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Willow Stream

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Technique used: Knit



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[NaturallyCaron.com Spa](http://NaturallyCaron.com/Spa)

(75% Microdenier Acrylic/25% Bamboo;
12(12, 15, 15, 18) ounces

Shown in: #0007 Naturally

One pair each size US 5 and 7 (3.75 and 4.5 mm),
or size to obtain gauge

One circular needle size US 5 (3.75 mm), 16"/40
cm long for neck

Split-ring stitch markers or waste yarn

Cable needle (cn)

Yarn needle



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SIZES

X-Small (Small, Medium, Large, X-Large)

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Bust 32 (36, 40, 44, 48)"/81 (91.5, 101.5, 112, 122) cm

Length 20 (20 1/2, 21, 21 1/2, 22)"/51 (52, 53.5, 54.5, 58.5) cm

OPTIONAL

Row counter

GAUGE

In Stockinette stitch, 20 sts and 26 rows = 4"/10 cm, using larger needles.

Each 15-st Bobble Panel + 4 sts in St st = 3.5"

14-st center Cable = 2".

ABBREVIATIONS

M1 (make 1 increase): Lift strand between needles to left-hand needle, knit strand through the back loop, twisting it to prevent a hole.

MB (make bobble): In next st (k1, yo, k1, yo, k1), turn; p5, turn; ssk, k3tog, pass ssk over k3tog – 1 st remains.

LT (left twist): Slip next 2 sts, one at a time *knitwise*, to right-hand needle, return sts to left-hand needle in turned position; knit second st through the back loop (tbl), k2tog-tbl (first and second sts-through the back loops).

RT (right twist): K2tog, do not drop sts from left-hand needle; knit first st again, drop both sts from left-hand needle.

STITCHES USED

Reverse Stockinette stitch (Rev St st): Purl on RS, knit on WS

Stockinette stitch (St st): Knit on RS, purl on WS.

Bobble Pattern (panel of 15 sts)

Row 1 (RS): P3, [RT] twice, p1, [LT] twice, p3.

Row 2: K3, [p1, k1] twice, k2, [p1, k1] twice, k2.

Row 3: P2, [RT] twice, p3, [LT] twice, p2.

Row 4: K2, [p1, k1] twice, k4, [p1, k1] twice, k1.

Row 5: P1, [RT] twice, p5, [LT], p1.

Row 6: [K1, p1] twice, k7, [p1, k1] twice.

Row 7: P1, MB, p1, LT, p5, RT, p1, MB, p1.

Row 8: K4, p1, k5, p1, k4.

Row 9: P4, LT, p3, RT, p4.

Row 10: K5, p1, k3, p1, k5.

Row 11: P5, MB, p3, MB, p5.

Row 12: K4, [p1, k1] 4 times, k3.

Repeat Rows 1 – 12 for Bobble patt.

Center Cable (panel of 14 sts)

Note: Center Cable is worked in 2 separate sections – half at center left Front, half at center right Front, then joined on Row 9 of each repeat.

Rows 1, 3, 5 7 and 11 (RS): **Left Front** – P1, k6. **Right Front** – K6, p1.

Row 2 and all WS rows: Knit the knit sts and purl the purl sts as they face you for each section.

Row 9: Left Front – P1, slip next 6 sts to cn, hold to back, using left Front strand of yarn, k6 from right Front. **Right Front** – Using right Front strand of yarn, k6 from cn, p1.

Row 12: Repeat Row 2.

Repeat Rows 1 – 12 for Center cable.

NOTES

Back and Sleeves are worked in Stockinette stitch throughout.

Stitch count on Front differs from Back.

Front is worked in separate sections with two separate strands of yarn and joined in the center Cable panel on every Row 9 of pattern; center 90-sts (in established patt) measures approximately 16" wide.

HELPFUL

Place markers (pm) each side of Bobble panels while working Front.

BACK

Using larger needles, cast on 78 (86, 94, 102, 110) sts.

(WS) Begin St st; work even until piece measures 2" from beg, end with a WS row.

Shape Sides

(RS) Cont in St st, beginning this row, inc 1 st each side every 10 rows 1 (2, 3, 4, 5) times—80 (90, 100, 110, 120) sts.

Work even until piece measures 9 1/2" from beg (all sizes), end with a WS row.

Shape Armhole

(RS) Bind off 5 (5, 7, 8, 9) sts at beg of next 2 rows—70 (80, 86, 94, 102) sts remain.

(RS) Dec 1 st each side every other row 3 (6, 7, 8, 9) times—64 (68, 72, 78, 84) sts remain.

Work even until armhole measures 7 1/2 (8, 8 1/2, 9, 9 1/2)" from beg of shaping, end with a WS row.

Bind off all sts; pm each side of center 28 (30, 32, 34, 38) sts for neck; 18 (19, 20, 22, 23) sts each side for shoulders.

PEPLUM

With RS facing, using larger needles, pick up and knit 78 (86, 94, 102, 110) sts across lower edge.

(WS) Begin St st; work even for 1 row.

Shape Peplum

Row 1 (RS): Inc 18 (20, 22, 24, 26) sts evenly across as follows: K6, [M1, k2, M1, k6] 9 (10, 11, 12, 13) times—96 (106, 116, 126, 136) sts.

Rows 2 – 4: In St st, work even for 3 rows.

Row 5: Inc 18 (20, 22, 24, 26) sts evenly across as follows: K7, [M1, k2, M1, k8] 8 (9, 10, 11, 12) times, then M1, k2, M1, k7—114 (126, 138, 150, 162) sts.

Rows 6 – 8: In St st, work even for 3 rows.

Row 9: Inc 18 (20, 22, 24, 26) sts evenly across as follows: K8, [M1, k2, M1, k10] 8 (9, 10, 11, 12) times, then M1, k2, M1, k8—132 (146, 160, 174, 188) sts.

Rows 10 – 14: In St st, work even for 5 rows.

Change to smaller needles and Rev St st.

Rows 15 - 19: In Rev St st; work even for 5 rows.

Bind off all sts.

FRONT

Using larger needles and a separate strand of yarn for each section, cast on 45 (47, 51, 55, 59) sts each for left Front and right Front.

(WS) Begin St st; purl 1 row.

Establish Pattern

Row 1 (RS): **Left Front** – K0 (2, 6, 10, 14), pm; beginning Row 1 of Bobble patt and center Cable, [work Bobble patt across next 15 sts, pm, k4, pm] twice; p1, k6 (center Cable). **Right Front** – K6, p1 (center Cable); [k4, work Bobble patt across next 15 sts] twice, k0 (2, 6, 10, 14).

Row 2: **Right Front** – P0 (2, 6, 10, 14), [work Bobble patt across next 15 sts, p4] twice, k1, p6. **Left Front** – P6, k1, [p4, work Bobble patt across next 15 sts] twice, p0 (2, 6, 10, 14).

Continue as est, joining Cable at center Front every Row 9 of pattern. Work even until piece measures 2" from beg, end with a WS row.

Shape Sides

(RS) Beginning this row, inc 1 st each side every 10 rows 1 (3, 4, 5, 6) times, working inc sts in St st—46 (50, 55, 60, 65) sts each Front. Work even until piece measures 9 1/2" from beg (all sizes), end with a WS row.

Shape Armholes

Work as for Back—38 (39, 41, 44, 47) sts remain each side.

Work even as est until armhole measures 4 (4, 4 1/2, 4 1/2, 5)", from beg of shaping, end with a WS.

Shape Neck

Continuing as est, at each neck edge, bind off 14 (14, 15, 16, 18) sts once, 3 sts once, 2 sts once, then 1 st once—18 (19, 20, 22, 23) sts remain each side for shoulders. Work even until armhole measures same as Back to shoulder, end with a WS row.

Bind off all sts.

PEPLUM

Left Front

With RS facing, using larger needles, pick up and knit 45 (47, 51, 55, 59) sts across lower edge.

Establish Pattern: **(WS)** P6, k1 (Front band), purl to end.

Shape Peplum

Row 1 (RS): Inc 8 sts evenly across as follows: K6 (7, 9, 11, 13), [M1, k2, M1, k6] 3 times, M1, k2, M1, k6 (7, 9, 11, 13); p1, k6 (Front band)—53 (55, 59, 63, 67) sts.

Rows 2 – 4: In St st, work even for 3 rows.

Row 5: Inc 8 sts evenly across as follows: K7 (8, 10, 12, 14), [M1, k2, M1, k8] 3 times, M1, k2, M1, k7 (8, 10, 12, 14), p1, k6—61 (63, 67, 71, 75) sts.

Rows 6 – 8: In St st, work even for 3 rows.

Row 9: Inc 8 sts evenly across as follows: K8 (9, 11, 13, 15), [M1, k2, M1, k10] 3 times, M1, k2, M1, k8 (9, 11, 13, 15), p1, k6—69 (71, 75, 79, 83) sts.

Rows 10 – 14: In St st, work even for 5 rows.

Change to smaller needles and Rev St st.

Rows 15 - 19: In Rev St st; work even for 5 rows.

Bind off all sts.

Right Front

With RS facing, using larger needles, pick up and knit 45 (47, 51, 55, 59) sts across lower edge.

Establish Pattern: (WS) Purl across to last 7 sts; k1, p6 (Front band).

Continuing as established (Front band at beginning of RS rows, end of WS rows); shape as for Left Front Peplum.

Bind off all sts.

SLEEVES

Using larger needles, cast on 38 (40, 42, 44, 46) sts.

(WS) Begin St st; work even until piece measures 3 (2 1/2, 2, 1 1/2, 1)" from beg, end with a WS row.

(RS) Beginning this row, inc 1 st each side every 4 rows 12 (14, 15, 17, 18) times, working inc sts in St st—62 (68, 72, 78, 82) sts. Work even until piece measures 11 1/2 (11 1/2, 11 1/2, 12, 12)" from beg, end with a WS row.

Shape Cap

(RS) Bind off 5 (5, 7, 8, 9) sts at beg of next 2 rows—52 (58, 58, 62, 64) sts remain.

Work even for 0 (0, 4, 4, 4) rows, end with a WS row.

(RS) Dec 1 st each side every other row 10 (13, 13, 15, 16) times, end with a WS row—32 sts remain.

(RS) Dec 2 sts (k3tog) each side every other row twice—24 sts remain.

Bind off remaining sts.

Lower Edge

With RS facing, using larger needles, pick up and knit 38 (40, 42, 44, 46) sts across lower edge.

(WS) Begin St st; purl 1 row.

Shape Lower Edge

Row 1 (RS): Inc 8 sts evenly across as follows: K6 (7, 8, 9, 10), [M1, k2, M1, k6] 3 times, M1, k2, M1, k6 (7, 8, 9, 10)—46 (48, 50, 52, 54) sts.

Rows 2 – 4: In St st, work even for 3 rows.

Row 5: Inc 8 sts evenly across as follows: K7 (8, 9, 10, 11), [M1, k2, M1, k8] 3 times, M1, k2, M1, k7 (8, 9, 10, 11) – 54 (56, 58, 60, 62) sts.

Rows 6 – 8: In St st, work even for 3 rows.

Row 9: Inc 8 sts evenly across as follows: K8 (9, 10, 11, 12), [M1, k2, M1, k10] 3 times, M1, k2, M1, k8 (9, 10, 11, 12) – 62 (64, 66, 68, 70) sts.

Rows 10 – 13 (13, 13, 12, 12): In St st, work even for 4 (4, 4, 3, 3) rows.

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Row 13: Inc 8 sts evenly across as follows: K12 (13); [M1, k2, M1, k12] 3 times, M1, k2, M1, k12 (13)—76 (78) sts.

All sizes

Row 14: Purl.

Change to smaller needles and Rev St st.

Rows 15 - 19: In Rev St st; work even for 5 rows.

Bind off all sts.

FINISHING

Join shoulder seams. Set in sleeves; sew Sleeve and side seams.

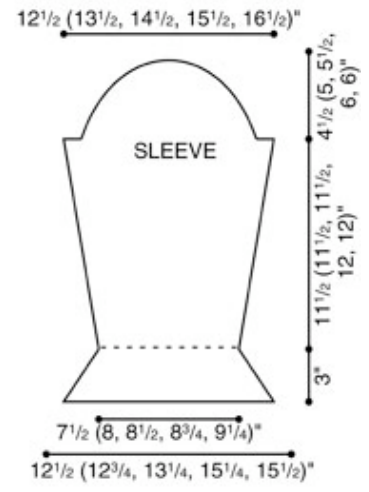
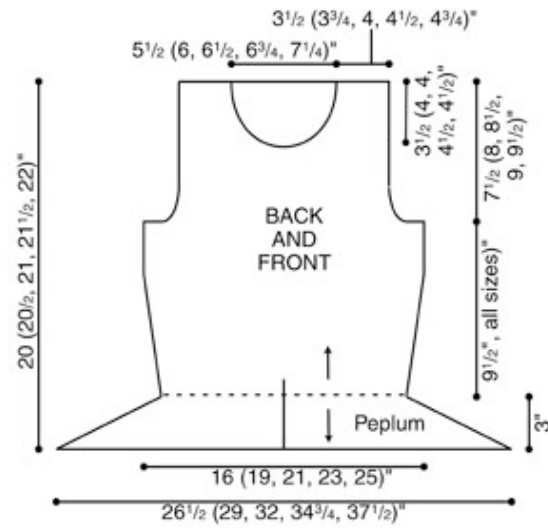
Neck Band

With RS facing, using circular needle, beg at right Front neck edge, pick up and knit 37 (39, 40, 43, 45) sts up neck shaping to shoulder; 28 (30, 32, 34, 38) sts across Back neck; 37 (39, 40, 43, 45) sts down neck shaping to center Front—102 (108, 112, 120, 128) sts.

(WS) Begin St st; work even for 7 rows.

Bind off all sts.

Using yarn needle, weave in all ends.



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