



Lina Sweater

No. 2004-184-5141

Materials

32" Circular Needle US 13 (9 mm)
DPNs US 13 (9 mm)
3 skeins of 25 g Kid Silk in each color: 10, 13,
16 and 38

Sizes

S (M) L

Measurements

Width 21 ½ (23 ½) 25 ½ in
Length 19 ¼ (19 ½) 20 in

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Gauge

Holding 4 strands together
12 sts = 4"
16 rnds = 4"

Pattern information

This is knit with 1 strand of Kid Silk in each color = 4 strands held together. The sweater is worked from the bottom up. It is divided at the armhole and knit for the yoke.

The shoulders are sewn together. At the end you will pick up sts for the arms- which are knit from the top down.

M1: From the front, lift loop between stitches with left needle, knit into back of loop.

W&T: Wrap and turn in German short rows technique.

Body

CO 121 (132) 143 sts on the 32" circular needle and knit 1 rnd in stockinette.

Increasing round

Work *k11, M1 *, repeat * - * to the end of the rnd = 132 (144) 156 sts.

Work in stockinette until the piece measures 12 in.

Place a marker to indicate the side seams = 66 (72) 78 sts on both the front and the back pieces.

Now we will divide the piece for the armholes. Place the sts for the front piece on scrap yarn and set aside. Work the sts for the back piece flat.

Back

Work flat in stockinette = Knit the RS, Purl the WS.

Work evenly until the piece measures 7 ½ (7 ¾) 8 ¼ in from the armhole. End with a WS row.

Right shoulder

Shape the shoulder with German Short Rows:

work 27 (30) 33 sts, turn, W&T,

*work until there are 7 sts remaining to the shoulder edge, turn,

W&T, work until there are 3 sts remaining to the neck edge, turn,

W&T, work until there are 15 sts remaining to the shoulder edge, turn,

W&T, work until there are 6 sts remaining to the neck edge, turn,

W&T, work to the end of the row, work the W&T sts as 1 st, turn,

Bind off 27 (30) 33 sts, working the W&T sts as 1 st*.

Place a marker 21 (24) 27 stitches from each side. These stitches are part of the shoulder. The 6 stitches are for the neck.

Neck

Bind off 12 sts and knit to the end of the row.

Left shoulder

Work the left shoulder in the same way as the right from * to *.

Place a marker 21 (24) 27 stitches from each side. These stitches are part of the shoulder. The 6 stitches are for the neck.

Front

Work evenly in stockinette, until the piece measures 4 in from the armhole. End with a WS row.

k 25 (28) 31 sts, bind off 16 sts for the neck, knit to the end of the row.

The front right and left pieces are worked independently.

Right Front

Decrease on the neck side as follows:

Row 1: purl across

Row 2: k2tog tbl, knit to the end of the row.

Repeat these 2 rows until you have decreased by 4 sts = 21 (24) 27 sts remaining for the shoulder

Work evenly until the piece measures 7 ½ (7 ¾) 8 ¼ in (19 (20) 21 cm) from the armhole.

End with a WS row.

Bind off.

Left Front

Decrease on the neck side as follows:

Row 1: purl across

Row 2: knit until there are 2 sts remaining, k2tog.

Repeat these 2 rows until you have decreased by 4 sts = 21 (24) 27 sts remaining for the shoulder

Work evenly until the piece measures 7 (7 ½) 7 ¾ in (19 (20) 21 cm) from the armhole. End with a WS row.

Bind off.

Sew the shoulder seams together with the back piece.

Arms (knit from the top down)

Pick up approx. 46 (48) 50 sts in the armhole on DPNs.

The first rnd is knit through the back loop. Place a marker to indicate the beginning of the rnd.

Work in stockinette, decreasing 1 st on each side of the marker with 2 sts between. (k2tog, k2, ssk) Work a decreasing rnd every 2 in. Work until the piece measures 15 ¾ in.

On the next rnd decrease evenly by 6 sts.

Bind off.

Knit the second sleeve to match.

Neckband

Pick up sts from the RS around the neck.

Bind off in knit sts.

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