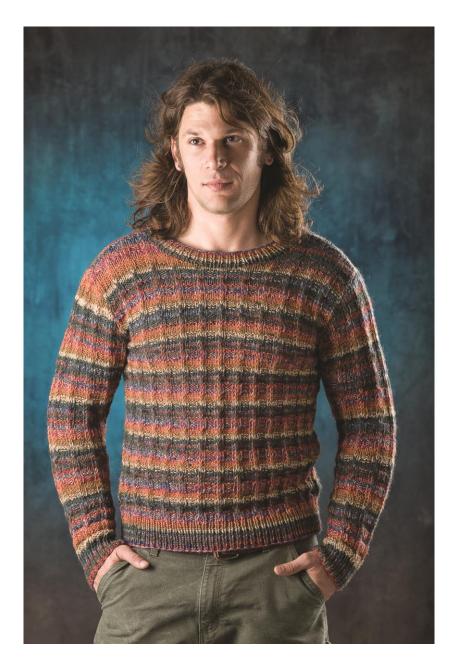


# **PATTERN COLLECTION: MEN**



## **PATTERN NAME**

Weekend in New England

## SKILL LEVEL

Easy

#### SIZE

**To fit Bust/Chest:** 33 (36, 41, 44, 49, 52)"

# FINISHED MEASUREMENT

**Finished Length:** 

24 1/2 (25, 25 1/2, 26 1/2, 27 1/2, 28)" **Upper Arm:** 16 (16, 16 3/4, 16 3/4, 19, 19)"

# **MATERIALS**

Yarn: 5 (6, 6, 7, 8, 8) skeins of Deluxe Worsted Instant Print (100% Wool),

219yds/200m/100g

Needles: US 8 or 5mm needles, or size to

obtain gauge

US 7 or 4.5mm needles

US 7 or 4.5mm circular needle, 16" long for

neckband

**Notion:** Tapestry needle to weave in ends

# **GAUGE**

18 sts and 26 rows = 4" over patt st **To save time, always check your gauge.** 

# **ABBREVIATIONS**

St(s) - stitch (es)

RS – right side

WS – wrong side

Sl - slip

Wyif – with yarn in front

#### **Pattern Stitch**

(Worked over a multiple of 6 + 3 sts)

Slip sts as if to knit wyif.

Rows 1 and 3 (RS): (K1, sl 1, k1, p3) to last 3 sts, k1, sl 1, k1

Rows 2 and 4: (P3, k3) to last 3 sts, p3.

Rows 5 and 7: (K1, sl 1, k4) to last 3 sts, k1, sl 1, k1.

Rows 6 and 8: Purl.

Rep rows 1-8 for patt.

#### Back

With smaller needles CO 75 (82, 89, 99, 111, 117) sts. Work in K1, P1 ribbing for 2 1/4".

Change to larger needles and beg working in Pattern Stitch. Work even until piece meas 15 ½ (16, 16, 16, 16, 17, 18)".

# Shape armholes:

BO 4 (5, 8, 9, 10, 11) sts at beg of next 2 rows, then dec 1 st at each end of needle every RS row 4 (5, 8, 9, 10, 11) times— 59 (61, 61, 63, 71, 73) sts rem. Work even until piece meas 23  $\frac{1}{2}$  (24, 24  $\frac{1}{2}$ , 25  $\frac{1}{2}$ , 26  $\frac{1}{2}$ , 27)" from CO edge.

## **Shape shoulders:**

BO 5 (5, 5, 5, 6, 6) sts at beg of next 2 rows, then BO 5 (5, 5, 6, 6, 6) at beg of foll 2 rows, then BO 6 (6, 6, 6, 6, 7) sts at beg of foll 2 rows. BO rem 27 (29, 29, 29, 35, 35) back neck sts.

#### **Front**

Work as for back until piece meas approx 22 1/2 (23, 23 1/2, 24, 25 1/2, 25 1/2)" from CO edge. End after working a WS row.

## Shape neck:

Next row (RS): Work 21 (21, 21, 22, 24, 25) sts, join a 2nd ball of yarn, BO center 17 (19, 19, 19, 23, 23) sts, work rem 21 (21, 21, 22, 24, 25) sts. Working both sides at once with separate balls of yarn, dec 1 st at neck edge every RS row 5 (5, 5, 5, 6, 6) times— 16 (16, 16, 17, 18, 19) sts rem in each shoulder.

Work even until front meas same as back to shoulder shaping. Shape shoulders as for back.

Sleeves: (make 2)

With smaller needles, CO 31 (33, 33, 35, 41, 43) sts. Work in K1, P1 ribbing for 2 1/4". End after working a RS row.

Next row (WS): Work in ribbing inc 5 sts evenly across—36 (38, 38, 40, 46, 48) sts.

Change to larger needles and beg working in Pattern Stitch AT THE SAME TIME begin sleeve shaping as foll:

Inc 1 st on each side every 4 rows 11 (7, 11, 8, 12, 8) times, then every 6 rows 7 (10, 8, 10, 8, 11) times, working incs into patt—72 (72, 76, 76, 86, 86) sts. Work even until sleeve meas 16 ½  $(16 \frac{1}{2} 17 \frac{1}{2} 16 \frac{3}{4}, 18, 18)$ " or desired length to underarm.

## Shape cap:

BO 4 (5, 8, 9, 10) sts at beg of next 2 rows. Dec 1 st at each side every other row 4 (5, 8, 9, 10) times. Dec 1 st at each side every row 14 (12, 8, 6, 8) times. Dec 1 st at each side every other row twice, then BO 3 sts at beg of next 4 rows. BO rem 12 (12, 12, 12, 14) sts.

#### Finishing:

Sew shoulder seams. Set in sleeves. Sew underarm and side seams.

#### Work neckband:

With circular needle, pick up 70 (74, 74, 74, 84, 88) sts around neck edge. Work in K1, P1 ribbing for 1".

BO loosely in patt. Weave in ends. Wash and dry flat to block.

## **Technical note**

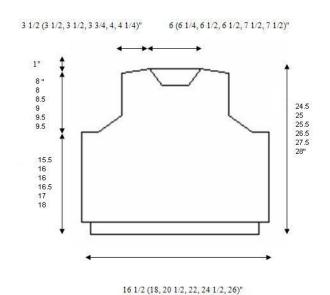
K1, P1 Ribbing is worked over an odd number of sts when knitted flat.

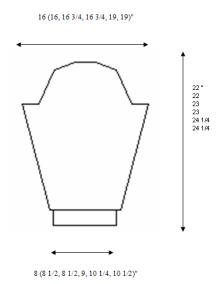
Row 1 (RS): (K1, p1) to last st, k1.

Row 2: (P1, k1) to last st, p1.

To work this ribbing in the round you need to work over an even number of sts

All rnds: (K1, p1) around.





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