

Sea Breeze

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YARN

	XS	S	M	L	XL
To fit bust	81	86	91	97	102 cm
	32	34	36	38	40 in

Rowan Summer Tweed

11 12 12 13 13 x 50gm
(photographed in Blueberry 525)

NEEDLES

1 pair 4mm (no 8) (US 6) needles
1 pair 4½mm (no 7) (US 7) needles
1 pair 5mm (no 6) (US 8) needles
Cable needle

TENSION

16 sts and 23 rows to 10 cm measured over stocking stitch using 5mm (US 8) needles.

SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

Cr4R = Cross 4 right Slip next st onto cn and leave at back of work, K3, then P1 from cn.

Cr4L = Cross 4 left Slip next 3 sts onto cn and leave at front of work, P1, then K3 from cn.

BACK

Cast on 77 (81: 85: 89: 93) sts using 4½mm (US 7) needles.

Row 1 (RS): K1 (0: 0: 1: 0), P3 (0: 2: 3: 0), *K3, P3, rep from * to last 1 (3: 5: 1: 3) sts, K1 (3: 3: 1: 3), P0 (0: 2: 0: 0).

Row 2: P1 (0: 0: 1: 0), K3 (0: 2: 3: 0), *P3, K3, rep from * to last 1 (3: 5: 1: 3) sts, P1 (3: 3: 1: 3), K0 (0: 2: 0: 0).

These 2 rows form rib.

Work in rib for a further 6 rows, ending with a WS row.

Change to 5mm (US 8) needles.

Cont in rib for a further 30 (30: 30: 32: 32) rows, ending with a WS row.

Dec 1 st at each end of next and every foll 6th row to 69 (73: 77: 81: 85) sts, then on every foll 4th row until 65 (69: 73: 77: 81) sts rem.

Work 7 (9: 9: 9: 9) rows, ending with a WS row.

Inc 1 st at each end of next and every foll 6th row until there are 77 (81: 85: 89: 93) sts, taking inc sts into rib.

Work a further 9 rows, ending with a WS row.

(Back should measure 48 (49: 49: 50: 50) cm.)

Shape armholes

Keeping rib correct, cast off 3 (4: 4: 5: 5) sts at beg of next 2 rows.

71 (73: 77: 79: 83) sts.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 5 (5: 7: 7: 9) rows, then on foll 3 alt rows.

55 (57: 57: 59: 59) sts.

Cont straight until armhole measures 22 (22: 23: 23: 24) cm, ending with a WS row.

Shape shoulders and back neck

Cast off 5 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

45 (47: 47: 49: 49) sts.

Next row (RS): Cast off 5 sts, rib until there are 10 sts on right needle and turn, leaving rem sts on a holder.

Work each side of neck separately.

Cast off 4 sts at beg of next row. Cast off rem 6 sts.

With RS facing, rejoin yarn to rem sts, cast off centre 15 (17: 17: 19: 19) sts, rib to end.

Complete to match first side, reversing shapings.

LEFT FRONT

Cast on 42 (44: 46: 48: 50) sts using 4½mm (US 7) needles.

Row 1 (RS): P0 (0: 2: 0: 0), K1 (3: 3: 1: 3), (P3, K3) 3 (3: 3: 4: 4) times, P7, (K3, P5) twice.

Row 2: (K5, P3) twice, K7, (P3, K3) 3 (3: 3: 4: 4) times, P1 (3: 3: 1: 3), K0 (0: 2: 0: 0).

Row 3: P0 (0: 2: 0: 0), K1 (3: 3: 1: 3), (P3, K3) 3 (3: 3: 4: 4) times, work last 23 sts as row 1 of chart for left front.

Row 4: Work first 23 sts as row 2 of chart for left front, (P3, K3) 3 (3: 3: 4: 4) times, P1 (3: 3: 1: 3), K0 (0: 2: 0: 0).

Last 2 rows set the sts – front opening edge 23 sts worked from chart with side seam edge sts worked in rib.

Cont as set for a further 4 rows, ending with a WS row.

Change to 5mm (US 8) needles.

Work a further 30 (30: 30: 32: 32) rows, ending with a WS row.

Dec 1 st at beg (side seam edge) of next and every foll 6th row to 38 (40: 42: 44: 46) sts, then on every foll 4th row until 36 (38: 40: 42: 44) sts rem.

Work 7 (9: 9: 9: 9) rows, ending with a WS row.

Inc 1 st at beg of next and every foll 6th row until there are 40 (42: 44: 46: 48) sts, taking inc sts into rib.

Work a further 3 rows, ending with a WS row.

Shape front slope

Dec 1 st at end of next row. 39 (41: 43: 45: 47) sts.

Work 1 row.

Inc 1 st at side seam edge of next and foll 6th row and at same time dec 1 st at front slope edge of 3rd and foll 4th row. 39 (41: 43: 45: 47) sts.

Work 3 rows.

Dec 1 st at front slope edge of next and foll 4th row. 37 (39: 41: 43: 45) sts.

Work 1 row, ending with a WS row. (Left front should now match back to beg of armhole shaping.)

Shape armhole

Keeping rib correct, cast off 3 (4: 4: 5: 5) sts at beg of next row.

34 (35: 37: 38: 40) sts.

Work 1 row.

Dec 1 st at armhole edge of next 5 (5: 7: 7: 9) rows, then on foll 3 alt rows and at same time dec 1 st at front slope edge of next and every foll 4th row.

23 (24: 23: 24: 24) sts.

Dec 1 st at front slope edge only of 2nd (2nd: 4th: 4th: 2nd) and every foll 4th row until 16 sts rem.

Cont straight until left front matches back to start of shoulder shaping, ending with a WS row.

Shape shoulder

Cast off 5 sts at beg of next and foll alt row.
Work 1 row. Cast off rem 6 sts.

RIGHT FRONT

Cast on 42 (44: 46: 48: 50) sts using 4½mm (US 7) needles.

Row 1 (RS): (P5, K3) twice, P7, (K3, P3) 3 (3: 3: 4: 4) times, K1 (3: 3: 1: 3), P0 (0: 2: 0: 0).

Row 2: K0 (0: 2: 0: 0), P1 (3: 3: 1: 3), (K3, P3) 3 (3: 3: 4: 4) times, K7, (P3, K5) twice.

Row 3: Work first 23 sts as row 1 of chart for right front, (K3, P3) 3 (3: 3: 4: 4) times, K1 (3: 3: 1: 3), P0 (0: 2: 0: 0).

Row 4: K0 (0: 2: 0: 0), P1 (3: 3: 1: 3), (K3, P3) 3 (3: 3: 4: 4) times, work last 23 sts as row 2 of chart for right front.

Last 2 rows set the sts – front opening edge 23 sts worked from chart with side seam edge sts worked in rib.

Cont as set for a further 4 rows, ending with a WS row.

Change to 5mm (US 8) needles.

Work a further 30 (30: 30: 32: 32) rows, ending with a WS row.

Dec 1 st at end (side seam edge) of next and every foll 6th row to 38 (40: 42: 44: 46) sts, then on every foll 4th row until 36 (38: 40: 42: 44) sts rem.

Complete to match left front, reversing shapings.

SLEEVES (both alike)

Cast on 45 (45: 47: 49: 49) sts using 4½mm (US 7) needles.

Row 1 (RS): P0 (0: 1: 2: 2), *K3, P3, rep from * to last 3 (3: 4: 5: 5) sts, K3, P0 (0: 1: 2: 2).

Row 2: K0 (0: 1: 2: 2), *P3, K3, rep from * to last 3 (3: 4: 5: 5) sts, P3, K0 (0: 1: 2: 2). These 2 rows form rib.

Work in rib for a further 6 rows, ending with a WS row.

Change to 5mm (US 8) needles.

Cont in rib, shaping sides by inc 1 st at each end of 9th (3rd: 7th: 7th: 5th) and every foll 16th (14th: 14th: 14th: 12th) row until there are 55 (57: 59: 61: 63) sts, taking inc sts into rib.

Cont straight until sleeve measures 41 (41: 42: 42: 42) cm, ending with a WS row.

Shape top

Keeping rib correct, cast off 3 (4: 4: 5: 5) sts at beg of next 2 rows.

49 (49: 51: 51: 53) sts.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 3 rows, then on foll 2 alt rows, then on every foll 4th row until 31 (31: 33: 33: 35) sts rem.

Work 1 row.

Dec 1 st at each end of next and every foll alt row until 25 sts rem, then on foll 3 rows, ending with a WS row. Cast off rem 19 sts.

MAKING UP

PRESS.

Join both shoulder seams using back stitch, or mattress st if preferred.

Left front band and collar

Cast on 162 (168: 168: 174: 174) sts using 4mm (US 8) needles.

Row 1 (RS): *K3, P3, rep from * to end.

Row 2: As row 1.

These 2 rows form rib.

Work in rib for a further 8 rows, dec 1 st at end of 5th of these rows.

161 (167: 167: 173: 173) sts.

Shape for collar

Keeping rib correct, cast off 67 (69: 69: 71: 71) sts at beg of next row.

94 (98: 98: 102: 102) sts.

Work 1 row, ending with a WS row.

Dec 1 st at beg (neck edge) of next and foll 9 alt rows, then on foll 13 rows and at same time dec 1 st at end (back neck edge) of next and every foll 6th row.

65 (69: 69: 73: 73) sts.

Cast off 3 sts at beg of next and foll 2 alt rows, then 5 sts at beg of foll alt row, and 8 sts at beg of foll alt row. 43 (47: 47: 51: 51) sts.

Work 1 row, ending with a WS row. Cast off in rib.

Right front band and collar

Cast on 162 (168: 168: 174: 174) sts using 4mm (US 8) needles.

Work in rib as given for left front band and collar for 11 rows, dec 1 st at beg of 7th of these rows. 161 (167: 167: 173: 173) sts.

Shape for collar

Keeping rib correct, cast off 67 (69: 69: 71: 71) sts at beg of next row, ending with a WS row.

94 (98: 98: 102: 102) sts.

Dec 1 st at end (neck edge) of next and foll 9 alt rows, then on foll 13 rows and at same time dec 1 st at beg (back neck edge) of next and every foll 6th row.

65 (69: 69: 73: 73) sts.

Work 1 row.

Cast off 3 sts at beg of next and foll 2 alt rows, then 5 sts at beg of foll alt row, and 8 sts at beg of foll alt row, ending with a WS row.

43 (47: 47: 51: 51) sts.

Cast off in rib.

Belt

Cast on 12 sts using 4mm (US 6) needles.

Row 1 (RS): K3, (P2, K2) twice, K1.

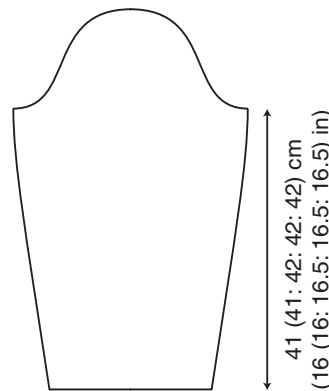
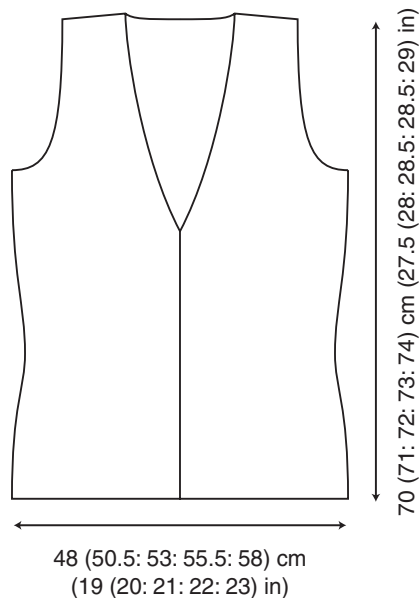
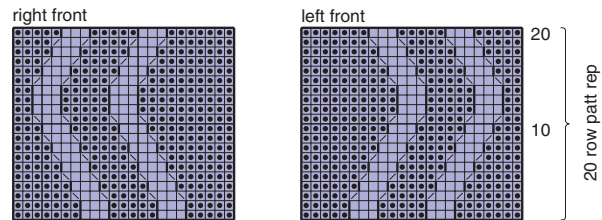
Row 2: K1, P2, (K2, P2) twice, K1.

Rep these 2 rows for 150 cm, ending with a WS row.

Cast off.

Join longer row end edges of collar sections to form back neck seam, reversing seam for turn-back. Sew front bands and collar to front opening and back neck edges, matching long cast-off edge of band section to front opening edges, collar seam to centre back neck and easing in fullness along front slopes.

Set in sleeves using the set-in method.



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