



Karoline Blouse

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Materials

Circular needle 31.5 inches (80 cm) size 8 (5 mm)

Jumper knitting needles size 8 (5 mm)

Double pointed needles size 8 (5 mm)

6 (7) 8 (9) skeins of Alpaca Silk col. 27

5 (6) 7 (8) skeins of Kid silk col. 07

Sizes

S (M) L (XL)

Measurements

Width: 19.7 (21.6) 23.6 (25.6) inches / 50 (55) (60 (65) cm

Length 20.5 (21.3) 22 (22.8) inches / 52 (54) 56 (58) cm

Knitting gauge

With 2 threads on needle size 8 (5 mm)

18 stitches on 4" (10 cm)

26 rounds on 4" (10 cm)

Pattern information

The blouse is knitted with 1 thread of each quality.

The sweater is knitted down-up. You cast off to create armholes and neckline. The shoulders are sewn together, and lastly you knit up the stitches for the armholes. The sleeves are knitted top-down.

ts, turning stitch: you turn by using German short rows

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Body

Cast on 116 (134) 152 (178) on circular needle and work 6.7 (7.1) 7.5 (7.8) inches / 17 (18) 19 (20) cm in rib *k1, p1*.

Continue in the round in stockinette stitch, and on the first round you increase evenly with 64 stitches (this is the same for all sizes) = 180 (198) 216 (242) stitches.

Knit in the round until your work measures 13.4 (13.8) 14.2 (14.6) inches / 34 (35) 36 (37) cm.

Place a marker in each side = side seams = 90 (99) 108 (121) stitches for the back and the front piece.

Here you divide your work for armholes. Put the stitches of the front piece on hold on the circular needle, and knit the back piece using the jumper needles.

Back piece

Knit back and forth in stockinette stitch)

Knit straight up until the armhole measures 7.1 (7.5) 7.9 (8.3) inches / 18 (19) 20 (21) cm.

Finish with a row of purl stitches.

Left shoulder (when wearing the blouse)

Shape the shoulder and neck using GSR:

Work 36 (40) 45 (51) stitches, turn, work a turning stitch (ts)

*work until you have 7 stitches left to the shoulder, turn,

work 1 ts, work until you have 3 stitches left to the neck, turn,

Work 1 ts, work until you have 15 stitches left to the shoulder, turn,

Work 1 ts, work until you have 6 stitches left to the neck, turn,

Work 1 ts, knit the rest of the needle and knit the turning stitches as a stitch, turn,

Bind off 36 (40) 45 (51) stitches, and knit the turning stitches a stitch*.

Place a marker 30 (34) 39 (45) stitches from the shoulder.

Neck

Bind off 18 (19) 18 (19) stitches and knit the rest of the needle.

Right shoulder

Knit the right shoulder the same way you knitted the left shoulder from * to*.

Place a marker 30 (34) 39 (45) stitches from the shoulder.

Front piece

Knit the front piece straight up in stockinette stitch until the armhole measures 4 inch. / 10 cm
Knit 35 (39) 44 (48) stitches knitwise, cast off 20 (21) 20 (21) stitches before the neckline, knit the rest of the rnd knitwise.

The right and left side of the front piece are knitted individually.

Right front piece (when wearing the blouse)

Decrease the neckline like this:

1. rnd: purl

2. rnd: knit 2 stitches together through the back loops, knit the rest of the rnd.

Repeat these 2 rnds until you have decreased with 5 stitches = 30 (34) 39 (45) stitches left to the shoulder.

Knit straight up until the armhole measures 7.1 (7.5) 7.9 (8.3) inch. / 18 (19) 20 (21) cm.

Increase the neck with 1 stitch on each side 6 times in total = 36 (40) 45 (51) stitches. Bind off. Sew the shoulder seams together.

Left front piece (when wearing the blouse)

Decrease the neck side like this:

1. rnd: purl

2. rnd: knit until you have 2 stitches left, knit 2 stitches together knitwise.

Repeat these 2 rnds until you have decreased 5 stitches = 30 (34) 39 (45) stitches left to the shoulder.

Knit straight up until the armhole measures 7.1 (7.5) 7.9 (8.3) inch. / 18 (19) 20 (21) cm.

Increase the neck with 1 stitch on every rnd 6 times in total = 36 (40) 45 (51) stitches. Bind off. Sew the shoulder seams together.

Sleeves (knitted top-down)

Knit approx. 66 (70) 74 (78) stitches up the armhole using double pointed needles. The first round is knitted through the back loops. Place a marker at the start of the round.

Knit stockinette stitch, as you decrease with 1 stitch on each side of the marker.

Decrease every 2nd inch (5. cm). Knit straight up until your work measures 16.9 inch. (43 cm).

On the next round decrease 6 stitches evenly.

Work 3 rounds of rib *k1, p1*.

Cast off.

Knit the other sleeve the same way.

Neckline

Knit up stitches from the right side around the neckline, work 3 rounds of rib *k1, p1*.

Bind off in rib.

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