9, 8) sts from CO edge, k70 (70, 74, 80, 90, 104), pick up and knit 7 (7, 8, 8, 9, 8)

sts from CO edge, PM. You have 84 (84, 90, 96, 108, 120) sts on your needles.

Set-up rnd 2: SM, k to end.

Join **CC** yarn.

Work Botanical Chart from Row 1 to 21, cut **CC** yarn.

Rnd 1: SM, (k1, sl1 wyif) to 2 sts before end, k2.

Rnd 2: SM, (sl1 wyif, k1) to end.

Rnd 3: Repeat **Rnd 1**.

Rnd 4: SM, (k2, kfb) to end. [+ 28 (28, 30, 32, 36, 40) sts; 112 (112, 120, 128, 144, 160) sts]

Rnd 5: SM, k to end.

Work even in Stockinette stitch until sleeve measures 13 (13, 13 3/4, 13 3/4, 14 1/4, 14 1/4)" / 33 (33, 34.5, 34.5, 36, 36) cm from underarm or desired length.

Rnd 1: SM, k2tog to end. [56 (56, 60, 64, 72, 80) sts]

Rnd 2: SM, (k1, sl1 wyif) to 2 sts before end, k2.

Rnd 3: SM, (sl1 wyif, k1) to end.

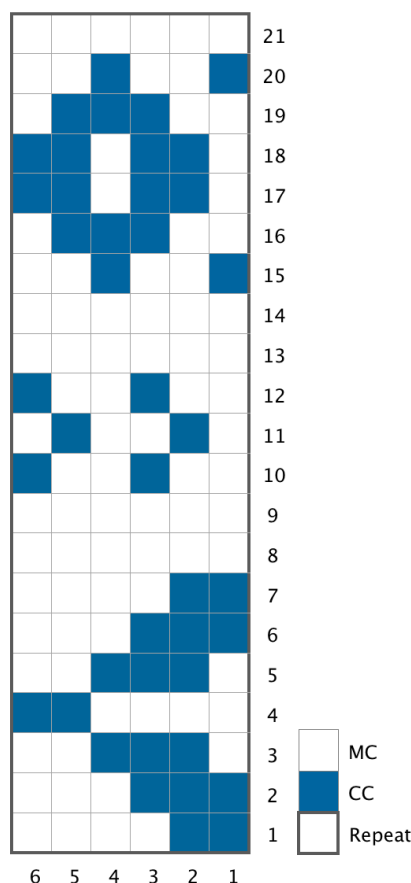
RM, CO 2 sts using cable CO. (k1, k2tog tbl, slip 2 sts back to left needle) to end.

Repeat for the other sleeve.

Finishing

Weave in all ends. Block to measurements.

Botanical chart



Abbreviations & techniques

CO: Cast on

BO: Bind off

BOR: Beginning of round

CC: Contrasting color

DS: Double Stitch (Slip 1 st to the right needle purlwise with yarn in front and pull yarn to the back of work over the right needle. Slipped st looks doubled. When you get back to the DS, k or p the DS as one stitch through 2 loops.)

German short row: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8chUxjDn73A>

Inc: Increase

k: Knit

Kfb: Knit into front and back of st

k2tog: Knit 2 sts together

M: Marker

MC: Main color

M1L: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zmUSinUjZbE> (Make 1 left) Insert left needle from front to back under the bar between 2 sts, then knit this bar through the back loop

M1R: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qCV0VC0Y-im4> (Make 1 right) Insert the left needle from back to

front under the bar between the st, then knit this bar through the front loop

p: Purl

Pkok: Pass third st on left needle over first 2 sts and off needle; k1, yo, k1

PM: Place Marker

RM: Remove Marker

Rnd (s): Round (s)

RS: Right side

sl: Slip stitch purlwise

SM: Slip Marker

ssk: (Slip, slip, knit) Slip 2 sts one at a time knitwise to the right needle, return sts to left needle in turned position and knit them together through the back loop

st (s): Stitch (es)

TW: Turn Work

YO: Yarn over

tbl: through back loop

WS: Wrong side

wyib: With yarn held in back

wyif: With yarn held in front

x N: work instructions in parenthesis N times in all

Thank you for knitting my pattern.
I hope you enjoy knitting 'Nell'.

Thank you for helping me,
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