

Pattern Collection: Women



Blissful Tee Designed by Universal Yarn Design Team

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SIZES

Small (Medium, Large, 1X, 2X, 3X) Intended to be worn with 4-6" positive ease.

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS Bust: 38½ (42½, 46½, 50½, 54½, 58½)"

MATERIALS

Fibra Natura *Cotton True Sport* (100% Pima cotton 50g/197 yds)

 #110 Stormy Blue – 5 (6, 6, 7, 8, 8) skeins

Needle: US Size 4 (3.5 mm) 24" circular *or size needed to obtain gauge* US Size 3 (3.25 mm) 16" & 24" circular, set of dpns

Notions: Tapestry needle, stitch holders, 2 stitch markers, removable stitch markers

GAUGE

24 sts and 30 rows = 4" in Stockinette Stitch with larger ndl 31 sts x 32 rows = 4" in K1, P1 Ribbing with smaller ndl (unstretched) **Save time, check your gauge.**

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PATTERN NOTES

This warm-weather tee is the perfect addition to your summer wardrobe. It is intended to be worn with approximately 4 to 6 inches of positive ease. The tee is knit in pieces from the bottom up. After seaming stitches are picked up along the armholes and neckline to create a neat, ribbed edge.

Sloped Bind off: On the row before the bind-off row, slip the last stitch of the row pwise wyib. On the bind-off row, sl 2, pass the second slipped st over the first slipped st, bind off rem sts as usual.

STITCH GUIDE

K1, P1 Ribbing (even number of sts) Row 1: * K1, p1; rep from * to end. Rep Row 1 for patt.

Lace

(multiple of 6 sts + 2) **Row 1 (RS):** * P2, k2tog, [yo] 2 times, ssk; rep from * to last 2 sts, p2. **Row 2 (WS):** K2, * p1, [k1, p1] into double yo, p1, k2; rep from * to end. **Row 3:** * P2, k4; rep from * to last 2 sts, p2. **Row 4:** K2, * p4, k2; rep from * to end. Rep Rows 1-4 for patt.

FRONT

Hem

With smaller ndl, cast on 118 (130, 142, 154, 166, 178) sts. Work in K1, P1 Ribbing until piece meas 1½".

Body

Switch to larger ndl. **Row 1 (RS):** Knit. **Row 2 (WS):** Purl. Cont in St st until piece meas 13½ (13¾, 14, 14¼, 14½, 14¾)" ending with a RS row. Place removable markers at each edge to indicate beg of armholes. Cont in patt until piece meas 2 (2¼, 2½, 2½, 2¾, 2¾)" from armhole markers, ending with WS row.

Begin Lace

Set-up row (WS): P1, pm, p116 (128, 140, 154, 164, 176) sts, pm, p1.

Row 1 (RS): K1, sl m, work Row 1 of Lace to m, sl m, k1. Patt will be repeated 19 (21, 23, 25, 27, 29) times across each row.

Row 2 (WS): P1, sl m, work Row 2 of Lace patt to m, sl m p1.

Rows 3-4: Cont in patt as est'd.

Cont in patt until piece meas 4 $(4\frac{1}{2}, 5, 5\frac{1}{2}, 6, 6\frac{1}{2})$ " from armhole markers, ending with WS row.

Shape Right Front Neck

Row 1 (RS): K1, sl m, work in patt over 37 (43, 48, 54, 59, 65) Left Front sts, attach new ball of yarn and bind off center 42 (42, 44, 44, 46, 46) sts, work in patt over rem 37 (43, 48, 54, 59, 65) Right Front lace sts to m, sl m, k1. Place Left Front sts on holder.

Note: Use the Sloped Bind-off method for binding off the rem sts. Cont working in Lace patt.

WS Rows 2-8: Work even in patt to end. **Row 3:** Bind off 3 sts, work in patt to end – 35 (41, 46, 52, 57, 63) sts remain.

Row 5: Bind off 2 sts, work in patt to end – 33 (39, 44, 50, 55, 61) sts remain.

Row 7: Ssk, work in patt to end -32 (38, 43, 49, 54, 60) sts rem. Work even in patt until piece meas 7 (7½, 8, 8½, 9, 9½)" from armhole markers, ending with WS row. Bind off all sts.

Shape Left Front Neck

Return held sts to ndl.

Row 2 (WS): Bind off 3 sts, work in patt to end – 35 (41, 46, 52, 57, 63) sts rem.

RS Rows 3-5: Work even in patt to end. **Row 4:** Bind off 2 sts, work in patt to end – 33 (39, 44, 50, 55, 61) sts rem.

Row 6: P2tog, work in patt to end – 32 (38, 43, 49, 54, 60) sts rem. Work even in patt until piece meas 7 ($7\frac{1}{2}$, 8, $8\frac{1}{2}$, 9, $9\frac{1}{2}$)" from armhole markers, ending with WS row. Bind off all sts.

BACK

Work as for Front until piece meas $5\frac{1}{2}$ (6, $6\frac{1}{2}$, 7, $7\frac{1}{2}$, 8)" from armhole markers, ending with WS row.

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Shape Left Back Neck

Row 1 (RS): K1, sl m, work in patt over 37 (43, 48, 54, 59, 65) Right Back sts, attach new ball of yarn and bind off center 42 (42, 44, 44, 46, 46) sts, work in patt over rem 37 (43, 48, 54, 59, 65) Left Back lace sts to m, sl m, k1. Place Right Back sts on holder.

Note: Use the Sloped Bind-off method for binding off the rem sts. Cont working in Lace patt.

WS Rows 2-8: Work even in patt to end. **Row 3:** Bind off 3 sts, work in patt to end – 35 (41, 46, 52, 57, 63) sts rem.

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Shape Right Back Neck

Return held sts to ndl.

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FINISHING

Block pieces to finished measurements. Sew Shoulder seams.

Neckband

With smaller 16" circ ndl, beg at Right Shoulder seam, pick up and knit 58 (58, 60, 60, 62, 62) sts evenly along Back Neck and 92 (92, 94, 94, 96, 96) sts evenly along Front Neck – 150 (150, 154, 154, 158, 158) sts. PM and join to work in the rnd.

Rnd 1: * K1, p1; rep from * to end. Rep Rnd 1 until piece meas 1" from pick-up edge. Bind off all sts loosely in patt.

Armhole Edging

With smaller straight ndl, pick up and knit 108 (116, 124, 132, 140, 148) sts evenly along

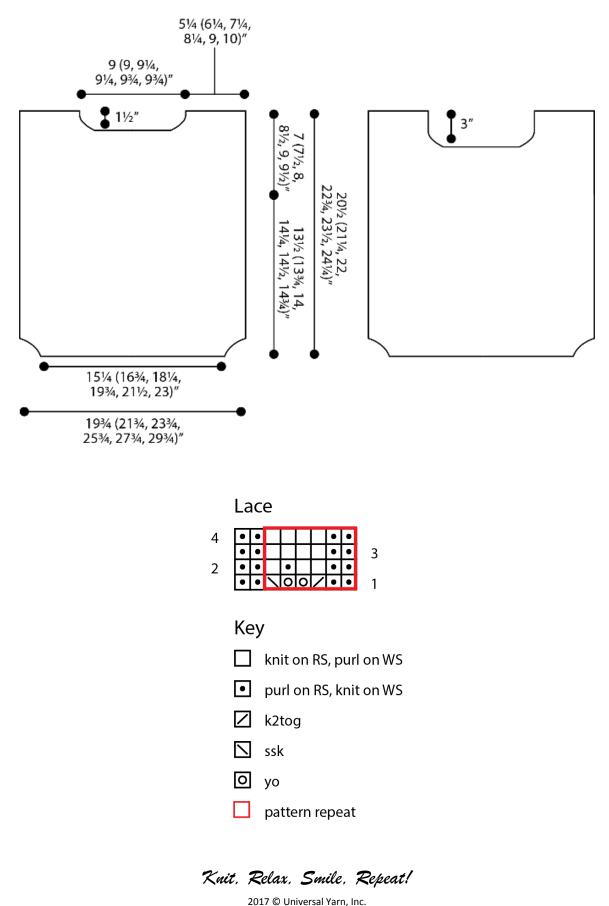
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Armhole opening bet markers. Work in K1, P1 Ribbing until piece meas 1½" from pick-up edge, ending with WS row. Bind off all sts in patt. Sew Sleeve and side seams. Weave in ends.

Abbreviations

Abbieviations	
beg	beginning
cont	continue
dec('d)	decrease(d)
k	knit
k2tog	knit 2 stitches together (1 st
	dec'd)
m	marker
meas	measures
р	purl
patt	pattern
pm	place marker
pwise	purlwise
p2tog	purl 2 sts together (1 st dec'd)
rem	remain(ing)
rep	repeat
rnd	round
RS	right side
sl	slip
sl m	slip marker
ssk	slip next 2 sts individually
	knitwise, slip them back to left
	needle in this position, knit them
	together through the back loops
	(1 st dec'd)
st(s)	stitch(es)
tog	together
ws	wrong side
wyib	with yarn held in back
yo	yarn over
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