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SIZE

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

Actual bust measurement of garment

84	93	105	114	123	cm
33	36½	41½	45	48½	in

YARN

Stone Washed

7	8	9	9	10	x 50g
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(photographed in Indigo Aged 104)

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NEEDLES

1 pair 6½mm (no 3) (US 10½) needles

TENSION

13½ sts and 17½ rows to 10 cm measured over patt using 6½mm (US 10½) needles.

BACK

Using 6½mm (US 10½) needles cast on 81 [89: 99: 107: 113] sts.

Row 1 (RS): K2, *P1, K1, rep from * to last st, K1.

Row 2: K1, *P1, K1, rep from * to end.

These 2 rows form rib.

Cont in rib for a further 27 rows, ending with **WS** facing for next row.

****Next row (WS):** Rib 2 [1: 1: 0: 3], work 2 tog, (rib 3, work 2 tog) 15 [17: 19: 21: 21] times, rib 2 [1: 1: 0: 3]. 65 [71: 79: 85: 91] sts. Place markers at both ends of last row (to denote top of side seam openings).

Next row (RS): Knit.

Now work in patt as folls:

Rows 1 to 3: Knit.

Row 4 (RS): Winding yarn twice round needle for every st, K to end.

Row 5: K to end, dropping extra loops.

Rows 6 to 8: Knit.

Row 9 (WS): Winding yarn twice round needle for every st, K to end.

Row 10: K to end, dropping extra loops.

These 10 rows form patt.

Keeping patt correct throughout, cont as folls:

Dec 1 st at each end of 2nd and foll 10th row, then on 2 foll 8th rows. 57 [63: 71: 77: 83] sts.

Cont straight until back meas 27 [27.5: 28: 28.5: 29] cm **from markers**, ending with RS facing for next row.**

Shape armholes

Keeping patt correct, cast off 6 [7: 7: 8: 8] sts at beg of next 2 rows. 45 [49: 57: 61: 67] sts.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 7 [7: 9: 7: 7] rows, then on foll 1 [2: 2: 4: 4] alt rows, then on foll 4th row. 27 [29: 33: 37: 43] sts.

Work 9 [9: 11: 11: 13] rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

Inc 1 st at each end of next and foll 4th row, then on foll 3 alt rows, taking inc sts into patt.

37 [39: 43: 47: 53] sts.

Work 3 rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape back neck

Next row (RS): Inc in first st, patt 8 [9: 10: 12: 14] sts and turn, leaving rem sts on a holder.

Work each side of neck separately.

Keeping patt correct, dec 1 st at neck edge of next 3 rows, ending with RS facing for next row. 7 [8: 9: 11: 13] sts.

Shape shoulder

Cast off 2 [3: 3: 4: 5] sts at beg and dec 1 st at end of next row.

Dec 1 st at beg of next row.

Cast off rem 3 [3: 4: 5: 6] sts.

With RS facing, slip centre 19 [19: 21: 21: 23] sts onto a holder, rejoin yarn, patt to last st, inc in last st.

Complete to match first side, reversing shapings.

FRONT

Using 6½mm (US 10½) needles cast on 81 [89: 99: 107: 113] sts.

Work in rib as given for back for 17 rows, ending with **WS** facing for next row.

Now work as given for back from ** to **.

Shape armholes

Keeping patt correct, cast off 3 [4: 4: 5: 5] sts at beg of next 2 rows. 51 [55: 63: 67: 73] sts.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 3 [3: 5: 5: 5] rows, then on foll 3 [4: 4: 4: 4] alt rows.

39 [41: 45: 49: 55] sts.

Work 11 [11: 13: 15: 15] rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape front neck

Next row (RS): Patt 13 [14: 15: 17: 20] sts and turn, leaving rem

sts on a holder.

Work each side of neck separately.

Keeping patt correct, dec 1 st at neck edge of next 4 rows, then on foll 2 [2: 2: 2: 3] alt rows, then on 2 foll 4th rows. 5 [6: 7: 9: 11] sts.

Work 3 rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape shoulder

Cast off 2 [3: 3: 4: 5] sts at beg of next row.

Work 1 row.

Cast off rem 3 [3: 4: 5: 6] sts.

With RS facing, slip centre 13 [13: 15: 15: 15] sts onto a holder, rejoin yarn, patt to end.

Complete to match first side, reversing shapings.

MAKING UP

Press as described on the information page.

Join right shoulder seam using back stitch, or mattress stitch if preferred.

Neckband

With RS facing and using 6½mm (US 10½) needles, pick up and knit 22 [22: 22: 22: 24] sts down left side of front neck, K across

13 [13: 15: 15: 15] sts on front holder, pick up and knit 22 [22: 22: 22: 24] sts up right side of front neck, and 5 sts down right side

of back neck, K across 19 [19: 21: 21: 23] sts on back holder inc 1 st at centre, then pick up and knit 5 sts up left side of back neck.

87 [87: 91: 91: 97] sts.

Row 1 (WS): P1, *K1, P1, rep from * to end.

Row 2: K1, *P1, K1, rep from * to end.

These 2 rows form rib.

Work in rib for a further 3 rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

Cast off in rib.

Join left shoulder and neckband seam.

Left armhole border

With RS facing and using 6½mm (US 10½) needles, pick up and knit 43 [47: 49: 53: 56] sts up left front armhole edge to shoulder

seam, then 50 [54: 58: 62: 65] sts down left back armhole edge.

93 [101: 107: 115: 121] sts.

Work in rib as given for neckband for 3 rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

Cast off in rib.

Right armhole border

With RS facing and using 6½mm (US 10½) needles, pick up and knit 50 [54: 58: 62: 65] sts up right back armhole edge to shoulder

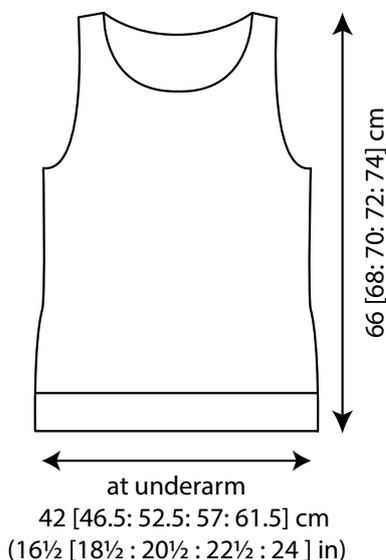
seam, then 43 [47: 49: 53: 56] sts down right front armhole edge.

93 [101: 107: 115: 121] sts.

Work in rib as given for neckband for 3 rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

Cast off in rib.

See information page for finishing instructions, leaving side seams open below markers. (**Note:** Front rib is 12 rows shorter than back rib.)



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