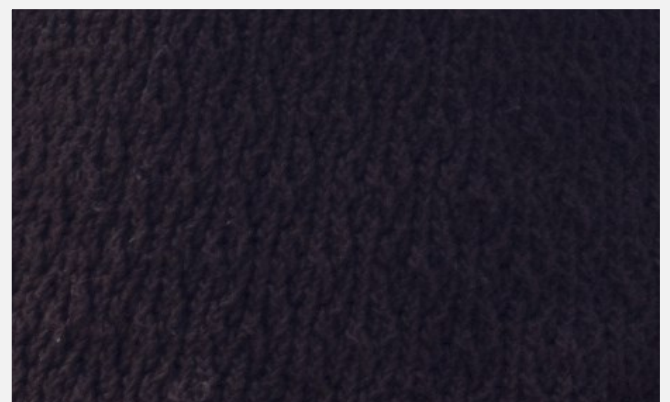


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Espresso Pullover features an allover intricate lace pattern with oversized sleeves, neckline, and tapered waist.

## Skill Level:

Easy/Intermediate

## Size:

Small (Medium, Large, X- Large, XX-Large)  
*(Show in size Medium).*

## Materials:

Cascade Yarns® Venezia Worsted  
70% Merino Wool/30% Silk  
100 g (3.5 oz) / 219 yds (199 m)  
6(6, 7, 7, 8) skeins of color  
#128 (Deep Plum)  
US 6, 8 & 10 knitting needles  
or size to obtain gauge  
Stitch Markers  
Stitch Holders  
Yarn Needle

## Finished Measurements:

Bust: 38 (40, 44, 46, 50)" - 97 (102, 112, 117, 127) cm  
Length: 23 (23½, 23½, 25, 25½)" - 58 (60, 60, 63, 65) cm

## Gauge:

19 sts x 24 rows = 4" (10 cm) on US 10 knitting needles

## Abbreviations:

CO	= Cast On
K	= Knit
P	= Purl
PSSO	= Pass Slip Stitch Over
RS	= Right Side
YO	= Yarn Over
St(s)	= Stitch(es)
K2tog	= Knit 2 stitches together
WS	= Wrong Side

## Lace Pattern (Multiples of 6 sts + 1):

**Note:** When instructed to slip a stitch, slip as if to knit.

Row 1 (RS): K1, \*[YO, Sl1, K1, PSSO, K1, K2tog, YO, K1] repeat from the \* to the end of the row.

Row 2 and all WS rows: Purl across.



Row 3: K2, \*[YO, K3] repeat from \* across to last 2 sts, YO, K2.

Row 5: K2tog, YO, Sl1, K1, PSSO, K1, K2tog, \*[YO, Sl1, K2tog, PSSO, YO, Sl1, K1, PSSO, K1, K2tog] repeat from \* to the last 2 sts, YO, Sl1, K1, PSSO.

Row 7: K1, \*[K2tog, YO, K1, YO, Sl1, K1, PSSO, K1] repeat from \* to end of the row.

Row 9: K2, \*[YO, K3] repeat from \* to last 2 sts, YO, K2.

Row 11: K1, \*[K2tog, YO, Sl1, K2tog, PSSO, YO, Sl1, K1, PSSO, K1] repeat from \* to end of the row.

Row 12: Purl

Repeat rows 1-12 to establish lace pattern.

### **Front:**

CO 91 (97, 103, 109, 121) sts with US 10 knitting needles.

Purl 1 wrong side row.

On right side, knit 12 rows in Lace Pattern.

Switch to US 8 needles, continue in Lace Pattern for 12 more rows.

Switch to US 6 needles and continue in Lace Pattern for 12 rows.

Place marker on side seam as this will be your center waistline.

Using the US 6 needles, knit in Lace Pattern for 12 rows and switch back to US 8 needles and knit 12 more rows in Lace Pattern.

Using US 10 needles, knit in Lace Pattern until piece measures 22½ (22¾, 24, 24¼, 25)".

**Note:** For neckline do all BO on the wrong side while keeping in Lace Pattern on the right side. Starting on the purl side row, place the center 21 (23, 25, 27, 30) sts on a stitch holder.

### **Neck Shaping:**

Place the following sts on stitch holder every other row as follows:

For sizes 38 and 40: 5, 4, 4, 3, 2

For sizes 44 and 46: 6, 5, 5, 3, 2

For size 50: 6, 5, 4, 4, 3.

Slip sts from stitch holders onto US 10 needles and knit in Stockinette stitch for 4 rows.

BO on the purl side.

### **Back:**

Work as for the front.

### **Sleeves:**

With US 10 needles, CO 85 (85, 91, 91, 99) sts and purl WS row.

On RS row, knit in pattern for 24 rows.

Switch to US 8 needles and knit for 24 rows.

Switch to US 6 needles and knit until piece measures 18" long and BO on the purl side row.

### **Finishing:**

Block pieces lightly to specified measurements.

Sew front and back shoulder seams together.

Measure down from shoulder seam 7½ (7½, 8, 8, 8½)" on both front and back pieces for sleeve placement and place markers.

Find the center point on the sleeves.

Place sleeves on the shoulder seam, right sides together, and sew in place.

Sew underarms and side seams together.

To stabilize the neckline, weave a piece of yarn around the neckline just below the top edge, pulling it taught and secure by weaving in the end.

Weave in all excess strands of yarn.

