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## MEASUREMENTS

To fit bust	in	30-32	34-36	38-40
	cm	76-81	86-91	97-102
Actual measurements	in	40	44	48
	cm	102	112	122
Length to shoulders	in	25	26	27
	cm	63	66	69
Sleeve length	in	17½	17½	17½
	cm	44	44	44

## MATERIALS

100g balls of Aran	7	8	8
400g balls of Aran	2	2	2

Yarn quantities are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate.

**IMPORTANT NOTE:** The actual sizes given above indicate the fairly generous ease given to the design pictured on the front cover. If a more fitted look is preferred, it is advisable to knit a smaller size. **Please study all measurements carefully before deciding which size to knit.**

One pair each of knitting needles size 4 mm (8) and 5 mm (6)  
Cable needle

## TENSION

18 sts and 26 rows to 4 in (10 cm), measured over st st worked on 5 mm needles.

It is important to check your tension before commencing the garment, therefore work a tension square. If there are less sts and rows to 4 in (10 cm), change to finer needles; if there are more sts and rows to 4 in (10 cm), change to larger needles.

## NOTES

Where only one figure is given, this applies to all sizes. Where the figure 0 appears, no sts or rows are worked for this size.

## ABBREVIATIONS

k knit	roll following
p purl	alt alternate
st(s) stitch(es)	rem remain(ing)
rep repeat	patt pattern
inc increase(ing)	sl slip
dec decrease(ing)	tog together
beg beginning	mm millimetres
cont continue	cm centimetres
In inches	M1 make one by
C10F slip next 5 sts	picking up loop
onto a cable needle	between last st and
and leave at front	next st on left-hand
of work, k5, then	needle and working
k5 from cable needle	into back of it

## BACK

\*\* Using 4 mm needles, cast on 94[102:110] sts.

**1st row:** (Right side) K2, \* p2, k2, rep from \* to end.

**2nd row:** P2, \* k2, p2, rep from \* to end.

Rep these 2 rows until work measures

3 in or 7 cm, ending with a 1st row. Inc row: Rib 9[10:11], \* M1, rib 3, rep from \* to last 10[11:12] sts, M1, rib 10[11:12]. 120[130:140] sts.

Change to 5 mm needles.

Work in cable patt as follows:

**1st row:** (Right side) P3[4:5], \* k10, p3[4:5], rep from \* to end.

**2nd row:** K3[4:5], \* p10, k3[4:5], rep from \* to end.

**3rd to 6th rows:** Rep 1st and 2nd rows twice.

**7th row:** P3[4:5], \* C10F, p3[4:5], k10, p3[4:5], rep from \* to last 13[14:15] sts, C10F, p3[4:5].

**8th row:** As 2nd row.

**9th to 14th rows:** Rep 1st and 2nd rows 3 times.

**15th row:** P3[4:5], k10, \* p3[4:5], C10F, p3[4:5], k10, rep from \* to last 3[4:5] sts, p3[4:5].

**16th row:** As 2nd row.

These 16 rows form the patt. Cont in patt until Back measures 15½[16:16½] in or 39[41:42] cm from cast-on edge, ending with a wrong-side row. Place a marker at each end of last row. \*\*

Cont in patt until Back measures 25[26:27] in or 63[66:69] cm from cast-on edge, ending with a wrong-side row.

## Shape Shoulders

Cast off 7[9:10] sts at beg of next 2 rows, 7[9:9] sts at beg of next 2 rows, then 8[8:9] sts at beg of foll 6 rows. Leave rem 44[46:48] sts on a holder.

## FRONT

Work as given for Back from \*\* to \*\*.

Cont in patt until Front measures 23[24:25] in or 58[61:63] cm from cast-on edge, ending with a wrong-side row.

## Shape Neck

**Next row:** Patt 46[50:54], turn and leave rem sts on a spare needle.

Dec 1 st at neck edge on every row until 41[45:49] sts rem, then on every foll alt row until 38[42:46] sts rem.

Work straight until Front measures same as Back to beg of shoulder shaping, ending with a wrong-side row.

## Shape Shoulder

Cast off 7[9:10] sts at beg of next row, 7[9:9] sts at beg of foll alt row, then 8[8:9] sts at beg of foll 2 alt rows.

Patt 1 row, then cast off rem 8[8:9] sts. Return to sts on spare needle.

With right side facing, slip first 28[30:32] sts onto a holder, join on yarn and patt to end.

Now complete to match first side of neck.

## SLEEVES

Using 4 mm needles, cast on 38[42:46] sts.

Work 3 in or 7 cm rib as given for Back, ending with a 1st row.

**Inc row:** Rib 4[5:6], \* M1, rib 1, rep from \* to last 5[6:7] sts, M1, rib 5[6:7]. 68[74:80] sts. Change to 5 mm needles. Working in patt as given for Back, inc and work into patt 1 st each end of every 3rd row until there are 84[90:96] sts, then on every foll 4th row until there are 112[118:124] sts. Work straight until Sleeve measures 17½ in or 44 cm from cast-on edge, ending with a wrong-side row. Cast off in patt.

## NECKBAND

Join right shoulder seam.

With right side facing and using 4 mm needles, pick up and k 21[21:22] sts down left side of front neck, k28[30:32] sts from front neck holder, pick up and k20[21:21] sts up right side of front neck, then k44[46:48] from back-neck holder. 113[118:123] sts.

**1st row:** K3, \* p2, k3, rep from \* to end.

**2nd row:** P3, \* k2, p3, rep from \* to end.

Rep last 2 rows for 1½ in or 4 cm, ending with a 2nd row.

**Next row:** K1, k2 tog, \* p2, k1, k2 tog, rep from \* to end. 90[94:98] sts.

**Next row:** P2, \* k2, p2, rep from \* to end. Keeping patt correct, cont in rib until neckband measures 3 in or 7 cm from beg. Cast off loosely in rib.

## TO MAKE UP

Join left shoulder and neckband seam. Sew in sleeves between markers, then join side and sleeve seams.