



Portland

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SIZES

	S	M	L	XL	XXL	
To fit bust	81-86	91-97	102-107	112-117	122-127	cm
	32-34	36-38	40-42	44-46	48-50	in

length:						
	69	71	73	75	77	cm
	27	28	28½	29½	30½	in

width (at underarm/hem):						
	54	59	66	71	77.5	cm
	21½	23	26	28	30½	in

YARN

Big Wool

10	11	11	12	12	x 100gm
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(photographed in Concrete 061)

NEEDLES

1 pair 10mm (no 000) (US 15) needles
Cable needle

TENSION

12 sts and 15 rows to 10 cm measured over patt using 10mm (US 15) needles.

SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

C3F = slip next 2 sts onto cable needle and leave at front of work, K1, then K2 from cable needle.

BACK

Using 10mm (US 15) needles cast on 65 [71: 79: 85: 93] sts.

Row 1 (WS): Purl.

Now work in patt as folls:

Row 1 (RS): K1 [4: 2: 5: 3], C3F, *K3, C3F, rep from * to last 1 [4: 2: 5: 3] sts, K1 [4: 2: 5: 3].

Row 2: K1 [4: 2: 5: 3], P3, *K3, P3, rep from * to last 1 [4: 2: 5: 3] sts, K1 [4: 2: 5: 3].

These 2 rows form patt.

Work in patt for a further 46 [48: 50: 50: 52] rows, ending with RS facing for next row. (Back should meas approx 33 [34: 35: 35: 37] cm.)

Shape for cap sleeves

Inc 1 st at each end of next and 2 foll 4th rows, then on foll 4 alt rows, then on foll 2 rows, taking inc sts into patt and ending with **WS** facing for next row. 83 [89: 97: 103: 111] sts. Place markers at both ends of last row to denote base of armhole openings.

Work 33 [33: 35: 37: 39] rows, ending with RS facing for next row. (Armhole should meas approx 23 [23: 24: 25: 27] cm.)

Shape shoulders and back neck

Cast off 9 [11: 12: 13: 14] sts at beg of next 2 rows.

65 [67: 73: 77: 83] sts.

Next row (RS): Cast off 9 [11: 12: 13: 14] sts, patt until there are 13 [13: 15: 16: 18] sts on right needle and turn, leaving rem sts on a holder.

Work each side of neck separately.

Cast off 3 sts at beg of next row.

Cast off rem 10 [10: 12: 13: 15] sts.

With RS facing, rejoin yarn to rem sts, cast off centre 19 sts, patt to end.

Complete to match first side, reversing shapings.

LEFT FRONT

Using 10mm (US 15) needles cast on 35 [38: 42: 45: 49] sts.

Row 1 (WS): Purl.

Now work in patt as folls:

Row 1 (RS): K1 [4: 2: 5: 3], C3F, *K3, C3F, rep from * to last st, K1.

Row 2: K1, P3, *K3, P3, rep from * to last 1 [4: 2: 5: 3] sts, K1 [4: 2: 5: 3].

These 2 rows form patt.

Work in patt for a further 4 rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape front slope

Next row (RS): Patt to last 5 sts and turn, leaving rem 5 sts on a holder. 30 [33: 37: 40: 44] sts.

Keeping patt correct, dec 1 st at front slope edge of 8th and 4 [4: 4: 3: 1] foll 8th row, then on 0 [0: 0: 1: 3] foll 10th rows. 25 [28: 32: 35: 39] sts.

Work 1 [3: 5: 3: 1] rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape for cap sleeve

Inc 1 st at beg of next and 2 foll 4th rows, then on foll 4 alt rows, then at same edge on foll 2 rows, taking inc sts into patt and ending with **WS** facing for next row, **and at same time** dec 1 st at front slope edge of 7th [5th: 5th: 7th: 9th] and foll 8th [8th: 10th: 10th: 10th] row. 32 [35: 39: 42: 46] sts.

Place marker at beg of last row to denote base of armhole opening.

Dec 1 st at front slope edge on 4th [4th: 6th: 8th: 10th] and 2 foll 10th rows. 29 [32: 36: 39: 43] sts.

Work 9 rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape shoulder

Cast off 9 [11: 12: 13: 14] sts at beg of next and foll alt row.

Work 1 row.

Cast off rem 10 [10: 12: 13: 15] sts.

RIGHT FRONT

Using 10mm (US 15) needles cast on 35 [38: 42: 45: 49] sts.

Row 1 (WS): Purl.

Now work in patt as folls:

Row 1 (RS): K1, C3F, *K3, C3F, rep from * to last 1 [4: 2: 5: 3] sts, K1 [4: 2: 5: 3].

Row 2: K1 [4: 2: 5: 3], P3, *K3, P3, rep from * to last st, K1.

These 2 rows form patt.

Work in patt for a further 4 rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape front slope

Next row (RS): K1, P3, K1 and slip these 5 sts onto a holder, patt to end. 30 [33: 37: 40: 44] sts.

Complete to match left front, reversing shapings.

MAKING UP

Press.

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

Right collar

Slip 5 sts on right front holder onto 10mm (US 15) needles and rejoin yarn with **WS** of front facing - this now becomes

RS of collar.

Row 1 (RS): K1, C3F, K1.

Row 2: K1, P3, K1.

Row 3: K1, M1, C3F, K1. 6 sts.

Row 4: K1, P3, K2.

Row 5: K2, C3F, K1.

Row 6: As row 4.

Row 7: K2, M1, C3F, K1. 7 sts.

Row 8: K1, P3, K3.

Row 9: K3, C3F, K1.

Row 10: As row 8.

Row 11: K3, M1, C3F, K1. 8 sts.

Row 12: K1, P3, K4.

Row 13: K4, C3F, K1.

Row 14: As row 12.

Row 15: K4, M1, C3F, K1. 9 sts.

Row 16: K1, P4, K4.

Row 17: K5, C3F, K1.

Row 18: As row 16.

Row 19: K5, M1, C3F, K1. 10 sts.

Row 20: K1, P5, K4.

Row 21: K6, C3F, K1.

Row 22: As row 20.

Row 23: K6, M1, C3F, K1. 11 sts.

Row 24: K1, P6, K4.

Row 25: K4, (C3F) twice, K1.

Row 26: As row 24.

Cont in this way, inc 1 st 4 sts in from outer edge of collar on next and every foll 4th row, until there are 20 sts, taking inc sts into patt.

Work a further 35 [37: 41: 43: 47] rows, ending with RS of collar facing for next row.**

Break yarn and leave sts on a holder.

Left collar

Slip 5 sts on left front holder onto 10mm (US 15) needles and rejoin yarn with RS of front facing - this now becomes **WS** of collar.

Next row: K1, P3, K1.

Now work in patt and shape collar as folls:

Row 1 (RS): K1, C3F, K1.

Row 2: K1, P3, K1.

Row 3: K1, C3F, M1, K1. 6 sts.

Row 4: K2, P3, K1.

Row 5: K1, C3F, K2.

Complete to match right collar to **.

Join collar sections

Next row (RS): Patt across 20 sts of left collar, turn and cast on 25 sts, turn and patt across 20 sts of right collar. 65 sts.

Now work in patt across all sts until collar meas 20 cm from back neck cast-on sts, ending with **WS** of collar facing for next row.

Cast off in patt (on **WS**).

Neatly sew inner edge of collar sections to front slope and back neck edges.