KNITTED

"Marching Cables" Men's Pullover Sweater P-FA-002

Designed by Jane Schwartz

SIZE: Men's Small (Medium, Large, X-Large, XX-Large).

FINISHED SIZE: Chest = 41 (44, 48, 42, 56)".

EXPERIENCE: Intermediate.

MATERIALS: Fantasy (100g ball, 205 yards)

9 (9, 10, 11, 12) balls Military Blue #25 US Size 7, 36" circular knitting needles

US Size 7, 16" circular knitting needles (for neck) Cable needle, stitch holders and stitch markers. 24 sts and 30 rows = 4" in Marching Cables pattern.

GAUGE: 24 sts and 30 rows = 4" in Marching Cables pattern.

STITCH ABBREVIATIONS: C6B = SI 3 sts to cable needle and hold in back, k3, k3 from

cable needle.

STITCHES USED: 2×2 Ribbing (multiple of 4 + 2): Row 1 (RS): K1, * k2, p2.

Repeat from * ending with p1. Repeat row 1 for pat.



MARCHING CABLES PATTERN

(worked over 11 sts + 2).

Row 1: K1, * k6, (k1, p1) twice, k1, Repeat from * ending with k1.

Rows 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14: P1, * (k1, p1) twice, k1, p6. Repeat from * ending with p1.

Row 3: K1,* C6B, (k1, p1) twice, k1. Repeat from * ending with k1.

Rows 5, 7, 9, 11: K1, * k6, (k1, p1) twice, k1. Repeat from * across, ending with k1.

Row 13: Repeat row 3.

Row 15: K1, * (k1, p1) twice, k7. Repeat from * ending with k1.

Rows 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28: P1, * p6, (k1, p1) twice, k1. Repeat from * ending with p1.

Row 17: K1, * (k1, p1) twice, k1, C6B. Repeat from * ending with k1.

Rows 19, 21, 23, 25: K1, * (k1, p1) twice, k7. Repeat from * ending with k1.

Row 27: Repeat row 17.

Repeat rows 1 – 28 for Marching Cable Pattern.

BACK:

Cast on 122 (130, 146, 154, 170). Work in 2 x 2 ribbing pattern for 2" ending with a RS row. Next Row: Working in pat across, inc or dec as follows: For size S: Inc 1 st in middle of row. For Size M: Inc 4 sts evenly spaced across. For Size L: Dec 1 st in middle of row. For Size XL: Inc 2 sts evenly spaced across.

For Size XXL: Dec 3 sts evenly spaced across = 123 (134, 145, 156, 167) sts.

Establish Marching Cables Pattern: Starting with Row 1 (RS), work rows 1-28 of Marching Cables pat until piece measurers $15 \frac{1}{4} (16, 16 \frac{1}{2}, 17, 17 \frac{1}{2})$ ", ending with a WS row.

Shape Armholes: Maintaining pat as established, bind off 6 (7, 9, 12, 14) sts at beg of next two rows. Bind off 3 (4, 5, 6, 7) sts at beg of next two rows. Dec 1 st at beg and end of every RS row 3 (4, 4, 4, 5) times. Work on 99 (104, 109, 112, 115) sts until piece measures $24 \frac{3}{4} (26, 27, 28, 29 \frac{1}{2})$ ".

Shape shoulders: Bind off 31 (32, 34, 35, 36) sts. Place next 37 (40, 41, 42, 43) sts on holder. Attach second ball of yarn and bind off remaining 31 (32, 34, 35, 36) sts.

FRONT:

Work as for back until piece measures $22 \frac{1}{2} (22 \frac{3}{4}, 23 \frac{1}{4}, 23 \frac{3}{4}, 24 \frac{1}{4})$ ", ending with a WS row. Shape Neckline: Work 43 (45, 47, 48, 49) sts. Attach another ball of yarn, bind off 13 (14, 15, 16, 17) sts, work to end of row. Continue working both sides of neck at the same time using separate balls of yarn. On the next two rows, bind off 3 (3, 3, 3, 3) sts at beg of neck edge. Maintaining pat, dec 1 st at each neck edge every RS row 9 (10, 10, 10, 10) times = 31 (32, 34, 35, 36) sts. Work even in pat until piece measures same as back. Bind off.



SLEEVES:

Cast on 46 (50, 54, 58, 58) sts. Work in 2 x 2 ribbing as for back for 2", ending with a RS row. Next row: Working in pat, inc or dec as follows: For Sizes S, M, L: Inc 0 (7, 3) sts evenly spaced across. For Sizes XL, XXL: Dec 1 (1) st = 46 (57, 57, 57, 57) sts. Beg row 1 of Marching Cables pat and work in stitch pattern for 1". Maintaining Marching Cables pat as for back, inc 1 st each side every RS row 27 (22, 27, 27, 27) times = 100 (101, 111, 111, 111) sts.

Continue even in pattern stitch until piece measures $18 (18 \frac{1}{2}, 19 \frac{1}{2}, 20, 20 \frac{1}{2})$ ".

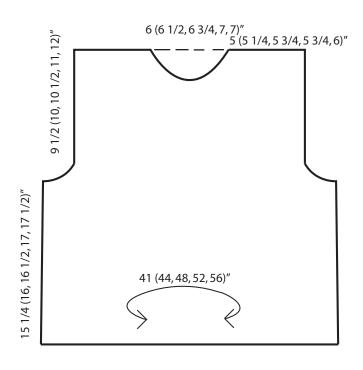
Shape Armholes: Bind off 6 (7, 9, 12, 14) sts at beg of next two rows. Bind off 3 (4, 5, 6, 7) sts at beg of next 2 rows. Dec 1 st each side every RS row until sleeve measures 22 $\frac{1}{2}$ (22 $\frac{1}{2}$, 22 $\frac{1}{2}$, 23 $\frac{1}{2}$, 23 $\frac{1}{2}$)". Dec 1 st each side every row until sleeve measures 24 $\frac{1}{2}$ (25, 25 $\frac{1}{2}$, 26 $\frac{1}{4}$, 27)". Bind off all sts.

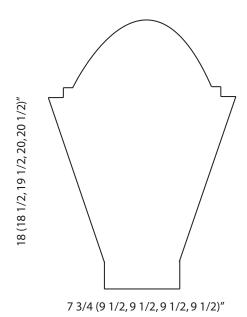
NECK RIBBING:

Sew shoulder seams. With RS facing, pick up 84 (92, 96, 100, 104) sts around neck, including sts from back holder. Place marker to indicate beg of row. Work in 2 x 2 ribbing for 1". Bind off.

FINISHING:

Sew in sleeves, Sew side and underarm seams. Block if necessary by placing sweater on a padded surface, cover with wet cloths and leave to dry thoroughly.





ABBREVIATIONS

beg = beginning
dec = decrease
inc = increase
RS = right side
pat = pattern
st or sts = stitch or stitches
WS = wrong side

